

MTB KAUAI · 501(c)(3) NON-PROFIT

2026 Annual Member Impact Report

Full send. Full aloha.

171	150%+	~5,000	$11,855
ACTIVE MEMBERS	MEMBERSHIP GROWTH	VOLUNTEER HOURS	DONATED TO AINA ALLIANCE

TRAIL ADVOCACY · STEWARDSHIP · RADICAL RACING · KAUAI COUNTY, HAWAII

WHO WE ARE

Mission & Year in Review

OUR MISSION

MTB Kauai is a 501(c)(3) non-profit association dedicated to creating, enhancing, and preserving mountain biking experiences in Kauai County, Hawaii. We are committed to trail advocacy, stewardship, and creating radical racing experiences for mountain bikers of all ages, backgrounds, and abilities, fostering a welcoming and inclusive community for everyone on the trails.

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What an incredible first full year we have had as an official 501(c)(3)! From building our own registration and club technology infrastructure, to navigating unprecedented weather events, the strength of our mountain biking community has shone through. We cleared trails after severe storms, successfully launched our highly-anticipated Epic and Enduro events, and watched our youth riders thrive. Thank you to everyone who made 2026 a monumental success.

LEADERSHIP

Board of Directors

Bob Morrell
Executive Operations

Bruce Orth
Trail Master, Master Mechanic

Robert Lowery
Youth Coach & Community Outreach

Jimbo Shidler
Trail Master

Tony Clark
Medical Director

Ross Kleinberg
Trail Master

OUR PEOPLE

Community & Membership

68
MEMBERS AT THE END OF 2025

+150%
→ IN ONE YEAR →

171
ACTIVE MEMBERS · ALL LIVE ON KAUAI

Our community growth has been phenomenal. We started with a strong core of 68 members at the end of 2025 and rapidly expanded as our races, camps, and trail days gained traction. We have officially grown by over 150% to reach a total active membership of 171. Proudly, all 171 of those members live right here on Kauai.

RACE 01 · ANAHOLA, KAUAI

Anahola Epic 2026

Our first race, one of many!

FEB 7
2026



Held on February 7, 2026, the Anahola Epic challenged riders across both an ~8-mile Analog Challenge and a ~15-mile Epic course (Analog and E-Bike divisions). This was the first event ever hosted by MTB Kauai. Turnout far exceeded our expectations showing that Mountain Biking is a major sport on Kauai.

The race was true “rain or shine”. The forecast leading up to the event was wet and windy, requiring racers to prepare for mud and rain. We were granted a clear window during the race.

COMMUNITY TURNOUT

73 racers

73 racers and 25 volunteers, with well over 100 total attendees and spectators.

SWEAT EQUITY

Nearly 800 hrs

Our incredible volunteers dedicated nearly 800 hours to clearing, prepping, and marking the course at zero cost to the club.

FINANCIAL OVERVIEW

$4,183

The event generated $4,183 in direct revenue (registrations and sponsorships) against $4,861 in total event execution expenses.

COMMUNITY IMPACT

$11,855

Through this event, a total of $11,855 was successfully raised and donated to the Aina Alliance to support their stewardship of the lands holding our trails.

ANAHOLA EPIC 2026

Race Day in Pictures







MAHALO

Mahalo nui loa ia Kuma Sabra for blessing this event and being an integral part of the Kauai community.

Mahalo to our sponsors!

YOUTH PROGRAM · FOUR WEEKS

MTB Kauai Summer Camps

It's all about the Keiki

SUMMER
2026



Kids Summer Camps Our youth summer camps combined high-energy riding with crucial stewardship lessons. Led by certified USA Cycling Level 3 coaches Rob Lowery and Aaron Wraight, our four-week summer program was a massive success. Each camper spent an entire week immersed in learning amazing new skills, participating in technical drills, guided trail rides, and our "Dirt Park Project," where they practiced hands-on trail maintenance and berm shaping. Prior to the camps, our coaching staff dedicated weeks of effort to building out a brand-new jump line for the kids to progress on.

ATTENDEE HEADCOUNT

27

Campers

FINANCIAL OVERVIEW

$8,775

The camps generated $8,775 in direct revenue against $6,129 in operational and coaching expenses, allowing us to reinvest the resulting $2,646 surplus directly into the club's general fund and permanent trail infrastructure.

COMMUNITY IMPACT

A permanent legacy

The infrastructure built for these camps left a permanent legacy. The new jump line is now enjoyed by club members year-round, and this project served as the catalyst for establishing our official MTB Kauai "HQ"—giving our club a dedicated home base and our own gated entrance!

SUMMER CAMPS 2026

Building Skills, Building Trails







THE BIGGER PICTURE

By bringing dozens of kids of all ages into the club, these camps accomplished something far greater than just teaching bike skills. They marked the true beginning of mountain biking as a recognized, thriving youth sport on Kauai.

RACE 02 · ANAHOLA, KAUAI

Anahola Max Enduro 2026

Hurricane Recovery to Race Day

OCT 17
2026



Originally scheduled for September, Hurricane Lowell required us to postpone our highly anticipated first enduro-style race. In a massive showing of community resilience, our volunteer crews cleared every trail of massive blowdowns and storm debris in under two weeks, allowing the race to successfully run on October 17, 2026.

COMMUNITY TURNOUT

64 racers

64 registered racers, with well over 100 total attendees and spectators creating an incredible race-day atmosphere.

SWEAT EQUITY

Hundreds of hrs

Our volunteers dedicated hundreds of hours of manual labor in the weeks leading up to the race, spending thousands of out-of-pocket dollars replacing broken hand tools, bar oil, and worn-out chains to clear the hurricane damage and save the event.

FINANCIAL OVERVIEW

$5,295

The event generated $4,295.00 in direct credit card registrations (plus $1,000 in sponsorships) against $4,035.00 in direct expenses.

COMMUNITY IMPACT

< 2 weeks

Beyond executing our first highly technical enduro event, the true impact was witnessing the community rally together to restore trail access after a natural disaster.

ANAHOLA MAX ENDURO 2026

Race Day in Pictures







MAHALO

Mahalo nui loa ia Kuma Sabra for blessing another MTB Kauai event.

Mahalo to our sponsors!

R&B TAILWORKS HAWAII
BICYCLE RACING KAUA`I
RAD BUILDS KAUAI HANDYMAN SERVICE ROB LOWERY
SURFRIDER FOUNDATION KAUA'I
KITCHEN TABLE KAUAI
BIKE DOKTOR
GRAND HYATT KAUA'I RESORT & SPA

WITH GRATITUDE

Donors

The individuals and families listed below represent the true grassroots financial engine of MTB Kauai. Beyond standard membership dues and race entry fees, these members generously contributed additional personal funds—ranging from $10 checkout add-ons to major designated family gifts. Your direct financial support paid for the trail tools and chainsaw chains that cleared the hurricane blowdowns, funded the infrastructure for our new youth jump line, and made our massive $11,855 contribution to the Aina Alliance possible. We extend our deepest gratitude to the following individuals for going above and beyond to make our mission a reality this year.

Richard Albrecht	*Josiah Davies*	*Brian Moore*	*Eric Rafter*
Tor Anderson	*Martine Garcia*	*Morrell Family Trust*	*Jonathan R. Relacion*
Liz Brolaski	*Juan P. Garcia-Neveu*	*Michael Moule*	*R&B Trailworks*
Mark Brolaski	*Greg Hanson*	*Thomas A. Noyes*	*Matthew Ruel*
Brian Carter	*Bronson Laborte*	*Jeffrey O'Reilly*	*John C. Sargent*
Tony Clark	*Donald MacDonald*	*Paul Perry*	*Ulrich Theissen*
	Jeffrey K. Mira	*Jennifer Purtlebaugh*	*Allen Yangco*

THE FOUNDATION OF MTB KAUAI

Volunteers

While several of our Board Members treat running this club as a full-time job, the true foundation of MTB Kauai is the unmatched 'sweat equity' of our broader community. The names below represent an incredible volunteer force that went above and beyond this year. For our inaugural Anahola Epic, you dedicated roughly 800 hours to course preparation. When a severe hurricane threatened to cancel our first Enduro, you rallied in the mud, even spending your own money on chainsaw chains and bar oil to clear blowdowns in under two weeks and save the race. From building the jump lines that became our permanent club HQ, to executing flawless race-day logistics, we could not do this without you. Whether you were out in the dirt with us every single week, or you generously gave your weekend to help run a race or two, your contribution is deeply appreciated.

To everyone who swung a tool, directed a racer, or handed out a number plate this year: Mahalo nui loa!

Liz Brolaski	*Doug Haigh*	*Dylan Leitenberg*	*Bruce Orth*
Mark Brolaski	*David Gregson*	*Jenny Lewis*	*Jen Ortiz*
Ben Butler	*Greg Hanson*	*Rachel Lowery*	*Joanna Petterson*
Landon Butler	*Valerie Hartman*	*Robert Lowery*	*Gabrielle Pla*
Malia Byers	*Keith Hatcher*	*Jessica Matsuoka*	*Peter Roach*
Tony Clark	*Corey Jackson*	*David McDonald*	*Jimbo Shidler*
Josiah Davies	*Derrick Johnson*	*Neal McDonald*	*Matthew Spear*
Rob Demond	*Connie Kakalia*	*James Mertens*	*Randy Varela*
Leigh Drachman	*Gina Kaui*	*Dorrie Michioka*	*Ryan Waterstreet*
Marc Esposito	*Dave Kepon*	*Shaydon Moises*	*Ellena Weaver*
Lance Ewing	*Mary Kepon*	*Bob Morrell*	*Betsy Welch*
Martine Garcia	*Ross Kleinberg*	*Van Morrell*	*Binney Williamson*
Juan Garcia-Neveu	*Lisa Ledesma*	*Arthur Griffin-Noyes*	*Mary Williamson*
	Theresa Lewis	*Jeffrey O'Reilly*	*Aaron Wraight*

THE NUMBERS

Financial Summary

Below is our high-level financial overview for the 2026 fiscal year, combining all revenue sources against our total operational and event-specific expenses.

2026 EVENT SNAPSHOT

EVENT	REVENUE	EXPENSES	RESULT
Anahola Epic (Feb 7)	$4,183	$4,861	**−$678**
Summer Camps	$8,775	$6,129	**+$2,646**
Anahola Max Enduro (Oct 17)	$5,295	$4,035	**+$1,260**

Event revenue includes registrations and sponsorships. The Summer Camps surplus was reinvested in the club's general fund and permanent trail infrastructure.

CLUB TOTALS

CATEGORY	TOTAL AMOUNT
Total Revenue (Dues, Events, Donations, Sponsorships)	**$43,111**
Total Expenses (Insurance, Event Operations, Trail Tools)	**$40,861**
Net Bottom Line for 2026	**$2,250**

MEMBERSHIP & OPERATIONS

METRIC	2026 FIGURES
Active Member Headcount	**171 Members**
Membership Dues Revenue	**$8,580**
General Operating Expenses	**$7,135**

WHAT'S NEXT

Looking Ahead to 2027

As we close out an unforgettable 2026, your continued membership and support are vital for our next phase of growth. For 2027, our Board has set the following core objectives:

1

Securing New Legal Riding Access

We are actively working to get another ridge legally designated for mountain biking. This will allow us to build more intense, dedicated trails for advanced riding and future Enduro races.

2

Expanding Youth Development

Following the success of our Kids Summer Camps, we aim to expand our youth programming. By getting the local community more involved—such as working closely with local schools and building dedicated youth teams—we hope to foster the next generation of safe, skilled riders and trail stewards right here in our own backyard.

3

Growing the General Membership Base

A larger club membership means more resources for trail maintenance and greater leverage when negotiating land access with our local partners. Renew your dues and help us reach new membership milestones in 2027!

Mahalo nui loa for an unforgettable year. FULL SEND. FULL ALOHA.