

WEEKLY MEETING: Tuesday at 5:45pm at Zippy's in Koko Marina Shopping Center • Sin



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SPEAKER SCHEDULE July 30, 2013 Ken Zeri Hospice Hawaii

> August 6, 2013 Assembly \*\*\*\*\*

Bulletin prepared by: PP Oran Spotts & AnnMarie Camacho **Officers & Directors** 

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Fellow Rotarian Lou Young spoke to the Club about performance characteristic traits. Mr. Young is a member of the Rotary Club of Downtown Honolulu and the new Headmaster at Le Jardin Academy. Prior to Le Jardin, he was the Headmaster at Academy of the Pacific. Mr. Young spoke about the research finding of Professor Carol Dweck based on a study conducted to see how students solve problems. Pro-

fessor Dweck was able to categorize performance characteristics of children into two categories, fixed mind set and growth mind set, based on their approach to solving puzzles. Mr. Young said that children who were praised primarily for their intelligence tended to be in the group of children who gave up when the puzzles became difficult, whereas children who were praised for their effort tried harder to solve the puzzles. Mr. Young also related his experiences as a math teach and his discoveries on how students approach studying. He believes an emphasis should be put on teaching children how to overcome obstacles when solving problems and the growth mind set. He spoke about the International Baccalaureate program, offered by various private and public Hawaii schools, that focus teaching on solving problems. Mr. Young also said that more colleges are looking to identify students with these performance characteristic traits, specifically the ability to persevere and problem solve. In his work with students, he uses several saying. One is "Be the best for the world." And another saying was given to a student by his grandmother, "Good, better, best. Never let it rest until your good is better and your better best."



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**Coming Events** 

Delivery of School Supplies Ongoing

BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES THIS COMING WEEK

"None"

August 13th DG Philip Sammer Meeting w/Board

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## Pictures of Past Weeks Guests and Events

