



**August 11, 2007 – MauiThing Sponsors A Keiki’s Dream for Tiare Real of Kahului**

Tiare, a student at Kahului Elementary School, was chosen by Darby Gill, Executive Director of A Keiki’s Dream, to have her dream day sponsored by Maui Thing since her dream consisted of a bunch of “Maui Things.”

Tiare’s dream consisted of a variety of outdoor activities including jet skiing and learning how to surf. She also wished to have her hair and makeup done before modeling for a professional photo shoot. Her final request was a delicious crab leg dinner at the Maui Beach Hotel.

The Maui Thing team planned out Tiare’s day by the hour. Bright and early on Saturday morning, Tiare and her dad arrived at Goofy Foot Surf School in Lahaina. Scott, her Goofy Foot instructor, gave Tiare private surfing lessons, taking her out at breakwall. Within no time Tiare was rippin’ it up out there! After hanging ten at breakwall, Tiare and her dad embarked on their jet skiing adventure in Ka’anapali. They both had a blast being that it was the first time they both jet skied.

After Tiare’s ocean activities, she went to the Salon Executives in Wailuku for her beauty experience. Iris and Ry-N worked their magic and Tiare looked gorgeous for her Maui Thing photo shoot. The shoot, compliments of Tony Novak-Clifford Photography, consisted of Tiare

fashionably modeling Maui Thing's brand new keiki line that is catered toward the endangered species of Hawai'i. Tiare was a natural in front of the camera and was the perfect model for the clothing launch.

To complete her Dream Day, Tiare went to the crab leg buffet at the Maui Beach Hotel and was chauffeured by Daython of The Limo Company. The staff of Maui Thing also surprised Tiare with a brand new surfboard, a cute bathing suit, Maui Thing t-shirts, and gift certificates for the movies, Go-Kart racing, and other fun goodies!

A special Mahalo goes out to Goofy Foot Surf School, Steve the Goofy Foot photographer, Iris and Ry-N at the Salon Executives, Linda at Maui Girl & Co., Tony Novak-Clifford Photography, The Limo Company, and the Maui Beach Hotel.