

Rotary Club of Hilo



LAVA FLOW

Photographer: Susan Munro

June 18, 2021

Chartered: December 1, 1920

Reporter: Genie Phillips

Opening.

President **Nancy Cabral** opened the meeting at 12:04pm, held at the Hilo Yacht Club and via Zoom. **Genie Phillips** led us in the Pledge of Allegiance. **Jen Tanouye's** granddaughter, **Brooklyn Springer**, assisted **Nancy** in presenting the flag.



President **Nancy** welcomed everyone, both live and on Zoom. She expressed appreciation to **Bob Fox** and **Bob Hanley** for arranging the use of the Yacht Club.



Introduction of Guests.

Genie introduced her visitor, **Terrie Zuiderhoek**, **Nancy** introduced her visitors, **Rosalei Quinting-Androyna** and **Robert Efford**, and **Beverly Heikes** introduced her visitor, **Monalisa Hyatt**. **Helene Tajiri** thanked her guest, husband **Harvey Tajiri**, who also has been helping our club's "Go Cook Um Crew". **Nancy** also thanked last week's Lava Flow reporter **Helen Hemmes** and photographer **Eric Anderson** and this week's reporter **Genie Phillips** and photographer **Susan Munro**, who is helping out **Kerry Glass** due to his meeting membership duties. **Nancy** also expressed special appreciation to **Bobby Dugar** for his IT efforts as our club's Service Director all year, noting how appropriate this year's club motto has become - "Adjust to Achieve".



Announcements and Events.

-The goal for "100 Letters of Mahalo" to our First Responders was reached.

-June's project - The "Brewfest in a Box" project is ongoing. **Treena Breyfogle**, the **Hanley Family** and their crew were noted for all their efforts. Volunteers were welcomed.

-The "Go Cook Um Crew" has one more day scheduled at the Home for Recovery, next Thursday, June 24th, 10:30am - noon.

-The final event under **Nancy's** reign will be June 26th. Starting at 9am there will be a

Park Clean Up at the Rotary Park across from Ponds Restaurant. Bring gardening gear and wear gloves and old shoes, waders. Following the clean up, a picnic will be provided for all volunteers. **Nancy** invited club members to stay at 2pm for a viewing of the concert, technology willing.

-July 16th at 5:30pm, the dinner meeting for the Installation of new officers will be held at Nani Mau Gardens. Incoming President, **Beverly Heikes**, invited all to attend and celebrate the new Rotary year.

Let's Celebrate!

Birthday celebrations were noted for

Danielle Bratton
Biff Kennedy
Dee Scott
Beckie Marshall
Ron Dolan

Celebrating Anniversaries are

Carrie Ann and **Santos Masulit Miles** and **Wendy Yoshida**

and a **Club Anniversary** this month for **Pete Muller** who joined Rotary in 1967.

Special Presentation.

Richard Courson, past guest speaker representing Rotary Polio Plus Fund, honored **Kerry Glass**, Club Vice President/ Executive Secretary, with Recognition for making a commitment to donate an annual **\$100** contribution to **TRF's Polio Plus Fund**.



Fund.

New Members.

Terrie Zuiderhoek, sponsored by **Genie**, **Robert Efford** and **Rosalei Quinting-Androyna**, sponsored by **Nancy** were welcomed as new members into our club, after being selected by the entire membership. All three exemplify the high level of care and community involvement for which our club is noted.



'Open Mic' Program.

This week program consisted of members doing short 'Talk Stories' about themselves.

Jim Cheney, dressed in an original Brewfest shirt, shared his devotion to Rotary.



Genie Phillips gave a little gift of hula, dancing to Judy Garland's "Over the Rainbow".

Jeremiah Leonard told how much he loves Rotary and loves 'live' meetings.



Helene Tajiri mentioned her appreciation for **Nancy** and for all the help she's received on the "Go Cook Um Crew".

Ben Mark spoke to his love of creating beautiful works of art from glass, passing around a few of his masterpieces.



Marcia Prose, being in theater for many years, teased the audience with her "Two Truths and a Lie" question regarding places in the world where she's operated. (Turns out she hasn't been in theater in New York - their loss).

Mitch Dodo revealed he is a "recovering funeral director", shared his comic thoughts on the use of formaldehyde, and told how much **Nancy** has inspired him.



Skye Czember spoke from her zoom location.

Robert Efford noted how he came to be part of the Hilo community as the Executive Director of the Arc of Hilo, referring to **Nancy** a force of nature.



Beverly Heikes thanked **Nancy** for all that she has done.



Birthdays:

Chuck Porter	June 4
Judy Gibson	June 6
Kathleen McGilvray	June 7
Jeremiah Leonard	June 11
Patrick Guillen	June 12
Dirk Yoshina	June 14
Danielle Bratton	June 19
Jen Tanouye	June 19
Biff Kennedy	June 21
Dee Scott	June 25
Beckie Marshall	June 29
Ron Dolan	June 30

Club Anniversary:

Gail Takaki	June 01, 1993 (28)
Mitch Dodo	June 04, 1999 (22)
Patty Terada	June 06, 2016 (5)
Peter Muller	June 20, 2016 (5)

Anniversaries:

Stan & Nancy Fortuna	June 02, 2011
Aaron & Lydia Albers	June 06, 2015
Jimmy & Jeanne Yagi	June 07, 1980
Dee & Greg Scott	June 08, 1996
Carrie Ann & Santos Masulit	June 18, 2015
Miles & Wendy Yoshioka	June 20, 1984

Announcements:

July 16 - Installation—Nani Mau 5:30 pm

Club Administration 2021-2021

President- Nancy Cabral
 President Elect- Beverly Heikes
 Vice-President- Kerry Glass
 Past President- Anna Liu
 Secretary- Susan Munro
 Treasurer- Jen Tanouye
 Sergeant-at-Arms- Jacob Bratton
 Foundations- Shane Okimoto
 Membership- Connie Ichinose
 Public Relations- Marcia Prose
 Community Service- Wally Wong
 Vocational Services- Mike Meyer
 International Service—Patrick Smith
 New Generations- Gail Takaki
 Club Service- Bobby Dugar
 Hilo Rotary Club Foundation- Tim Beatty
 Hawaii Rotary Youth Foundation- Mitch Dodo
 Programs- Jim Cheney
 Attendance- Judy Gibson/Dirk Yoshina
 Lava Flow- Genie Phillips

Happy Dollars and more.

Jim Cheney gave \$20 happy dollars to **Hilo Rotary Youth Foundation** to honor **Nancy's** term of office.



Susan Munro gave \$20 to **Hilo Rotary Club Foundation**.



Mitch Dodo gave \$100 happy dollars for **HRYF**

Steve Handy gave **HRYF** \$20 happy dollars.



Jeremiah Leonard contributed \$20 for **HRYF**.

Helene Tajiri gave \$50 to **HRYF** and \$40 to **The Rotary Foundation**.

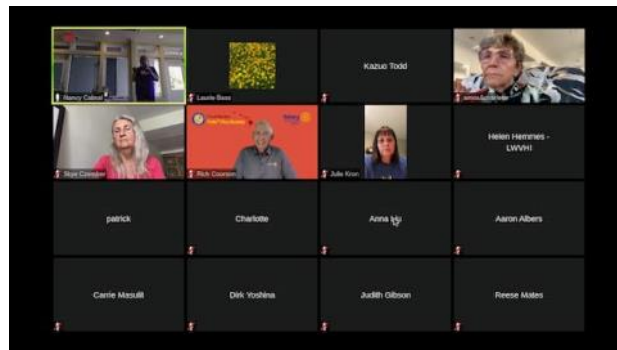


Jen Tanouye gave \$20 **HRYF**.

After the meeting **Skye Czember** donated \$100 for **HRCF**.

Closing.

Nancy Cabral led us in the **4-Way Test** of the Things We Think Say and Do, and the meeting ended at 1:01pm.



Rotary Opens Opportunities