



ROTARY:  
MAKING A  
DIFFERENCE

# Ha'i Nalu

Līhū'e, Kaua'i, Hawai'i Palapala ho'okumu: 'Aukake 23, 1937

Rotary  Club of  
Kaua'i

P.O. Box 3911  
Lihue, HI 96766 - 6909

## Speaker's Schedule:

**Dec 08**—Today's Speakers

**Dec 15** Holiday "Cocktail"  
Social at Jo Grande's home  
Puakea (near Costco's)  
2415 Akoki Street, Lihue  
6:30 PM—???

**Dec 22**—No Meeting

**Dec 29**—No Meeting

December's Greeter  
Roger Cable

## CLUB PROGRAMS PROJECTS & EVENTS

Dec 15— Social at Jo Grande's

Jan 26—Rotary Foundation  
Dinner on Kaua'i

Jan 27—Rotary Foundation  
Dinner on O'ahu

Planting Tree Project Date TBD

Weinberg Foundation Project  
Date TBA

## CLUB GOALS

	YTD	Goal
<b>Membership</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>37</b>
<b>Service</b>		
<b>Projects</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>8</b>

## T.R.F.

Share Account:

Contributions	<b>\$1,350</b>	\$5,000
Polio	<b>\$0</b>	\$3,000

## Kekemapa 08, 2017

### Today = Two Speakers & Two Topics

#### Andy Bestwick

Development Officer Wilcox Health Foundation

**Topic:** Quick updates on Wilcox Medical Center and Foundation projects

#### Dr. Derek Johnson

**Topic:** New Robotic Assisted surgical technology at Wilcox

**Biography:** Dr. Derek Johnson specializes in minimally invasive arthroscopic surgery of the shoulder, hip and knee. He specializes in arthroscopic shoulder rotator cuff repair and labral repair, arthroscopic labral repair of the hip, and ACL reconstruction and meniscus repair of the knee. Dr. Johnson strongly believes in mentoring students interested in health careers and is an avid volunteer for local youth and high school athletics. When he's not diving or surfing, Dr. Johnson can be found spending time with his family.

**Professional Interests:** Minimally invasive arthroscopic surgery of the shoulder and knee, arthroscopic shoulder rotator cuff repair and labral repair, arthroscopic labral repair of the hip, ACL reconstruction, meniscus repair of the knee, anterior total hip arthroplasty, total knee arthroplasty, and total shoulder arthroplasty.

**Personal Interests:** Spending time with family, volunteering for local youth and high school athletics, mentoring students interested in health careers, diving, surfing, playing the piano.



*From the front page of The Garden Island newspaper:*  
(Dec. 2) The Lights on Rice Parade presented by the **Rotary Club of Kauai** brought thousands of spectators to Rice Street with smiles, laughter — and umbrellas.

It was, by all accounts, full of Christmas spirit, despite a light rain and cool breeze Friday night.

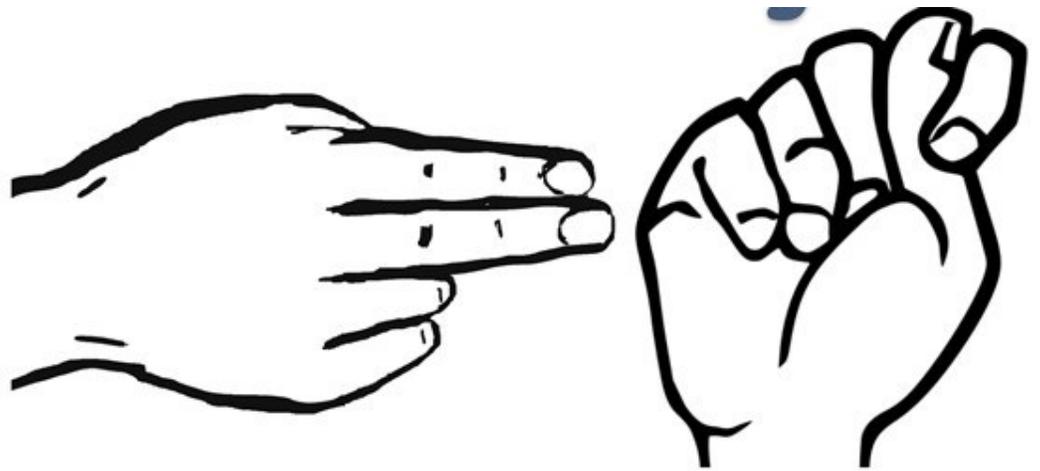
"My son, ever since this morning, has been asking to go to Lihue to watch the band," said spectator Jen Tevas of Hanapepe, who was born and raised on Kauai. "We like the lights, all the kids, tasty food, and a lot of people like the candy. We

like how everyone's nice to each other, even though you might not know the strangers next to you. Everyone's all in that Christmas happy mood."

The island's largest annual attraction featured more than 60 units and 3,000 performers. There were several Santa's, elves and snowmen. Band members wearing Santa hats played, people walked dogs sporting antlers and trucks and cars covered front to back with lights drove on the parade route. Keiki and parents shouted and waved excitedly.

This bustling event allows families to enjoy entertainment and the highly anticipated Festival of Lights at the Historic County Building.

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## Human Trafficking Save a Life

Human Trafficking Universal Signage Signs

Worldwide United States

31 December 2017

I wanted to share with you a project that is going worldwide but came out of a symposium on Human Trafficking held in February in Lake County, Florida, USA. PDG Jo Weber became aware of human trafficking at the RI Convention in South Korea. Rotary District 6980 held a meeting organized by The Lifeboat Project led by Rotarian Jill Cohen.

A US Air Marshal was there and related that a stewardess friend on an Air Alaska flight had witnessed the rescue of a trafficked child. The agent wanted to know if there was a universal signal for Human Trafficking. Since there wasn't, Jill thought of sign language since it could be done covertly, in silence, and had no traceable aftermath to protect the victim. Jill, her assistant Mary, and I hashed it out and I designed the signs and I am in process of having it translated into numerous languages. We are working on getting them put in airports, through airlines, and towns and cities.

[Learn how to make the H T for Safety Signal https://youtu.be/lfowUgZ9Iv8](https://youtu.be/lfowUgZ9Iv8)

Hospitals, doctors, police, fire departments, and the general public are sharing these signs, learning the, and hoping to save lives one day. Since we can't attach images here, I am providing you links to the ones I loaded on our server.

The project is to print and prepare signage, shirts, bags, and other forms of advertising to distribute this universal signal in public places beyond social media and news media.



Old Kōloa Sugar Mill Run  
by Wilcox Health Nov 10, 2018



Lights on Rice Street  
December 7, 2018



Interact Club at Kaua'i High



Youth International Exchange



RYLA Camp – Rotary  
Youth Leadership Awards



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Dictionaries for 3rd Grade  
Students



Weinberg projects



## Mālama Hulē'ia

Next Work Day—Dec 16  
Starts at 8:30 AM



### T.R.F. Areas of Focus

1. Promoting peace
2. Fighting disease
3. Providing clean water
4. Saving mothers and children
5. Supporting education
6. Growing the local economies

### ROTARY THEME MONTHS

- JULY 2016**  
*Officers year of service*
- AUGUST 2016**  
*Membership Month*
- SEPTEMBER 2016**  
*Education & Literacy Month*
- OCTOBER 2016**  
*Economic & Community Development*
- NOVEMBER 2016**  
*Rotary Foundation Month*
- DECEMBER 2016**  
*Disease Prevention and Treatment*
- Vocational Service Month**
- FEBRUARY 2017**  
*Peace & Conflict Prevention and Resolution Month*
- MARCH 2017**  
*Water and Sanitation Month*
- APRIL 2017**  
*Maternal and Child Health Month*
- MAY 2017**  
*Youth Service Month*
- JUNE 2017**  
*Rotary Fellowships Month*

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## Haiti Education Project

Gressier Haiti



The Community School of Bellevue is a free school for children who can not afford an education.

The school was started by a young Haitian man using his own money. The need in the community is so great that it grew beyond his ability to support it.

One of our Rotarians, who made frequent trips to Haiti to help after the earthquake, learned that the school was about to close due to the loss of support from disaster response groups no longer coming.

The Rotary Club of Concordville - Chadds Ford stepped in to keep the school running, and Rotarians Sue and Peter Mardinly started Mommy Sue's Children (a 501(c)3) to extend the reach of that support.

The school now has 220 students and goes from preschool through grade 7. As per the request of the Haitian Government, grades 8 and 9 will be added over the next two years.

Teachers are paid \$100 a month. We are looking for sponsors for classrooms for \$1000/year, but any amount is welcome! If a club sponsors a teacher/classroom, we will endeavor to send at least 3 updates - at the beginning of the year, Mid-year, and end of year. Should a club or individual sponsor again the following year, we will follow the same students to the next grade.

## OFFICERS:

President: Tom Lodico  
Pres.-Elect:  
Vice-President: Dick Olsen  
Secretary: Tom Lodico  
Treasurer: Dick Olsen  
Immediate Past Pres.: Becky Like

## DIRECTORS:

Exe. Dir.: Rose Ramos-Benzel  
Service Projects: Tyler Chihara  
Membership: Jim Mayfield  
Foundations: Laurie Yoshida  
Public Image:

## PROGRAM & PROJECT CHAIRS:

Community: Tyler Chihara  
International: Ann Hashisaka  
Youth Service: Brennan Carroll  
Vocational:  
Club Foundation President:  
Laurie Yoshida  
Interact: Addison Bulosan  
Youth International Exchange:

Holiday Parade:  
Eileen Winters  
Old Kōloa Sugar Mill Run:  
Lodico/Olsen/Chihara  
H.R.Y.F. : Brennan Carroll

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## Rotary Staff National Immunization Day trip to India



Many experts thought that with India's size, population, and other challenges, it might never become polio-free. Despite the odds, India achieved that milestone in 2014, and this September, a small team of Rotary staff for the first time have the opportunity to see the polio eradication program in action during subnational Immunization Days.

Until the whole world eradicates polio, the virus can easily return to countries that were polio-free, so these ongoing immunization efforts are vital. Trip participants will raise funds to continue the push to end polio, and have the chance to see how Rotary and its partners lead the effort, from some of the most densely populated cities in Asia, to remote rural areas that used to be reservoirs for the virus.

As up to 172 million children are immunized across India, the team will also see first-hand how Rotary connects with partners, health professionals, field workers, and with local communities to protect every child from polio, and to plan for the best uses of the polio eradication infrastructure in a polio-free world.

### Of the things we think, say or do:

#### The 4 – Way Test

Is it the truth?

*'oia 'i'o i keia 'ōlelo?*

Is it fair to all concerned?

*kūpono ia kākou?*

Will it build goodwill and better friendships?

*kūkulu loko maika'i a me, pili'alo'ha maka'i a'e?*

Will it be beneficial to all concerned?

*pono ia kākou?*

### **“Rotary is a leadership organization”**

*“We're made up of local business, professional, and civic leaders. We meet regularly, get to know each other, form friendships; and, through that, we're able to get things done in the community”.*

We meet at  
Pietro's Pizza  
3501 Rice St, Lihū'e  
Harbor Mall

[Rotaryclubofkauai.org](http://Rotaryclubofkauai.org)  
[lightsonrice.org](http://lightsonrice.org)  
[Oldkoloasugarmillrun.org](http://Oldkoloasugarmillrun.org) [Rotary.org](http://Rotary.org)



### **District Conference**

**May 18-20, 2018**

**Four Seasons—Ko'olina — O'ahu**

[d5000conference.org](http://d5000conference.org)

**R.I. Convention**  
Toronto, Canada  
June 23—27, 2018  
[Rotary.org](http://Rotary.org)

