

# Travel, Accommodation, and Boat Rental

## Flights

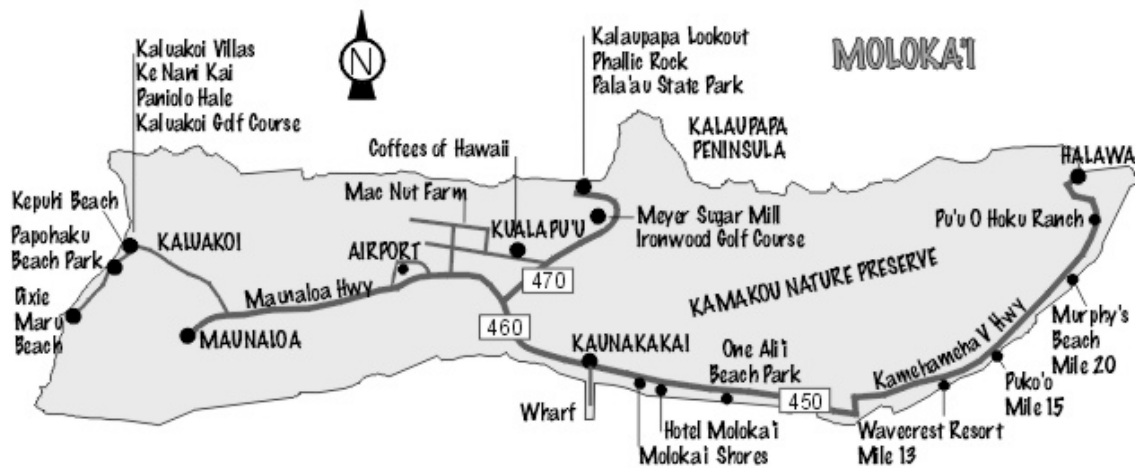
Island Air and Hawaiian Airlines fly to Molokai from Oahu. Tickets can be purchased online.

## Transportation

30 minute drive from the airport to Kaluakoi

Shuttle service from the airport is available 808-553-3369.

Harley's Taxi Service (808) 646-0608



## Lodging

The race will be headquartered at the Kepuhi Beach Resort (AKA Kaluakoi Villas). For lodging check the condos menu on this site (Kaluakoi, Ke Nani Kai, Paniolo Hale):

<http://visitmolokai.com/molokai-condo-rentals-west-molokai-resort.php>.

While the Villas at Kepuhi Beach Resort are still open, the Kaluakoi Hotel has been closed for some time now and the grounds there and around the pool are off limits (restroom at pool is also off limits).



Pool off limits unless you are renting from Kepuhi Beach Resort



OFF LIMITS to all paddlers!! Pro shop green fronting the beach

### **Meals**

The town, Kaunakakai, is where you will find more of your needs -- it's a 40 minute drive from Kaluakoi, 30 minutes from the airport

<http://visitmolokai.com/groceries.php>

Maunaloa General Store is a 15 minute drive from Kaluakoi. Open 9am-6pm

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There is a small convenience store located just around the corner from the pool.

### **Escort Boat**

Please use escort boat drivers that either you or your team has used in the past. This is the best way to make sure that the captain is a reliable driver. If they are not available, get a referral from them.

If you can't find one the best way is to post a wanted ad on [www.ocpaddler.com](http://www.ocpaddler.com).

If you still can't get one, request help on the contact tab at [www.paahawaii.com](http://www.paahawaii.com)

### **OC1 Rentals**

Many canoes will be on Molokai from the Maui to Molokai race the weekend before. Please inquire with the Maui Paddling Hui race organizers ahead of time to see if there are canoe owners who won't be racing but need to get their canoes back to Oahu from Molokai.

Canoe rentals are harder to come by because of the nature of this race. The risks of boat damage while transporting canoes and racing environment where big ocean swells are hazardous can make paddlers fickle about parting with their \$4000+ canoes and surfskis.

Again best to post an ad on [www.ocpaddler.com](http://www.ocpaddler.com). Or you can contact local boat builders to see if they have any rentals.

### **SS1 Rentals**

Contact Zsolt Szadovszki at [szado2@yahoo.com](mailto:szado2@yahoo.com)

Or follow above information for canoe rentals.