

Honolulu Board of Water Supply
Media Advisory



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**DECORATE AN EGG, THE XERISCAPE WAY WORKSHOP AND EGG HUNT
OFFERED AT THE HALAWA XERISCAPE GARDEN**

WHAT: The Honolulu Board of Water Supply, in partnership with the Friends of Halawa Xeriscape Garden, will be hosting its 3rd Annual Decorate an Egg, the Xeriscape Way workshop and Easter egg hunt, which is open to keiki between the ages of 2 through 12 along with a responsible adult.

WHEN: Saturday, April 3, 2010
10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

WHERE: Halawa Xeriscape Garden
99-1268 Iwaena Street
Halawa Valley's Central Park Industrial Area

COST: The activity fee for the general public is \$5.00 per family. Members of the Friends of Halawa Xeriscape Garden may attend for free!

REGISTER: **ADVANCED REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED!**
Call Keoni Mattos at 748-5369 to reserve your seat today. Registration ends Wednesday, March 31st or when class is filled.

BRING: Keiki should bring with them:

1. four to six boiled or blown eggs to decorate,
2. a basket to collect eggs during the egg hunt,
3. a brown bag lunch to be enjoyed after the workshop.

DETAILS: Are your keiki bored with decorating Easter eggs using a cup of liquid dye and a metal dipping spoon? Don't want to go through the hassle of preparing and cleaning up after an Easter egg hunt? Want your keiki to have the most interesting and unique Easter celebration ever? Well, try something new this Easter holiday by signing up for the 3rd Annual Decorate an Egg, the Xeriscape Way workshop – a fun alternative, with a twist, to the basic decoration of eggs with food coloring.

Keiki will create unique, naturally-inspired designs by using leaves and flowers collected from the beautiful Halawa Xeriscape Garden to decorate their eggs. They will also learn how they can conserve our precious water resource through Xeriscaping. The fun-filled and educational afternoon will conclude with an Easter egg hunt for prizes!

This activity is suitable for children ages 2 through 12 and all keiki must be supervised by a responsible adult. Visit our website at www.boardofwatersupply.com or call 748-5041 for more information about the exciting workshops held at the Halawa Xeriscape Garden.



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