

Day 1 - VOLCANO NATIONAL PARK

AM-

Free Guided hike at Niaulani Nature Center
Spend time at the Visitor Center
Check out the Volcano Art Center Gallery

NOON-

Bring along lunch and picnic on tables in front of the Crater at the Kilauea Overlook
Walk through Thurston Lava Tube
Kilauea Iki if You are up to a longer hike
Wine or Tea Tasting at the Volcano Winery

PM-

Dinner in Volcano Village
See the 'glow' of Halemau'mau Crater
Enjoy Hot Tub at the Inn

Day 2 - HILO AREA (North from Volcano 45 minute drive)

AM-

Akatsuka Orchid Garden in Volcano
Stop at Hilo Coffee Mill in Mt. View
Panaewa Rainforest Zoo and Gardens is free, it runs off of donations
Big Island Candies and Mauna Loa Macadamia Nut Farm-both have free samples. Buy gifts!
Liliuokalani Gardens and Coconut Island are beautiful places to walk and take pictures
Richardson Ocean Park for a swim/turtle watching
Drive or walk around Hilo's downtown or bayfront area. Lots of little stores and old town charm
Lyman House Museum, Tsunami Museum

NOON-

Lunch at Hilo Bay Cafe
Rainbow falls
Akaka Falls
Onomea Bay Scenic Drive
Hawaii Tropical Botanical Gardens
World Botanical Garden
Umauma Experience Zipline

PM-

Early dinner at the Imiloa Sky Garden Restaurant
Imiloa Astronomy Center
Back to Volcano

Day 3 - KAPOHO, KALAPANA (East from Volcano 45 minute drive)

AM-

Snorkel at the Kapoho Tidal Pond
Soak in the Hot Ponds
Drive along the scenic coastline and view the steam vents and spatter cones
Walk out to Kaimu, the newly created black sand beach

NOON-

Grab a bite from the Kaimu Korner Store
Lava Tree State Park

PM-

Dinner at Kaleo's, Luquin's Mexican Cuisine or Pahoia Fresh Fish

Day 4 - SOUTH POINT (South from Volcano 1 hour drive)

AM-

Day trip to the Southern Most Point of the United States
Ka'u Coffee at a stand along the roadside
Punalu'u Black Sand Beach to observe the protected large Hawaiian Green Sea Turtles
Whittington Beach Park

NOON-

Punalu'u Bakery for lunch
Ka Lae Point
Green Sand Beach
Volcano Winery on way back

PM-

Get dinner at Tuk Tuk Thai food to go, or fine dining at Kilauea Lodge

Day 5 - DRIVE AROUND THE WHOLE ISLAND (five hour drive time)

AM-

At this point, if you didn't get to do everything you wanted on your Hilo day, you could catch up here on the way out...then off to:

Laupahoehoe Point

Waipio Valley

Shopping in the western Paniolo town of Waimea

Hapuna Beach

NOON-

Huggo's on the Water for lunch

Ali'i Drive

Kealakekua Bay to swim with dolphins

Pu'u o' Honua o' Honaunau Historical Park-Place of Refuge – Snorkel at two step

Early eve, back to Volcano for dinner at The Rim, overlooking Halemau'mau Crater

Day 6 - VOLCANO NATIONAL PARK

AM-

Golfing at the Volcano Golf Course or

A walk on the loop trail in Bird Park

Kahuku Guided hike or Kau Desert trail

Brunch in Volcano Village

NOON-

Hike Sulphur Bank Trail to the Steam Vents

Hike Byrons Ledge

Hike Devastation Trail

Jagger Museum

Drive along the Chain of Craters Road and find the Petroglyphs

Pick up lunch to go and take to the end of Hiliua Pali Road

PM-

Dinner/Drinks at Kilauea Military Camp Cafeteria and Lava Lounge

Bowling at KMC or enjoy the KMC game room

Stargaze and see the glorious “glow” one last time

Take a guided nighttime hike...we know fabulous people who can show you the way!