



KAUAI NORTH SHORE

Rainy Day Itinerary

Embrace the "Liquid Sunshine" with Style and Comfort

Rain is what makes the North Shore of Kauai a lush paradise. When the clouds roll in, don't cancel your day—simply pivot to this relaxed, indoor-friendly itinerary designed for comfort and local flavor.

Morning: The Art of the Slow Start

- *8:00 AM – 10:00 AM | Resort Sanctuary: Wake up to the rhythmic sound of rain hitting the tropical palms.*
- *Brew Local: Use your full Ali'i Kai kitchen to brew a fresh pot of Kauai-grown coffee.*
- *The Lanai View: Wrap up in a blanket and head to your private lanai. Watching the mist dance across the Princeville cliffs is one of the most serene sights on the island.*
- *Breakfast In: Since you have plenty of space, enjoy a long, unhurried breakfast with fresh fruit from a local sunshine market*

Mid-Day: A Tropical Chocolate Experience

- *11:00 AM – 1:00 PM | Cacao & Culture: Kauai is one of the few places in the U.S. where cacao is grown.*
- *The Tasting: Head to a local chocolatier in Kilauea or Hanalei. Many offer indoor tasting flights where you can sample dark chocolates infused with island sea salt, chili, or lilikoi.*
- *DIY Pairing: Pick up a few bars of local "Bean-to-Bar" chocolate and bring them back to your condo for a rainy-day pairing session with some local wine or tea.*





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Afternoon: Gallery Hopping & Boutique Shopping

- *1:30 PM – 4:00 PM | Hanalei & Kilauea Towns: These charming towns are perfect for ducking in and out of the rain.*
 - *Hanalei Center: Explore historic buildings turned into art galleries, surf shops, and boutiques. It's the perfect time to find a unique, handcrafted souvenir.*
 - *Kilauea Town: Visit the Kong Lung Trading Center for upscale gifts or grab a warm pastry from the Kilauea Bakery to enjoy while you watch the rain from their covered porch.*
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Evening: An Immersive Feast

- *5:30 PM | The Wailua Nui Luau: Drive south to the East Side for a world-class cultural experience that keeps you dry and entertained.*
 - *Location: Hilton Garden Inn Kauai Wailua Bay (Sundays, Tuesdays, & Fridays).*
 - *The Feast: A massive 17-course buffet featuring Chef Gabriel Balenzuela's traditional favorites like Imu Pua'a, Huli Huli Chicken, and Pineapple Upside Down Cake.*
 - *The Show: A stunning production by Tihati Productions showcasing the history and artistry of the Pacific.*
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Pro-Tip For Guests

- *Dry Feet: Most shops and galleries have covered walkways, but a pair of waterproof sandals (local "slippers") is the way to go.*
- *The Recovery: Return to Ali'i Kai Resort for a restful night's sleep in our spacious, clean, and climate-protected units. Falling asleep to the rain is the best sleep you'll ever have!*

