

East Honolulu Rotary Club

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Monday 12 noon Meeting: Waialae Country Club



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It's Fun To Serve Together !

Aloha East Honolulu Rotarians ,

Being of service in the community is great, but doing it together is even better.

We had a great opportunity as a club to get out into the community today and help Palolo Elementary School with their Back-To-School supply drive at Kahala Mall. They were very generous in their giving and also understood that with cut backs and teachers having to reach into their own pockets for classroom supplies through Rotary they could help to give these children a great school year.

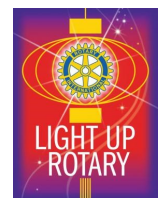
I want to thank those who organized everything and those who came to help to make it a Fun & Successful day! Lauren Okinishi, Jamie Apuna, John Strandberg, Lori Hamano, Kathy Shiramizu, Pat Yee, Caroline Bond-Davis, Oran Spotts, Elaine Chow, Judy Saranchock, Lucky & Tony Cara, DG Laura & John Steelquist, Principle Reed Kubo and many teachers from Palolo Elem. School.

But....it's not over yet ! You can still help and we are still collecting donations. On Monday we will have the "Giving Tree" at the club meeting.

"Together we Made a Difference" to LIGHT UP ROTARY !

Mahalo for your Service!
Anne

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Coming Events

July 19, 2014

School Supply Project

Kahala Mall

August 20, 2014

Membership Night

Waialae Country Club

Bring potential members

Pupu and No Host Bar

May 23, 2015

Memorial Day Weekend

District Conference

SPEAKER SCHEDULE

July 21, 2014

PDG Ayman El-Dakhkhni

Egypt and where now?

July 28, 2014

Randy Wong

Honolulu Youth Symphony



Bulletin prepared by:

PP Oran Spotts

Inspiration for today:



WHEN YOU GET TO YOUR WIT'S END, YOU'LL FIND GOD LIVES THERE

Pat Yee



Donna Prather & Lori Yamada

Pacesetters

Hello fellow Rotarians extraordinaire!

It is so exciting to be able to announce that our Pacesetters fundraising website has gone LIVE! Please check it out as it has all the information about our club's signature project. <http://igg.me/at/pacesetters/>

Please also share it with as many people as you can to spread the word. Our fundraising campaign will run for one month, so let's make sure to hit our goal so that we can make this an awesome program for the college students who are in the program!! Whether it's \$10 or \$1000, every dollar counts!!!

It's been a while, so just in case I have attached their bios so that you can see what bright and eager students we have—our BIGGEST motivation for launching this program.

Our community partner Sharon Gutierrez has also put a piece together to help give us ideas to help spread the word. I've attached her piece which has a great letter template you can use to share with all your friends and colleagues.

Thank you all for your hard work and dedication! Together we can make a huge difference in the lives of these seven fantastic students!

Cheers,

Pacesetter Committee

Happenings



Jamie Apuna

IGNITE

Make a difference:

Each member is essential to the success of the club and has the responsibility and power to make a difference.

- Bring a visitor to a meeting
- Propose a new member
- Bring a new member
- Be on the membership committee
- Participate in our 4 Success Club activities

- Participate in a service project
- Attend the district membership seminar-**September 27**
- Attend and bring guests to the Membership Night - **August 20** - 6-8PM \$15.00 member \$10.00 guest.

Speakers



Our speakers were from the Hawai'i Cord Blood Bank. Lisa Wong-Yamamoto and Nola Faria pictured at the left gave a very informative presentation of what the Hawai'i Cord Blood Bank does and how important it is to the community.

As explained, a baby is born and safely delivered, the blood left in the umbilical cord and placenta is usually discarded, but the cord blood is a rich source of stem cells that can be used for life saving transplants. By donating the cord blood left over, you can help give the gift of life a second time.

Being a donor family is free and easy. A pregnant mom can get information and register ahead of time by contacting the Hawai'i Cord Blood Bank. After baby is safely delivered and mom and baby are doing well, the leftover cord blood is collected, a sample of mom's blood will also be needed for testing.

The Hawaii Cord Blood Bank is a non profit community service that partners with all birthing hospitals on Oahu. Being part of Hawai'i's only public bank means donated cord blood units are made available through registered networks worldwide to anyone in need of a life saving transplant, There is no cost to families to donate. You can help turn trash into treasure by recycling a life-saving resource that is usually discarded.

For further information contact the Hawaii Cord Blood Bank at 808-983-2265 or website at www.hcbb.org