



NICK ABBOTT
PRESIDENT

SPEAKER SCHEDULE

April 16, 2013

Roz Burton
Junior Achievement

April 23, 2013

Marienea Salum
"The Intelligent One"

April 30, 2013

Club Assembly

May 7, 2013

TBA

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Janneth Black, **Jerry Brennan**



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Upcoming Events

April 20th

Rotary Assembly

May 17th - 23rd

District Conference at Turtle Bay

July 4th, Duck Dash at

Hawaii Kai Shopping Center



Nick Abbott opened the meeting by announcing that due to work challenges, Liam Martin finds it necessary to resign from the club.

Judith Clark of Hawaii Youth Services was our speaker. Her

subject was teen pregnancies in Hawaii and the nation. She says that Hawaii has the 17 largest number of teen pregnancies and 2/3rds are in the 18 - 19 age group. Of these groups, Foster Care teens are the most likely to become pregnant.

80% of unwed mothers receive government assistance at the expense of the tax payer. Children born to unwed mothers have many challenges including health problems as well as a higher school dropout rate and a lower education. They are also three times likely to be incarcerated in later life.

Parents are normally not prepared to take care of a newborns as well as the young mother.

A survey found that 99% of parents felt sex education is important for their children however only 50% actually have spoken to their children about sex. 40% of teens have had sex prior to receiving sex information. Most teens are not aware that access to clinical services are available to them. In Hawaii sex education is funded at the lowest level in the country. 97% of parents agree that sex education be taught in schools as 19% of 8th graders have already had sex and 50% of high school seniors are sexually active.

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"Just when you thought it was safe to come out of the water..."

Now arrives a SECOND Duck Race, this one sponsored by the Hawaii Kai Rotary Club. (3/27/13)

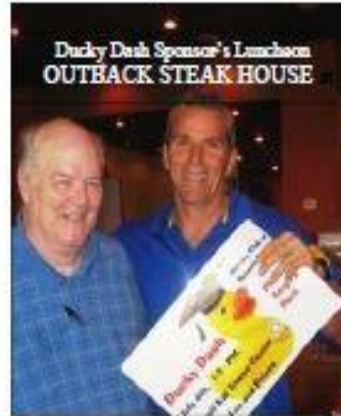
Over 6,000 yellow duckys wearing graduation mortarboards will race to the finish line in the Hawaii Kai Marina on July 4, with the winning ducks capturing great prizes. Held at the Hawaii Kai Towne Center, the first annual Hawaii Kai Ducky Dash will help raise funds to support scholarships and other worthy causes in the Hawaii Kai community.

The Ducky Dash is being conducted with the blessing and assistance of the Cerebral Palsy Foundation that inaugurated the Ducky Dash thirteen years ago as a fundraising event in the Ala Wai Canal. Former UH Associate Head Football Coach Rich Miano is the honorary chair of the Ducky Dash, and McDonalds of Hawaii is the primary sponsor.

Duckys are being offered for "adoption" for a \$5 donation each through Kaiser High School as a fundraising effort. Each adoption certificate has a coupon good at McDonald's Hawaii Kai, Aina Haina, and Kahala with a check box for Kaiser High School or the Rotary Club of Hawaii Kai. The box that is checked results in a \$1 donation to the organization by McDonald's. In Koko Marina Shopping Center, duckys may be adopted at Pacific International Realty Office (across from Zippy's), Monday through Friday from 9 am to 3:00 p.m.

Miano said, "What a wonderful opportunity to raise funds for our community and at the same time have some fun...With this event and the funds we will raise, we are creating opportunities for people in our own community."

The race is being timed so that everyone can stay afterward for the festivities at



Paul Piper, Co-chair of Hawaii Kai Rotary's Ducky Dash duck race and Honorary Ducky Dash Chairman, Rich Miano, Kaiser High's Football Coach, introduce Ducky Dash 2013 at the Sponsor's Luncheon, March 22.

Maunalua Bay that evening. Prizes include a family admission to Sea Life Park and an overnight stay at Equus Hotel in Waikiki, as well as a top prize trip for two to Las Vegas and a four night stay at the California Hotel and Casino.

Event Details:

- Date: July 4, 2013
- Time: 1:00 to 3:00 PM
- Finish Line: Hawaii Kai Towne Center Shopping Center gazebo (behind Ross)

For information: e-mail duckydash96825@gmail.com or call 781-0419 or 377-0485

Aloha to Ruth Limtiaco and to East Oahu Sun acknowledging their support of Hawaii Kai Rotary's First Ducky Dash duck race. Mahalo.

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