

WAIMEA'S FARMERS MARKETS

There are several farmers markets in and near Waimea. The four largest markets in Waimea are:

- The **Waimea Town market**, open Saturday between 8 a.m. and 2 p.m.
- The **Waimea Homestead farmers market**, open Saturday between 7 a.m. and noon.
- The **Waimea mid-week market at the Pukalani stables**, open Wednesday between 9:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m.
- The **Kamuela Farmers Market**, open Saturday between 7:00 a.m. and noon.

You can also buy farm-fresh produce twice a week at the **Kekeha farm market**.

You can find information on and directions to each farmers market below.



The Waimea Town and Waimea Homestead farmers markets are comparable in size (between 20 and 30 vendors). The Wednesday mid-week farmers market at Pukalani stables in contrast is a bit smaller with 20-30 vendors. Both Saturday farmers markets are a great early breakfast location to start your Saturday!

Waimea Homestead farmers market

The Waimea Homestead farmers market is open every **Saturday between 7 a.m. and noon**. You can find them on the Waimea Middle and Waimea Elementary School Playground, at 67-1229 Mamalahoa Highway, Kamuela, Hawaii (call (808) 333-2165 for information). They sell produce, eggs, preserves, flowers, meats, fresh bread, plants, goat cheese, massages, and, best of all, breakfast prepared at the spot.

Waimea Town farmers market

The Waimea Town farmers market is organized every **Saturday between 8 a.m. and noon** in front of the Parker School in the center of Waimea. The vendor's stalls surround a grassy area with picnic tables, where you can sit down and enjoy your just purchased fresh food.

The Waimea Town farmers market is your best choice of for freshly prepared (hot) food. You can i.e. buy fresh bread from a wood-fired stone oven, and food prepared by top chefs. One of these chefs was sous chef at Mauna Kea for 12 years, another is the current chef at Merriman's in Waimea).

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Waimea mid-week market at Pukalani stables

The midweek farmers market at the Parker ranch Pukalani stables is held every **Wednesday between 9:00 and 3:00 pm**. The address of the Pukalani Stables is 67-139 Pukilani Road. You can find veggies, fruits, herbs, eggs, meat, orchids and coffee at this market, as well as some crafts – jewelry, handmade cards, homemade aprons and chiropractic and massage specialists.

Kamuela Farmers Market at Pukalani stables

The Kamuela farmers market is at the same location as the Waimea mid-week market, but at a different day. You can find this market at the Parker ranch Pukalani stables. Market hours are every **Saturday between 7:00 and noon**. The address of the Pukalani Stables is 67-139 Pukalani Road.



The Kamuela Farmers market is opened every Saturday between 0900 and noon. Find them at the historic Pukalani Stables. Image courtesy of the Kamuela Farmers Market.

You can find fresh locally grown produce, trees, plants, cut flowers, a variety of prepared foods, coffee, fresh popcorn, hand crafted wood items, gluten free baked goods, hand crafted soaps and scents, and local dried fruit just to name a few.