



Nuuanu Y's Men and Women's Club
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January Bulletin

The main focus of this January bulletin is to inform everyone of our upcoming meetings and projects. Highlighted here is the Club Calendar* for the 2019 year.

Nuuanu Y's Men & Women's Club meetings are typically held on the first working Monday of each month, 6:30pm at the Nuuanu YMCA. Food and drinks are made available.
[December Note: December's meeting has in the past been replaced with a Christmas Dinner.]

Club Meetings for the Year are as follows:

Jan 7 | Feb 4 | Mar 4 | Apr 1 | May 6 | Jun 3 | Jul 1 | Aug 5 | Sep 9 | Oct 7 | Nov 4 | Dec X

Club Projects include the following:

January 27	YMCA Sunday observed. Members will be attending a Prayer and Healing Workshop sponsored by Hope Chapel Honolulu at Manoa Library, from 1pm to 3pm. Come early at 12:30pm BYO lunch and fellowship. A short talk on prayer will be given, then break out into small groups for discussion and prayer. YMCA Sunday is a day when Y's Men observe the "C" or Christian heritage of the YMCA and the Y's Men and Women's movement.
February 1-2	Punahou Carnival Parking Project with Catholic Charities. Help is still needed for the Saturday afternoon shift. Please contact Steve Wong.
February 2	YMCA Annual Campaign Kick-Off , 9:30 Registration, 10am-12pm Program & Brunch, Dole Cannery Ballroom.
Feb all month	YMCA Annual Campaign
February 9	Metro District Meeting, 10am-1pm at the Ilima Hotel
Feb 28-Mar 3rd	Miki Tanikawa visit.
April 27	Book and Bread Sale (tentative) Nuuanu YMCA's 150th Celebration
May 3-5	83rd Hawaii Region Convention at the Ilima Hotel
May 3	Endowment Dinner at the Hale Koa Hotel
June TBD	Club Project
July TBD	Nuuanu YMCA Summer Extravaganza
August TBD	Camp Erdman Service Project
September TBD	Chicken & Sushi Sale
Sep all month	Foodland Give Aloha Program participation
September TBD	Chiharu & Tetsuro Sakamoto visit
November TBD	Annual Senior Citizens' Thanksgiving Dinner
December TBD	Christmas Dinner/Meeting

*All dates and projects are subject to change.

JANUARY EMPHASIS

YMCA SERVICE

Regional Service Director:

TONY YEE

Kaimuki Y Service Club

YMCA SERVICE

Founded in Toledo, Ohio, USA in 1922 to support a local YMCA, Y's Men International is now oriented to serving the worldwide YMCA, the largest non-governmental youth organization, and through it the communities in which it is present throughout the world. ... Members are known as Y's Men or Y's Women.

Y Service clubs help their YMCA's with their annual Support Campaigns, provide scholarships and donations, help with camp maintenance and grounds clean-up, and with YMCA projects and fundraisings as needed.

JANUARY HUMOR

Why do you need a jeweler on New Years Eve? To ring in the new year

What should you never eat on New Years Eve? Fire Crackers

Hawaiian Region . US Area
Chartered May 29, 1964

Brother Clubs
Y's Men's Club of Osaka Centennial
Y's Men's Club of Bauhinia

NU'UANU Y'S MEN & WOMEN'S CLUB

OFFICERS:

ISAAC SAKAMOTO	President
ALBERT LEE	Vice President
PHYLLIS SAKANE POPOVICH	Secretary
STEPHEN WONG	Treasurer

MEMBERS:

KATHY AHLO
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WESLEY NAKAMURA
JAMES OUCHI
MAURICE SHIMONISHI
ABI TAN

HONORARY MEMBERS

SUSAN KUWAHARA
GEORGIA NIIMOTO

Y'S MEN INTERNATIONAL

Welcome to the world of Y's Men's International.

We are a worldwide association of Christ-centered service clubs with a common loyalty to the YMCA.

This worldwide Christian fellowship includes men and women of all ages, races, nationalities, religions and socio-economic levels.

Together, with mutual respect and affection, we believe that we can put Christ teachings into action through active service.

During this process, we hope to make our communities, and ultimately the world, a better place to live and raise our children.

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KATHERINE HALL	Healthy Lifestyle Director
ALINA PIUNNO	Residency Director

YMCA NEWS

- The YMCA's Annual Campaign kick-off will be on Saturday, February 2, 2019, 9:30am Registration, 10am-12pm Program and Brunch, at Dole Cannery Ballroom.
- The 68th Annual YMCA Youth and Government legislative session opened with a formal ceremony at the Hawaii State Capitol where new Youth Governor Chloe Kelly and 55 other new officers and student delegates from around Oahu, Island of Hawaii and Maui were sworn on Saturday, January 19, 2019. *From YMCA of Honolulu, published on Jan 21, 2019.*
- On April 27, 2019 the Y will celebrate Healthy Kids Day, our national initiative to improve the health and well-being of kids. The event is free and open to the public!

INTERNATIONAL NEWS

- Miki Tanikawa will be visiting February 28th to March 3rd.
- Chiharu and Tetsuro Sakamoto plan to visit in September 2019.

From Y's Men International

- Club Presidents of eligible clubs should have received an email inviting them to vote in the International Election. Most were sent on 17 December 2018. Voting closes at 9am Geneva Time (09.00 CET) on Thursday 7 February 2019. Only clubs with at least 15 paid members in the most recent three semesters are eligible to vote in this election
- January is the Emphasis Month for Endowment Fund and Y's Week 4 You. To highlight Y's Week 4 You, international office requests you to submit photos with a corresponding short description of your club's key service activities during the last six months, our first semester 2018/19. You may submit your photos using Contact Form (<https://www.ysmen.org/contact>)

US AREA NEWS

A joint USA and CAC Area Convention will be held on August 15-18, 2019, in Ottawa, Ontario, Canada. Accommodation and meeting site will be at the University of Ottawa. Registration is \$275 CAD (last month showed \$175 tentative). Includes all meals from Thursday, August 15 supper to Sunday, August 18 breakfast. Registration form will be available in February.

HAWAII REGION NEWS

The 2019 Hawaii Region Convention will be held May 3-5, 2019 at the Ilima Hotel in Honolulu. The Endowment Dinner will be combined with the Convention Dinner on Friday night, May 3rd, 6:30pm at the Hale Koa Hotel; cost for dinner is \$60 per person. Saturday's dinner will be at KCC at \$55 per person. Registration forms are forthcoming. The Nuuanu club has volunteered to put together the booklets.

METRO DISTRICT NEWS

- The Windward Y Service Club will be having its annual Plant Sale on Saturday, February 2, 2019, from 9am to 1pm at the Windward YMCA Back Lanai.
- The next Metro District Meeting will be on Saturday, February 9, 2019, from 10am to 1pm at the Ilima Hotel.

CHRISTIAN EMPHASIS

From "The C In YMCA", published 2007 by YMCA of Greater Long Beach

- The YMCA's Mission: To put Christian principles into practice through programs that build healthy spirit, mind and body for all.
- You, the Y employee or volunteer in YMCA programs, have the unique opportunity and privilege to impact the lives of others. Keep in mind that their spiritual development is just as important as their mental and physical development.

The Young Men's Christian Association is a spiritual force.

It is not the building, but something that built it;

It is not the membership, but something that wins it;

It is not the organization, but something that organizes;

It is the spirit of Youth with the dew and freshness of the morning;

It is the spirit of Manhood (or Womanhood) pressing forward to build a good community and a good world;

It is the spirit of Christ, with His deathless life and His boundless love;

It is the spirit of Association, the youth, the man, the Christ, in fellowship and cooperation.

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