



District Governor  
Sandy Matsui



“Change Lives with Aloha”



Club President  
Keoni Ahlo



SERVE TO  
CHANGE LIVES

“Rotary kindled the spark within me to look beyond myself and embrace humanity.” RI President Shekhar Mehta

The strength of our Club lies in its members

## Hitting the Streets For Rotary!

Service Above Self – Making a Difference

Editor – PP Geoff Horvath



### July is Rotary Leadership Month! Rotary Leadership Institute

*“No ray of sunshine is ever lost, but the green which it awakens into existence needs time to sprout, and it is not always granted for the sower to see the harvest.”*

—Albert Schweitzer

#### What Is RLI International?

RLI International is a grassroots coalition of Rotary districts implementing a leadership development program for "potential" leaders of Rotary CLUBS. Established in 1992, RLI has become a worldwide organization with divisions in every Continent of the world. While it is an unofficial program of Rotary International, it has substantial support of a number of past Rotary International Presidents and current, past and incoming R.I. Directors. (See Senior Leaders Advisory Board under Organizational Information). The R.I. Board has adopted a resolution recommending RLI or similar programs to the districts and the Council on Legislation has twice recommended RLI to the Board.



RLI believes that excellent CLUB leadership (all types of club leaders) is essential to the future of Rotary in a complex and fast changing world. Most Rotarians have not been exposed to the great scope of Rotary around the world and have not considered what leadership skills are necessary to move Rotary forward.

RLI strongly believes that a good Rotary Club leader must know the evolution of Rotary, its current status and activities in the world and have a vision for what Rotary can be in the future. Therefore, RLI provides a three day non-consecutive basic course in both Rotary knowledge and leadership skills, especially for voluntary organizations. In addition to the specific leadership skills sessions, all the RLI sessions have a leadership component.

In addition to the basic three day course, RLI holds in-depth seminars on important Rotary subjects, including leadership, for the "graduates" of the basic course.

The mission of RLI is to have the clubs in the member districts identify those with the potential for future club leadership and send them to RLI courses at club expense. All member clubs may send any club Rotarian to RLI courses and any Rotarian may attend any course at his/her own initiative.

The overriding goal of the courses for club Rotarians is to create ENTHUSIASM for Rotary by opening up to them the world of Rotary outside of their own clubs and also showing them the great potential of Rotary service for the benefit of the world that can be furthered with excellent leadership in our clubs.



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RLI is a general education program, while most Rotary International training programs are "job-specific"; that is R.I. trains Rotarians for specific positions. RLI is not a PETS or any other district training program, but graduates of RLI bring a greatly enhanced background in Rotary when they later attend job-specific programs.

RLI seeks to provide quality education in Rotary knowledge and leadership skills to Rotarians interested in developing their Rotary participation and to those identified by Rotary Clubs as having a potential in club leadership. These educational opportunities will teach skills that will benefit the members in their lives and in their volunteer service.



None



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Outside D5K

None

Within D5K

None

### Rotary Foundation Motto

The Rotary Foundation's motto is "Doing Good in the World" Example.... Donations to The Rotary Foundation make it possible for Rotary clubs to tackle some of the world's most pressing needs. See how your gift to the Foundation provided clean water to a village in Peru, promoted peace to displaced young people in Australia, brought prenatal care to a remote area of Haiti, helped exploited workers in India, rebuilt a flood-ravaged school in the United States, and nurtured a family of orphans in Uganda.



### Hawaii Rotary Youth Foundation (HRYF)

**Per Capita Contributions.** You can start building your Per Capita contributions starting July 1<sup>st</sup>. Your little donations add up. Let's try to win the HRYF Per capita award for our Club year! Per Capita contributions are calculated by the number of members you have in your club with your contributions, then averaged out.

**The annual HRYF Scholarship Celebration.** The 2021 HRYF Scholarship Celebration is scheduled for July 24 at 10:00 am. Be on the lookout for the announcement!

**RI President: Shekhar Mehta**  
**District: Sandy Matsui**  
**Asst. Dist. Govt: Joshua Laguana**  
**Club President: Keoni Ahlo**  
**PP: Keoni Ahlo**  
**President Jackie Barnes**  
**Recording Secretary: Marie Abatayo**  
**Treasurer: Paulette Kitchell-Fukumoto**  
**Club Trainer: PP Doc Bill McKenzie & Marie Abatayo**  
**Program/Speakers :**  
**PP Doc Bill McKenzie & PP Geoff Horvath**  
**Membership: Aaron Agsalda & Rep Amy Perruso**  
**Foundation: PP Doc Bill McKenzie**



**Club Service: PE Jackie Barnes**  
**Community Service: Mari Abatayo, Rene Mansho**  
**PP Doc Mill McKenzie**  
**Intl Service: PP Doc Bill McKenzie**  
**PE Jackie Barnes**  
**Youth Services: PP Geoff Horvath**  
**Vocational Service: PP Geoff Horvath**  
**Public Relations: Marie Abatayo**  
**Rene Mansho**  
**Amy Perruso**  
**Sergeant at Arms: PP Geoff Horvath**  
**Fundraising: Marie Abatayo**  
**PP Doc Bill McKenzie, PP Geoff Horvath**  
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Join with the other clubs and scholars from all the Islands in D5K!

## RECOGNITIONS

Recognition for July 15<sup>th</sup> to 18<sup>th</sup>, 2021.



**President Keoni Ahlo** celebrated his birthday on July 11<sup>th</sup>.



**Derek Conselva** Best Half, **Valerie**, celebrated her birthday on July 5<sup>th</sup>

## Anniversaries



None

## Induction

**Derek Conselva** was inducted into our club 3 years ago on July 6<sup>th</sup>, 2018

**Aaron Aagsalda** was inducted into our club one year ago on July 10<sup>th</sup>, 2020

**Marie Abatayo** was inducted into our club 5 years ago on July 18<sup>th</sup>, 2016.



None



None.

## WORDS OF WISDOM

*"The pen that writes your live story must be held in your own hand."*

Irene C. Kassorla



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Irene Kassorla is a glamorous Los Angeles psychologist who has been dubbed "shrink to the stars" by Merv Griffin because of her prominent Hollywood patients. And it was the first star she treated, back in 1968 in London, who inspired her to write her current best seller, "Nice Girls Do. "



## ROTARY MINUTE Our Leaders

Our leaders at Rotary exemplify all of the qualities that make our members extraordinary: integrity, expertise, and a commitment to service.

Rotary is led by a diverse international team of top executives. Whether developing Rotary policy, providing financial support, managing a global staff, or advancing Rotary's strategic plan, each member of the team is dedicated to helping our members connect and take action to create sustainable change.



## Improvements coming to Wahiawa Town.

These upcoming improvements will boost interest in doing business in Wahiawa!

**Wahiawa General Hospital** - Queens Hospital will purchase and take over Wahiawa General Hospital!

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The current staff will remain, so no one will be losing their jobs. Queens will be putting

**Will Dot's have a new owner?** Rumors are flying around about a local boy buying Dot's and completing renovations to bring the restaurant up to date. If the rumor is true, Marian's Catering will remain.

**Wahiawa Civic Center** – This project will cost an estimated \$83M to complete. The Proposed Action encompasses the development and construction of a new Wahiawā Civic Center, consisting of a Court Facility, State Office Complex, and a City & County of Honolulu (City) Satellite City Hall on the grounds of the existing Wahiawā Civic Center, an approximately 2.96-acre site.

The existing Wahiawā Civic Center is fully occupied but undersized to accommodate other desired services. The proposed action encompasses the construction of a Court Facility and State Office Complex that will house State offices, City offices such as the Satellite City Hall and Driver's Licensing, and a Judicial District Court Facility.

This development will provide various State and City services in one location and would be supported by off- and on-site infrastructure improvements, off- and on-site parking, and on-site support buildings such as a central utility plant.

<https://www.wahiawaciviccenter.com/about>

**Wahiawa-Whitmore Village Pedestrian Bridge.** The State of Hawaii Department of Transportation is proposing to construct a shared use pedestrian/bicycle path between Whitmore Village and Wahiawa, specifically Wahiawa Transit Center, as a multimodal connector between the two locations. The purpose of the proposed pedestrian and bicycle path is to create a dedicated non-vehicular facility that would facilitate access between residential land uses at Whitmore Village to places of employment and education in Wahiawa. An estimated \$13M will be spent in building this pedestrian bridge taking a couple of miles walk from Whitmore Village and Wahiawa. There is some opposition to this project.

<https://hidot.hawaii.gov/highways/wahiawa-pedestrian-bridge-project/>



None



TBD



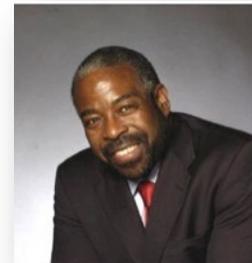
**July 24 – Ridge to Reef Cleanup** – Entrance into Wahiawa, Honolulu-side, Exit 8.



None



*“Do what is easy and your life will be hard. Do what is hard and your life will become easy.”*—Les Brown



Les Brown

Les Brown is an American motivational speaker. He is an inspirational figure with an incredible story of never giving up. Les Brown was born with his twin brother, in an abandoned building in Liberty City, He was given up for adoption and was declared educable mentally retarded.

**QUIZ OF THE WEEK**

What was one of the serious actions the U. S. Government take during the prohibition era?



We met via Zoom to plan for our canvassing of Wahiawa business area, this Saturday, July 17, to hand out flyers announcing our upcoming Ridge to Reef Clean up, on Saturday July 24<sup>th</sup>, 8:30 am, at the entrance to Wahiawa, just off of H2. We will be

meeting with business owners, telling them about our club and inviting them to join in this fun event. The flyers were professionally made by President Keoni Ahlo.

We will be going out to-by-two hitting businesses on California Ave, then working our way back to Kilani Ave.



**2021 Updated Meeting Schedule and Time (Thursday, Hawaii Standard Time) Meetings are every two weeks, In-person and Zoom.**

- July 22 – 6:30 – 7:30 pm TBD & Zoom
- Aug 5 – 6:30 – 7:30 pm TBD & Zoom
- Aug 19 – 6:39 – 7:30 pm TBD and Zoom
- Sep 2 – 6:39 – 7:30 pm TBD and Zoom
- Sep 16 – 6:39 – 7:30 pm TBD and Zoom
- Sep 30 – 6:39 – 7:30 pm TBD and Zoom

Join Zoom Meeting link –

<https://zoom.us/j/91954669065?pwd=d1dHTGwzUkYVYDhaWGNwRlQ3zddTUFmdz09>



Answer to the Quiz of the Week. **The U. S. Government literally poisoned alcohol during prohibition!**



During Prohibition in the United States, the U.S. government literally poisoned alcohol. When people continued to consume alcohol despite its banning, law officials got frustrated and decided to try a different kind of deterrent—death. They ordered the poisoning of industrial alcohols manufactured in the U.S., which were products regularly stolen bootleggers. By the end

of Prohibition in 1933, the federal poisoning program is estimated to have killed at least 10,000 people.

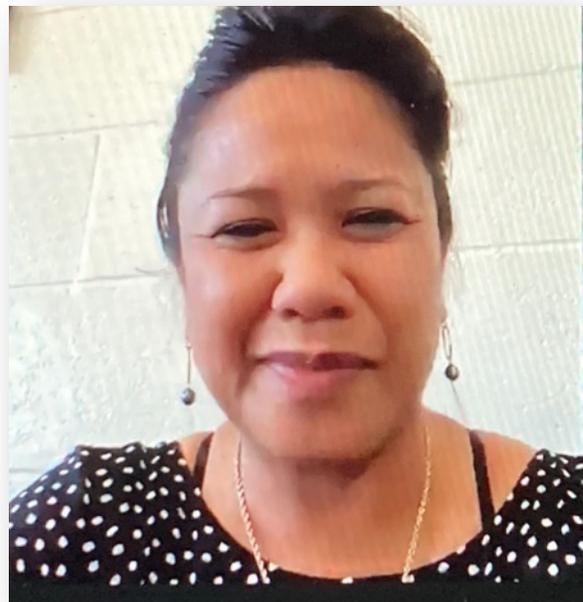


**Around the Club in Pictures**

(Go to our Facebook page: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/962862973749303/> to view all pictures.)



PE Jackie Barnes



Paulette Fukumoto

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**WHAT IS ROTARY?**

JOIN LEADERS  
EXCHANGE IDEAS  
TAKE ACTION

IN COMMUNITIES LIKE OURS, AROUND THE WORLD

Rotary Club of Mānoa

**OBJECT OF ROTARY**

- 1<sup>st</sup> THE DEVELOPMENT OF ACCORDANCE AS AN OPPORTUNITY FOR SERVICE;
- 2<sup>nd</sup> HIGH ETHICAL STANDARDS IN BUSINESS, INDUSTRY, THE PROFESSION, OUR LIFE AND THE ENLIGHTENING OF THE MIND;
- 3<sup>rd</sup> THE APPLICATION OF THE IDEAL OF SERVICE IN EACH ROTARIAN'S PERSONAL, BUSINESS, AND COMMUNITY LIFE;
- 4<sup>th</sup> THE ADVANCEMENT OF GOODWILL AND PEACE THROUGH A WORLD OF FRIENDSHIP.

Rotary Club of Olathe

**THE FOUR WAY TEST**

- FIRST IS IT THE TRUTH?
- SECOND IS IT FAIR TO ALL CONCERNED?
- THIRD WILL IT BUILD GOODWILL & BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?
- FOURTH WILL IT BE BENEFICIAL TO ALL CONCERNED?

Rotary

**OUR SIX AREAS OF FOCUS**

- Peace and Conflict Prevention/Resolution
- Disease Prevention and Treatment
- Water and Sanitation
- Maternal and Child Health
- Basic Education and Literacy
- Economic and Community Development

...to do good in the world

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