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Aloha!

Over the course of this offseason, we've had a lot of opportunities to celebrate our achievements from last year's unforgettable season. Dual regular season and tournament Big West Championships for the first time in program history, the conference player of the year, a meaningful appearance in the NCAA Tournament and Amy Atwell's historic rise to becoming a WNBA draft pick. As much as we've enjoyed getting to enjoy the aftermath of all those accomplishments, I find myself constantly thinking one thing.

Let's do it AGAIN!

The 2022-23 Rainbow Wahine Basketball team is already working hard this summer in preparation for a challenging non-conference schedule and big goals for Big West play. The returning group is not satisfied and is hungry for more, and we have a number of exciting newcomers – including some local favorites – to help bolster our production in the hopes of continued success. Led by experienced players in all-conference honoree Daejah Phillips, Olivia Davies and Kallin Spiller, this is a team that is hungry to accomplish great things.

In letters like these, I often find myself writing at length about the players on the team and all their many great qualities, but my thoughts right now are drawn to our incredible fan base. Last year was a return to a little bit of "normal" to feel your presence in the arena and to have your support in person to give our student-athletes that profound community support. This year, we plan to dive back into some of the events that really helped forge our relationship with you: Chalk talks, ice cream socials and more! I've had many conversations with fellow coaches, recruits, and friends about what makes the University of Hawai'i special. I have a staff that works incredibly hard. I have players who have the work ethic and talent to do special things. But if there's a foundation to what makes us unique, it's **you!**

We want to welcome you, your families, and your friends to support us this season in the SimpliFi Arena at Stan Sheriff Center as we strive for another Big West Championship. For your convenience, you may renew your Rainbow Wahine Basketball season tickets online at www.ETICKETHAWAII.COM. By doing so, you will save \$5.00 on your handling fee. **Renew online before the deadline and be eligible to win an Apparel Prize Pack.** Please review the enclosed flyers for more information.

The deadline to renew is **October 7, 2022.**

I look forward to seeing all our past season ticket holders and hopefully some new ones in the stands.

Mahalo Nui Loa,

Laura Beeman
Head Coach, Rainbow Wahine Basketball