

Mantokuji Newsletter

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August - September 2026

Dates to Remember

September 20

Autumn O-Higan & Ryosoki Service

September 26

Fall Rummage & Plant Sale

October 4

Daruma-ki Service & Daruma-sama Picnic

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Aloha, everyone.

August offers a welcomed break in Mantokuji's calendar of events and activities, so it is a good time to consolidate our August and September Mangan issues. I hope all of our hardworking volunteers are taking the opportunity to recuperate from the many days and long hours spent at the temple doing Obon work. We couldn't have done it without your help. A couple of rain showers sent some of the Obon visitors away on Saturday night, leaving us with some leftover food. Thankfully, your generous and much appreciated purchases and donations helped Mantokuji raise the funds we depend upon from this annual event. And it was so nice to see new and familiar faces from the neighbor islands and the mainland working during the week and then enjoying themselves around the yagura.

In September, we mark the autumn equinox as a time of spiritual balance, reflection, and honoring departed loved ones at our Autumn O-Higan and Ryosoki Service on Sunday, September 20 at 10:30 am. The Ryosoki Service is a memorial ceremony for the founders of the Soto Zen tradition, Dogen Zenji and Keizan Zenji. Take care.

Mahalo,

Eric Moto
President, Mantokuji Kyodan



Our Mission: Paia Mantokuji is a Soto Zen Buddhist temple founded in 1906 by Reverend Sokyo Ueoka and a community of Japanese immigrants. Our mission is to be a place of compassion, respect and kindness for all who seek truth through the teachings of Buddha, the practice of Zen meditation and arts, and the fellowship of the temple sangha.

Our Vision: Paia Mantokuji's short term vision is to stay in place in Paia, as a vibrant and relevant Soto Zen Buddhist Mission.

Our Values:

Honor Traditions
Respect Ancestors
Embrace Inclusivity
Nurture Fellowship
Practice Compassionate Kindness
Gratitude
Appreciation & Humility
Live the Dharma
Embody Buddhism

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Mantokuji O-Bon 2026

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FUJINKAI NEWS

The Fujinkai will be having their monthly meetings and clean up as follow:

September 13, 2026 at 8:30am

October 11, 2026 at 8:30am

Thank you to the Fujinkai ladies and gentlemen who came on July 26 to help clean the nokotsudo and put away things:

Kathleen Davis, Kay Hanano, Judith Matoi, Eric Moto, Cathy Murayama, Diane Orikasa, Nora Takeuchi, Neil Watanabe.

Thank you to the Fujinkai ladies and gentlemen who came on August 9 to help clean the nokotsudo and clear the hall for upcoming use:

Kay Hanano, Donald Kimizuka, Shirley Ann Kimizuka, Judith Matoi, Eric Moto, Cathy Murayama, Diane Orikasa, Lois Sato, Nora Takeuchi and Neil Watanabe.

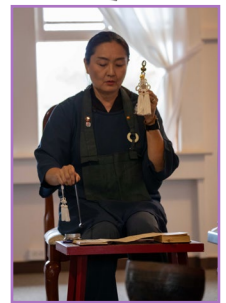
SUCCESSFUL 2026 MANTOKUJI O-BON FESTIVAL!

MAHALO TO MANTOKUJI MEMBERS, VOLUNTEERS, AND THE MAUI COMMUNITY



Mantokuji's Obon service was held on the evening of Friday, July 10th. Relatives and friends of our Hatsubon families along with sangha members filled the temple. They were surrounded by many lanterns hung with Memorial Ribbons dedicated to deceased loved ones.

Visiting minister Reverend Ryohei Ishii and trainee Tesshu Ishii of Waipahu Soto Mission Taiyoji conducted the service. Okusan Ikuko Ishii kindly added to the service with her lovely baika singing of *Urabon-E Gowasan* (Song of Bon Service).



On Saturday, July 11th, Mantokuji's O-Bon Festival began under clear skies with the energetic performance of Zenshin Daiko. The children played their hearts out and entertained the crowd until the first downpour cut their performance short. Everyone rushed for cover as the drums were quickly taken to the truck. The heavy rains prevented the performance of Maui Taiko, the drums needed to be protected. Our heartfelt THANK YOU to both dedicated groups.

When the rain stopped, Reverend Ishii then performed a Blessing Service to begin the Bon dancing. Despite the rain, many dancers anxiously waited and filled the dance ring to capacity. The legendary Tanko Bushi began the night of dancing. Everyone danced and danced until the next downpour! What set out to be a wonderful night of dancing and fun was dampened by the downpours that eventually thinned the crowd. But the diehards danced until the music ended! Thank you to everyone who braved the rain.

The Obon Festival took a community of Mantokuji members, friends and volunteers to put it all together and execute this wonderful community event. Thank you to the Mantokuji members, friends and volunteers who came to help with constructing the yagura, erecting the chochin poles, securing the dance ring poles and setting up the choba on Sunday, June 28th:

Conrado Cortez, Erick Domingo, Ronald Fukumoto, Debbie Hirata, June Kato, Kevin Kimizuka, Grant Matoi, Judith Matoi, Ross Matoi, Cathy Murayama, Brian Nagami, Angela Raphael, Lois Sato, Isabelle Scholl, Jennifer Sumida, Jeff Ueoka, Paul Ueoka, Travis Ueoka, Wes Ueoka, Neil Watanabe.



O-Bon Graveyard Service



REPORTS

And a very big MAHALO to all the members, friends and volunteers who came throughout the week to help with the O-Bon Festival preparations and who came on July 11th to help with Mantokuji's O-Bon Festival. Very special thanks to those who made the trips from the mainland and neighbor islands to help and support Mantokuji. We are very grateful to have an abundance of extended family and friends and people in the community who come every year to support Mantokuji. The willing, hard-working hands, kindnesses and selflessness of all who came to help could be seen and felt which brought out the best in all of us.

Janice Abe, Dee Agoy, Michael Agoy, Miki Agoy, Bobbie Arita, Jordon Arita, Robin Arita, Ryan Arita, Skyler Arita, Grayson Braga, Justin Braga, Kaia Braga, Laurie Brooks, Kellie Chang, James Char, Kathleen Davis, Christopher DeCoite, Joanne DeCoite, Erick Domingo, Sage Domingo, Harold Fujii, Kathy Fujii, Jaelynn Fukuda, Jerol Fukuda, Karlynn Fukuda, Kyren Fukuda, Mary Graner, Kathleen Guadarrama, Jon Hanano, Kay Hanano, Peter Hanano, Isaac Haupt, Mari Haupt, Reiko Haupt, Julie Higa, Sue Hiraga, Cynthia Ikeda, Reverend Ryohei Ishii, Ikuko Ishii, Tesshu Ishii, Faith Ito, June Kato, Hideo Kawahara, Joyce Kawahara, Becky Kikumoto, Donald Kimizuka, Jayne Kimizuka, Kevin Kimizuka, Shirley Ann Kimizuka, Jen Kuo, Grant Matoi, Judith Matoi, Matthew Matoi, Nicholas Matoi, Priscilla Matoi, Ross Matoi, Sandy Matsuda, Wayne Matsuda, Janet Miyahira, Elaine Miyajima, Eric Miyajima, Brian Moto, Eric Moto, Allan Murayama, Cathy Murayama, Melina Murayama, Richard Nemoto, Jennifer Nishiki, Shari Okada, Diane Orikasa, Susan Oshiro, Yukie Pye, Nicole Saito, Elsie Sakugawa, Janet Sato, Lois Sato, Isabelle Scholl, Jenna Shibata, Barry Shitamoto, Aimee Sodehani-Shibata, Garth Sodehani, Faith Sodehani, Nina Sodehani, Celia Suzuki, Chihiro Suzuki, Hiroshi Suzuki, Ann Takakura, Jason Takayama, Kelcie Ann Takayama, Eileen Taketa, Nora Takeuchi, Brennan Tanaka, Chayson Tanaka, Keelyn Tanaka, Kim Tanaka, Jocelyn Tengan, Akemi Ueoka, Joy Ueoka, Judy Ueoka, Paul Ueoka, Ron Ueoka, Ryan Ueoka, Sharon Ueoka, Travis Ueoka, Brent Uyeno, Dean Uyeno, Kenneth Uyeno, Steve Uyeno, Brian Watanabe, Colin Watanabe, Donna Watanabe, Kerry Watanabe, Neil Watanabe.

Our sincere apologies if we inadvertently missed anyone who gave their time and energy to help Mantokuji's O-Bon Festival.

And when the O-Bon Festival came to an end, the work crew was back the next day, July 12th, to dismantle the yagura, take down the tents and chochin and chochin poles, park the choba in its resting place till next Obon, dismantle the concession booth, hang up the kimono and crafts to dry, take down the Obon decorations in the temple and nokotsudo, clean up and put things back to normal and cook for the work crew. Can't thank everyone enough! The O-Bon Festival was successful despite the rain, thanks to all of you!

Janice Abe, Bobbie Arita, Jordon Arita, Robin Arita, Ryan Arita, Skyler Arita, Grayson Braga, Justin Braga, Kaia Braga, James Char, Carolyn Cortez, Kathleen Davis, Erick Domingo, Sage Domingo, Kay Fukumoto, Ronald Fukumoto, Kay Hanano, Isaac Haupt, Mari Haupt, Reiko Haupt, June Kato, Donald Kimizuka, Jayne Kimizuka, Kevin Kimizuka, Shirley Ann Kimizuka, Jennifer Kuo, Grant Matoi, Judith Matoi, Ross Matoi, Eric Moto, Allan Murayama, Cathy Murayama, Melina Murayama, Brian Nagami, Diane Orikasa, Lois Sato, Isabelle Scholl, Jennifer Sumida, Nora Takeuchi, Akemi Ueoka, Judy Ueoka, Paul Ueoka, Ron Ueoka, Ryan Ueoka, Travis Ueoka, Brent Uyeno, Dean Uyeno, Kenneth Uyeno, Steve Uyeno, Colin Watanabe, Neil Watanabe, Sharon Westfall. Again, we apologize if we inadvertently missed anyone who came out to help.

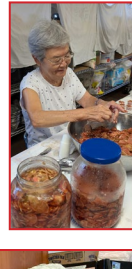
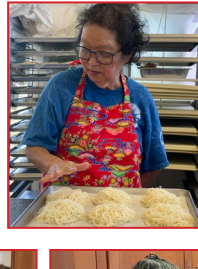


Thank you for your In-Kind Donations for Mantokuji's O-Bon Festival



Thank you very much for your generous donations to Mantokuji. We apologize if we inadvertently missed anyone.

Flowers	Janet Fukuda, Kay Hanano & Judy Hisashima	
Refreshments for workdays/Festival	Bobbie Arita, Kathleen Davis, Kathy Fujii, Kay Hanano, Julie Higa, Sue Hiraga, Shirley Ann Kimizuka, Arlene Matoi, Judith Matoi, Sandy Matsuda, Janet Miyahira, Cathy Murayama, Diane Orikasa, Elsie Sakugawa, Lois Sato, Ann Takakura, Nora Takeuchi, Akemi Ueoka, Ron Ueoka, Colin Watanabe	
Ingredients for spam musubi	Hideo & Joyce Kawahara	
Ingredients for pies	Kay Hanano	
Pumpkin bars & sponge drops	Donald & Shirley Ann Kimizuka	
Boiled peanuts	Wayne & Sandy Matsuda	
16 gallons water & 12 gallons vanilla ice cream	Meadow Gold Dairies	
Energy bars, okoshi, party mix, chocolate chip cookies & shave ice	Allan & Cathy Murayama	
Three light towers & generator	Service Rentals – Ryan Ouye	
Donation for transportation of light towers	Travis Ueoka	
Green onions for chow fun & ginger chicken	Jamie Shishido	
Green beans for mazegohan	Faith Ito & Jamie Shishido	
Ingredients for shiso rice	Celia Suzuki	
Sekihan	Diane Orikasa & Nora Takeuchi	
Smoked pork	Jon Hanano	
Prune Mui	Joy Ueoka	
Shiso rice	Ladd Ueoka	
Warabi, kamaboko, Big Island cookies & shiso leaves	Ron Ueoka	
Business Omamori	Reverend Kenji & Naoko Oyama	
Extra bin for trash	Waste Pro Hawaii LLC	
Ingredients for nishime, chow fun, teri pork, boiled peanuts & food, containers	Colin Watanabe	
Bento containers	Maui Specialty Chocolates – Tony & Val Jones	
Refrigerator truck rental	Kay Hanano & Family	
Shibori & Katazume t-shirts	Brian Watanabe	
T-shirts for shibori	Lois Sato	
Bracelets	Katherine Puckhaber	
Radish for pickles	Jamie Shishido	





SPECIAL THANKS

To **Zenshin Daiko** for your energetic performance at the O-Bon Festival!

To **Maui Taiko** for drumming throughout the bon dancing! Sorry the rain prevented your always enjoyed performance.

To **Shannon Loo** of Maui Minyo Kai and members for providing two dance practice sessions at Mantokuji on June 7th and June 14th and for leading the dancing at the O-Bon Festival

To **Kay Hanano, Eric Moto & Lois Sato** for making the beautiful arrangements that adorned the temple.

To **Janet Fukuda & Kay Hanano** for the beautiful flowers that were used for the bouquets admired in the temple.

To **Neil Watanabe** for trimming the poinciana tree with the help of Kathleen Davis, changing the air conditioners in the minister's residence, cleaning the temple windows, drawing the parking lines, power washing the garage, and so many other things!

To **Kathleen Davis** for painting the steps leading to the temple landing and the pipe railings and for being sure everything was tidy on the temple grounds, including the nokotsudo bathrooms.

To **Yukie Pye & Chihiro & Hiroshi Suzuki** for welcoming the community into the temple and overseeing the sale of omamori during the O-Bon Festival.

To **Eric Moto** for manicuring the hedges and foliage surrounding the temple.

To the following members of **Boy Scout Troop 1** and their families for providing invaluable service at the O-Bon Festival as parking attendants at Paia Community Center, Paia Hawaiian Protestant Church and the temple grounds as well as helping to collect trash at Mantokuji during the Festival: Scouts – **Lauren Andaya, Trey Andaya, Evan Bailey, Isaac Kondo, Brennan Tanaka, Parents – Herman Andaya, Rowena Dagdag-Andaya, Assistant Scoutmaster – Will Bailey, Committee Chair – Scott Tanaka, and volunteer – Jennifer Nagamine.** Thank you so much for your community service!

To **Sue Hiraga** for getting the bamboo and repairing the fence fronting the Japanese garden.

THANK YOU FOR O-BON DONATIONS

A BIG MAHALO to all who have sent in Obon donations over the summer. We were humbled by your kindness and generosity. We are still graciously accepting O-Bon donations.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

AUTUMN O-HIGAN & RYOSOKI SERVICE

Sunday, September 20 at 10:30am

You are cordially invited to attend the Autumn O-Higan and Ryosoki Service on

Sunday, September 20 at 10:30am

The O-Higan Service is to honor our departed loved ones and also an occasion to strengthen one's practice of the Buddha's teachings of the Six Perfections of the Heart known as the Six Paramitas. They are generosity, keeping the precepts, patience, diligence, meditation and wisdom.

The Ryosoki ceremony will pay homage to Dogen Zenji, the eminent founder of our Soto Zen tradition in Japan and Keizan Zenji, the eminent propagator of the Soto Zen teachings.

Please join us for these services.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

SOBA WORKSHOP COMING TO MANTOKUJI

Sunday, September 6, 2026 at 9:30am

Mantokuji is excited to once again host the Tokyo/Yokohama Sobaraku organization with a demonstration and hands-on workshop on Sunday, September 6 at 9:30am. **A donation of \$40 per person will be collected.** There will be seven instructors coming from Japan for this workshop. You will see a demonstration, try your hands at making soba if you desire and the best part will be eating soba till your heart is content!



Sign-up to be a part of this hands-on workshop by **August 30**. Email info@paiamantokuji.org or call or text Cathy at 808.283.6125 (be sure to identify yourself when you text).

RUMMAGE & PLANT SALE ON SEPTEMBER 26 - SAVE THE DATE!

Saturday, September 26, 2026 8:00am - 12:00pm

With the continuous rummage donations from the community (Thank you very much!). Mantokuji is overflowing with rummage, rummage, rummage, and so much more.

Save the date for the Rummage and Plant Sale on **September 26!**

Looking forward to seeing you all on September 26!

GIVE ALOHA...

FOODLAND'S ANNUAL COMMUNITY MATCHING GIFTS PROGRAM

Paia Mantokuji is once again participating in the Give Aloha, Foodland's Annual Community Matching Gifts Program.

Please see the flyer below for the details on how to donate to Paia Mantokuji. We welcome your donations.

Give Aloha . . .

Foodland's Annual Community Matching Gifts Program

Celebrating 25+ years of supporting Hawaii's nonprofit organizations

Paia Mantokuji is excited to participate in Give Aloha, Foodland's Annual Community Matching Gifts Program! You can support Paia Mantokuji by making a donation at any Foodland, Sack N Save, or Foodland Farms store during the month of September. 100% of your gift will go directly to Paia Mantokuji and Foodland will match a portion of your contribution.

Organization name: **Paia Mantokuji**

Our code is: **78996**

Here's how to support Paia Mantokuji at checkout:

1. Shop at Foodland or Sack N Save or Foodland Farms!
2. Enter your Maika'i phone number or present your Maika'i card to the cashier.
3. Tell the cashier our code and the amount of your donation (up to \$249)
4. Review your receipt to confirm the following appears:
 - Our organization name
 - Your donation amount
 - Your Maika'i number

Thank you for your support!



Please note that Foodland will not issue a list of the donors. If you would like to be acknowledged by Mantokuji as one of the donors, please send us a copy of your receipt. Or you can text a picture of your receipt to Cathy Murayama at 808.283.6125. Be sure to write your name on the receipt so we can acknowledge you as the donor.

2026 HAWAII SOTO MISSION ASSOCIATION FALL CONFERENCE

Hosted by Kauai Soto Zen Temple Zenshuji
November 7 & 8, 2026

It has been over 30 years since a conference has been held on Kauai. They are excited to welcome ministers, temple members and friends to share the history and ongoing work of Soto Zen Buddhism on the Garden Isle.

See the conference flyer below. If you are interested in attending, please email info@paiamantokuji.org or call Cathy Murayama at 808.283.6125 by **August 25** so we may register all Mantokuji members as a group.



**EXPERIENCE
THE
SPIRIT OF KAUAI**
2026 HSMA FALL CONFERENCE
NOVEMBER 7-8, 2026
KAUAI SOTO ZEN TEMPLE ZENSHUJI
HANAPEPE, KAUAI
*A Weekend of Dharma, History, Fellowship,
and the Aloha Spirit of Kauai*
FIRST HSMA CONFERENCE ON KAUAI IN OVER 30 YEARS





Rare visit to the original plantation-era temple site where Kauai Soto Zen first served Japanese sugarcane workers.



Experience the beauty, history, and warm hospitality of Kauai Soto Zen Temple Zenshuji.

CONFERENCE HIGHLIGHTS

- ☸ Rare visit to the original plantation-era temple site where Kauai Soto Zen first served Japanese sugarcane workers
- ☸ Tradition honored and adapted to Hawai'i-style, an important Soto Zen training event rarely witnessed by many members
- ☸ Dharma teachings by Brian Butsūdō Turner Sensei
- ☸ Tea ceremony and temple cultural experiences
- ☸ Guided temple tour and local history
- ☸ Fellowship with members from temples throughout Hawai'i



WHY ATTEND?

For the first time in more than 30 years, Kauai will host the Hawaii Soto Mission Association Fall Conference.

This special gathering offers an opportunity to deepen your connection to the Buddha Dharma while experiencing the history, culture, and hospitality of Kauai.

Conference registration includes scheduled meals and conference transportation.

CONTACT YOUR TEMPLE OFFICE
FOR REGISTRATION INFORMATION AND CONFERENCE DETAILS.
HOSTED BY
KAUAI SOTO ZEN TEMPLE ZENSHUJI
NOVEMBER 7-8, 2026



DONATIONS MADE IN JUNE

We would like to sincerely thank you for your very generous donations.

General Donations

Sharla Hasegawa, Yasushi & Yuki Yamamoto.

Hideo & Joyce Kawahara	In Memory of Tokuko Abe
Vaughn & Gwen Kunishige & Family	Memorial Services for Masako Nishijo (13 th Year Memorial Anniversary), Mark Nishijo & Michie Saito (17th Year Memorial Anniversary)
Paul & Mae Matsui	In Memory of Stanley Sato – 7th Year Memorial Anniversary
Norman Nagata	In Memory of Gladys & Fusao Nagata
Albert & Glenda Ujiie & Ohana	In Memory of Auntie Carol Lau
Henry & Betty Yamashiro	In Memory of Aiko Ogata

O-Bon Donations made in June 2026

Alan & Carol Arai, Mark & Dianne Figge, Elaine Fujita, Lydia Furomoto, Donna Ginoza, Rev. Kodai Haga, La Verne Hanada, Patricia Kasahara, David Koizumi, Gwen Kunishige, Leslie & Karen Maeda, Jane Matsuoka, Ronald & Rena Matsunaga, Kent Matsuzaki, Michael Miyahira, Harold Morioka, Norman Nagata, Ken & Alma Nakano, Robin Nikaido, Marilyn Nishiki, Iris Nitta, Joyce Ogawa, Diane Orikasa, Susan T Oshiro, Guy & Carolyn Pimentel, Arnaldo & Carol Prepose, Valney & Adele Shirk, Mavis Suda, Sheryl-Lynn Suzuki, Brian & Joyce Takahashi, Leslie & Linda Takahashi, Kirk & Lori Tanaka, Sharon Taniguchi, Carol M Tanji, Roy I Tempo, Albert & Glenda Ujiie, John & Sharon Umeno, Amy Misa & Glenn Umetsu, Gary Wakayama, Sally E Waki, Henry & Betty Yamashiro.

O-Bon Donations made in Memory of a Loved One in June 2026

Sandra Arisumi	In Memory of Sadao & Hanako Kusunoki
Todd & Heidi Hiraoka	In Memory of Clara Sodetani
Sharon M Kamita	In Memory of Fujie Muraoka
Hideo & Joyce Kawahara	In Memory of Tokuko Abe
Spenser Kunishige	In Memory of Grandma Masako Nishijo, Uncle Mark Nishijo & Great Grandma Michie Saito
Tyler Kunishige	In Memory of Grandma Masako Nishijo, Uncle Mark Nishijo & Great Grandma Michie Saito
Tsunao Miyasato	In Memory of Niwa & Ume Miyasato
Sandra Shimomura	In Memory of Saito Family – Saichi, Chieko & Jeanne
Neil Shirokane	In Memory of Mr. & Mrs. Tojuro Shirokane
Arlene Tsue	In Memory of Norman & Bernice Ueoka
David & Michiko Watanabe	In Memory of Kiyome Kobayashi
Lynette Watanabe	

Toba Requests made in June 2026

Janice Abe, Donna Ginoza, Julie Kamekaneya, Gwen Kunishige, Leslie & Karen Maeda, Judith Matoi, Kent Matsuzaki, Michael Miyahira, Harold Morioka, Eric Moto, Wendee Murayama, Alma Nakano, Joyce Ogawa, Diane Orikasa, Susan T Oshiro, Brian & Joyce Takahashi, Kirk & Lori Tanaka, Sharon Taniguchi, Carol M Tanji, Albert & Glenda Ujiie.

Memorial Ribbon Requests made in June 2026

Janice, Ted & Roy Abe, Rene Egami, Donna Ginoza, Julie Kamekaneya, Ken & Alma Nakano, Ruth Nakao, Marilyn Nishiki, Susan T Oshiro, Isabelle Scholl, Kirk & Lori Tanaka, Sharon Taniguchi.

DONATIONS MADE IN JULY

General Donations

Hideo & Joyce Kawahara.

Kay Hanano & family	In Memory of Yukie Ueoka & Carol Lau
Charlotte Hee	23 rd Memorial Service for Eisaku Kainuma & Memorial Service for Mitsue Kainuma
Hideo & Joyce Kawahara	In Memory of Tokuko Abe
Donald & Shirley Ann Kimizuka	In Memory of Carol Ueoka Lau & Yukie Ueoka
Eric Moto	7 th Year Memorial Service for Violet Moto & 27 th Year Memorial Service for Buster Moto
Marilyn M Nishiki	7 th Year Memorial Service for Violet Moto & 27 th Year Memorial Service for Buster Moto
Nora Takeuchi	In Memory of Susumu Fukuyoshi – 33rd Year Memorial Anniversary
Gertrude E Ueoka & Family	In Memory of Jonathan Shibata
Wallace Kazuo & Kristen Watanabe	Inurnment Service for Wallace Akio Watanabe

O-Bon Donations made in July 2026

Louise Anbe, Ralph Arakaki, Jay Arakawa & Stefanie Tome, Victoria Constantino, Michael & Susan Emura, Lora Epler, Family of Harue Kono, Janet N Fukuda, Jeral & Karlynn Fukuda, Ronald & Kay Fukumoto, Arthur Gumpfer, Jon Hanano, Margaret Hanzawa, Natalie Hashimoto, Isaac & Reiko Haupt, Jean Heselden, Julie M Higa, Calvin & Sharon Higuchi, Sue Hiraga, Debra Hiyakumoto, Margaret Honda, Ray & Cynthia Ikeda, Richard S Ishii, Ayako Ishikawa, Faith F Ito, Dawn Komine, Judy Lindstrom, Anne K Masuda, Michelle Masuda-Koga, Sandra S Matsuda, Leon K Matsui, Ian Miyagawa, Calvin Miyahira, Janet C Miyahira, Paul & Jessie Mizoguchi, Minako Mori, Lyman & Marilyn Morikawa, Debra Ann Morioka, Karen Morrow, Eric Moto, Guy & Eunice Muraoka, Wendee Murayama, Mr. & Mrs. Nakamura, Kenneth Nakamura, Suellen Nakao, Lawrence & Gloria Nashiwa, Richard Nemoto, Peter Niess & Naomi Yamaguchi, Allen T Nikaido, Glenda M Nishida, Lucille H Ogata, Daphne Okamoto, Annette Omuro, Kevin Omuro, Warren & Helen Orikasa, Fred & JoAnn Oshiro, Richard Ouchi, Karin T Quon, Jill Ross, Jerome & Elsie Sakugawa, Wendell Sakuma, Marilyn & Douglas Sameshima, Mark & Lois Sato, Robert S Sato, Sharon H Shimabukuro, Alan & Susan Shimada, Clyde Suzuki, Wanda Taira, Brian & Joyce Takahashi, Ann K Takakura, Michael & Nancy Tanji, Mitzi Tanaka, Reyn Tateyama, Edward Tengan, Marvin & Jocelyn Tengan, Alice M Tobita, Kelly S Tobita, Ricky Tobita, Dale & Joyce Tsubaki, Ronald & Vivian Ueoka, Sharon Ueoka, Travis Y Ueoka, Pamela Umetsu, Lynette Umetsu Viela, Diane A Wakamatsu, Amy A Watanabe, Brian K Watanabe, Kazuo & Kristen Watanabe, Kerry Leigh & Donna Watanabe, Julie Yamada, Carol Yamamura, Cy Yoshizu, Clyde Yumen.

Toba Requests made in July 2026

Haupt/Park Family, June Kato, Karen Morrow, Sharon H Shimabukuro, Brian Watanabe.

Memorial Ribbon Requests made in July 2026

Reiko Haupt, Karen Morrow, Mari Park, Brian Watanabe.

O-Bon Donations made in Memory of a Loved One in July 2026

Janice, Ted & Roy Abe	In Memory of Tokuko (Hatsubon) & Tadashi Abe
Howard & Bobbie Arita & Family	In Memory of Tokuko Abe (Hatsubon), Yukie Ueoka (Hatsubon), Carol Lau (Hatsubon), June Uyeno (Hatsubon), Jonathan Shibata (Hatsubon)
Richard & Amy Blue	In Memory of Yoriishi Tagawa (Haleakala 5 Boys)

DONATIONS MADE IN JULY (CONT')

O-Bon Donations made in Memory of a Loved One in July 2026 (Cont')

Laurie Brooks	In Memory of Auntie Haruko (Hatsubon)
Kathleen Bugtong	In Memory of Kunichi & Hanako Kunishige
Harold & Kathleen Fujii	In Memory of Carol Ueoka Lau (Hatsubon)
Julie M Higa	In Memory of Carol Moto & Tokuko Abe
Sue H Hiraga	In Memory of Tokuko Abe
Faith Ito	In Memory of Yukie Ueoka
Hideo & Joyce Kawahara	In Memory of Carol Haruko Lau
Hideo & Joyce Kawahara	In Memory of Douglas & Clara Sodetani and Jonathan Shibata
Donald & Shirley Ann Kimizuka	In Memory of June Uyeno (Hatsubon)
Donald & Shirley Ann Kimizuka	In Memory of Satoshi & Michiko Kimizuka
Donald & Shirley Ann Kimizuka	In Memory of Robert & Fukiyo Ueoka, Sukeji Yamasaki & Arthur Ueoka
Kathleen Kohatsu	In Memory of Hisao Kohatsu
Jean Kuwada for Ogata Family	In Memory of James Yoshimori & Harriet Ogata Yoshimori
Judith Matoi & Family	In Memory of June Uyeno (Hatsubon), Carol Lau (Hatsubon), Yukie Ueoka (Hatsubon) & Jonathan Shibata (Hatsubon)
Judith Matoi & Family	In Memory of Gary Matoi, Robert & Fukiyo Ueoka, Susumu & Shizue Matoi and Sukeji & Taka Yamasaki
Lon & Terrie Mizoguchi	In Memory of Itsuo & Sumiko Suzuki
Allan & Cathy Murayama	In Memory of Carol Lau (Hatsubon), June Uyeno (Hatsubon), Yukie Ueoka (Hatsubon), Jonathan Shibata (Hatsubon) & Tokuko Abe (Hatsubon)
Melina Murayama & Erick Domingo	In Memory of Aunty June (Hatsubon), Aunty Carol (Hatsubon), Aunty Yukie (Hatsubon) & Jonathan (Hatsubon)
Richard Nemoto	In Memory of Naomi Nemoto
Lloyd Nihei	In Memory of Mr. & Mrs. Takeji Nihei
Edwin & Harriet Ogata	In Memory of Genichi & Kiyoko Ono and Tsutomu Ono
Herbert Otaguro	In Memory of Ethel Otaguro
Jean T Pozsar	In Memory of Shinnosuke & Tsue Suda
Violet Sakai	In Memory of Taichiro Matsuura & Hisa Sakai
Erwin & Aimee Shibata	In Memory of Jonathan F. A. Shibata (Hatsubon)
Jason, Jeremy, Jenna Shibata & Family	In Memory of Jonathan F. A Shibata (Hatsubon)
Erwin & Aimee Shibata & Family	In Memory of June Uyeno (Hatsubon), Carol Lau (Hatsubon) & Yukie Ueoka (Hatsubon)
Erwin & Aimee Shibata & Family	In Memory of Douglas & Clara Sodetani
Faith Sodetani	In Memory of Jonathan Shibata (Hatsubon)
Faith, Garth & Nina Sodetani	In Memory of June Uyeno (Hatsubon), Yukie Ueoka (Hatsubon) & Carol Lau (Hatsubon)
Garth & Nina Sodetani	In Memory of Jonathan Shibata (Hatsubon)
Celia Suzuki	In Memory of Yukie Ueoka (Hatsubon), Carol Lau (Hatsubon), June Uyeno (Hatsubon) & Jonathan Shibata (Hatsubon)
Clyde Suzuki	In Memory of Satoshi & Kiyoko Suzuki
Deborah Takahashi	In Memory of Konami Takahashi
Isaac & Jane Toyama	In Memory of Fumie & Kenji Matsumoto
Joy Ueoka	In Memory of Robert & Fukiyo Ueoka and Sukeji & Taka Yamasaki
Ronald & Vivian Ueoka	In Memory of June T Uyeno (Hatsubon), Carol Haruko Ueoka Lau (Hatsubon), Yukie Ueoka (Hatsubon) & Jonathan Shibata (Hatsubon)
Sharon Ueoka	In Memory of Yukie Ueoka (Hatsubon), Carol Lau (Hatsubon), June Uyeno (Hatsubon) & Jonathan Shibata (Hatsubon)
Sharon Akemi Ueoka	In Memory of Rev. Shuko & Eiko Ueoka, Mark Ueoka & Baron Ueoka
Jodie E Yasuda	In Memory of Yukie Ueoka (Hatsubon)

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September

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
		1	2	3	4	5
6 9:30am Soba Workshop	7	8	9	10	11	12
13 8:30am Clean-up, Fujinkai Meeting	14	15	16	17	18	19 9:30-11:00am Ikebana
20 10:30 Autumn O-Higan and Ryosoki Service	21	22	23	24	25	26 8:00-12:00pm Rummage & Plant Sale
27	28	29	30			

Nokustudo Hours:

The nokotsudo will continue to be open on Saturdays and
Sundays until further notice, 9:00am – 3:00pm

If you need the nokotsudo opened outside of these hours,
please call 808.283.6125.

Coming up in October (Tentative Schedule)

Sunday 4: Daruma-ki Service / Daruma-sama Picnic