

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

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Nick Abbott President

Speaker Schedule

Next week Tuesday the 14th we will meet with the DG Chet Dal Santo at Judy J's home and partake in a social after the DG's presentation. Board Meeting starts at 3PM.

8/21

We will meet at Aina Imagery in the Koko Marina Center with Andrew Honda on Art Photography.

8/28

Michael North (cofounder) will present information on the Zhou-Enlai Peace Institute at the East West Center

Details on speakers at www.rotaryclubofhawaiikai.org

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Officers. Directors & Committee Chairs President Nick Abbott, Immediate Past Pres. Judy "J" Jakobovits, Secretary John Spangler, Director Henry DeButts & Oran Spotts

Tuesday August 7, 2012 Meeting

Our meeting came to order at 5:45PM with Janneth Black leading members in the pledge of allegiance followed by Oran Spotts and the Four Way Test. With the absence of our President Nick, Henry DeButts led the meeting. Janneth introduced her guest Alexandra Sutterfield.

Henry presented us with the thought of the day: An education isn't how much you have committed to memory, or even how much you know. It's being able to differentiate between what you know and what you don't.

Education is the ability to listen to almost anything without losing your temper and your self confidence.



Ross Murakami, CPA was our speaker representing the Boy Scouts of America. He presented the history of Scouting in Hawaii and an initiative the local Council undertaking called is "ScoutReach" to help make

scouting available to more disadvantaged or at risk youth. Audy Kimura a former Boy Scout of Troop 1, was commissioned by the Aloha Council to produce the Centennial Video that described Scouting's 100 years of history in Hawaii. Few know that scouting in Hawaii was established in the same year that the scouting program was brought over from England to the United States. He spoke of the Council's fundraising efforts to rehabilitate their camping facilities primarily to address sanitation issues that have attracted the attention of the EPA and Department of Health. One of the more visible community service projects that the Aloha Council performs is the preparation of the Punchbowl Cemetery for Memorial Day. The number of community service hours performed by scouts could easily balloon to over 100,000 hours each year. Mr. Murakami fielded several questions regarding the possibility of a collaborative relationship between the Rotary clubs and cub scout and boy scout units.



Chet Dal Santo District Governor

Our club is moving ahead with the arrangements for a rubber duckie race sometime in early 2013. A lot of work is ahead of us and everyone needs to get involved if it is to be successful. Janneth presented committees that need to be filled so if you haven't signed one of the sheets, please call Janneth and she can find an easy committee for you to be on.

Visit to Kaiser High **School Interact Club:**



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Acting President Henry DeButts



Speaker of the evening: Ross Murakami Boy Scouts of America









