



February 15, 2017

SPEAKER OF THE WEEK
Dave Livingston
 Rotary Membership

MEETING HIGHLIGHTS



HAWAII CLUB 30 | DISTRICT 5000
 CHARTERED JUNE 20, 1939
 RI PRESIDENT— JOHN GERM
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Today's speaker Alice Inouye was a no show, so **Program Chair PP Dave Livingston** invited four speakers to give a brief account of their vocations. **Jason Coleman** talked about his business, **Paul McGillicuddy** about his new job, **PP Dave Hamil** gave a brief Bio and **Ty Dawkins** about his business and the four goals he set out to accomplish



Nora Chen stood in for the President Elect to welcome visiting Rotarians from out of State. They are **Allan Richmond** from the Rotary Club of Langley BC, Canada, (he does not play the Ukulele) our Japanese visiting Rotarian (unfortunately he did not sign in) and **Oly Wise** from the Rotary Club of University, Seattle.

SPEAKERS

February 22, 2017
Terri Dietz
 Corporate Wellness

March 01, 2017
Brendan Coyne
 JP Morgan



PDG Phil Sammer recognized **Nora Chen**, and presented her with two commendations. The first was a Paul Harris Pin with one Sapphire, which meant she has donated more than \$1000 to the Rotary Foundation and second a Certificate from **District Governor Clint Schroeder** for achieving the Bronze Level in donation recognition.

Life
 isn't about
 waiting
 for the storm
 to pass,
 it's about
 learning
 to dance
 in the rain.

The meeting was called to order by **President Elect Steve Koyama**. **Steve** welcomed everyone to the Rotary Club of Waikiki!

Katherine Henski asked everyone to join her in saying the Pledge to the American flag.

Past President Tony Gedeon shared an inspiration with the Club. He led a prayer being thankful for our gathering, the food, and for Rotary.

Thomas Hall introduced our guests. We welcomed **Phil** from Washington and his wife Nancy. **Past President Dave Livingston** introduced Ty Dawkins who has accomplished the four things he told **Dave** years ago that were his goals! **Dave** also introduced Lynn who works with specialty items. We welcomed other guests from Japan and Canada. **Past District Governor Phil Sammer** was recognized as were the **President** and **Past Presidents of the Rotary Club of Waikiki**.

PDG Phil Sammer asked special visitors with the shell leighs to come to the front of the room. He asked us all to sing our welcome song to our guests. **Nora Chen** welcomed our special guests.

Nick Buechel passed around the Aloha Bucket. **Nora Chen** donated money and told us that **Flora Lu** is on her way to Taiwan tomorrow. Our guest from Japan said he was happy to be here. We heard from our Canadian Rotarian friend that it is very cold in Langley. **Mela Kealoha** donated money because she enjoyed giving out dictionaries to third-grade students today. **Past President Dick Matti** donated on behalf of **Tweet Coleman** and her husband Pat. He thanked **Past President Carol Riley** for being scribe.

Past President Gene Gelfo told us that we have a Renaissance Man in the Club...**Past President Tony Gedeon** who has a tiny farm in Hawaii Kai. **Past President Tony Gedeon** donated money to celebrate his friends, **Tweet Coleman**, her husband, and son Jason. **Past President Roy Tanji** donated money and **Past President Dave Hamil** welcomed **Roy Tanji** back. **Katherine Henski** said that she had been depressed but she felt better being with us!

President Tweet Coleman talked about the Club she has chartered and how she hopes it is up to 50 members when she finishes her year as president. She invited everyone to come to Lake Nona's Rotary Club.

Ty Dawkins donated money to thank Rotarians for what they do. **Paul McGuillicuddy** said he was looking forward to his talk today.

PDG Phil Sammer asked **Nora Chen** to come to the front of the room where she was recognized the achieving the **Paul Harris** recognition by donating over \$1,000 to the Foundation and for donating to the Polio fund sponsored by **District Governor Clint Schroeder**. She achieved the bronze level of donation recognition.

Mela Kealoha-Lindsey talked about the wonderful time she had giving out dictionaries today. **Phil** and his wife attended and the students were so excited about meeting someone from a foreign country who had an accent! **Mela** told us that when she works with students she always asks them if they know what state they live in. Fifty percent of them do not! They think their state is Waipahu or Waikiki!

President Elect Steve Koyama shared information about the District 5000 Convention scheduled for May 19-21 in Maui, Kaanapali Sheraton. **Larry Laird** is a conference chair and is sponsoring the Golf Tournament on Friday. Sister Clubs are encouraged to attend. Early Bird Registration is \$355 by November 30. More information is available on the District website.

Birthdays and anniversaries were shared by **Magda Alexander**. February birthdays: **Chad Adams** 2/26; **Chris Fidelibus** 2/22, **Sylvia Makk** 2/19, and **Rhodora Pagay** 2/17. Anniversaries: **Chad Adams** 2/27/13; **Magda Alexander** 2/21/90; **Mark Moore** 2/25/87; **Faye Zasada** 2/24/2016.

Ikko Tomita is planning a trip for Rotarians to visit Sister Clubs in Japan. Deadline for reservations is this week!

Past President Dave Livingston told us that our guest speaker did not show up! However, he has asked a couple of members and a guest to talk about marketing for their businesses and that it would probably be an even-better presentation!

Jason Coleman asked us if we knew about the law of attraction. He mentioned the importance of visualization. Goals are written down. Dreams are in your head. He believes that what you put down comes to you! Eight years ago he visualized getting into a health business. It has happened. He is now

visualizing getting 50 stores! He believes that if you ask, you shall receive. For marketing, he uses Surf News Network, Yelp, and Five Star.

Paul McGillicuddy: Paul is now a defense contractor. It is a new job for him!

Past President Dave Hamil: **PP Dave** started with Kinkos in Hawaii. He now sells playground equipment. He encouraged everyone to go to Japan with Ikko! He has been three times and says it is a great reciprocal trip. **PP Dave** reminded us that FoodFest for next year will be on October 17 at the Pacific Beach Hotel.

PP Dave said he began selling when he was six years old. His sister was four. She was very cute. He got flowers from a neighbor, put them on a table, and had his sister sit in front of them. Then he went out and asked people to buy them from his sister! He believes there are three things important to a successful business: sales, producing, and bookkeeping.

Ty Dawkins: Ty said he was not prepared for this presentation, but it would probably be better! He studied marketing in college but the strategy he uses most is “friend of a friend.” He now has 5,000 clients. He works hard...maybe 100 hours a week to support his wife and two children. He learned an important lesson about service from Four Seasons. This is the kind of service he wants to give his customers.

In our 50/50 drawing, \$95 was collected and **Thomas Hall** donated his half to the Rotary Foundation!

Patty Mitchell asked everyone to say the Four Way Test with her. **President Elect Steve** thanked **Kathy Higa, Thomas Hall,** and **Past President Carol Riley** for their help with the meeting.

Respectfully Submitted, **Past President Carol Riley**



Rotary hires chief investment officer



EVANSTON, III. (Feb. 3, 2017)

— Rotary taps non-profit investment expert Eric Jones to manage and grow the humanitarian organization’s \$1 billion in assets.

As CIO, Jones will provide leadership, vision and oversight for the management and strategic asset investment growth

for **The Rotary Foundation** – Rotary’s charitable arm that grants more than \$200 million annually to eradicate polio and fund projects and scholarships in communities worldwide.

“Eric brings valuable experience and a strong track record as an institutional investor,” said John Hewko, general secretary of Rotary. “He will play a vital role in securing the Foundation’s long-term, sustainable growth - enabling our members to achieve a polio-free world, train future peacemakers, support clean water and sanitation, and strengthen local economies well into the future.”

After managing investments for Loyola University of Chicago for 16 years and serving as CIO since 2008, Jones is returning to Rotary where he began his career in the mid-1990s. “I am thrilled to be coming back to Rotary in this position,” said Jones. “I enjoy and I find it rewarding to work for a mission-driven organization. As the CIO for Rotary, I am committed to providing a high level of stewardship over its invested assets and to helping the organization continue to grow.”

Jones is an alumnus of the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, where he graduated with a major in political science and earned his MBA. He lives in Chicago with his family. Korn Ferry International was engaged in the CIO search.



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