

# *The Committee for the Parade and Festival for the United Nations International Day of Peace would like to thank the many who contributed to the success of the events.*

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(In random order)

## ***Parade and Festival Participants:***

Pacific Buddhist Academy Taiko Drummers  
Truth 2 Youth  
Hawaii Island United Nations Ass'n  
Rock Bottom Jazz Band  
Bishop Thomas Okano  
Mayor Harry Kim  
Councilman Dominic Yagong  
Representative Dwight Takamine  
Hawaii County Band  
Puna Hongwanji Taiko Group  
Puna Hongwanji Dharma School  
Honokaa High School Jazz Band  
Hilo Hongwanji  
Malu Aina Center

Hawaii Seed  
Ohana Quake Outreach  
Hongwanji Island-wide Bon Dancers  
Honokaa Hongwanji Buddhist Temple  
Honokaa Hongwanji Buddhist Women's Association  
Honokaa Hongwanji Dharma School  
Kamuela Hongwanji Buddhist Temple  
Hamakua Portuguese Heritage Club  
Hui Uruma Club  
Honokaa Visayan Club  
Honokaa Salvation Army  
Traditional Chinese Medical College of Hawaii  
Honokaa High School Robotics Club  
Honokaa Elementary School  
ACLU Hawaii

Big Island Ilocano Club  
North Hawaii Hospice  
Hale Hoola  
Kohala Hongwanji  
Cub Scout and Boy Scout Troop 35  
Hawaii Federation of United Young Buddhist's Associations  
Heartlight Montessori School  
Twin Flames for God  
United Methodist Church of Honokaa  
The Studio Center for Holistic Arts  
Tex Drive In  
Oshiro, Rapozo, and Yagong Families  
Aloha Peace House of Hawaii  
Honokaa Aikido Group  
Hula Halau O Aloha

Hawaii Conscious Living Magazine  
Princendance Troupe  
Na'au Nanea  
Hamakua YWCA Youth Center  
Hamakua Health Center  
Debbie Dudalao  
Wonderful Orchids  
Island Goddess Spa  
Honokaa Intermediate School  
Honokaa High National Junior Honor Society  
Honokaa High Junior Engineers  
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Honokaa Police Department  
Parade Marshals  
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