President’s Message

This month I’d like to talk about Participation.

This club has 77 members and that adds up to a lot of hands. But for so long only the same dozen or so hands get used.

We really need the helping hands of all our members, in both small and big ways. I believe in “If you help, you get help”. So I am asking all to come out and help, with your hands.

The club is growing every year and we need the energy of the young and eager to electrify our club. If there are any service or fundraising projects or just projects that you’re interested in and would like the club to participate in, give me a call or email me and I will get it on the agenda at the next Board of Director’s Meeting and General Membership Meeting.

Come on! all you Leo to Lion members, I am calling you out to step up your game and jump in the mix with us old “fuddie duddies” and help make the Honolulu Chinatown Lions club the best club in the District.

Aloha,

Lion Ron

P.S. Don’t forget to come out for the Chinatown Moon Festival September 10 and 11th and buy your ticket to the Lion Bob (Our own Lion Bob Lee) District Governor fundraiser on September 24th at Tokkuri Tei!
**RONALD McN DONALD HOUSE**

**August 7th, first Sunday of the month,** another "happy meal" prepared by the Chinatown Lions for the residents of the two Ronald McDonald houses in Manoa. Thanks to our McCrew of Lions Loreto, Prexy Ron, Arron and Andrew for making a tasty delivery of roast pork with brown gravy, rice, steamed vegetables and green salad. Anyone hungry?

We are still looking for volunteers to help on the first Sunday of each month.

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**TASTE OF CHINATOWN - August 13th**

By Lion Prexy Ron

A Beautiful and Glorious day at the park.

The first annual Taste of Chinatown at the Smith Beretania Park put an exclamation point to the two earlier clean-up projects the Honolulu Chinatown Lions Club served in at the park and greater Chinatown.

The Club together with the mighty Leos of the Roosevelt Leo Club helped the event through the services of set-up and breakdown assistance and clean-up. All of this was in addition to the Club having a little fundraiser going on in a booth space donated to us by Ms. Lee Stack and the Chinatown Improvement District Association.

At the fundraising booth rare and unusual trinkets provided by Lion Loreto could be purchased. The booth also offered for a donation fortune telling by Lion Clifford and palm reading by Lion T.K., that I was told was "one of the most memorable things in the festival", written in the review cards by the attendees.

The Club also donated paper and pens to the children's booth for the coloring and stamping activity being conducted there. I want to thank Lion George for the ono bento lunch and Lion Steve for providing the refreshments, along with Lions Loreto, Kaide, Vicky, Akimi & CIS Kazu, Bob & Pam who volunteered. The festival brought to fruition the services rendered for the earlier park clean-up.
General Membership Meetings

**August 11th**

A fine turnout and a lot of good things happened at the general membership meeting:

- Lion PDG Les Box and CIS Jennifer of Port Chalmers, New Zealand visited the Club again as guests of Lion Bob. Lion Les and Jennifer visited us 6 years ago when he was District Governor.

- Lions Josie and Steve receive LCI Silver Centennial Membership pins for sponsoring Lions during the past year.

- Lion Vicky Chong gets inducted by Lion 2nd VDG Bob. Even though a Lion for more than a year, she was never formally inducted by her old club. Welcome to Chinatown Lion Vicky!

- Our new cub, Lion Nina Hung is running for Miss Chinatown. She asked for the Club’s support and the Club voted to sponsor her that evening.

- Lion Jennifer Kuang was asked to prepare the ad. I think she did a great job. I know who the next bulletin editor should be.

- The Club also received from LCI the International Twinning patch in recognition of our sister club relationship with La Union Lions Club in Manila, through Lion Loreto.

**August 25th**

CPR was the topic of the night, as former member Laurie Sakurai was the Guest speaker for the evening. Laurie put on a demonstration as she discussed the current procedure to save someone in cardiac arrest.

Members were able to practice their technique and rhythm on the mannequins brought along by Laurie. The Lions of Hawaii have partnered with the Hawaii Heart Foundation to start the "Lions With Heart" program to teach CPR in our schools. We hope to see more of Laurie at our future meetings.
Upcoming Events!

**SEPTEMBER**

Sep. 1: BOD Meeting  ECPS  7:00 pm
Sep. 3: “Going Green” Recycling  Puuhale School  9:00 am - 1:00 pm
Sep. 4: Ronald McDonald House dinner project
Sep. 8: GMM  Empress Restaurant  6:30 pm
Sep. 10 & 11: Moon Festival
Sep. 14: Manoa L.C.  Speaker: Dave Shoji  Warriors Volleyball Coach
Sep. 22: GMM  Empress Restaurant  6:30 pm
Sep. 24: Lion Bob Lee Fundraiser  Tokkuri-Tei  5:30 pm

**OCTOBER**

Oct. 2: Ronald McDonald House dinner project
Oct. 6: BOD Meeting  ECPS  7:00 pm
Oct. 7: Manoa Lions Club World Service Day - La Salle Restaurant  6:00 pm
Oct. 8: World Service Day  Empress Restaurant
Oct. 13: GMM  Cancelled due to WSD
Oct. 15: L.C. of Honolulu 90th Charter  Jade Dynasty  Ala Moana
Oct. 27: GMM  Empress Restaurant  6:30 pm
Oct. 29: 2nd District 50 Cabinet Meeting

**NOVEMBER**

Nov. 3: BOD Meeting  ECPS  7:00 pm
Nov. 6: Ronald McDonald House dinner project
Nov. 10: GMM  Empress Restaurant  6:30 pm
Nov. 11: Wahiawa Lions Club Veterans Day Parade  9:00 am
Nov. 24: Thanksgiving  - Meeting cancelled

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**Calendar of Events**

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**THINGS TO KNOW ABOUT HURRICANE HAZARD RISKS**

1. Storm surge is water pushed ashore by the winds of a tropical cyclone. It has caused more fatalities than any other hurricane hazard.
2. Winds from a hurricane are 74 mph or greater and can cause massive damage to buildings and structures in its path.
3. Inland flooding is the most frequent cause of tropical cyclone fatalities. It can occur far from the coast and long after landfall.
4. Tornadoes are commonly spawned by a hurricane and can cause damage far away from the center of the hurricane.
5. Rip currents and waves along and near the coast can be deadly even if the center of the storm passes well offshore.

For more Hurricane Safety Information, visit [weather.gov/hurricanesafety](http://weather.gov/hurricanesafety)

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**PUUHALE ELEM. SCH.**
**GOING GREEN DAY #95**

Saturday, September 3, 2016
9:00 AM-1:00 PM - 345 Puuhale Rd.

“Celebrating 100 Years of Lions Service”

Please save your recyclable waste for this date and help turn trash into cash for community programs. Please bring canned goods and clothing! Mahalo.

**Acceptable items:**

- Scrap metal, bicycles, appliances
- 3 propane tanks, 3 fire extinguishers
- Computers, printers, scanners, no limit
- 1 TV per car
- HI-5 beverage containers
- Used household cooking oil
- Cell phones, printer cartridges, PDAs, etc.
- Batteries, all kinds
- Canned goods for Hawaii Food Bank
- Laundry bags
- Used eye glasses and hearing aids
- Prom dresses, accessories
- Women business suits, accessories
- Pet food, towels, blankets
- Free towing of unwanted cars, call 291-6151

Please call Mahalo for recycling!

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SORRY, WE CANNOT ACCEPT: TRASH, PAINT, MICROWAVE Ovens, MOTOR OIL, HAZARDOUS FLUIDS, CARDOODLES, PAPER, PLASTICS, WOOD, AND DULKY ITEMS.

For curbside pick-up contact: Jan @ 927-0812 or Peggy @ 394-2525
For questions contact: Reno Mansho @ 291-8151 / ronmansho@hawaii.rr.com
Call to order: Meeting was called to order by President Ronald Uyesugi at 7:03 pm.

Quorum: 7 BOD members constituted the quorum: Lions Ronald Uyesugi, Robert Lee, Loreto Dela Cruz, David On, Andrew Lee, Jennifer Kuang, and PDG Ernest Chang.


Guest: Lion Steven Yoshimura.

Minutes: The minutes of the July BOD meeting were distributed. It was moved by Lion Ernie and seconded by Lion Bob to accept the minutes. Motion passed.

Treasurer's report was circulated. It was moved by Lion Bob, seconded by Lion Andy to table the discussion as Lion Akimi was excused. Motion passed.

Payment of Bills: Tabled as Treasurer was excused.

Old Business:
1. Budget/Membership dues: Tabled as Lion Akimi excused.
2. Committee Assignments - Lion Ron still looking for Chairpersons for Constitution/Bylaws and Installation Banquet.
3. VDG Bob Lee Fundraiser: Lion Ron reported that Lion Bob printed 100 tickets and most were distributed already.
4. Leo Club: Lion Steve submitted report. Asked if Club would participate in project at Camp Kokokahi on Sept. 17 to paint benches.
5. Christmas in Ensemble: Lion Ernie still deciding on future of the concert scheduled for Dec.18th.
6. Ronald McDonald House (RMH) - discussion on cost of program and volunteers. Club looking at ways to reduce costs and get more Lions involved.

New Business:
1. Taste of Chinatown: Chinatown Improvement District Association asking for help from the Club on August 13th in exchange for a free booth.
2. Facebook postings: discussion held on updating the site.
3. LCI Chinatown eClub Website - Lion Bob has been updating site. Current information uploaded.
4. Eyeglass collection box - Lasik Vision Institute on Bishop Street - requested by Lion Akimi. Lion Bob has collection box that can be used at location.
5. Safe sidewalk: Lion Stanley to chair project. Lion Bob stated project to start in September.

Announcements:

Adjournment: There being no further business the meeting was adjourned at 8:45 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Lion Robert K.Y. Lee
1 Aug 2016: Roosevelt High School Freshman Orientation: Leo Club members assisted the school with guiding and explaining about the school to incoming freshman and the club setup information and membership recruitment display. Man-hours expended: 5.

7 Aug 2016: Ala Moana Beach Cleanup: Lions Kaide Liu, Soi Fong Lee and I joined with the Roosevelt High School Leo Club to help with the park and beach cleanup sponsored by the Waikiki Aquarium. Man-hours expended: 9.


13 Aug 2016: Taste of Chinatown: The Roosevelt High School Leo Club assisted with the setup, helping vendors, cleaning up trash, assisting the Chinatown Lions Club and tearing down for the event. Do not have a full list of Lions assisting, but Leo-Lion Kaide Liu did show up for the 2nd Shift and expended 5 man-hours.


21 Aug 2016: District 50 Leo Council Meeting; attended the monthly Leo Council meeting at the Oahu Veterans Center. Man-hours expended: 2.


27 Aug 2016: Korean Festival: The Roosevelt High School Leo Club helped with stage setup, cleaning up the grounds and tearing down for the Korean Festival. Man-hours expended: 9.

28 Aug 2016: UH Concession Stand: The Roosevelt High School Leo Club manned a concession stand during the UH Women’s Volleyball game. Man-hours expended: 12.

Lion Steven Yoshimura
Leo Club Advisor
MEETINGS:

Board Of Directors (BOD):
- 1st Thursday of each month    7:00 pm
- Ernest Chang Piano Studio (ECPS)

General Membership Meeting (GMM):
- 2nd & 4th Thursdays    6:30 pm
- New Empress Restaurant
- 100 N. Beretania Street

Happy Birthdays!

Lion Yanna Xian        September 10th
Lion Daniel Akaka      September 11th
Lion David Young        September 11th
Lion Tammy Ko           September 23rd

CHINATOWN LIONS NEEDED! SERVICE PRINTERS PROJECT

Location: 1829 Dillingham Blvd.

Dates:  
- Thursday, September 1
- Friday, September 2
- Tuesday, September 6
- Wednesday, September 7
- Thursday, September 8

Time: 8:00 am to 4:00 pm

Members are needed to help stuff envelopes for the days listed above. This is a fundraiser for the Club’s administrative account. Volunteers are needed, even if you’re available only part of the time. Contact Lion Josie Akana for more information at josieakana@gmail.com.

Come out! Help needed!

Please make checks out to “Lion Bob - DG Fund”
RSVP: September 10, 2016