



TIKI WA'HA ROTARY CLUB OF ALA MOANA



Lend a Hand

January 4, 2004

MEMBERSHIP MINUTE "WHAT DOES ROTARY MEAN TO ME?" CANDICE NAITO

As my management career expanded at Central Pacific Bank, my company wanted me to join a community group. The timing was good since my daughter was a junior in high school and I was ready for a new challenge in my life. Rotary was my first choice as a community group and I spent months visiting several Rotary Clubs on Oahu. The more clubs I visited, the more I liked the personality and fellowship of our Ala Moana Club. Our weekly meetings are a welcome break in my work day and the friendships I have made during our service projects are very special. I especially enjoy my time with the Hawaii Baptist Academy Interact Club because my daughter graduated from HBA in 2000 and Mrs. Bankston, the HBA Interact Advisor, has been a good friend for a long time. I look forward to many more years of sharing Rotary with Interactors and hopefully becoming a better bowler. Last year, I coordinated a fellowship bowling event at Fort Shafter. My team included Jim & Angela Poorbaugh, Dave & MaryAnn Berry, Kris Blancq and her daughter. It was a lot of fun but when Dave said, "Don't ever coordinate Bowling Again", it was music to my ears and my ego. That's what Rotary means to me, good deeds created by a group of friends that take the time to give back and enjoy life every day.



*If Ed Utery was with us he would be the first to wish you all a
Happy New Year. Join the membership on Tuesday,
January 6, 2004, 9:30 A. M.
at the Elks Club for a Memorial Service*

ALA MOANA HOTEL

- LUNCH -

THURSDAY NOON

JANUARY PROGRAMS

8th

**Joseph Rees
Ambassador East Timor**

15th

**Bill Thompson
from PGA Tour**

Ed Ulery's service will be at the Elk's club on January 6 (Originally scheduled for January 9) at 9:30a.m.

22nd

**No Speaker
Club Assembly**

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CHICKEN SALE REMINDEER

Saturday, January 24, 2004

**Central Middle School at
Queen Emma and Vineyard**

**Sign up for either the first shift from 7:30 - 10:30 AM
Or**

the second shift from 10:30 AM - 1:00 PM

We need at least 15 people per shift

**Also, members have two more weeks to SELL,
SELL, SELL their tickets (if you haven't done so
already). Please turn in your sales money by Janu-
ary 22 to Mary Ann Berry.**

**The proceeds from your ticket sales help
YOU, as they can be applied to your Rotary
Foundation contribution for this year.**

BIG BAND BASH ON MARCH 5, 2004

**Our Club is undertaking its most ambitious fundraiser
in quite some time on Friday, March 5, at the Ala Moana Hotel.
The \$50 per person cost includes an evening of dancing to a 14
piece orchestra, a sumptuous buffet dinner and dancing exhibi-
tions by some of the island's best ballroom dancers.**

**We are asking each member to come up with a silent auc-
tion item that will bring in at least \$20. Be creative. Do you have
a professional service you can offer? Can you get a couple of free
meals from a restaurant you frequent? Do you know a company
with a service or item that is appealing to people? Item donation
forms will be given to all members in the next couple of weeks.**

**We will also be distributing four tickets to each member
to sell. We are not asking you to dip into your own pocket to pay
for these, although we hope most of you will attend. Everyone
knows at least two couples who like to dance and would welcome
the opportunity to attend a great event like this.**

**We expect that this event will be so successful that it will
lead the way to an Annual Ala Moana Rotary Big Band Bash.
This event has the potential be a MAJOR fundraiser and a sig-
nature event for our Club. We need everyone's support.**

Big Band

B A S H



sponsored by
Rotary Club of Ala Moana

Friday, March 5, 2004
Ala Moana Hotel – Hibiscus Ballroom
5:30 pm – 11:00 pm

Swing to the beat of a 14-piece band • Enjoy a fine buffet dinner
Relax at a cash bar-opens at 5:30 pm • Dance the night away
Bid on Silent Auction items from 5:30 pm to 7:30 pm
Enjoy exhibitions by award-winning ballroom dancers

Ticket Price: \$50

Proceeds support
scholarships for Hawaii's
youth & community
projects.



Call 955-6493

or Email:
dberry7998@aol.com
Space is limited so purchase
your tickets now!
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NAME(S): _____

NUMBER OF TICKETS: _____ AMOUNT ENCLOSED: \$ _____

MAILING ADDRESS: _____

PHONE NUMBER: _____ EMAIL (OPTIONAL): _____

Make check payable to Rotary Club of Ala Moana
Mail to: D. Berry, 1341 Kapiolani Boulevard, Honolulu, Hawaii 96814

