Rotary Club of Wahiawa-Waialua | Volume 10 Issue 3 – August 18th, 2022

District Governor
Randy Hart

"Together We Can"

President Jackie
Barnes

The strength of our Club lies in its members

"A good story can open people's hearts and minds and touch their soul" RI President Jennifer E. Jones

August is Rotary International Membership and Extension Month!!

This month is Rotary's Membership and Extension Month, and while we are reaching the end of the month, I felt that we should all think about what this means. Membership and Extension is an ongoing part of being a Rotarian so we do not confine ourselves to making an effort on membership during August only. But was does having more members really mean?

- Is it to make the President look good?
- Is it to beat other clubs by having the most members?
- Is it to "Enrich your life by meeting people from different backgrounds"

The first two are probably the end result of having a strong membership, but not the reason. The third one is a quote from Rotarian Andro Bottse from the Rotary

Classification Talk

Service Above Self – Making a Difference

Editor – PP Geoff Horvath

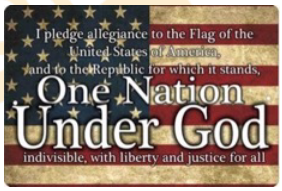
club of Amsterdam-Arena. This is a very poignant message about the opportunities that exist within our organization; this is not just about the international opportunities but also about what exists within our own community. Twinsburg is a richly diverse city with people from many cultures and walks of life who could make great Rotarians.

Rotary International has a statement on diversity; Rotary International recognizes the value of diversity within individual clubs. Rotary encourages clubs to assess those in their communities who are eligible for membership, under existing membership guidelines,and to endeavor to include the appropriate range of individuals in their clubs. A club that reflects its community with regard to professional and business classification, gender, age, religion and ethnicity is a club with the key to the future.

club business

Mango Street Grill

The Meeting



President Jackie

INVOCATION

PP Geoff Horvath

VISITING ROTARIAN

Outside D5K

None

Within D5K

None

Prospective Member D.C. Gonzalo Pineiro, Chiropractor – Guest **of PP Keoni Ahlo**

2022-23 ROTARY GRANTS

2022-23 Club Qualification for District and Global Grants:

All Clubs are invited to QUALIFY for District and Global Grants for the 2022-2023 Rotary year. Qualification assures The Rotary Foundation that your Club has the proper financial and stewardship controls in place to successfully manage grant funds. Grant management encompasses everything from selecting projects and activities to applying for the grant, to ensuring proper stewardship of funds, to evaluating and reporting grant outcomes.

Hawaii Rotary Youth Foundation (HRYF)

HRYF published their first Bulletin for the 2022-23 Rotary Year. The bulletin covered:

- Meet Our New HRYF President
- New HRYF Board of Trustees
- HRYF Program Participation
- HRYF Schedule
- New Per Capita Policy
- 2022 HRYF Per Capita Winners
- HRYF Scholar Celebrations – for 2022
- Scholarship Money Online App
- 2022 Give Aloha Campaign – Held in from September 1 to the 30th.

If you'd like a soft copy, please let me know!

RECOGNITIONS

Recognitions for August 22nd – September 4th, 2022

None

Spouses'

None

RI President: Jennifer Jones
District: Randy Hart
Asst. Dist. Govt: Joshua Laguana
Club President: Jackie Barnes
IPP: Keoni Ahlo
President Elect: Jackie Barnes
Recording Secretary: Vacant
Treasurer: Cross Crabbe
Club Trainer: PP Doc Bill McKenzie & Marie Abatayo
Program/Speakers : PP Doc Bill McKenzie & PP Geoff Horvath
Membership: Rep Amy Perruso
Foundation: PP Doc Bill McKenzie

Club Service: Marie Abatayo
Community Service: Mari Abatayo, PP Doc Mill McKenzie
Intnl Service: PP Doc Bill McKenzie
President Jackie Barnes
Youth Services: PP Geoff Horvath
Vocational Service: Derek Conselva - PP Geoff Horvath
Public Relations: Marie Abatayo
Rene Mansho, PP Keoni Ahlo
Amy Perruso
Sergeant at Arms: PP Geoff Horvath
Fundraising: Marie Abatayo
PP Doc Bill McKenzie,
PP Geoff Horvath
HRYF: PP Geoff Horvath
Newsletter: PP Geoff Horvath

Anniversaries

None

Induction

None

President Jackie gave a HI $5 in appreciation of all of us being here!

PP Doc McKenzie gave a HI $5 for attending the meeting!

None – Maybe Keoni?

WORDS OF WISDOM

"Faith defies reason; it moves mountains."

Porter Barrington

Porter L Barrington is the author of books such as *The Christian Life Bible - With Old and New Testaments*.

ROTARY MINUTE

Rotary Youth Exchange, Education, and Scholarships

Rotary sponsors one of the world's largest youth exchange, educational exchange, and scholarship programs. Rotary clubs provide innovative training opportunities and mentoring for young leaders and involve family members in a wide range of social and service activities.

None

Correspondence

No Correspondence

Announcements and Upcoming Events

Sep 17 – 8:30 -11:30 – Clean-up at Wahiawa District Park

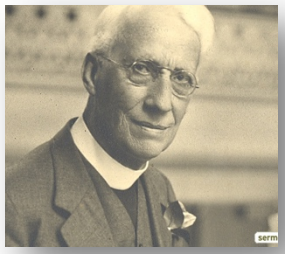
Oct 15 – 8:30-11:30 – Clean Up at Waialua District Park

Nov12 – 8:30 -11:30 – Clean-up at Wahiawa District Park

QUOTE OF THE WEEK

"Life is to be mastered by faith, and not by doubt; it is to be forevermore illuminated by hope, and not darkened by despair, and in its activity, love is to be practiced in fellowship."

G. Campbell Morgan



G. Campbell Morgan

Reverend Doctor **George Campbell Morgan D.D.** was a British evangelist, preacher, a leading Bible teacher, and a prolific author. A contemporary of Rodney "Gipsy" Smith, Morgan preached his first sermon at age 13.

QUIZ OF THE WEEK

What is the official bird of Redondo Beach, CA?

Rotary

Classification talk

PP Doc McKenzie
Part I

PP Doc McKenzie

From what we were told, **Doc McKenzie** may not be of Scots extraction!

Actually, Doc was born in Texas in the early 40's to a Polish Mom and an Italian Dad. He had two older sisters, from another marriage.

His mother didn't know she was pregnant with him, until she sat on a toilet seat, and gave birth!! Doc must have been a wee lad!! The family was poor at the time.

After being born, his mother and family lived on a farm until his dad moved the family to Mingus, a small city in Palo Pinto County, Texas. It was kind of touchy because this little city was populated with Italians, while Doc's mom was Polish. I guess the two didn't mix very well.

Doc had a good childhood, doing well in school, then attending college and medial school in Texas. One of the memorable times for Doc was working at a TB hospital or sanitorium in Galveston, TX. The State Tuberculosis Hospital opened in 1953 to care for patients from Central and South Texas. In 1955, 550 additional beds were added to the original 408 beds. By 1959, the 958 bed State TB Hospital was the largest among the 21 TB sanatoria in Texas and one of the largest TB sanatoria in the US.

While still a young lad, his father took his family back to Medina, Italy, to visit family, where he and his family met **Pope Pius XII**. Doc actually shaking hands with the Pontiff!

Pope Pius XII

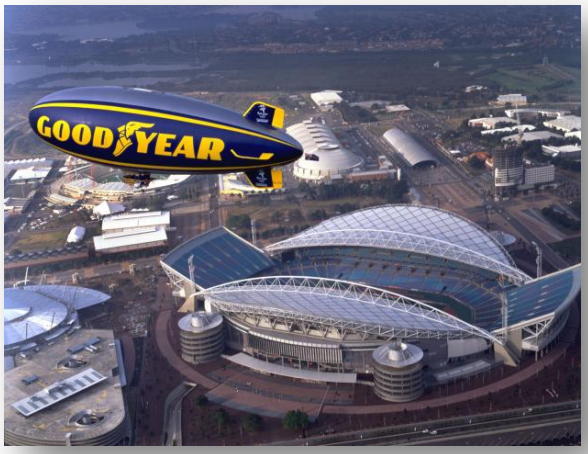
Meeting Schedule

We meet on the 1st and 3rd Thursday of each Month. For those months that have 5 Thursdays can be used for Board meetings if required. New meeting times, 6:00-7:00 pm begins on March 31st. Order dinner off the menu

Updated Meeting Schedule
Meetings are In-person.
(Subject to change)

Aug 18 – 6:00-7:00 pm – Mango Street Grill
Sep 1 – 6:00-7:00 pm – Mango Street Grill
Sep 15 – 6:00-7:00 pm – Mango Street Grill
Oct 6 – 6:00-7:00 pm – Mango Street
Oct 20 – 6:00-7:00 pm – Mango Street
Nov 3 – 6:00-7:00 pm – Mango Street
Nov 17 – 6:00-7:00 pm – Mango Street
Nov 24 – Thanksgiving

What is the official bird of Redondo Beach, CA? The **Goodyear Blimp**!!



Goodyear Blimp

In 1983, the coastal city made the Goodyear Blimp their official city bird in anticipation of the 1984 summer Olympics. They even presented a plaque to a team from Goodyear Airship Operations to help celebrate the decision!

A Volunteer prepares for flight in 1937

When the Goodyear Tire & Rubber Company was first established in 1898, America was in the midst of the Industrial Revolution. Wanting to follow suit with the rest of the nation and continue to push boundaries, Goodyear wanted to explore a world beyond tires and rubber.

It was then and there that Goodyear threw its hat in the ring of lighter-than-air balloons and aircrafts, and the concept for the Goodyear Blimp was born.

Goodyear built the Wingfoot Lake Airship Base near Akron, Ohio as it's aviation headquarters. This location remains one of the oldest airbases in the United States.

Through the early 1900's, Goodyear designed and created balloons for competitions, until the first iterations of the iconic blimp, known as B-types and C-types, were created in 1917 for use by the U.S Navy.

In 1919, Goodyear started operating its own airship fleet.

SURPRISE VISITORS

While we were enjoying a scrumptious meal at the **Mango Street Grill**, which was packet tonight, who should come walking through the door but **Past President Alex Kanamu** and **Past Secretary, Alison Kanamu!** Both are looking good and are spending some family time here before going back to their home in Texas.

PP Alex and PS Alison Kanamu

Around the Club in Photos!

Gonzalo Pineiro

Happy Marie Abatayo

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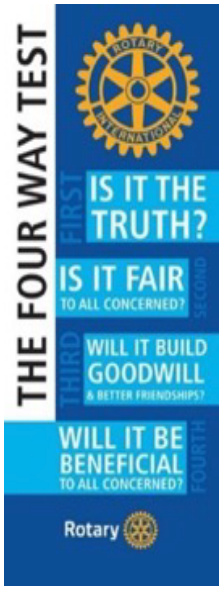
ALOHA ROTARY

Marie Abatayo, PP Doc McKenzie, PP Geoff Horvath