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The Rotary Club of Kona Sunrise meets every Wednesday at 6:45 am at Humpy's Restaurant (upstairs above the ABC Store), 75-5815 Alii Drive, Kailua Kona HI. For additional information contact Club President Mike Fraser at 989-0360.

This week: ARC of Kona

Our guest speaker this week is Michele Ku, the new President and CEO of the ARC of Kona.

The Arc of Kona is a private nonprofit organization for persons with disabilities, their advocates and families. We believe that people with disabilities are as individual in their needs, abilities and gifts as any other cross section of society. The Arc of Kona is committed to helping persons with disabilities achieve the fullest

possible independence and participation in our society according to their wishes.



Michele Ku

Please join us to learn more about this nonprofit organization and their programs.

Welcome Michele!

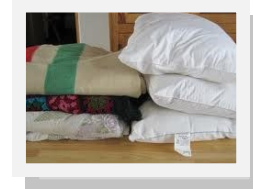
Domestic Abuse Shelter Collection

The Rotary Club of Kona Sunrise will be holding a collection day at the Kailua Kona Walmart on Saturday September 20th from 9 - 4.

The purpose of the collection day is to ask residents and visitors to consider purchasing an item (or more) that is on the needs list for the Shelter & the residents.

Items include those needed for the residents such as personal toiletries, sheets, towels, blankets, pillows, pillow cases etc. Items that are needed for the common use include toilet paper, paper towels, laundry soap, dish soap, general cleaning supplies, etc.

If you haven't already done so, please sign up for a shift on Saturday - you'll be glad you did!



Donations are greatly Appreciated!

ROTARY CODE OF CONDUCT

As a Rotarian,
I will:

1. Act with integrity and high ethical standards in my personal and professional life;
2. Deal fairly with others and treat them and their occupations with respect;
3. Use my professional skills through Rotary to mentor young people, help those with special needs, and improve people's quality of life in my community and in the world;
4. Avoid behavior that reflects adversely on Rotary or other Rotarians;
5. Not seek special business or professional advantages from other Rotarians.

Club News

YOU'RE INVITED TO A
KONA KINE OKTOBERFEST
LIVE AUCTION & SILENT AUCTION
GRAND DOOR PRIZE!

Friday, October 24th
5:00 - 8:00 pm

Entertainment by
Jack and the Rippers

Hawaii Big Game Fishing Club
Honokohau Harbor

West Hawaii Today

Tickets \$30.00
Includes pupus, dinner, first drink, dessert, coffee & door prize ticket.

Tickets available at: Kona Wine Market,
Kailua Candy Co. or by phone 937-3879

All proceeds from this event will be used by the Rotary Club of Kona to support scholarships in the Arts and Sciences, as well as support community and youth services in West Hawaii.

Have you picked up your tickets to sell yet? Tickets sales are key to success of the event - the more tickets sold, the more people - the more people, the more money spent on the auction items! See Sylvia Owens to get your tickets to sell.

Auction items are also needed - if you know someone who would be willing to donate an item, please let Ann Goody know.

We all need to contribute to the success of the event..please do your part to make it so!!

Youth Services - did you know?

Prior to 2010, Rotary Clubs around the world (with the exception of District 5000 - Hawaii) had only Four Avenue of Service. Adding a Fifth Avenue of Service - originally called New Generations - was voted on at the 2010 Council of Legislation.

Representative Ronald P. Sekkel, of District 5170 (California, USA), proposed the enactment by saying that New Generations is the future of Rotary.

Opponents argued that youth services are already covered by the four Avenues of Service. One representative said that adding a fifth avenue could

decrease emphasis on the other four avenues.

Representative Emile M. Rijcken, of District 1900 (Germany), said the new avenue is well deserved.

"The volume of activity in youth programs shows how strong Rotary can be," she said. "The addition of New Generations to the Avenues of Service will contribute in an enormous way toward public opinion."



Ronald P. Sekkel

Information from Rotary Global History Fellowship.

- Rotary Club of Kona**, Every Thursday at noon, King Kamehameha Kona Beach Hotel
- Rotary Club of Kona Mauka**, Every Tuesday at noon, Teshima's Restaurant, Honalo
- Rotary Club of North Hawaii**, Every Wednesday at noon, Anna's Ranch, Waimea
- Rotary Club of Hilo**, Every Friday at noon, Hilo Hawaiian Hotel
- Rotary Club of Hilo Bay**, Every Wednesday at 6:45 am, Hilo Yacht Club
- Rotary Club of South Hilo**, Every Tuesday at noon, Hilo Hawaiian Hotel
- Rotary Club of Volcano**, Every Saturday 8:00 am, Volcano House, Volcano National Park
- Rotary Club of Pahoa Sunset**, Every Tuesday at 5:30, Luquin's Restaurant

John Germ selected as RI President 2016-2017

By Ryan Hyland
Rotary News
5-AUG-2014

John F. Germ, a member of the Rotary Club of Chattanooga, Tennessee, USA, and chair of the International PolioPlus Committee, is the selection of the Nominating Committee for President of RI in 2016-17. He will become the president-nominee on 1 October if there are no challenging candidates.

For Rotary to thrive, Germ says, members must face current and future challenges and opportunities with "passion, enthusiasm, perseverance, and above all, integrity."

"I envision Rotary boldly and creatively engaging the success of polio eradication, membership and identity issues, strengthening clubs, work with youth – our future lifeblood, and the creation of critical, strategic partnerships," says Germ. "The 2016-17 Rotary year offers a tremendous opportunity for Rotary International and the Foundation partnership unified and thriving, on all levels, via the six areas of focus."

Germ says no one should ever have to ask, "What is Rotary?"

"We will enhance Rotary's public image by successfully and enthusiastically marketing who we are, what amazing things we are doing, and incredibly, have done locally and globally," says Germ.

With the global economy still unpredictable, Germ says Rotary must make participation affordable

and "also be unfailingly diligent in efforts to ensure we spend every dollar effectively and efficiently," he says.

In 1965, after four years in the U.S. Air Force, Germ, an engineer, joined Campbell and Associates Inc., an engineering consulting firm. He now serves as the company's board chair and chief executive officer.

He also serves on the boards of several organizations including the Public Education Foundation, Orange Grove Center Inc., and the Blood Assurance Inc. He is the founder and treasurer of the Chattanooga State Technical Community College Foundation and is president of the Tennessee Jaycee Foundation.

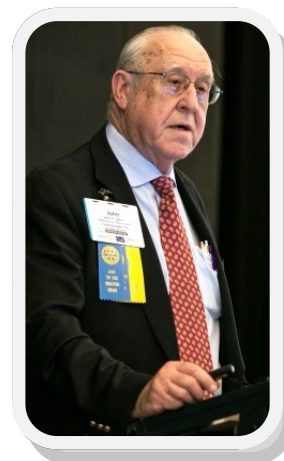
In 1970 he was recognized as Tennessee Young Man of the Year, Engineer of the Year, and Volunteer Fundraiser of the Year in 1992.

A Rotary member since 1976, Germ has served Rotary as vice president, director, Foundation trustee and vice chair, chair of Rotary's US\$200 Million Challenge, and RI president's aide. He is a recipient of Rotary's Service Above Self Award and The Rotary Foundation's Citation for Meritorious Service and Distinguished Service Award. He and his wife, Judy, are members of the Arch Klumph Society.

"Rotary will adapt to a rapidly changing world by embracing innovation within the guidelines of our tradition and values," says Germ. "By aggressively embracing new technologies, social media, and new opportunities, individuals and

businesses will see that Rotary helps promote a good civic and public image while adding credibility to their people."

The Nominating Committee members are T.D. Griley, Newark, Ohio, USA (chair); José Antonio F. Antíorio, Osasco, São Paulo, Brazil; Keith Barnard-Jones, The Island & Royal Manor of Portland, Dorset, England; Kenneth R. Boyd, Kerman, California, USA; Michael Colasurdo Sr., Brick Township, New Jersey, USA; Yash Pal Das, Ambala, Haryana, India; John Eberhard, London, Ontario, Canada; Barry Matheson, Jessheim, Norway; Shekhar Mehta, Calcutta-Mahanagar, West Bengal, India; Carlo Monticelli, Milano Net, Italy; Samuel Owori, Kampala, Uganda; Kazuhiko Ozawa, Yokosuka, Kanagawa, Japan; Ekkehart Pandel, Bückeberg, Germany; Juin Park, Suncheon, Jeonnam, Korea; John C. Smarge, Naples, Florida, USA; Barry E. Thompson, Padstow, New South Wales, Australia; and Thomas M. Thorfinnson, Eden Prairie Noon, Minnesota, USA.



John Germ



Paul Harris
Founder of Rotary



Gary Huang
RI President
2014 - 2015



Laura Steelquist
District 5000
Governor



Donna Hiranaka
West Hawai'i
Assistant Governor



Mike Fraser
Club President
2014 - 2015

September 2014

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9 Board Meeting	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18 Rotary Means Business 5 - 7 Humpy's	19	20 Collection Day for Shelter at Walmart
21	22	23  Ben and Sona	24	25	26	27
28	29	30				

October 2014

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1	2	3 DAS Project	4 DAS Project
5	6  Sylvia	7 Board Meeting	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16 Rotary Means Business Humpy's 5 - 7  Sylvia & Chuck	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25 PRLS Training
26	27	28	29	30	31	

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OKTOBERFEST**