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**Bishop Museum Invites ‘Ohana to Family-Friendly Dino Night:
“The Land Before Time” + *Expedition Dinosaur: Into the Deep***

Honolulu, Hawai‘i — [Bishop Museum](#), the State of Hawai‘i Museum of Natural and Cultural History, invites local and visiting ‘ohana to a family friendly Dino Night: During Museum After Hours on Friday, Aug. 8, attendees will enjoy an outdoor screening of the classic animated feature, “The Land Before Time” — plus explore the Museum’s newest exhibition, *Expedition Dinosaur: Into the Deep*.

“School may be back in session but summer’s not over yet!” shared Brandon Bunag, Ed.D., Bishop Museum vice president of public programs and interim director of education. “Our August Museum After Hours event features a double header of dinosaurs, access to our galleries, Hawaiian games and activities, plus ‘ono food and drinks, perfect for a family picnic and movie on our Great Lawn.”

The \$10 pre-sale admission includes access to [Expedition Dinosaur: Into the Deep](#) in the Museum’s Castle Memorial Building from 5-7 p.m., then “The Land Before Time” at 7 p.m. on its Great Lawn. Admission also includes access to the Museum’s galleries until 7 p.m., plus kōnane games, lau hana-weaving and lei-making demonstrations, ‘ukulele lessons, and keiki activities with the Ulu A‘e Learning Center. Food and beverages will be available for purchase on the Great Lawn from 5 p.m.

Bishop Museum Members enjoy free admission and parking. Additional event information and tickets can be found at BishopMuseum.org/Events.

Images re: “The Land Before Time,” *Expedition Dinosaur: Into the Deep*, and Bishop Museum After Hours can be found [here](#). Film images are courtesy of Universal Pictures; all others are credited to Bishop Museum.

About “The Land Before Time” (1988)

Directed by Don Bluth

Runtime: 69 minutes

Littlefoot, a young plant-eating dinosaur, is orphaned after his mother perishes while protecting him from a

vicious carnivore. With her last breath, she tells him how to get to the legendary Great Valley, where he will be reunited with others of his kind. With his friend Cera, Littlefoot sets out for the fabled land, meeting a variety of new friends along the way — while also being tracked by the killer dinosaur that mortally wounded his mother.

About *Expedition Dinosaur: Into the Deep*

This expansive 7,000-square-foot [exhibit](#) highlights fascinating parallels between prehistoric marine ecosystems and the diverse aquatic habitats surrounding our islands today.

Visitors of all ages will delight in interactive and engaging activities, including fossil digs, augmented reality sandboxes that explore volcanic island formation, dinosaur-themed animation studios, and the immersive “Journey to the Deep Theater.” Connect with Earth’s ancient past, fostering a deeper appreciation for our islands’ natural history and the ocean life that continues to define our home.

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About Bernice Pauahi Bishop Museum, the State of Hawai‘i Museum of Natural and Cultural History:

Bernice Pauahi Bishop Museum’s mission is to inspire our community and visitors through the exploration, celebration, and perpetuation of the extraordinary history, culture, and environment of Hawai‘i and the Pacific. The Museum was founded in 1889 by Charles Reed Bishop in memory of his wife Bernice Pauahi Bishop, a royal descendant of King Kamehameha I. Today, the Museum thrives as an educational center for the community and is widely regarded as the world’s premier institution for Hawaiian and Pacific content.

Bishop Museum’s vast collections of more than 25 million objects and specimens represent nine disciplines and include more than 22 million biological specimens, over 2 million cultural objects, 115,000 historical publications, and 1 million photographs, films, works of art, audio recordings, and manuscripts. These collections tell the stories of the cultures and biodiversity of Hawai‘i and the Pacific as well as the proud legacy of scholarly research spanning 130 years.

Bishop Museum proudly serves more than 200,000 visitors each year, including 20,000 children on school visits.

To learn more about the Museum’s research, collections, exhibits, and programs, visit BishopMuseum.org, follow @BishopMuseum on [Facebook](#) and [Instagram](#), visit Bishop Museum’s [YouTube](#) channel, or call (808) 847-3511. Bishop Museum is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization.

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