



Kung Sheong Doo Newsletter

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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE



Merry Christmas KSD members. I hope everyone is enjoying the holidays. It was a pleasure to see everyone at KSD's November 12 membership luncheon. Despite the far drive, everyone enjoys the food at Harbor Village. KSD's future membership luncheons will be held there. Please attend the KSD Installation Luncheon on January 7, 2024. Meet the KSD 2024 Board members and take home some prizes. (see article)

My term as the KSD President will be over at the end of 2023. It has been my pleasure and honor serving as the KSD President. I have made new friends within KSD and among the many other Chinese Societies. Hopefully I have represented KSD well.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank all of you for your friendship, support, and fun we shared over the past four years. The pandemic years impacted everyone's lives, but we were able to weather through it in KSD style. The zoom meetings and the drive-through events enabled all of us to continue to be connected.

I will move into another role on the KSD Board as the Assistant Treasurer. I will continue to be the CEP Chairman as I enjoy working with our youth. KSD's Scholars and Youths will continue to use ZOOM as their venue for their 2024 events and presentations/projects. Please attend KSD's Christmas Youth Zoom Party on December 20th (see article).

Thank you for a memorable presidency term.

Wes Mun, President

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EVENT CALENDAR

1/7/23 11:00 AM

Installation Meeting
Harbor Village

KSD

Spring Banquet
(Save the Date)

Deadlines 12/31/23

- Youth Cultural Education Program
- CEP Application
- Performing Arts Program



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The Youth Cultural Education Program

Please attend the 2023 KSD Youth Christmas Party on December 20th, 2023, at 5:30pm on Zoom. The theme will be "It's all about desserts". There will be presentations from CEP scholars and PAP members. All CEP youth members will receive a \$25 award for attending and an additional award if they present. This event will count towards the member in good standing attendance. Zoom 423 785 4504 pw 185628. contact Wes Mun at pokefish808@gmail.com.

The Scholar Cultural Education Program (CEP) for College Students

To be eligible for 2024, applications and scholar updates will be accepted by December 31, 2023. Email Chairman Wes Mun at pokefish808@gmail.com.

The Performing Arts Program (PAP)

Are you taking music, dance, or other performing arts lessons? KSD's Performing Arts Program will provide you with a tuition award. All participants must meet the "Member in Good Standing" criteria (participants' attendance at a minimum of 50% of KSD functions) in the year preceding and during the enrollment year. You will be required to assist at the Palolo Christmas Caroling event and provide an additional performance (maybe videotaped) or presentation to the KSD membership. Please contact Wes Mun at pokefish808@gmail.com.

General Membership Meeting – Sunday January 7, 2024, 11 AM

KSD will be having its General Membership Meeting on January 7, 2024, 11 am at Harbor Village Chinese Restaurant, 7192 Kalaniana'ole Hwy #C123, Honolulu HI 96825. Phone (808) 395- 2311. This is in the Koko Marina Center, Hawaii Kai, (Kokohead, makai end of the Center)

At this meeting we will conduct our standard business and installing Kung Sheong Doo's new officers. Celebratory door prizes will also be distributed. Join us in welcoming our new slate of officers. We look forward your fellowship and participation with lunch to follow.

Please send your RSVP to kungsheongdoo@gmail.com by December 29th. If you have not already submitted a check to reserve your seat **Please mail in a payment of \$10** per member (refundable upon attendance) and \$25 per nonmember (nonrefundable). Please arrive early to allow time for check-in, return of your payment, and the seating of your party. Space is limited to 9 tables.

Installation of Officers

President	Liane Fu
Vice President	Christy Aiwohi
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Christmas Caroling at Palolo Chinese Home

Our Mistress of Ceremony, Marmie Kaaihue, welcomed the spirit of Christmas into Palolo Chinese Home. The carolers were led by ukulele players, Elsie Hu, Norman Chock, Dorothy Mau, Beverly Mau and Elaine Lee. Dorothy Mau and her two daughters, Beverly and Blossom danced a beautiful hula to White Christmas and Mele Kalikimaka.

The residents were also entertained by our Performing Arts Program Scholars playing piano, as follows: Ryan Tung playing "The Christmas Song" and "Jingle Bell Rock"; Sophia Tung playing "We Wish You A Merry Christmas" and "The Gift"; Mackenzie Robertson playing "Deck the Halls"; Norman Chock entertained everyone with playing "Blue Hawaiian Moonlight" on the steel guitar; We had a special treat from Elsie Hu, who taught everyone a Chinese history lesson through song about the famous leaders of China.; Also, tai chi enthusiast Stan Lum, lead everyone in a spirited tai chi routine to "The Christmas Song"; Following the program, everyone gathered at Happy Days for a delicious Chinese lunch.

Thank you everyone for participating and sharing the Christmas spirit with the residents of Palolo Chinese Home.

New Members

Please join us in welcoming our new members to Kung Sheong Doo.

Jocelyn Mau Shimada
Ronald Mitsuo Shimada - Associate
Wendell Kwai Tim Chock
Frank P. Farm, Jr.

Josephine Leilehua Lee Farm
Marissa Mae Manuha'aipo Mori
Bernard Mori - Associate

We request that all members update their contact information, i.e. change of name, address, phone number, email address, and birthdate. Please send information to KungSheongDoo@gmail.com.
Attention: Chinese Secretary.



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