



# Y's Words

Newsletter of the West Oahu Y's Men's Club

MAY 2014

*Aloha  
to our brother club  
members!*

Chartered: January 14, 1984

## CALENDAR

May 18th (Sunday)

Y'S MEN SUNDAY

Crestview Catholic Church  
7:30 am

Our once in a ??? (when was the last one)

May 16th (Friday)

ENDOWMENT DINNER

Manoa Grand Ballroom  
6:30 pm

We will "officially" induct Karen Ebato

May 24th (Saturday)

CENTRAL Y SERVICE CLUB

20TH ANNIVERSARY

Pagoda Hotel  
7:00 pm

May 30—June 1

HAWAII REGION CONVENTION

Kilauea Military Center

June 12h (Thursday)

BUSINESS MEETING

Mililani YMCA  
7:00 pm

Duke's first as president!

## NEW OFFICERS for 2014-2015

Walter Osakoda finally said "enough"! and will turn the club's leadership to a new group:

President:	Duke Chung
Vice President:	Maile Kanemaru (why was everyone afraid that she might say "NO")
Treasurer:	Kathy Ishimoto (the only holdover)
Secretary:	Bob Kuwahara (did Linda finally get it right, so she didn't need to do it again?)

## HAWAII MEALS ON WHEELS

Led by Jean Matsuda, we are going strong. Four of us (Jean, Jeanette, Linda and Bob) attended the volunteer recognition luncheon at the Manoa Grand Ballroom. Had a great time! Currently, we have around 12 in our group, and service two days a week. The schedule for each is not very difficult as each person gives four or five days a QUARTER (three month period). The only time it gets a bit difficult is when everyone goes to Vegas!

Hawaii Meals on Wheels is not as large as Lanakila Meals on Wheels. It does not receive any government grants. It operates from donations from other organizations and individuals.

Our group picks up hot meals from "Catering Experience" (or Zippy's) at the Waipio outlet. The meal includes a hot dish, bread, a drink (milk or juice), fruits, and dessert (usually a cookie).

Walter asked Jean to see if there are any additional projects that our club could do for them. We may help with bagging of the Christmas "White Baskets" for the clients, which are donated from various businesses. Time to be announced as we get close to December.

*Club dues  
(\$100.00)  
are due*

*make checks payable to  
West Oahu Y's Men's Club  
Give to  
Kathy Ishimoto*

## DUKE CHUNG on the mends

Duke Chung is on the mends as he took a smoke break late at night, was gazing up at the stars, and slipped and had a gash on his arm.

Duke and Linda found out the best time to go to "Emergency" is around 3 am ... no lines ... total attention of the doctor on duty!

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Duke Chung, Jr.  
Karen Ebato  
Maile Kanemaru  
Dennis Kuwabara  
Jean Matsuda  
Alyssa Taniguchi  
Keola Taniguchi  
Jennifer Townsend

Brother Club Affiliation with  
**HIROSHIMA Y'S MEN'S CLUB**  
**KYOTO PRINCE Y'S MEN'S CLUB**



**PLANT SALE** held on April 26th

The club held a second plant sale for the year. This time, the traffic at the Y was a little less than desirable under threatening grey skies. Mari's Garden provided the bulk of the sellable items that included some fresh vegetables. Our RD Sharon and her chauffeur Brad Ishida and son came for some morale support and bought a few items to help us.

We did manage a net \$110.

Present were Keola, Karen, Jeanette, Linda and Jean.

We look to the next sale in the Summer.