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Christmas in September

You will notice a healthier bank account next week as the state begins distributing nearly \$300 million in tax refunds:

- Taxpayers who earn less than \$100,000/year, or couples earning less than \$200,000/year will receive \$300 each (including dependents, so a family of four would receive \$1,200).
- Taxpayers who earn \$100,000 or more, or couples earning \$200,000 or more will receive \$100 each (including dependents).

Taxpayers who filed individual income tax returns for 2021 and have been residents of Hawai'i for at least nine months are eligible for the refund.

Taxpayers receiving refund checks by mail or who owed taxes and filed their tax returns by July 31 should receive their refunds by the end of October.



Improvements at Radford High



Radford will soon get a new girls locker room. The facility will include showers, restrooms, and ADA compliant walkways. A \$5,467,290 contract has been awarded to Ralph S. Inouye Co.

Radford will also be getting \$65,000 in kitchen equipment for its multi-purpose room, which houses the school's culinary program.

Coming to a Theatre Near You

The Hawaii Symphony Orchestra (HSO) announced it will be playing seven concerts in the new Moanalua Theater during their upcoming 2022-2023 season.

These performances bring in needed revenues and will turn Salt Lake into a focal point for arts and culture. "We are a bedroom community and nothing really defines this neighborhood. By luring professional performances to Salt Lake we are redefining our community," says Wakai, "Rather than burdening taxpayers with repair costs, the state is seeding a pot of money to take care of future leaks and elevator maintenance."

