

WE SERVE

Kahalu'u Lions Volunteer at Great Aloha Run Run Feb. 15-16, 2009

Every year Lions throughout the State handle the distribution of t-shirts at the Great Aloha Run. The night before the race Lions stay overnight at Aloha Stadium to guard the t-shirts which will be given to the more than 20,000 runners and walkers who finish the race.



Lion Shirley is always there to help!

Lion Shirley stayed all night to cook dinner and breakfast for the volunteers. Volunteers were treated to a steak dinner and a delicious breakfast of scrambled eggs and sausage. On Monday morning Shirley was joined by Lions Hilary, Bob and Julia at 5:30 a.m. They unpacked and folded the shirts and later helped the many Lions and Leos who were there to hand out t-shirts to the weary participants.

We were proud to see Lion Liane, looking as if she'd just finished a stroll in the park, among the finishers! Congratulations Liane!



Hilary and Bob fold t-shirts



Our winner Liane!

Aikahi Playground Project – on Feb. 16 Lion John Yu represented our club with his expertise as he worked along with 300 Marines and other volunteers on the construction of an elaborate and massive new playground at Aikahi Elementary School. Lion John dug trenches and installed framework structures

KMC Winter Forum and 3rd Cabinet Meeting Feb. 6-7, 2009

With a theme of “Passion of Lionism” Lions from all over the State gathered up at Kilauea Military Camp on the Big Island for meetings, programs and fellowship. Many Lions spoke of their dedication to Lionism with its motto of service to others. DG Shannon Ching led a District Forum on Friday and a Roundtable Discussion on Saturday. On Saturday night we played “Super Bingo”, a sort of backwards version in which everyone started standing up and as numbers were called on your card you sat down. The winners were those who never had a number called!



Lions Julia and Agnes at KMC



Lion Bob and PDG Tokuo keeping warm by the fire at KMC

Club Meetings

February 5, 2009 Delegates and Alternates for the District Convention were selected. Delegates will be Lions Agnes and Carole and Alternates are Lions Francis and Julia. The registration fee will be paid for all members who attend the convention. The slate of officers for 2009-2010 was approved as follows: **President** – Francis Kubota, **1st VP** Agnes Tani, **2nd VP** Liane Garrett, **3rd VP** Hilary White, **Secretary** Julia Putes, **Treasurer** Carole Toguchi, **Tailtwister** Bob Putes, **Lion Tamer** Mits Toguchi, **Director 1 yr.** Shirley Kaluhiwa and John Yu, **Director 2 yr.** Herbert Nakasone and Tokuo Tani, **Membership Dir.** Tom Tsuha, **Past President** Agnes Tani.

February 19, 2009 Our first hearing screening will be done at 8:30a.m.on Mar. 6 at Ka'a'awa School. Lion Hilary has made the arrangements. A notice about applying for the Weinberg Grant will be appearing in Mid-Week. Applications are due April 15. The Work Project is scheduled for June 27. After the business portion of the meeting we judged posters for the Sight is Beautiful Poster Contest. Members met for a late dinner afterwards at Times Coffee Shop now located at Koolau Center (Temple Valley).



2008-2009 Officers & Directors

President:	<i>Lion Francis Kubota</i>
1st Vice-Pres.	<i>Lion Shirley Kaluhiwa</i>
2nd. Vice-Pres.	<i>Lion Hilary White</i>
3rd. Vice-Pres.	<i>Lion Bob Putes</i>
Secretary	<i>Lion Julia Putes</i>
Treasurer	<i>Lion Carole Toguchi</i>
Tailtwister	<i>Lion Tom Tsuha</i>
Lion Tamer	<i>Lion Mitsuo Toguchi</i>
Director 1 year:	<i>Lion Reb Bellinger, Lion John Yu</i>
Directors 2 years	<i>Lion Herbert Nakasone PDG Tokuo Tani</i>
Membership Dir.	<i>Lion Thomas Tsuha</i>
Past Pres.	<i>Lion Agnes Tani</i>

BI-MONTHLY MEETINGS

1st Thursday – 6:00 p.m. KEY Project,
47-200 Waihee Road

3rd Thursday- 6:00 p.m. KEY Project

UP COMING EVENTS

Mar. 6 – Hearing testing at Ka'a'awa Sch.
Mar. 14 Region III Social at Ford Island
Mar. 27 Sight is Beautiful Poster Contest
Zone Banquet
Apr. 15 Weinberg Grant application
deadline
Apr. 19 Manawale'a Picnic for Visually
Impaired

MAHALO TO...

- Lions Shirley and Agnes for facilitating at the food bank every month on the second and fourth Wednesdays.

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