



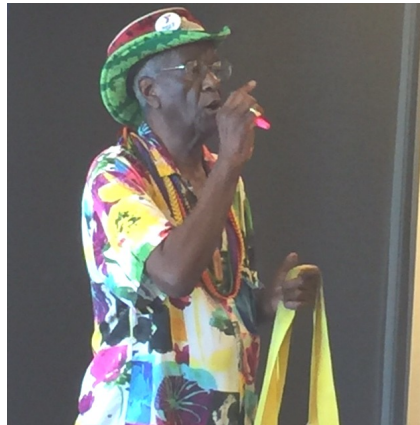
ROTARY CLUB of EAST HONOLULU

Weekly Meeting Monday at 12:00 Noon—Waialae Country Club



**President:
Jamie Apuna**

NEWSLETTER



Wally Amos spoke about being back in the cookie business after having several cookie companies, most famously "Famous Amos Cookies". His newest cookie company is called the

"Cookie Kahuna". Prior to choosing the name, he researched the meaning behind the word "kahuna" and one meaning stood out; "kahu" or "to take care" and "na" making a word a noun. The name "kahuna" or someone who takes care, is fitting because he has been the care taker of his famous cookie recipe since he started in the cookie business in 1975.

Wally believes that to be successful you need to make a firm commitment. He committed himself to the cookie business when he opened his first retail store. Today he is firmly committed to the success of the "Read-It-Loud" Foundation which he started. The foundation encourages parents to read aloud to their children 10 minutes each day from birth till age 6 to build a solid foundation for success. Proceeds from his newest cookie venture, "The Cookie Kahuna" goes to support a he "Read-It-Loud" Foundation.



**District Governor
Dell Green**

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Speaker Schedule

February 15, 2016

DARK

February 22, 2016

PDG Ayman El-Dakhkhni

New Membership joint meeting

February 29, 2016

Carleen MacKay

The Age of Hyper-Shift

March 7, 2016

Joan Naguwa

HUGS

Officers and Directors

President Elect Rory Lee
 *Past President Anne Komatsu
 *President Nominee John Strandberg
 *Secretary Ashli Taguchi Sasano
 *Treasurer Kawehi Akau & Jim Morris
 *Sgt. At Arms Tony Cara
 *Foundation Chuck Allen
 *Director at Large Bob Yee
 *Club Administration PDG Laura Steelquist
 *Membership Anne Komatsu and John Strandberg
 *Community Service Lauren Okinishi & Jodi Uehara
 *Youth Services Kathy Shiramizu
 *Intn'l Services Anne Komatsu
 *Public Relations John Strandberg & Jody Uehara
 *Bulletin Oran Spotts &

Club Duties for 2-22-2016

Pledge -
 Inspiration - Pat Yee
 4 Way Test -
 Happy Dollars - Chuck Allen

Check our Website

<http://rotaryclubeasthonolulu.org/>

Congratulations to the following members who were voted in, to lead our club in 2016-17! Let's please give them all of our support as they are leading OUR club. Be active, be engaged, be giving, be there.

President: Rory Lee

President-Elect: John Strandberg

Immediate Past-President: Jamie Apuna

Secretary: Ashli Taguchi-Sasano

Treasurer: Kawehi Akau

Sgt-at-Arms: Tony Cara

Directors: Chuck Allen, Wendy Chang, Mark Gilden, Kaili Honbo, Lauren Okinishi &

Inspirational Moment - Pat Yee

TRY TO BE A RAINBOW IN SOMEONE'S CLOUD
(MAYA ANGELOU)

The Centennial Project has been changed to a New Project and a New Date. We will be refurbishing the HUGS Kitchen on April 2 & 3rd from 9 - 10 AM and the 16th as needed.

ROTARIANS AT WORK DAY
Saturday April 30th
USS Missouri work detail and tour

Future Event Schedule

The Strategic Visioning originally scheduled for Thursday February 4 has been rescheduled to Saturday, March 12 from 9:00 am to 1:00 pm with a follow-up session planned for Thursday, March 31 from 6:00 pm to 8:00 pm. This is a very important process that all club members should participate in. In preparation for the upcoming strategic planning session, input is needed from every member of the club by completing the survey. Click on the link below to go to the survey. Please complete the survey NO LATER THAN February 8. The surveys will be collated by our facilitator who is a Rotarian but not a member of our club. The location will be announced.

Our full-team, strategic visioning meetings will be held on Saturday, March 12th from 9:00 to 1:00 PM and on Thursday, March 17th from 6:00 to 8:00 PM. We are seeking a venue that will hold up to 50 people. If you have suggestions, please let us know... For now, simply mark the dates and more information will follow soon.

We have been invited to join with Honolulu Sunrise and the e-club for a field trip to Menehune Mac Chocolate Company for their Chocolate Making Experience. This sounds really fun!

Date: Saturday, March 19 10:00 - 11:00

Location: Menehune Mac

707 Waiakamilo Rd (Kalihi)

Cost: \$10.00 per person 7 years and older

Includes a handmade box of chocolates!

RSVP NO LATER THAN MONDAY, FEBRUARY 29.