



# Newsletter

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## Message from the President

Wow! What a fun-filled summer it has been! Thanks to the dedicated efforts of your fellow members, we've had many family friendly events.

Congratulations to Lucy Wong for putting together one of the most well attended picnics in recent years. It was heart warming to see families getting together and enjoying the summer sun and all of the goodies that was served.

Thank you to the Mow family for their hard work in putting together a top notch Dragon Boat team. We had a strong team and had tough competition. Much appreciation to Chelsie and Kimberly for your efforts...and the t-shirt looked awesome!

Bingo at Palolo Home was a hit and the members who attended had a good time helping the residents with their bingo cards...special thanks to Anna Tam Chung for pulling together the people and resources to bring smiles to the faces of the residents.

To close out the summer just before sending off our students back to college...we had a very competitive Bowling Tournament chaired by Wendy Chun. It was nice to see the families bonding together to try to win. There are many good bowlers in See Dai Doo and the scores certainly reflected that.

We are trying to be more efficient in disseminating the Newsletter. See article in this issue to facilitate your receiving the Newsletter in the manner that you prefer.

I'm looking forward to seeing more of our members out at the upcoming events. Please sign up to join us! It's always lots of fun!

### See Dai Doo Society General Membership Meeting

Wednesday  
September 13<sup>th</sup>,  
2017 7:30PM

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## New Members



New member receives their See Dai Doo Society membership cards at the Directors meeting on April 5, 2017. From left: Membership chair Milton Yee, sponsor Sharon Oshiro, new members Jaynel Panquites and Jana Goto, and VP Lucy Wong.



New members receive their See Dai Doo Society membership card at the Directors meeting on May 3, 2017. From left: Amare Acopan, Membership Committee person Betsy Lum, Kahia Acopan, Albert Acopan, Kawai'apo Acopan, sponsor John A. Yim, Kristanne "Kamale" Ah Mook Sang, Vice President Lucy Wong, and sponsor Norma Acopan.



New member presented with his membership card at the Directors' meeting on June 7, 2017. From left: Vice President Lucy Wong, Sponsor Bill Lum, new member Chad Tai Ching Au, and membership committee member Robert Ching.



New member presented with her membership card at the Directors' meeting on June 7, 2017. From left: Vice President Lucy Wong, Sponsor Charlene Chang, new member Haley Balantac, sponsor and mother Janine Balantac, and membership committee member Robert Ching.



New member presented with her membership card at the Directors' meeting on June 7, 2017. From left: Vice President Lucy Wong, Sponsor Clifford Wong, new member Marie Wong, and membership committee member Robert Ching.



New member receives his See Dai Doo Society membership card at the Directors meeting on July 5, 2017. From left: VP Lucy Wong, new member Zhihao Li, and membership committee member Robert Ching.



## Charity Walk, May 20<sup>th</sup> 2017



## SDDS Scholarship Recipients at August 2<sup>nd</sup> 2017 Director's Meeting



## Palolo Home Visitation, August 6<sup>th</sup> 2017

THIS ENTRY GARDEN AND LANAI HAS BEEN  
MADE POSSIBLE BY A GENEROUS GIFT FROM  
**SEE DAI DOO SOCIETY**







Fun and games for all ages –Three legged race (Top); Kids games (bottom left); Chase the dragon tail (bottom right)

## PICNIC LOCAL STYLE

By Lucy Wong

Good Food, Great Games, Fun, Sunshine and Fellowship. What more could one ask for? Over 200 people were treated to all the above at the See Dai Doo Society Annual Picnic on July 9, 2017 at Kapiolani Park. Our new picnic location had ample parking, clean bathrooms on site and a large picnic area with scattered trees.

Games, games and more games were provided by Brenda Leong, Norma Acopan and many volunteers. The popular senior hunt was enjoyed by participants over 55 years of age. Wendy Mow donated many of the senior pick up prizes in memory of her mother Betty Leong. No picnic is a success without a chance of cooling off with the water balloon toss played multiple times with up to eighteen pairs tossing balloons.

A Chinese picnic needs a Chinese dragon tail chase along with the potato sack race, three legged race and many other games enjoyed by all. See Dai Doo Society never forgets our future generation, with Norma Acopan providing four games for our keiki under a shaded tent.

Food local style means ono food and lots of it. L & L bentos packed full of delicious BBQ chicken, Kalua pig and cabbage, rice and nori were enjoyed. Quenching our thirst was Danny Au-Young volunteering his time and machine to make fluffy, fine shave ice. Attendees detected the difference in quality and formed a line for seconds, thirds and one attendee had seven servings. Boba drinks were next, followed by sweet, juicy, ice cold watermelons hand picked by Greg Leong. Completing the menu were abundant cookies and desserts from the contest entries. Our judges Charlene Chang, Charlene Leong, Maelyn Hee had a difficult time choosing our winners with so many talented bakers and cooks.

Our winners for the dessert contest were First Place Avery Chung with her Hawaiian Lime Pie, Second Place Candolyn Nakagawa's Peanut Butter Mochi, Third Place Blossom Wong's Coconut Mochi. The cookie contest winners were First Place Brenda Leong with her Chocolate Chip, Macadamia Nut Cookies, Second Place Ricky Yamamoto's Peanut Butter Cookies and Third Place Bradley Au's Strawberry Macaron. Our first place winners generously provided their recipes for us to enjoy. Our contest winners were not the only winners because every participant were winners and received a door prize. Each child received a bag of goodies which included a water gun which were immediately put to use. There were over 190 adult prizes thanks to our shopper Florence Au. In addition President Leonard Kam donated two \$50 gift cards won by Darren Chun and Glenn Wong, Vice President Lucy Wong donated a \$50 cash prize that went to Wendy Mow, two Lisee were donated by past President Wesley Fong honoring the two oldest senior present. Two lucky winners received a huge sweet watermelon and other donations of game prizes were from Brenda Leong and Greg Leong.

Many thanks to all the volunteers and participates and special thanks to our President Leonard Kam, Norma Acopan, Florence Au, Brenda Leong, Thomas Lai, John Yim, Dwayne Wong, Wesley Fong, Cherilyn Lai-Kadaoka, Mae Wataoke, Darren Chun, Baldwin Au, Clifton Yim, Kevin Chun, Charlene Chang, Maelyn Hee and Robert Kuwahara. No other society can do these functions like See Dai Doo Society due to the willingness of our many volunteers and the active participation of our members. Thank you for allowing me to be apart of such a fantastic society.



## 2017 SDDS Picnic Baking Contest Winning Recipes



### Brenda Leong's Chocolate Chip Macadamia Nut Cookies

- 1 C Unsalted butter (2 blocks)
- $\frac{3}{4}$  C Granulated Sugar
- $\frac{3}{4}$  C Light Brown Sugar
- 2 Large Eggs (room temp)
- 1 tsp Vanilla Extract
- $2\frac{1}{4}$  C All Purpose Flour
- 1 tsp Baking Soda
- 1 tsp Salt
- 1 C Macadamia Nuts (freshly roasted or from store)
- 2 C Chocolate Chips

1. Preheat oven at 375 degrees
2. Beat butter and sugars until light and fluffy (5 minutes with electric mixer).
3. Add eggs and vanilla extract and beat until fluffy.
4. Slowly add flour, baking soda, salt, macadamia nuts and chocolate chips.
5. Use an ice cream scoop and place on cookie sheet/ lined on greased parchment paper. Pat each cookie with a wet finger to flatten slightly.
6. Place pans in oven for 20- 24 minutes, depending on how crispy you prefer. Half way through, move the pans to opposite levels for even baking.



### Avery Chun's Hawaiian Lime Pie

- 1 can Sweetened Condensed Milk
- $\frac{1}{2}$  C Lime Juice
- 8 oz. Cream Cheese (room temp)
- 8 oz. Cool Whip
- 1 ea Graham Cracker Pie Shell

1. Using a hand mixer, blend the condensed milk and cream cheese until creamy.
2. Add lime juice.
3. Fold in the cool whip in small batches.
4. Put into pie shell and refrigerate for 6 hours.
5. Garnish with lime slices, lime zest and whipped cream (optional).



## Challenge Of The Villages, Bowling Tournament August 13<sup>th</sup> 2017

By: Wendy Chun, Chair

FAMILY, FUN, AND FOOD – these three components made for a successful bowling tournament. Participants arrived at Hickam Bowling Alley at 1 PM eager to compete against other villages to win the coveted challenge of the villages honor. Since this is the only sporting event for the society, it was nice to see three generations on the same team vying for the win. Mildred Chun, in her 90's, was patiently coached by her family members and the younger bowlers on other teams cheered loudly for each other no matter how successful the balls were thrown. During the games, players made trips to the food counter to energize their bodies. As we waited for the scores to be calculated (thank you so much **Linda Lau** and **Clifton Yim!**) door prizes were won by everyone. Every team won a prize depending on where they ranked.

Results	Team Name	Village	Team Captain
1 <sup>st</sup> place	<b>PANDA BOWLING SQUAD</b>	Pun Sa	Brandon Hee
2 <sup>nd</sup> place	STRYKERS	Cha Inn	Kevin Chun
3 <sup>rd</sup> place	CHUN BUNCH	Choy Hung	Mae Wataoka
4 <sup>th</sup> place	The Wonderfals	Jo Bu Tau	Audrey Won
5 <sup>th</sup> place	Spare Me	Sung Ming Ting	Thomas Ching
6 <sup>th</sup> place	We Can Do It!	Syak Moon	Leonard Kam
7 <sup>th</sup> place	Knock 'Em Down	Punsa	Bev Wong
8 <sup>th</sup> place	Never Quit!	Hung Mee	Lynn Imperial



Winning team, Panda Bowling Squad. Front Row: Shirley Ann Chew (left) and Debbie Hee (right). Back row: Irving Hee (left), Lester Hee (middle), and Captain Brandon Hee (right).



Highest Scorer, Lester Hee

Special prizes:	<b>Highest Score:</b>	Lester Hee
	<b>65+ Highest Score:</b>	Wendy Chun
	<b>Lowest Score:</b>	Chris Ching

As not everyone is a bowler and we encourage participation in the future, teams were given prizes for most gutter balls on the first throw and most splits on the first throw.

Most Gutter Balls:	Never Quit!
	Knock 'Em Down
Most splits:	Knock 'Em Down
	We Can Do It!



Oldest Bowler, Mildred Chun, 92yo, of the Chun Bunch



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## **VETERANS' APPRECIATION LUNCHEON**

### **October 29, 2017**

Stephen Tom, Chair

SDDS Members are invited to honor Veterans (especially our SDDS Veterans) by attending our Veterans' Appreciation Luncheon at the Great Hall on Sunday, October 29, 2017 starting at 11:00 am.

Please sign up for this special event on the bulletin board in the Great Hall. Let us know you are coming so we can order enough lunches.

We are looking for Veterans (deceased or living) who are SDDS members and have not been recognized or honored at our prior Veterans' Appreciation Luncheons. If you know of such a Veteran, please notify Chairperson, Stephen Tom at [stephentom2000@aol.com](mailto:stephentom2000@aol.com) so he or she can be recognized at the 2017 luncheon.

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## **Christmas Caroling**

Betsy Y. Lum, Chair

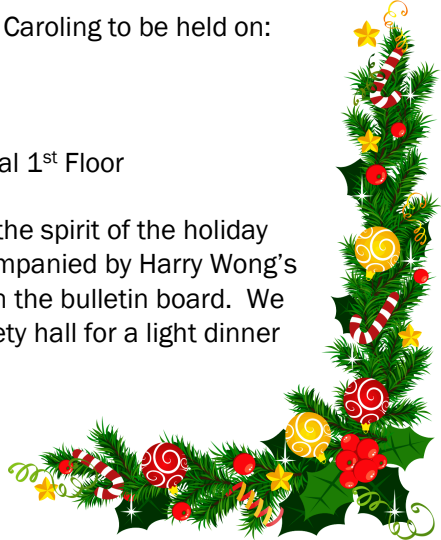
See Dai Doo Society's last community project is the annual Christmas Caroling to be held on:

Date: Friday, December 8, 2017

Time: 5:30 p.m.

Place: Meet at lobby of the Rehab Hospital 1<sup>st</sup> Floor

Members and their families and friends are invited to join us to bring the spirit of the holiday season to the patients and staff at the Rehab Hospital. We will be accompanied by Harry Wong's Guang Zhong Chinese Musical Group. A sign-up sheet will be posted on the bulletin board. We will need a count of those attending as we will be returning to the Society hall for a light dinner and fellowship. Happy Holidays!



If you are interested in receiving the newsletter by email, please  
let us know at [seedaidoosocietyinfo@gmail.com](mailto:seedaidoosocietyinfo@gmail.com)!



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## **Calendar of Upcoming Events**

September 13, 2017	General Membership Meeting	SDDS Great Hall 7:30 pm
October 29, 2017	Veterans' Appreciation Luncheon	SDDS Great Hall 11am
November 8, 2017	Annual Election of Officers & Trustees	SDDS Great Hall 7-9 pm
December 2, 2017	Christmas Party	SDDS Great Hall, 5pm
December 8, 2017	Christmas Caroling	Rehab Hospital 1 <sup>st</sup> floor, 5:30pm

### **Ongoing Events**

Bingo	Every 2 <sup>nd</sup> Wednesday	SDDS Great Hall 10am to 12pm
Mandarin Class	Every Monday	SDDS Great Hall, 7 to 9 pm
Tai Chi	Every Tuesday	SDDS Great Hall, 7 to 9 pm