

ROTARY DISTRICT 5000

Awards Submissions Checklist for 2016-2017

Items Due by March 31, 2017

List your 2 best Vocational Service Projects for this Rotary year, starting with the most important:

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| 1. <u>Ron's Scholarship</u> | Club members participating: | <u>30</u> % |
| 2. <u>Vocational Tours</u> | Club members participating | <u>35</u> % |

Total number of Vocational Service projects accomplished this Rotary year is 6.

Please provide a narrative description of your Vocational Service activities including the projects listed above and any detail supporting your checked items above. Limit your response to ONE 8½"x11" page. (No letterhead, pictures, or graphics and print in Times New Roman 12pt size).

A narrative follows: X Yes No

Submission Deadline: 31 March 2017

District Grant: Rescue Tubes for South Maui Beaches: Partnering with the Rescue Tube Foundation (Kauai) and the Fire Department Ocean Safety Division, the project will provide 30 rescue tubes as a demonstration project in South Maui. The Project budget was \$2,850. The experience of our Community Service leaders in dealing with County and State officials is giving club members experience in dealing with shoreline issues, inter-agency relations, insurance and liability issues, all leading to an understanding of how the non-profit world interacts with government and administration. Maui hotel managers are also involved in this project. Club members attended a 2 day Ocean Safety Conference on Aug, 4th. This was a state wide event sponsored by The Hawaiian lifeguard association, The Hawaii state Dept of health, and the county of Maui lifeguard association.

We award a \$3,000 Kihei Youth Center Merit Scholarship for outstanding students bound for college or vocational training. KYC runs a micro-enterprise program that trains junior high and high school students in small business planning, administration, and marketing, and also runs Kids' Kitchen, a Maui Food Bank program. We have a long-term commitment to supporting KYC programs with scholarships, grants for equipment and programs with project planning and participation by member volunteers. Our club supplied the KYC with a new kitchen this year.

Club field trips focus on vocations. We had 6 tours this year that included: Maui Ocean Vodka, the Kahului Fire station, the 911 facility, the Maui Job corps and the Maui Farm.

Rotary Fellowships. Members belong to the Wine Appreciation Rotary Fellowship, the Rotary Global History Fellowship, the Rotarians on Social Media Fellowship, and the International Fellowship of Rotarian Author and Writers. One member is a board member for the Rotarian Action Group for Blindness Prevention and a Zone membership chair for the Rotarian Action Group for Peace. Club leaders also promote the Rotary Fellowships focused on vocations. Kihei Safeway, at the Pi'ilani Shopping Center, hosts our club for August school supply drives and food drives for Rotary Gives Thanks during the holidays and Rotarians at Work Day in the spring.

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Rotary Club of: West Honolulu
 Club Division: Large Club X Medium Club Small Club

Award Category: Vocational Service

Check for each item completed:

- Conducted a club program promoting the 4-Way Test (Please describe in narrative)
- Vocational/classification Talks presented by club members (# of talks 5)
- Conducted tours of members' businesses (Dates _____)
- Devoted a meeting in October to examining Vocational Service (Date: 10/25/2016)
- Devoted a meeting on ethics in business (Date _____)
- Promoted the Declaration of Rotarians in Business and Professions (Please describe in narrative)
- Members participated in Rotary Recreational and Vocational Fellowships (Please describe in narrative)
- Initiated or maintained a career development program (Please describe in narrative)
- Presented an Employer of the Year Award (Name and date _____)
- Presented an Employee of the Year Award (Name and date _____)
- Conducted a youth mentoring or job shadowing program (Please describe in narrative)
- Recognized community members (non-Rotarians) for outstanding achievements (Please describe in narrative)
- Awarded vocational scholarships to non-Rotarians (Please describe in narrative)
- Conducted a networking activity (Please describe in narrative)
- Participated in at least one literacy project related to Vocational Service (Please describe in narrative)
- Participated in an adult literacy project utilizing the vocational skills of members (Please describe in narrative)
- Other (Please describe in narrative)

List your 2 best Vocational Service Projects for this Rotary year, starting with the most important:

- Awarded and recognized someone of Hawaiian Ancestry
1. David Malo Award Banquet: for remarkable achievements Club members participating: 91 %
 2. Awarded scholarships to incoming college students Club members participating %
 totaling \$16,000 based on academic success, need and vocational passion.

Total number of Vocational Service projects accomplished this Rotary year is 3 .

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Vocational Service Narrative to Questions

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-Recognized community members (non-rotarians) for outstanding achievements: In November 2017, our club put on a banquet of about 200 people recognizing someone of Hawaiian Ancestry: The 61st David Malo Award. This banquet is a premier event of our club and is well known around the Hawaiian community and District 500. This award is given annually to someone who perpetuates or contributed to the Hawaiian culture and community, as well as to the entire community of Hawaii and the world. Our 2016 recipient was Dr. Pualani Kanahele who excelled in education of our keikis in Hawaii as well as song and chant. She was responsible for numerous educational programs for the children of Hawaii and was a major influence in perpetuating the Hawaiian language and culture. This award is indicative of the person who the award is named after: David Malo. David Malo was a renaissance man who excelled in different areas of service for the people of Hawaii. Just like the award, it is given to a person of Hawaiian Ancestry who excelled and contributed in a specific area of service to the community.

-Awarded Vocational Scholarships to non-Rotarians: Awarded college scholarships to current high school students. The decision to award these scholarships were based on academic achievements, need, and vocational passion. It is communicated what Rotary is about and stressed to someday give back and help the community in the same way that the scholarship is impacting them.

-Participated in at least one literacy project related to Vocational Service: Our club's literacy project was the distribution of dictionaries to elementary schools in our area: Fern, Kalihi Uka, Ka'ewai. A presentation was made to these students about the importance of education, reading, and writing which will help them determine an area of interest and type of occupation they want to pursue.