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Monthly Bulletin of the Hawaii Kai Lions Club



PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE



Aloha Lions,

February, a short month was a blur. Between everyone's daily life, like work, babysitting duties, travels, home projects, etc. our club members and CIS still manage to volunteer for projects. All your efforts and dedication to living the Lions' mantra, "We Serve," are greatly appreciated.

The Lunalilo Home Benefit Luau kicked off the month of February. Hawaii Kai Lions that attended enjoyed wonderful entertainment and fabulous Hawaiian food. We are very thankful for our relationship with the home and grateful for the use of their clubhouse.

Vision and hearing screenings are wrapping up for this school year. Thanks go out to all the volunteers, especially Lion Cynthia Chun. Lion Cynthia not only schedules all the screenings for our club, she also ensures that we are all well fed with a variety of ono homemade food each time. Thank you Cynthia!

Luckily the rainy weather settled down long enough for the Great Aloha Run to go off without a hitch on Presidents Day. Thank you to Lions Ellsworth and Peggy who made the very early morning trek to Aloha Stadium to assist other D-50 Lions Clubs with distributing T-shirts to the run/walk finishers.

February 22nd found us at Kaiser High School Complex for the annual 5th grade fitness meet. Students from Aina Haina, Hahaione, Koko Head, and Kamiloiki Elementary Schools participated in rigorous physical events to measure their fitness. Luckily the Lion volunteers did not have to participate in any physical activities. We were tasked with observing the students to ensure their activities were being performed correctly. Thank you to all the Lions and their CIS that assisted at this project.

Congratulations to all the Cub Scouts from Pack 101 who were recognized with badges and awards for their hard work

throughout the year at their annual Blue and Gold Banquet on Saturday night. We were treated to a great meal provided by Maile's Thai Bistro, while being entertained by the cub scouts with their amusing skits. Hawaii Kai Lions Club was recognized as the Pack's sponsor and thanked for their service to Pack 101.

Congratulations to PDG Mervin Wee and Lion Peggy Oyama who were recognized by Lions Club International with the Centennial Membership Award. This award is recognition for recruiting and retaining new Lions and/or helping to organize a new Lions Club. LCI stated, "Thanks to your efforts we will be able to serve more people in our next century of service." Way to go PDG Mervin and Lion Peggy.

Would like to take a minute to recognize our own real life "Energizer Bunny," Lion Peggy Oyama. Lion Peggy is always the first person to volunteer for projects both near and far, whether it's our club or any other club needing assistance. This week Peggy was instrumental in rounding up support to get a hearing scheduled for Senate Bill 2087 amending the Good Samaritan Law (Related to Rescue Tubes & Emergency Rescue Devices.) She and Lion David Iwana will be heading down to the Senate to attend the hearing on March 1st to provide first hand testimony regarding this bill. There is never a shortage of energy or enthusiasm where Peggy and Lions are concerned. Before Lion Peggy and her CIS Loyal leave us permanently, I want to say a big Thank you for her generosity, dedication, and unselfish service. Where ever they land there will be a very lucky Lions Club waiting to welcome them with open arms. Thank you so much Lion Peggy for all you have done and continue to do. You will most certainly be missed.

One last word to the members; please notify PDG Roy or Incoming President Lion Sandy, which board position you would like to volunteer for next year. We are calling for volunteers to step up and support Lion Sandy's efforts to put together a strong and supportive board which is vital to sustain an efficient and effective Lions Club. Mahalo!

Mahalo and Aloha,
Lion Jeanne

Cub Scouts Pack 101 Blue & Gold



Hawaii Kai Lions and Boy Scout Col Modglin supporting Pack 101.

Kaiser Complex Fitness Day



Group photo of HK Lions at Kaiser Complex Field Day.

Submitted by Lion David Iwana

The Kaiser Complex Fitness Meet for all the 5th graders from Kamiloiki, Hahaione, Aina Haina and Koko Head Elementary schools was held on February 22, 2018. A total of 321 students participated in this exciting event in the Kaiser High School gym. Our Lions assisted in monitoring the activities of push-ups, Sit & Reach, Trunk Lift, Running, Body Composition, and Standing Long Jump.

The event objectives as described by the Department of Education are:

- Promote health and wellness among elementary students
- Align fitness performance and goals to a national standardized assessment program.
- Provide an environment of health and fitness among participants
- Inspire students to participate in physical activity
- Create an environment of good sportsmanship and positive social interaction with all participants.

Our club's involvement in this event accomplishes several of LCI goals! Thanks to the Hawaii Kai Lions Jeanne Alices, Delwin Ching, Ellsworth Fujii, David Iwana, Eric Kimura, Marja Leivo, Ralph Nakamura, Ken Nishibun, Apolonio Sindiong, Rick Yee and CIS Donna Ede, Iris Iwana, and Lyn Yee.

Great Aloha Run



Several HK Lions cleaning eye glasses with Kaiser HS Leo's.

Submitted by Lion Peggy Oyama

The Rescue Tube Committee has been busy over the past month with the following activities:

- 1) Rescue Tube presentation to Kapolei Lions Club by David Iwana & Peggy Oyama;
- 2) Civics training attended by Eric Kvick & Peggy Oyama;
- 3) Senate Public Hearing and testimony attended by Eric Kvick & Peggy Oyama;
- 4) Great Aloha Run Expo Booth manned by Peggy Oyama.

Although our rescue tube presentation schedule is temporarily on hold, David Iwana gave our last, scheduled talk to the Kapolei Lions Club on January 25th. Then on February 10th, Eric Kvick and Peggy Oyama attended civics training to learn about the legislative process, learning how to work with legislators to change the Good Samaritan law to increase landowner and Good Samaritan protection to help our rescue tube project.

On February 14th, Eric and Peggy attended a public hearing to give testimony to the joint committees of Public Safety, Intergovernmental, and Military Affairs, and Water and Land, to support Senate Bill 2087, Relating to Emergency Rescue Devices. The bill amends the Good Samaritan Law to provide liability exemptions for owners of premises where automated external defibrillators and rescue tubes are located. It also provides liability exemptions for rescuers who attempt to rescue a person with a rescue tube. The bill will now move on to the Judiciary.

The Rescue Tube Committee will keep you posted on the bill's status, and continue to ask for your support as the bill works its way through the legislature. Finally on the President's Day weekend, Peggy Oyama volunteered at the District 50 Great Aloha Run Expo booth with Moanalua and Kalakaua Lions, where they gave vision screenings, color blindness tests, and talked to the public about our Rescue Tube Project.

Lunalilo Home Luau Fundraiser



HK Lions enjoying Hawaiian food at Lunalilo Home Luau.

Submitted by Lion Sandy Gomes

The Hawaii Kai Lion's Club was acknowledged in Lunalilo Homes program as a Mahalo Nui for our \$1,000 table purchase. Members that participated and bought tickets were Delwin & Amy Ching, Sandy Gomes, David & Iris Iwana, Chong Fook & Aki Leu, Ken Nishibun and Apolonio Sindiong.

We were blessed with beautiful weather, ono'licious kaukau by Tammy Smith, Hale Keahola Chef and outstanding line-up of entertainment by Kumu Hula Snowbird Bento & Ka Pa Hula o Ka Lehua who performed awe inspiring Kahiko (Traditional Hula). Kumu Hula & Entertainer Robert Cazimero and Halau Na Kamalei o Lililehua, who made us laugh and engaged us with their Mele and Dance.

Malama Maunalua Huki



HK Lions with Iolani School Leo Club volunteers at Huki clean-up.

Submitted by Bulletin Editor Kendrick S. Chang

On Saturday, February 24th, several Hawaii Kai Lions participated at Malama Maunalua's monthly Huki Clean-up at Maunalua Bay. The Lions were joined by the Iolani School Leo Club, along with other community volunteers. The Lions spent a couple hours pulling invasive algae and other trash particles in the bay.

Great Aloha Run



HK Lion Ellsworth Fujii with other lions at the Great Aloha Run.

Submitted by Lion Peggy Oyama

I volunteered with Lions Co-chairs, Guy Hashimoto and Kathy Higa at the Great Aloha Run Expo Booth at Neil Blaisdell Center on Friday night, and Saturday, February 16th and 17th. In attendance were also Henry Maunupau and Tom (Moanalua Lions) and Jason Yama (Kalakaua). We handed out eyeglass cleaners, gave children vision and color blindness tests, and spoke to the public about the Lions organization, as well as our rescue tube project. Then starting at 5:00 a.m. on Monday, February 19th, Leos from District 50 and Lions from many different clubs assisted with T-shirt distribution and cheering on people as they finished the 10K Great Aloha Run at Aloha Stadium. Special helpers were DG Blayne Hanagami and our very own Ellsworth Fujii! Many thanks to the Leos, Lions, Guy, Kathy, and the Moanalua Lions Club for a job well done!

Citizenship Ceremony



HK Lion Peggy Oyama with Lion Miu Lan Oman and a new US Citizen.

Submitted by Lion Peggy Oyama

On Wednesday, February 14th, Lion Peggy Oyama assisted with the Citizenship Ceremony at the Mission Memorial Auditorium. The ceremony was held before a federal judge, with approximately 100 new citizens plus their families attending. The event was coordinated by Aloha Pono Lion Miu Lan Oman, with assistance from Lions Selvin and Frances Chin-Chance (Koko Head), Akimi Mitake (Chinatown), and Mel Tom (Kamehameha), as well as the Knights of Columbus. The Lions distributed leis and directed new citizens to their registration tables and seats.

Hawaii Kai Lions Club
Regular Membership Meeting – February 1, 2018
Submitted by: Secretary Alvin Hayashibara

Location: Hale 'O Aloha at Lunalilo Home

Attendance: 27 attended and 6 excused

Facilities Management: Ron Goong, PDG Mervin, David Iwana, Stan Ito

Opening song: Sandy Gomes Flag pledge: Ron Goong Lion's pledge: Ken Nishibun Invocation: Alvin Hayashibara

Activated Tail Twister: Marja Leivo Using this Phrase "Never Have I Ever" Some of the Lions had to use this phrase and say what they never did. Each Lions had to count each one did or didn't. Eric and Kerry won most and least

Dinner

Agenda: Discussion on Committees – Questions brought up at orientation- would like to ask a couple of chairperson of their committees to discuss what they do. Good info for new members and reminders for old members.

Treasurer's report -Eric Kvick treasurer's report account OK

Secretary minutes approved from bulletin

1st VP Sandra Gomes : Aloha Nui Initiative, Also to check if the net new members count fiscal of year.

2nd VP Joel Leo excused

3rd Kaz Nakano excused

Announcements /projects:

Feb 9, 2018 Hearing Screening Hahaione ES 8-10:30

Feb 14, 2018 – Citizenship Ceremony at Mission House- need to get more info from Mui Lan

Feb 19, Great Aloha Run

Feb 22 2018 5th Grade Fitness Kaiser High 7:30-12:00

Feb 24 2018 Huki Cleanup Invasive Seaweed 9AM-12PM to be at Kuliouou Park

March 3, 2018 – Zone Social Natsunoya Teahouse BYOB Give check to David Iwana \$35

Hawaii Kai to provide one prize worth \$100 Jeanne to pick up gift card from Costco

March 9 2018 Miss Hawaii golf tournament held at Clipper Golf Course.... AM and PM shifts needed

March 11, 2018 Honolulu festival parade

Old business reminder: SIB chairs to pick up posters from their schools

New business/includes letters received:

April 7, 2018 East Kauai 80th Charter Banquet Kauai UPW Hall 4211 Rice Street Lihue RSVP by March 1st

April 7, 2018 Koko Head club 71st Charter and Installation Luncheon Natsunoya Tea House \$35.00

April 20 Charter and Installation Banquet will be at the New Otani Kaimana Hotel

May 12, 2018 Kaimuki Club Charter Luncheon Willows

IYC July 21-August 4 2018 Youths arrive on the 17th July.... Need 6 Host Families anyone interested see David Iwana

Recognition too: Dr. Roger Ede, Jeanne Alices, Eric Kvick, David Iwana, Bill Modglin to receive LCIF pins and badges

Closing song: Alex Ho

Adjournment

Hawaii Kai Lions Club
Monthly Board Meeting – February 8, 2018
Submitted by: Secretary Alvin Hayashibara

Meeting Location: Hale'O Aloha 7:00 pm President Jeanne Alices

Attendance: Jeanne, Roy, Sandra, Ronald, Alvin, Eric K, Ed L, Marja, Joel , Mervin, Kaz

Agenda: Board Meeting

Treasurer's report (Eric Kvick) ask about adding a budget for an Ad for Dist. 50 convention booklet motion OK
Alvin Kaz

Get approval for ad (Ad had been paid through breakfast account.)

Request for donation to Kaiser High School Project Grad

1st VP Sandra Gomes Lunalilo Home Luau was the best

2nd VP Joel Leo Great Aloha Run information

3rd VP Kaz Nakano: Nothing to report.

Announcements /projects:

Aloha Nui/Club Health assessment (fiscal or calendar year?)-Ask Sandy to clarify- where are they getting the numbers from? Sandy To Check

(When is the Blue and Gold ceremony-boys scouts) February 24 kamiloiki

Upcoming Dates:

2/9 Hearing Screening @ Hahaione Elementary.

2/15 Sight Is Beautiful Poster Judging

2/19 – Great Aloha Run Volunteer (Joel following for more info still pending)

2/22 Kaiser Complex Field Activity Day 7:30-12:00

2/24 Huki Meet @ Maunalua Bay Lot 9:00-12:00

3/1 Wahine Basketball Game- answer to question why we do this. Annual event to do a joint meeting with another club usually a Manoa club who help the UH activities

3/3 Zone Social 11:00 -2:00 NEED TO COME UP WITH PRIZE \$100

3/9 Golf tournament Miss Hawaii beauty contestants (need information from Wendy)

3/11 Honolulu Festival 4:30-9:00

4/7 Koko Head Charter Luncheon @ Natsunoya Teahouse 11:00

4/20 Charter And Installation Banquet (The New Otani Kaimana Hotel It was decided no change in location.

Old business:

LV Convention Delegates- 1 for every 25 members- Form to submit names

Date for Retreat Meeting Committee ? 2/13, 2/16, 2/17 - Eric gone 2/19 – 3/8 Not determined yet

Adjournment: 8:45PM

Hawaii Kai Lions Club
Regular Membership Meeting – February 15, 2017
Submitted by: Secretary Lion Alvin Hayashibara

Location: Hale’O Aloha 7:00 pm President Jeanne Alices

Attendance: 26 members attended, 1 guest Sharon Taga from project graduation, 7 excused

Facilities: Rick Yee, Roy Aoki, Peggy Oyama

Opening Song: Bill Modglin Flag Pledge: David Iwana Lions Pledge: Mino Tataesu Invocation: Delwin Ching

Agenda: Sight Is Beautiful Poster Judging.

Koko Head Had all grades participated Kamiloiki did not have 4th grade participate Total 367 posters were submitted. Kokohead had grades 1,3,4 and 5 sent to zone for judging and Kamiloiki had grades k and 2 sent to Zone for judging. Total of \$550.00 will be given as prizes. (Longs gift cards)

Kaiser High School Project Graduation –Sharon Taga accepted and gave a thanks you message.

Tail Twisting done by Marja Leivo She did a matching Comic strip to find a partner.

Treasurer’s report (Eric Kvick) message from Treasurer “All Good”

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|---------------------------------|---|
| 1 st VP Sandra Gomes | none |
| 2 nd VP Joel Leo | none |
| 3 rd VP Kaz Nakano | reminder of Charter Night Lion \$25 guests \$54 |

Announcements /projects:

- 2/19 Aloha Run Sign up
- 2/22 Kaiser Complex 5th grade fitness 7:30-12:00.
- 2/24 Cub Scouts Blue and Gold Banquest at Kamiloiki
- 3/1 UH Wahine Basketball Game @ Stan Sheriff (No Club Meeting) (it’s a club function to visit other clubs in our zone) (Wear Green.)
- 3/3 Zone Social @ Natsunoya Teahouse 11:00-2:00 \$35 to David Iwana. Give him a check or cash at the meeting
- 3/10 Fundraiser for Lion Garrett Ogawa 2nd VP District Governor
- 4/7 Koko Head Charter Night Luncheon Natsunoya \$40 begins at 10:30AM
- 4/19 Library Donation ceremony with Nagoya Joto Lions
- District 50 Convention at Hilo on May 3-5
- International Convention June 28- July 3

New business/includes letters received: Handout -Silver & Gold Centennial. Awards to PDG Merv & Peggy
Announcement: Eric received a Donation of \$400 from Peggy Oyama

Closing song: Walt Kuroiwa

Adjournment: 9:00PM

| FUTURE EVENTS | | | | |
|----------------|----------------|--|--|---------------------------|
| Date | Time | Event | Place | Attire |
| Thursday, 3/1 | 7:00-9:00pm | Wahine Basketball Game Night (No Regular Meeting) | Lunalilo Home Clubhouse | Club Shirt |
| Saturday, 3/3 | 11:00am-2:00pm | Zone Social (\$35 per person) | Natsunoya Tea House | Aloha Attire |
| Thursday, 3/8 | 7:00-9:00pm | Board of Directors Meeting | Lunalilo Home Clubhouse | Club Shirt |
| Sunday, 3/11 | 3:30-6:30pm | Honolulu Festival Parade | Meet @ Ft.Derussy (Center of Park) | Club Shirt |
| Thursday, 2/15 | 7:00-8:30pm | Membership Meeting | Lunalilo Home Clubhouse | Club Shirt |
| Friday, 3/16 | 10:45am-2:00pm | Koko Head Elementary Keiki Carnival | Koko Head Elementary School | Work Shirt |
| Saturday, 4/7 | 6:00-9:00pm | Koko Head Lions Charter Luncheon | Natsunoya Tea House (1935 Makanani Drive) | Club Shirt/ Aloha Wear |
| Friday, 4/20 | 6:00-9:00pm | Charter Night Banquet | New Otani Kaimana Beach Hotel | Club Shirt/ Aloha Wear |

| BIRTHDAYS | ANNIVERSARIES | DATE OF INDUCTION | August Membership | |
|---|---------------|-------------------|-------------------|----|
| 3/3 Ed Lee 3/6 Andy Uramoto 3/19 Mino Takaesu 3/19 Joan Sindong 3/21 Apolonio Sindong 3/30 Patsy Takaesu | None | None | Active | 50 |
| | | | Student | 1 |
| | | | Affiliate | 7 |
| | | | Total | 58 |

| District 50 Region V, Zone 2 | | Hawaii Kai Lions Club Officers – 2017-2018 | | | |
|--|-------------------|--|--|--------------|--|
| Honolulu, HI – Chartered 4/9/1973 | | President | Jeanne Alices 1714 9th Avenue Honolulu, HI 96816 jalices1979@yahoo.com (808)282-1780 | Secretary | Alvin Hayashibara 767 Hahaione Street Honolulu, HI 96825 athayashibara@yahoo.com (808)429-3312 |
| Intl President | Naresh Aggarwal | Email | PDG Roy Aoki | Tail Twister | Marja Leivo |
| District Governor | Blayne Hanagami | Cell | Sandy Gomes | Directors | PDG Merv Wee |
| 1 st VD Governor | Robert (Bob) Lee | IPP | Joel Leo | Mem. Dir. | Ed Lee |
| 2 nd VD Governor | Angelita Haramoto | 1 st VP | Kaz Nakano | Bull. Ed. | Cindy Giorgis |
| Zone Chairman | David Iwana | 2 nd VP | Eric Kvick | | Kendrick S. Chang |
| | | 3 rd VP | Ron Goong | | |
| | | Treasurer | | | |
| | | Lion Tamer | | | |
| Meetings | | | Make Up Meetings | | |
| The Hawaii Kai Lions Club meets the first and third Thursdays of each month at Hale O Aloha room of Lunalilo Home, 511 Kekauluohi Street. | | | Diamond Head Lions Club meets the 2 nd and 4 th Wednesdays of each month. 6:30 pm, 3140 Campbell Avenue. | | |
| The Board of Directors meets the Thursday following the first club meeting of each month at Hale O Aloha room of Lunalilo Home, 511 Kekauluohi Street, unless otherwise noted. | | | Kaimuki Lions Club meets the 1 st and 3 rd Tuesdays of each month, 7:00 pm, Crane Lodge, 3640 Crater Road. | | |
| | | | Koko Head Lions Club meets 1 st and 3 rd Wednesday of each month, 7:00 pm, Niu Valley Middle School | | |

Date: Thursday, March 1st, 2018,

7pm attitude adjustment
Place: Stan Sheriff Center
Attire: Club shirts, pins, & nametags
Cost: members
w/ meal plan \$3
w/o meal plan \$7

Program:
Wahine Basketball Game Night

Opening Song: N/A
Flag Pledge: N/A
Lions Pledge: N/A
Invocation: N/A
Closing Song: N/A

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Date: Thursday, March 8th, 2018

Time: 7pm
Place: Lunalilo Home

Board of Directors Meeting

Facilities Committee
Chair: Vacant

Report by 6:30 pm
Please find your own replacement if you are unable to fulfill those duties.

March 1st, 2018
No assignments due to Wahine Basketball Night.

March 15th, 2018
Delwin Ching
Dennis Ching
Paula Chow

Date: Thursday, March 15th, 2018,

7pm attitude adjustment
Place: Lunalilo Home
Attire: Club shirts, pins, & nametags
Cost: members
w/ meal plan \$3
w/o meal plan \$7

Program:

Opening Song: Eric Kwick
Flag Pledge: Ed Lee
Lions Pledge: Marja Leivo
Invocation: Joel Leo
Closing Song: Dr. Bill Modglin