



TIKI WA'HA ROTARY CLUB OF ALA MOANA



Lend a Hand

October 6, 2003



MEMBERSHIP MINUTE "WHAT DOES ROTARY MEANS TO ME?"

STANLEY TOGIKAWA

Rotary is a very important balance in my life. I aspired to a business career for many years and graduated from Bradley University in Illinois with an MBA. However, I was quickly drafted into the Army and decided to enter the Baptist Seminary after completing my military service. In 1957 I returned to the islands with an additional Masters Degree from the Seminary and began my career of religious service. Over the years, I came to appreciate the similarities of my Rotary goals and my religious career goals. I also came to enjoy the balance Rotary gave my life as I eagerly anticipated my weekly Thursday lunches.

See Stan >

Stan (continued)

I've made many wonderful friends over my nearly 30 years as a Rotarian and I've enjoyed the meetings so much, I have perfect 100% attendance for every year. The opportunities to learn about business and develop personal business relationships have been an important balance to my professional church relationships. Since I am "officially" retired from my 40 year religious career, I can devote my energies as a volunteer administrator and trustee. As a senior active member, I still look forward to our weekly meetings for the fellowship, the good works we do together and that balance of business and church. After all these years, Rotary remains a very important balance in my life of service.

ROTARY INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE

23 -27 May 2004

OSAKA, JAPAN

See Roger Lerud
for
Details



Yoshiko Nakata

Ms. Nakata, an Ambassadorial Scholar from Hokkaido, Japan made her first visit to the Ala Moana Rotary Club on October 2nd. She is currently studying English and sociology at Hawaii Pacific University. In Hokkaido her family is in the fishing industry. While growing up she often help repair nets and "grade" the fish catches. Ms. Nakata has been very active with some of our related service projects. This past Saturday, she assisted the HBA Interact Club in their Pauoa Stream clean-up project.

ROTARY MOMENT

Rich Courson reported that he and his committee, will be featuring a "Rotary Moment" at the weekly lunch meeting.

The weekly feature will be to inform the membership of aspects of the Paul Harris Fellowship. There will be a new initiative to make Ala Moana Rotary a one hundred percent Paul Harris club by 2005. More to follow!

ALA MOANA HOTEL

- LUNCH -

THURSDAY NOON

OCTOBER PROGRAMS

9th
Sean Maloney
Retention Officer
Troop R & R

16th
Pat Duarte
Polynesian Voyaging
Society

23rd
No Speaker
Club Assembly

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Indoctrination Dick Bento
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George Ing and guest speaker Speaker Glenn K. Miyataki, Ph.D. Dr. Miyataki is President of Japan-America Institute of Management Science (JAIMS) The organization has been in existence for 31 years and has the goal of assisting in closing the cultural gaps. JAIMS has partnered with the University of Hawaii School of Business to form a MBA program with a Japan and China focus. (Mr. Miyataki is a childhood friend of Ala Moana Rotary's David Arita. They both were born and raised in Waiialua.



Kristine Blancq, past president and Ambassadorial Scholar Yoshiko Nakata share lunch at the October 3, 2003 meeting of Ala Moana Rotary Club

SUPPORT HAWAII ROTARY YOUTH FOUNDATION



The Four-Way Test *Of the things we Think, Say and Do*

1. Is it the Truth?
2. Is it Fair to all concerned?
3. Will it build Goodwill and Better Friendships?
4. Will it be Beneficial to all concerned?

IT'S COMING

It will be 2005, less than a year and a half from now, and Rotary will be 100 years old!

Paul Harris would be proud of all the accomplishments we have made in his name, and so should we. After all we contribute to this organization every week through our "Happy Dollars" and other "recognitions."

As you see the first Thursday of every month, the members who have contributed at least \$1000 over their Rotary life to the Rotary Foundation have been awarded the Paul Harris Medallion in recognition of their achievement of being a Paul Harris Fellow. They proudly adorn the Medallion at this specified meeting each month to pay tribute to all the accomplishments of Rotary International and to honor Paul Harris.

We would like to make sure that every Ala Moana Rotary Club member has the opportunity to become a Paul Harris Fellow by the year 2005 to honor Rotary's centennial. Therefore we will be offering matching dollars in the near future for those who have not yet achieved this goal. We will keep you posted.

Beginning October 2nd, the Foundation Committee will be offering a "Rotary Moment" at each meeting to bring the membership up to date on what is happening in the BIG world of Rotary as well as with HRYF (Hawaii Rotary Youth Foundation).

Stay tuned.
Foundation Committee

by Rich Courson



The Board of Directors of the Rotary Club of Ala Moana

*has approved the
proposed membership of:*

*Sylvianne Nakamura
Classification Mail Management*

Sponsor - Ethel Ching

*If no written objections are received
within 7 days, the forenamed proposed
member will be elected into the member
ship of the Rotary Club of Ala Moana*



Tony Wong George Saunter Joy Saunter

Tony Wong inducted George Saunter as a new member of Ala Moana Rotary club while George's wife Joy observes. They are not new to Rotary. They both are Paul Harris Fellows, and are helping their daughter obtain the same. Please make it a point to introduce yourselves to George over the next few meetings