

October 2019: A message from President/CEO, Mark Munemitsu



Aloha! I hope that 2019 has been a very productive and rewarding year for all of you.

At HOCU we're nearing the end of a very busy year, with many events that celebrated the giving spirit of credit unions, such as the Blood Bank of Hawaii drives in March and August; Shred-It Day in April; Member Appreciation Movie Night in July; and Kuhio and Ewa elementary school supply drives in July and August.

The success of these events would not have been possible without the support of our members; thank you for always "stepping up" and delivering when the call goes out.

Looking ahead, International Credit Union Day is on October 17<sup>th</sup>. This year's theme is "Local Service, Global Reach" – exactly what credit unions strive to provide each and every day. To echo this theme, please visit our branches that day (the Federal Building branch will celebrate on October 16<sup>th</sup>) from 10:00am to 2:00pm to enjoy snacks or giveaways that reflect the uniqueness of Hawaii.

My thanks to the staff, volunteers and members who represent and support HOCU. It is without a doubt that the success of *your* credit union is because of you. Mahalo.

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## UPCOMING EVENTS

International Credit Union Day: October 16 and 17 (10:00am -2:00pm)



Enjoy local favorites for our favorite locals. Our HOCU Branches will transform into the crack seed stores of our childhood as we celebrate International Credit Union Day. Stop by on Wednesday, October 16 at the Federal Branch or Thursday, October 17 at our Moiliili, Airport, Tripler and Ewa Branches to get your hands on ono treats as we say thank you for being a credit union member!

## Community & Charity Support



Member Appreciation Movie Night: We hope our members enjoyed our first ever member appreciation movie night on July 26. A private showing of Disney's Captain Marvel was held at our Moiliili Branch parking lot, with food from La Comida and Aloha Subs, shave ice from Nalo Snow and popcorn from Bumbi's Popcorn. A huge thank you to our partners Servco Toyota Honolulu, Allied Solutions, OpenLending, Auto Financial Group, PSCU, Hawaii Ballroom Dance Association, EMSS and CUNA Mutual Group for sponsoring this great event. Medicare 101 Seminar:

November 16 (9:00am -11:00am) at Moiliili Branch Taryn Kumamoto from Premier Benefit Consultants will be answering all your Medicare questions to help you understand the different plans and the advantages for each. RSVP by Friday, November 8 to Mary Young at myoung@myhocu.com or

777-5610.

## SAVE THE DATE - HOCU's 83rd Annual Meeting Luncheon:

<u>March 22, 2020 (12:00pm -</u> <u>2:30pm) at the Hale Koa Hotel</u>

Stay tuned for more details to attend!

## OTHER

Nomination by Petition Available for Members Seeking to Serve on Board: The Nominating Committee of HOCU has accepted the requests from Dudley Kubo. Sandra Ng and Warren Nakamura to run for reelection to the Board of Directors for a two-year term. Any members wishing to run for a Board of Director seat may be nominated by a petition signed by at least 1% of HOCU's membership. The bylaws require that all directors must be at least 16 years old and not be an immediate family member to an employee or a paid employee of the credit union. Nominees may submit their petition by Friday, December 13, 2019 to Honolulu FCU **Nominating Committee** P.O. Box 235862 Honolulu HI 96823-3515



School Supply Drive: Thank you all to our members and staff for your generous donations of school supplies to support Kuhio and Ewa elementary schools. HOCU partnered with <u>Community Helping Schools</u> to fulfill 56 wish lists from both elementary schools, providing the students with the tools for success!



**Blood Drive:** On 8/30, HOCU hosted our second blood drive with Blood Bank of Hawaii. Both members and staff made up of the 39 appointments and 28 whole blood units. Thank you for helping us save lives!





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