

Minutes of the Rotary Club of Honolulu Meeting

May 16, 2023

Meeting at the Outrigger Canoe Club
In person and via Zoom

President Lyla Berg welcomed Club members and called the meeting to order at 12:00pm.

Lee LaBrash led us in the Pledge of Allegiance. **Lee** also led us in singing *Hawai'i Pono 'i*. **President-Elect Joanna Amberger** introduced us to Dawn Martin, who will become the Club's new administrator when wonderful Martha retires.

The members then participated in fellowship in person and via Zoom.

The music "Getting to Know You" then played and **Syd Snyder**, who has been a member of Rotary Club of Honolulu for more than 50 years, told us more about himself and his career as an architect.

Today's meeting was about the winning videos from the 2023 'Olelo Youth Xchange competition in the Creating Peace category. Wonderful videos produced by students at Aliamanu Middle School, Aina Haina Elementary School, Highlands Intermediate School, and Moanalua High School were shown. The students were at the meeting to present their videos and answer questions (unfortunately, Moanalua High students were in class).

Bob Sumpf announced a clean-up workday on June 3 at Centennial Park.

Our next luncheon meeting is on May 23 at the Outrigger Canoe Club and via Zoom. Our guest is Hulu Lindsay, Chair of OHA.

President Lyla closed the meeting with a quote from Martin Luther King Jr.: "We must live together as brothers and sisters or perish together as fools."

A guest from Hokkaido Rotary Club was introduced.

The meeting was adjourned at 1:00 pm. **President Lyla** led the Club in *Hawaii Aloha*.

Aloha,
Scribe, **Karin L. Holma**