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### Monthly Turtle Talks at Kahalu‘u Bay Education Center

KAMUELA, Hawai‘i—January 5, 2015—Join Kahalu‘u Bay Education Center turtle biologist Rachel Silverman once a month to “talk story” about *honu* (Hawaiian green sea turtles). Learn about the types of turtles found in Hawai‘i, why they are important to Hawai‘i’s ecosystems, what threats they face, and how you can help to protect them.

The turtle talks will be held monthly from 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. on January 8, February 10, March 12, April 14, and May 14 in the park’s small pavilion.

A \$10 donation is requested to support education and conservation programs at Kahalu‘u Bay. All attendees receive a free informational turtle card. Call (808) 887-6411 or email [kahaluubay@kohalacenter.org](mailto:kahaluubay@kohalacenter.org) for more information.

Turtle talks are sponsored by the [Kahaluu Bay Education Center](#) (KBEC), a partnership between [The Kohala Center](#) and the County of Hawaii. KBEC promotes environmental stewardship to ensure the bay remains a healthy and welcoming place for residents and visitors alike.

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