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The Hulali

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TRF EARNS 4-STAR RATING

Future Speakers

- Sep 14 Ruth Tschimy, BOE
- Sep 21: Bob Newman, Narc-conon Hawaii
- Sep 28: Dan Bend, Literacy
- Oct 5: Gerry Peters, Hurricanes
- Oct 14: HRYF—30 years old celebration at Hale Koa
- Dec 14: Christmas Party at Dot's

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TODAY'S SPEAKER

PDG Hal Darcey was our featured speaker today and delivered an outstanding presentation about The Rotary Foundation (TRF). He talked about



PDG Hal Darcey, PHF MG

the programs of TRF, and how they affect mankind. It was clear why TRF received a 4-Star rating (the highest) in a recent rating by a non-profit rating organization that is recognized nationally for judging the efficiency of non-profit organizations in accomplishing their stated goals. Over a million corporations were rated by this organization, and only about 1,000 received a 4-star rating.

Some of TRF programs that PDG Hal covered were; Polio Plus, Ambassadorial Scholarships, District Simplified Grants, Matching Grants, Group Study Exchange, Volunteer Service Grant, and many others too numerous to men-



tion. If you missed today, you missed a golden opportunity to learn where and how your donated dollars to TRF go. The Rotary International web site is an excellent place to learn about these programs. Visit the site at: <http://www.rotary.org/>

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- President Gerry reminded everyone about the "Taste of Kapolei" on Sep 23rd. It will be an exciting event, well worth the money, and proceeds go to a worthy cause.
- Pastor Jack invited everyone to attend a "Community Strengthening" program at Leileihua School at 6:30 P.M. on Sep 21st. The event hopes to bring together all organizations in Wahiawa for a united voice in community affairs.

ROTARY FOUNDATION

Mac reported Club goals were exceeded for the first 2 months of this fiscal year, but mostly because of a large gift in July. More help is needed from the membership individually beginning this month

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VISITORS

It was really great to see past member, Lyle Kanemaru at lunch today. Lyle stopped by to have



Lyle Kanemaru, former member lunch and reacquaint himself with many old friends. Lyle is now the manager at the American Savings Bank in Wahiawa.

HRYF

Calvin Wakai was away on a trip this week.

BIRTHDAYS

John Ross was honored today for his 61st birthday. Let's hope he



PP John Ross, PHF

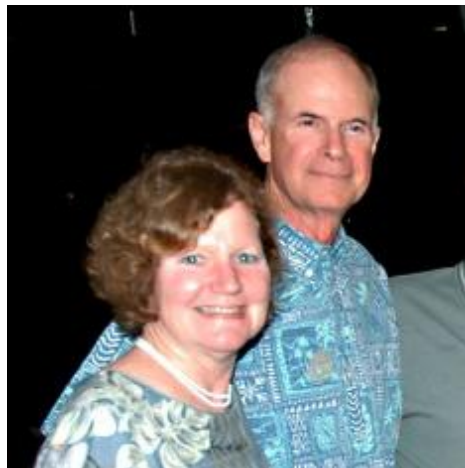
was off celebrating somewhere and not stuck at his job. Happy birthday

John...We all hope you had a great day.

INDUCTION ANNIVERSARY

- Geoff Horvath was not present, but was probably out celebrating his induction anniversary into Rotary. Congratulations Geoff. We missed you today.

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY



Judy and PP David Bramlett

PP David Bramlett acknowledged the fact that he and wife Judy recently celebrated their 35th wedding anniversary. He donated a dollar for each year of marriage bliss, a total of 35 dollars, to The Rotary Foundation. David and Judy's anniversary was a couple of weeks ago but missed being honored by the Club at the time because he was away on a trip.

HIGH- 5's

As usual, a few people were very happy today.

- Ed Baumgartner gave a High-5 for a huge dose of Aloha he received Tuesday afternoon when caught in the biggest traffic jam in Hawaii's history. He said he heard no horns blowing, saw no fights, and actually

saw busses pulling over to the side to allow cars to pass. He said it was the "nicest traffic jam" he had ever spent 6 hours in.

- Ken Uyeno gave a High-5 for the Honolulu Police Dept. He was clocked by radar going 39 in a 25 MPH zone, but before the officer could write the ticket, he was called away to talk to a fellow officer. When he returned, he told Ken it was his lucky day because he had to move his car immediately. He wished Ken a nice day and Ken responded by thanking him for "doing his job".
- Pastor Jack said he was happy because his credit was good.

TRIP REPORTS

Jeff Alameida told us that he took a trip to Maui last week and was amazed to see a wind farm consisting of 20 towers capable of produc-



Jeff Alameida

ing enough energy to power many homes on Maui. Everyone is saving about eight cents per kilowatt-hour.

