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KAHULUI - Kaiser Permanente Hawaii marked its 50th anniversary with a celebration at the Maui Arts & Cultural Center and the donation of \$1,000 each to 11 Maui nonprofit organizations.

In partnership with the Maui Food Bank, it also raised nearly \$500 and collected about 1,000 pounds of food.

The event Oct. 26 drew about 1,200 people, including staff and patients, to the MACC.

To mark the golden anniversary, Kaiser Permanente awarded grants to 50 nonprofit organizations statewide based on employee nominations.

The 11 Maui organizations were: Imua Family Services and its Camp Imua, Hale Kau Kau, Special Olympics Maui, Hale Makua, Na Hoaloha Maui Interfaith Volunteer Caregivers, Assisted Transportation Program - Kaunoa Senior Services, American Lung Association, Hospice Maui, YMCA Maui's Strong Kids Task Force, Ma Ka Hana Ka 'Ike and the Community Work Day Program.