

## COMMON PLANTS OF KANAHA BEACH: A PICTORIAL GUIDE

We hope this pictorial guide will help familiarize those who visit Kanaha beach with some of the common plants of the area. In addition to the common plants are some plants that have been recently out-planted that are not so common yet. Most of the pictures were taken by the authors (Starr & Martz) on trips to Kanaha beach during 2001, though some of the photos were taken by the authors on Kure Atoll and other areas of Maui. The line drawings are from Wagner, W.L., D.R. Herbst, and S.H. Sohmer. 1999. Manual of the Flowering Plants of Hawaii, 2 vols. Bishop Museum Special Publication 83. University of Hawaii Press and Bishop Museum Press, Honolulu, Hawaii.

### LIST OF SPECIES ILLUSTRATED

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| Bacopa             | ( <i>Bacopa monnieri</i> )                             |
| Pickleweed         | ( <i>Batis maritima</i> ) *                            |
| Kaluha             | ( <i>Bolboschoenus maritima</i> )                      |
| Ironwood           | ( <i>Casuarina equisetifolia</i> )*                    |
| Buffel grass       | ( <i>Cenchrus ciliaris</i> ) *                         |
| 'Aweoweo           | ( <i>Chenopodium oahuense</i> )                        |
| Coconut            | ( <i>Cocos nucifera</i> ) *                            |
| Kaunao'a           | ( <i>Cuscuta sandwicense</i> )                         |
| Bermuda grass      | ( <i>Cynodon dactylon</i> )*                           |
| 'Ena ena           | ( <i>Heliotropium currasavicum</i> )                   |
| Hinahina           | ( <i>Heliotropium anomalum</i> var. <i>argenteum</i> ) |
| Hunakai            | ( <i>Ipomoea imperati</i> )                            |
| Koali awa          | ( <i>Ipomoea indica</i> )                              |
| Pohuehue           | ( <i>Ipomoea pes-caprae</i> )                          |
| Ohelo kai          | ( <i>Lycium sandwicense</i> )                          |
| Haole koa          | ( <i>Leucaena leucocephala</i> ) *                     |
| Indian fleabane    | ( <i>Pluchea indica</i> ) *                            |
| Sourbush           | ( <i>Pluchea symphytifolia</i> ) *                     |
| Pluchea hybrid     | ( <i>Pluchea x fosbergii</i> ) *                       |
| Kiawe              | ( <i>Prosopis pallida</i> ) *                          |
| Naupaka            | ( <i>Scaevola sericea</i> )                            |
| 'Akulikuli         | ( <i>Sesuvium portulacastrum</i> )                     |
| 'Aki 'aki          | ( <i>Sporobolus virginicus</i> )                       |
| Milo               | ( <i>Thespesia populnea</i> ) *                        |
| Tree heliotrope    | ( <i>Tournefortia argentea</i> )*                      |
| Golden crown beard | ( <i>Verbesina encelioides</i> )*                      |
| Nanea, beach pea   | ( <i>Vigna marina</i> )                                |
| 'Uhaloa            | ( <i>Waltheria indica</i> )                            |

(\*) = Non-Native Species

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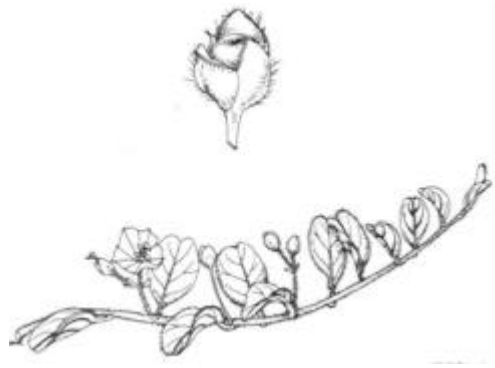
Koali 'awa  
(*Ipomoea indica*)



Pohuehue  
(*Ipomoea pes-caprae*)

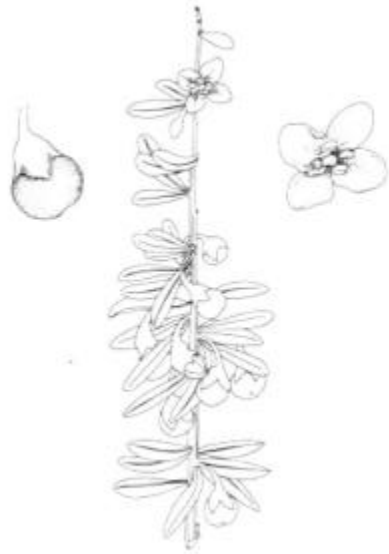


Pa'u o hi'iaka  
(*Jacquemontia ovalifolia*)





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(*Lycium sandwicense*)



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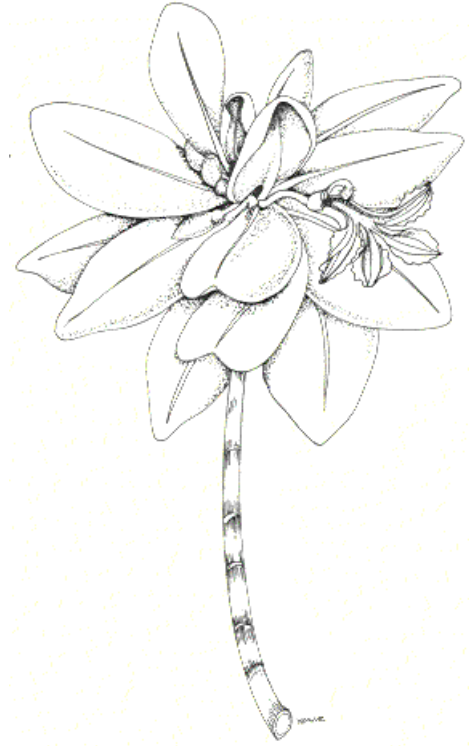
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