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**CAMPBELL ESTATE ANNOUNCES WINNERS OF 2006 KAPOLEI  
OUTSTANDING ACHIEVEMENT AWARDS**



The recipients of the 2006 KOA Awards: From left, Dr. Daniel White, Island Pacific Academy (KOA Award for Education); Jeff Alexander, Ewa Beach Ohana (KOA Award for Environment); Kaleo Taft, Hoku Scientific (on behalf of Dustin Shindo, KOA Award for Entrepreneur); Obed Donlin, AYSO Volunteer (KOA Award for Community Service - Individual); and Jon Santiago, Kapolei High School Interact Club (KOA Award for Community Service - Organization).

The Estate of James Campbell announced recipients of the 2006 Kapolei Outstanding Achievement (KOA) Awards on Thursday, May 18 during a ceremony held at Lanikuhonua at the Ko Olina Resort.

The 17<sup>th</sup> annual awards program recognizes individuals, companies and organizations that demonstrate commitment to making the Kapolei region a better place for those who live, work and learn there. The Estate of James Campbell established the KOA Awards in 1990, the year that the City of Kapolei broke ground.

Winners of this year's KOA awards are:

Community Service – Organization:	Kapolei High School Interact Club
Community Service – Individual:	Mr. Obed Donlin American Youth Soccer Organization (AYSO)
Education:	Dr. Daniel E. White Island Pacific Academy
Entrepreneur:	Mr. Dustin Shindo Hoku Scientific, Inc.
Environment:	Ewa Beach Ohana

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Sponsored by the Kapolei Rotary, the **Kapolei High School Interact Club** was chartered during the 2004-2005 school year. Starting with just 40 members, the club has now grown to include more than 140 members who develop, implement and manage a variety of service projects throughout the school year that benefit many in the community, including the elderly, foster children and the homeless. They also coordinate a number of beach and campus clean-ups, and have held projects to benefit tsunami relief. These amazing teenagers work tirelessly to raise funds to support their projects and to provide donations to charitable organizations. The club exemplifies the spirit of volunteerism and service to address the needs of the Kapolei community and beyond.

**Obed Donlin** is a long-time resident of Kapolei and has been a volunteer with the Leeward Region of the American Youth Soccer Organization (AYSO) since 1992. Throughout the years, Donlin has served as an AYSO coach, referee, board member, and assisted in a number of other capacities. Although his own children are now grown, he continues to serve as AYSO's regional commissioner, putting forth a year-round commitment to overseeing a program with more than 100 teams in the Leeward area. His dedication is based on the belief that kids benefit from organized sports when emphasis is placed on participation and team spirit, not on winning.

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**Dr. Daniel E. White**, recipient of the KOA Award for Education, is the founding headmaster of Island Pacific Academy, Kapolei's first non-sectarian, college prep school. Since opening in 2004, Island Pacific Academy has brought a new educational option to families in the Kapolei area. Dr. White's vision and leadership has helped to grow the Academy's enrollment from 190 students in 2004 to 380 students in 2005. It is expected that enrollment will grow even more to reach 560 for the 2006-07 school year as the school expands to include a high school division. Dr. White has shown an extraordinary passion for providing an academically challenging educational experience for students, as well as cultivating a sense of citizenship beyond the campus through community service and volunteerism.

The Entrepreneur Award was awarded to **Dustin Shindo**, chief executive officer of Hoku Scientific, Inc. Shindo co-founded the company in 2001 to develop fuel cell renewable technology. Now headquartered in a new manufacturing, research and development facility in Kapolei, the company has grown dramatically, from an original team of three people, to more than 30 employees, who are dedicated to establishing fuel cell technology as a "next generation" power source to replace dependence on fossil fuels. Shindo has also led Hoku Scientific to become the first Hawaii company since 1999 to complete an initial public offering on the Nasdaq National Market.

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Formed in 1990, the **Ewa Beach Ohana** is made up of a team of dedicated volunteers who have organized dozens of beach and roadside cleanups that have helped to beautify the community and prevented trash from entering our oceans. Their work has helped to promote greater awareness about environmental and safety issues.

In addition, Campbell Estate presented a grant of \$115,000 to nine area schools to support their technology needs. The schools are: Kapolei High School, Kapolei Middle School, Kapolei Elementary, Barbers Point Elementary, Makakilo Elementary, Mauka Lani Elementary, Campbell High School, Nanakuli High and Intermediate, and Waianae High School.

The Estate of James Campbell is a private trust with real estate assets valued at \$2.3 billion. After 106 years as a private trust, the Estate of James Campbell will transition into James Campbell Company LLC in 2007 and mark the rare transition of a trust of its size into a private company. Unlike most trusts that liquidate and distribute assets, the business of the Estate's assets will remain essentially intact, allowing the ongoing business of the Estate to continue beyond 2007. The James Campbell Company will be one of just a handful of national companies based in Hawaii. Campbell Estate currently has real estate assets in Washington, D.C. and 16 states across the U.S.

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