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## Na Ohana Hoaloha

Na Ohana Hoaloha, a Hawaiian Music band based on Molokai, Hawaii, has always had one basic goal: spread the aloha. The band name translates to "A Family of Friends". Playing a live performance every Sunday afternoon, Na Ohana Hoaloha has entertained thousands of folks on Molokai since its inception in 2004. With strong roots in Hawaiian music, the band members work to keep each program fresh with arrangements that bring the sounds of ancient Hawaiian instruments together with modern tones, adding original band music to keep traditions vibrant in the present day. Today in Geneva, Na Ohana Hoaloha celebrates the release of its new album, *Na Ohana Hoaloha: LIVE!*



## Ka 'Imi Na'auao O Hawai'i Nei Institute

The Swiss Hula school performing in today's celebration is part of Ka 'Imi Na'auao O Hawaii Nei Institute. The Institute was founded in 1977 by Kumu Hula Roselle Keli'ihonipua Bailey, who has shared her passion of Hula by teaching in Switzerland, Germany, and Austria. The group comes together to dance Hula - an act of true cultural exchange. Hula dancing in Europe is based on the dancers' love and respect for Hawai'i. While they enjoy dancing and telling stories with their hands, they stand on the foundation of their own roots and values taught by their Hawaiian teacher: honesty, caring and helping, expressed through the word, "Aloha".



*The following program will commence at 1:00 p.m.  
All guests are asked to kindly assemble directly in front of the center stage.*

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