

# Hawaiian Shave Ice Stops Oahu



## Matsumoto's Shave Ice

**Matsumoto's Shave Ice** has been in business since 1951, and for many good reasons still in business!

When you arrive in Oahu, it's a ritual to head to the North Shore and specifically stop at Matsumoto's in Haleiwa to get your hands on a shave ice!

Be prepared to stand in a long line outside the door in the heat when you arrive...but its all part of the experience.

Location: 66-087 Kamehameha Hwy, Haleiwa HI - Phone (808) 637-4827  
Open daily from 9am to 6pm - Check out more at [MatsumotoShaveIce.com](http://MatsumotoShaveIce.com)

## Waiola Shave Ice

Matsumoto's might be king of the North Shore, but **Waiola Shave Ice** is the longest running establishment on the island, since 1940. Town side locals will swear you have to go no further than Waikiki to satisfy your craving!

Waiola Shave Ice has perfected the art of making this icy treat. Today there are 2 stores the upper Waikiki/Kamaki area to help tackle the lines. Adding sweat azuki beans or tapioca pearls with the vanilla ice cream to the bottom of the cones, pushes the envelope to greatness.

For under \$3.00 you can get a pretty tall cone. Start adding fancy flavors such as Blue Hawaii, Green Tea, Creamsicle, POG, or Pineapple, will run you a whopping .25 cents a flavor. Don't forget to go crazy on the toppings such as snow caps, caramel, or Hershey Chocolate...each running you an extra .50 cents!

Location: 3113 Mokihana St., Honolulu HI (across from Safeway Grocery, off Kapahulu St) Phone: (808) 735-8886 - Check out more [Waiola Shave Ice](http://WaiolaShaveIce.com) reviews Open: 7:30 to 6pm weekdays, except opening at 10am on Sundays

## Shimazu Store

Leave it to the hole in the wall operation, located in an undesirable location with no parking or seating, to possibly serve the best Hawaiian shave ice on the island!

**Shimazu's** is known for their mountain size of light powdery snow and special flavors, such as Red Velvet Cake, Café Late, Lemon Drop, and don't miss their Banana Fosters!

Add some incredible toppings such as Creamy Haupia (creamy coconut), Li Hing Powder, or dulce de leche that will put you over the edge!

They open up in the late afternoons and lines tend to be long, so have some patience and know that the reward is worth it!

NEW Kapahulu Location: 3111 Castle St, in Hawaii's Favorite Kitchen  
Open daily 10am to 7pm, (808) 744-0465

Location: 330 North School St, Kalihi HI, (808) 371-8899  
Open daily 11am to 6pm, except closed on Mondays. Check out [Shimazu's reviews](#)

## Other Onolicious Treats on Oahu



Leonard's Bakery

If you're not familiar already, a malasada is a light fluffy Portuguese style donut dusted with sugar. They're hard to resist when eaten fresh out of the fryer.

Today Leonard's Bakery continues to evolve this magical treat, and offers incredible fillings such as chocolate Haupia, guava, and mango.

If only they could find a way to combine the flavor of fresh malasada into a shave ice...!

Location: 933 Kapahulu, Honolulu, HI - Phone (808) 737-5591  
Open 5:30 to 9pm Daily - Check out more at [LeonardsHawaii.com](http://LeonardsHawaii.com)

## Ted's Pies

Located on the [North Shore](#) and distributed in some local supermarkets are Ted's Pies. Not to be confused with any usual dessert pie, but local tropical flavors with a punch!

If you're headed to the North Shore (near Sunset Beach), it's worth stopping by.