

THE PLUMERY POST



ALL THE NEWS THAT'S FIT TO SQUAWK ABOUT!

WELCOME TO
THE PLUMERY POST
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RAISING
FUN AND FUNDS

The Plumery is all about community presence and awareness. We want to reach out to people who share their lives with parrots, who find parrots fascinating, who want to expand their knowledge about our planet and the surprising ways that parrots and birds in general play pivotal roles. Education and information are part of our outreach...and so are events and activities that draw us together to have fun and support our mission. See below for some of our plans for 2024 & 2025.

IN THE QUEUE –2024-2025

Events/Activities

THE PLUMERY PARROT CLUB

We got off to a great start with our introductory meeting last December. Nature gifted us a perfect day with perfect weather. Our human and avian guests had a ball getting to meet and greet each other. And then winter arrived with one buzzkill of a storm on top of another and always at its worst on weekends! We couldn't have our new friends caught in road closures and lane reductions, much less flooding and pools of debris. So we're waiting for better weather to get our programs underway. Calendar coming soon!

ESTATE SALE

No trash - only treasures - offered at our unique event that features beautifully repurposed furniture and a dazzling selection of gently used items you will want to take home. Stay tuned for date, time, and place. Location easy for all to get to.

BOOK READINGS & SIGNINGS

Original stories and verses about parrots, for children and families, engage your imaginations, inform interesting facts, and teach valuable lessons about our favorite feathered friends. These exclusive Plumery books will be available through our website store and at a few local area bookstores.

BEAKS, BUBBLY, & BON BONS

Adults only please! An intimate tasting party of the finest wines and the highest quality chocolate. Just enough to tease the palate and satisfy the senses.

CONCERT

A very special performance by a two-time Grammy and Latin Grammy nominee is in the planning stages. We're honored to have this multi-talented singer bring her Latin/jazz/soul style to The Plumery. This concert will occur in conjunction with Karina Nuvo's availability.

GALA PARTY

It's going to be fancy and fantastic and not to be missed. Our party planners are "par excellence," famous for their flair, fine food, entertainment, and fabulous fundraising.

DRAG SHOW

There's something about feathers, capes, strutting, music, and loud voices that screams parrots, drag queens and drag kings. Put them all together and this show may give RuPaul an idea or two for his Drag Race. You'll be the first to get all the details.

Join The Plumery Parrot Club today!



Membership details:

Basic yearly membership: \$25

includes: admission to social gatherings (can purchase discounted tickets to other events)

Deluxe yearly membership: \$125

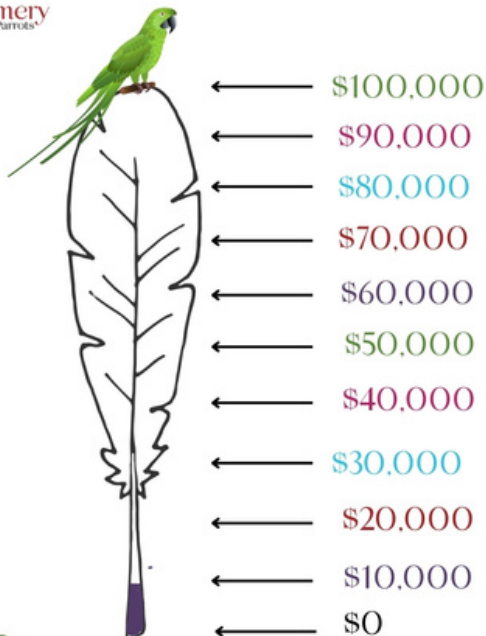
includes: admission to all social gatherings and 6 other events (can purchase discounted tickets to additional events)



To sign up to get more details please email director@theplumery.org



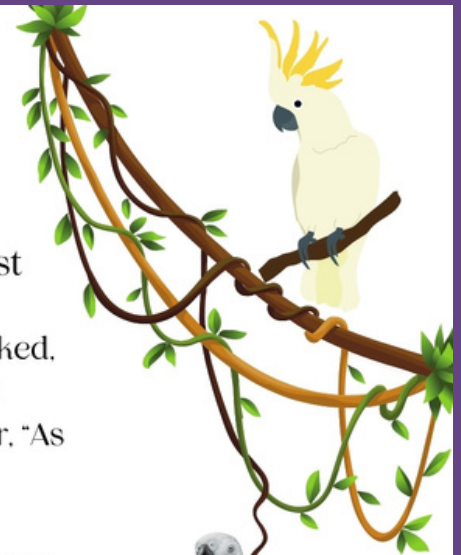
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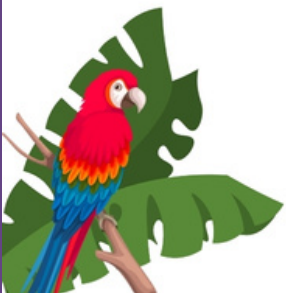
Help Us Build The Nest

We're constantly being asked, "When and where will The Plumery open?" We answer, "As soon as we find a place."

Every donation gets us closer to welcome parrots to our nest.



donate at:
<https://givebutter.com/nle5qX>



Parrot & Person treat

Fiesta Fruit Salad

Ingredients:

1 Apple

6 oz fresh raspberries

½. c fresh blueberries

4 oz. fresh pomegranate seeds

1 lb fresh large strawberries

Directions:

Apple - peel, core, and dice into small cubes

Raspberries - mash 1/2 and leave 1/2 whole

Blueberries - cut in half

Pomegranate seeds - leave whole

Strawberries - chopped in eighths

In a large bowl, mix all fruit together.

Serve as is for parrot. For person can be eaten as is, or with cinnamon tortilla crisps.

Helpful Hints for best enjoyment:

Serve in two bowls - one for you, one for your parrot

Don't share utensils! don't share saliva!

Cinnamon Tortilla Crisps:

Preheat oven to 425 F.

Brush tortilla with olive oil and sprinkle with cinnamon and sugar.

Cut into wedges and lay in single layer on baking tray.

Bake 10 minutes or until crisp.

Scoop fruit into a crisp and enjoy the party in your mouth!



WHAT'S NEW



MEET OUR MARKETING/SOCIAL MEDIA INTERN
Kierah Hietala is a college student at Lakeshore Technical College and plans to transfer to UWI. Kierah also has a journalism internship with Trill Magazine. Home- and school-based in Wisconsin, she is dedicated to expanding her knowledge, reading, and looking forward to traveling. She hopes to find future opportunities and experiences, building her life and career near the west coast. For now, she lives with her two sisters, Loco – a orange cat, and Boone – a black Lab.

VENTURA COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS – MARCH 17, 2024
Exotic Bird Mart & Expo will have its one day trade show where people can buy birds, bird toys, and bird-related products. The Plumery will be represented at an information table. So little education is provided at these marketplaces that we feel an obligation to have our parrot-oriented brochures and information sheets available to anyone who wants to learn.



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