

EAST HONOLULU ROTARIAN

July 20, 2009

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Youth Service:	Jim Morris
Fundraising:	TBD
Immediate Past President:	Al Takata



“SERVICE ABOVE SELF”

Welcome to the Rotary Club of East Honolulu. Our club was chartered on May 29, 1959 with 25 members. We are currently over 40 members and looking to grow. Friends and guests of Rotarians are always welcome at our meetings.

Date: Every Monday
(excluding holidays)
Place: Waialae Country Club
4997 Kahala Ave.
Honolulu, HI 96816
Time: 12:00 noon – 1:00 PM
Lunch: \$18.00 buffet and drink

UPCOMING SPEAKERS

Jul 20: *** DARK ***

Jul 27: PDG Linda Coble on Club Vision and Strategic Planning

Aug 3: John Steelquist on District 5000 Membership

Aug 10: Charlene Anaya on The Kids First Program

Aug 17: Bruce Bottoff, AARP on long-term health care

Aug 24: Linda Char on club membership

Aug 31: CLUB ASSEMBLY

If you have an idea for a future speaker, contact **Gemma Williams** at gemmaw@hawaii.edu with the name and number.

Did You Know: PDG Linda Coble has been a member of the Rotary Club of Honolulu since 1987 and has served in various leadership roles, including being the first woman District Governor to lead Rotarians statewide in 2000-01?

SCHOOL SUPPLY DRIVE

School is about to begin again, and we are heading into our annual school supply drive. Beginning with the meeting on Monday, July 27, **Ginny Meade** will collect all the goodies you can find to contribute, so please go out and find those bargains! Palolo School supply list includes:

Glue sticks; wide-ruled, wide-lined filler paper--3 holes; white 3x5 index cards, lined; 8-color watercolor paints; Crayola assorted color markers-8 piece set, fine or medium; pointed, 6-inch scissors; colored pencils; and crayons, No. 16 (16 crayons) or No. 38 (8 large-NOT FLUORESCENT).

Ginny will distribute the entire list on July 27 or sooner. East Honolulu Rotary will hold the School Supply Drive at Kahala Mall on Saturday & Sunday, August 22 and 23, so please save those dates for a fun time at the mall!

*The Rotary Club of East Honolulu
Congratulates and Welcomes our own Lisa Foster as the
Rotary District 5000 Governor 2009-2010*



WELCOME
District 5000 Governor 2009-2010
Lisa Foster
and the *Flyin' Hawaiian Team*

RCEH EVENTS *SAVE THE DATES!*
Spaghetti Fundraiser- November 1st
Cinco de Mayo- May 1st

The Rotary Club of East Honolulu meets every Monday at noon at the Waialae Country Club
lunch buffet- cost \$18 Waialae Country Club | 4997 Kahala Ave. | Honolulu, HI
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Photo: Table and display from last year's School Supply Drive

ROTARY NATIONAL POLIO IMMUNIZATION DAY

Have you ever heard Rotarians speak about their personal experience participating in a polio eradication exercise? These trips have a profound effect upon the individual. If you ever have a chance to go on one, you should. It will change you forever. Now you have such an opportunity.

From November 4–11, 2009, Rotarians will travel to Benin, West Africa to participate in a National Immunization Day (NID) program and attend the 5th Annual West African Project Fair.

Trip Date: November 4 – 11, 2009
Destination: Cotonou, Benin (West Africa)

The program includes hotel accommodations, transfers, most meals, hands-on polio eradication field work, visits to local communities to experience and explore Rotarian humanitarian programs, West Africa Project Fair registration, special Rotary and fellowship events, sightseeing, etc. In addition to polio eradication, participants will spend time with Benin Rotarians to explore their communities and see the service and experience fellowship that only Rotary can provide. Further, participants will attend a two-day West Africa Project Fair, where Rotarians from 15 West African nations will present possible humanitarian grant projects. It is an extraordinary event that will expose you to new cultures, projects, friends and opportunities.

Rotary clubs are playing a vital role in meeting the \$200 Million Polio Challenge. You are invited to participate, first hand, in Rotary's historical achievement. This may be the one of your last opportunities to participate in a polio eradication trip. Because of limited space, the organizers expect this program to sell out in the next few weeks. If you are interested in joining fellow Rotarians to provide service, fellowship and a wonderful highlight of the club year, please contact the organizer below. FYI --- **John Steelquist, Laura Steelquist, and Lisa Foster** have all participated in past NID projects.

Organizer

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West Africa Project Fair Committee
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MEMBER BIO: JOHN STEELQUIST

John Steelquist grew up in Manoa and graduated from Punahou School. He earned his bachelor's degree from Baylor University and his PhD in Industrial Engineering from Texas A & M University. He spent twenty years in the Air Force as navigator and engineer. Upon retirement, he returned to Hawaii. John has been at Chaminade University for over twenty years and has served as the Computer Science Department Chair, Dean of Business, and Professor of Business.

John has chaired the Governor's Committee for Litter Control, the Makiki Neighborhood Board, the Hawaii Chamber of Commerce Education Committee, and the Greater East Honolulu Community Alliance. He is currently on the Roosevelt High School Community Council and a Deacon at Central Union Church.

He joined Rotary in 1994 and is past-President of the Rotary Club of East Honolulu. He spent two years as District 5000 Polio Plus Chair and five years as District 5000 Rotaract Chair. He was the Centennial Committee Chair for District 5000. Currently He is the AG for Membership and will serve as District Governor for 2010-2011. His wife Laura is also a past President of the Rotary club of East Honolulu and Secretary of District 5000.

