



Family Luau for the Ocean Ship Ahoy Beach Club, Sea Bright

On May 22, over 300 ocean advocates celebrated luau-style at the Family Luau for the Ocean. The event was a huge Hawaiian success despite intermittent rain, cloudy skies, and cool temperatures. Maholo mai ke kai! (Thank you from the ocean!)



COA Board member **Larry Hall**, **Mariann Miller**, and Luau Committee Chair **Louise Hall** enjoy the Hawaiian festivities



The crew from Whole Foods Market prepared over 500 smoothies!



COA's **Cindy Zipf** and **Jenni Samson** celebrate with NJDEP Commissioner **Bradley Campbell**



Luau guests sway to the live dance and music by Hawaiian Artists Entertainment



Holly Ward, **James DiGioia**, and **Scott Thompson** serve beer and wine donated by Hunterdon Brewing Co. with good cheer



Amber dances the hula with Aloha spirit



(left) **The Bennekampers** and (below) **Deckland Keveney** with father



Hawaiian Shirt Contest

Judges **Regina Fericola**, **Kevin Kelly**, **Scott Thompson**, and **Linda Walker**, awarded guests with the best luau-wear.

- 1st Place Male - **Paul D'Elia**
- First Place Woman - **Regina Whitaker**
- Best Teen Boy - **Matt Feiring**
- Best Teen Girl - **Ashley Pahler**
- Best Couple - **Pat and Bob Bennekamper**
- Best Baby - **Deckland Keveney**
- Best Family - **The Whitaker Family** (photo left)

