

### PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE



Aloha,

It is truly an honor to serve as President of the McKinley High School Foundation. The support of the Board of Directors and all of the many friends of the Foundation has made this position very gratifying.

Perhaps one of the most exciting things that the Foundation has done over the years is to greatly increase the number of scholarships given each year. This year, under the direction of Larry Takumi and the Scholarship Committee, we have awarded 63

scholarships to deserving graduating seniors. Although 65 students had originally been awarded scholarships, we later learned that two of the students had received full scholarships to their respective colleges and so, in keeping with the Foundation policies, the scholarships were withheld so we can reach other deserving students.

Once again, the class of 2007 has done an outstanding job of giving back. Under the direction of Ms. Barbara Kakuda, nearly two-thirds of the class contributed to the scholarship fund of the Foundation. We thank them for their most generous contribution.

Please note the article on the upcoming Tribute Dinner. This year we are honoring Major Ladda "Tammy" Duckworth. Tammy graduated from these hallowed halls in 1985. She went on to serve in the National Guard where she piloted a "Black Hawk" helicopter. While on deployment in Iraq, the helicopter she was piloting was shot down and she lost both legs and use of an arm. After recovering from her injuries Major Duckworth ran for congress in the state of Illinois. Tammy lost the election by a narrow margin. Tammy now serves as the director of Veteran Affairs for the state of Illinois. Please join us on October 18, 2007 as we honor this very deserving and inspirational McKinley Tiger.

The Foundation continues to support other worthy programs at McKinley. Most recently, we helped the Speech and Debate Team to participate in a tournament on the mainland. Under the direction of faculty member John Newkirk, the team members have excelled and grown, both individually and as a team. McKinley is blessed with many dedicated and caring faculty members who give their time and energy to help our students to learn - both inside and outside of the classroom.

We should all be proud of our Alma Mater and its graduates. We are thus very pleased that two of our board members, Elijah Yip and Sandra Kim, are past recipients of Foundation scholarships. Elijah is an attorney with Càdes Shutte LLP and Sandra is a recent graduate of the William S. Richardson School of Law. They are both dedicated and enthusiastic board members who continue to give back to McKinley.

All of these programs would not be possible without the support of people like you friends and alumni of McKinley High School. In order for the Foundation to continue its important work, we hope that you will attend the October 18th Tribute Dinner or send us a contribution in the enclosed envelope. An investment in the McKinley Foundation is a sound investment in the future of Hawaii.

Mahalo, and we look forward to seeing you at the Tribute Dinner.

Aloha,

Carl Takamura

Carl Takamura President

### DR. RAYMOND C. YAP SCHOLARSHIP ESTABLISHED



Carol Yap and her daughter Linda Wong have established a scholarship in the name of their husband and father Dr. Raymond C. Yap. The Foundation is very grateful to the Yap family for their generous contribution.

Dr. Yap enjoyed his years as a student at McKinley. He also served as

the team physician for the football team for over 25 years.

Dr. Raymond C. Yap was born in Ka'u, Hawaii on January 10, 1911. He graduated from McKinley High School and attended Tulane University, New Orleans. He received his medical degree from St. John's University, Shanghai, China in 1936. He interned at St. Luke's Hospital, Shanghai, 1936-37 and was a resident at the Queen's Hospital, Honolulu, 1937-38. He was in Maui as Maui County Health Officer before moving to Honolulu in 1939. He

practiced in an office on Piikoi Parkway in Honolulu. For twenty-five years he volunteered as the physician to the McKinley High School football team. In 1972 he became chairman of the Medical Board for the State Retirement System. Dr. Yap was also a developer. One of his projects was the Fish Pond in Kahaluu that he originally was going to develop with hotels and apartments but later decided to leave it as a historic site with landscaping and a wedding chapel (Aloha Ke Akua).

Dr. Yam was a member of the American Medical Association, Hawaii Medical Association, Honolulu and Maui County Medical Societies and American Academy of General Practice. He was a member of the Schofield Masonic Lodge 443, York Rite Bodies, Scottish Rite bodies and Aloha Temple.

Dr. Yap and his wife, Carol Wai Tor Chang, were the parents of two daughters, Linda Wong and Roberta. Dr. Yap died on December 17, 1999 at the age of 88.

### HUNG WO AND ELIZABETH LAU CHING FOUNDATION

In January 2000, the family of Hung Wo and Elizabeth Lau Ching announced that the Hung Wo and Elizabeth Lau Ching Foundation would provide \$10,000 for scholarships to deserving McKinley graduating seniors. The stipulation was that the recipients must have a good academic record, good character, financial need, be a U.S. citizen and be a non-smoker.

Ching was widely recognized for his financial acumen and sought by many of Honolulu's top corporations to serve on their boards. He also served as a trustee for Bishop Estate/Kamehameha Schools but declined to serve on the board of Punahou School. He explained to Walter Dillingham, then chairman of the board at Punahou, that selecting a McKinley alumnus would anger the many capable Punahou alumni who could do the job. Dillingham

acknowledged that fact later and called Ching to thank him for his insight. In 1986, Hung Wo was in the first group of 38 nominees to the McKinley High School Hall of Honor along with his brother Hung Wai Ching for their achievements and outstanding contributions to the community.

For the past eight years over 60 graduating seniors have benefited from the generosity of the Hung Wo and Elizabeth Lau Ching Foundation. The overall success of the Foundation's scholarship program could not thrive without the yearly support of the Hung Wo and Elizabeth Lau Ching Foundation. Many of the McKinley students who apply for scholarships are in great financial need - they would not be able to attain their goal of higher education without assistance from the Foundation scholarship program. We are sincerely grateful to the Ching family for this financial support.

### MORE SCHOLARSHIP NEWS

We would be remiss if we did not also thank the following for their yearly support of the Foundation Scholarship programs.

- 1. Alexander & Baldwin, Inc. Robert J. Pfeiffer Community Scholarship was established in the early years of the Foundation with a contribution of \$100,000. Each year one deserving student receives this coveted scholarship.
- 2. Jack Tsui established a scholarship fund and each year a lucky student is awarded the Jack Tsui scholarship.
- 3. Patsy Young established a scholarship fund and yearly a graduating senior is the recipient of a Patsy Young Scholarship.
- 4. Carole Kai Charities continues to fund up to three scholarships each year.
- 5. Abraham and Shin Quon Wong Goo each year a graduating senior is the recipient of a scholarship.

- 6. Dr. Ruth Ono, our Tribute Dinner Honoree in 2003. Each year a deserving senior is awarded a scholarship in Dr. Ono's name.
- 7. Steve Hirano, past president of the Foundation who passed away in 2003. Each year a graduating senior is awarded a scholarship in Steve's name through the generosity of his widow Amy Hayashi Hirano.
- 8. Lawrence Hirohata, a scholarship established by the late Lawrence Hirohata family which is facilitated by his brother Milton Hirohata.
- Last but most certainly not least the Daniel K. and Maggie Inouye Scholarship. Each year up to three scholarships are given in Senator Inouye's and his late wife's Maggie name.

We are truly grateful for this ongoing support and are pleased to recognize their contributions.

# It is with great pride and enthusiasm that we announce the awarding of 63 scholarships to the class of 2007. Below is the

63 2007 GRADUATES RECEIVE SCHOLARSHIPS

McKinley High School Foundation Scholarship

awarding of 63 scholarships to the class of 2007. Below is the list of recipients and the scholarship awarded to them - in the November newsletter we will highlight their goals and		Daniel Kim McKinley High School Foundation Scholarship	\$1,000
achievements.		Hyun Kim McKinley High School Foundation Scholarship	\$1,000
Connie Ma Alexander Baldwin Inc, Robert J. Pfeiffer Community Scholarship	\$4,250	Kyu Ha Kim McKinley High School Foundation Scholarship	\$1,000
Yee Ting Lee Senator Daniel and Maggie Inouye Scholarship	\$2,000	Enli Li McKinley High School Foundation Scholarship	\$1,000
Kaitlyn Ikehara Senator Daniel and Maggie Inouye Scholarship	\$1,500	Kozue Mitsunari McKinley High School Foundation Scholarship	\$1,000
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Jennifer Ishimoto <i>Jack Tsui Scholarship</i>	\$2,000	Thomas Pae McKinley High School Foundation Scholarship	\$1,000
Andrew Lau Hung Wo & Elizabeth Lau Ching Foundation Schola	\$2,000 urship	Karli Tanuvasa McKinley High School Foundation Scholarship	\$1,000
Michael Lieu Hung Wo & Elizabeth Lau Ching Foundation Schola	\$2,000 urship	Agnes Wang McKinley High School Foundation Scholarship	\$1,000
Daniel Shimura Hung Wo & Elizabeth Lau Ching Foundation Schola	\$2,000 urship	Alvin Cheung McKinley High School Foundation Scholarship	\$500
Jian Tian Hung Wo & Elizabeth Lau Ching Foundation Schola	\$2,000 ership	Matthew Chong  McKinley High School Foundation Scholarship	\$500
Lily Wu Hung Wo & Elizabeth Lau Ching Foundation Schola	\$2,000 ership	Lauren Higashino McKinley High School Foundation Scholarship	\$500
Makana Richards Foundation Scholarship in Memory of Lawrence Hiro	\$1,000 ohata	Daniel Hong McKinley High School Foundation Scholarship	\$500
Elyse Takashige Foundation Scholarship Honoring Steve Hirano	\$1,500	Grace Hwang McKinley High School Foundation Scholarship	\$500
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Jinny Park Foundation Scholarship Honoring Dr. Raymond Yap	\$1,500	Yoko Nagao McKinley High School Foundation Scholarship	\$500
Lisa Tse Foundation Scholarship Honoring Abraham and	\$1,500	Jill Nishida <i>McKinley High School Foundation Scholarship</i>	\$500
Shin Quon Wong Goo Jian Na Xiao	\$1,000	Shantelle Okikawa McKinley High School Foundation Scholarship	\$500
Carole Kai Charities Scholarship  Kendra Brazile	\$1,000	Chelsie Sato McKinley High School Foundation Scholarship	\$500
Carole Kai Charities Scholarship  Kathy Daotay	\$1,000	Laurel Servies  McKinley High School Foundation Scholarship	\$500
McKinley High School Foundation Scholarship Nicole Kawamoto	\$1,000	Jake Ryan Sumibcay McKinley High School Foundation Scholarship	\$500

Katie Tam McKinley High School Foundation Scholarship	\$500	Paula Thepsenavong McKinley High School Foundation Scholarship	\$750
Lianne Tomishima McKinley High School Foundation Scholarship	\$500	Lennie Jenkins McKinley High School Foundation Scholarship	\$500
Emanuelle Wright McKinley High School Foundation Scholarship	\$500	Tilton Kaluna McKinley High School Foundation Scholarship	\$500
Min Hui Xiao McKinley High School Foundation Scholarship	\$500	Clarence Lloren McKinley High School Foundation Scholarship	\$500
Coney Li McKinley High School Foundation Scholarship	\$1,000	Roxanne Recaido McKinley High School Foundation Scholarship	\$500
Shayna Pak McKinley High School Foundation Scholarship	\$1,000	Kristi Jean San Diego McKinley High School Foundation Scholarship	\$500
Jillian Tamaru <i>McKinley High School Foundation Scholarship</i>	\$1,000	Jennifer Sisavang McKinley High School Foundation Scholarship	\$500
Shun Far Wen McKinley High School Foundation Scholarship	\$1,000	Kristen Villanueva McKinley High School Foundation Scholarship	\$500
Jayelin Lau <i>McKinley High School Foundation Scholarship</i>	\$750	Jayson Yee McKinley High School Foundation Scholarship	\$500
Xiao Giong Lin McKinley High School Foundation Scholarship	\$750	Lyman Yoshikawa McKinley High School Foundation Scholarship	\$500

### MAJOR LADDA "TAMMY" DUCKWORTH TRIBUTE



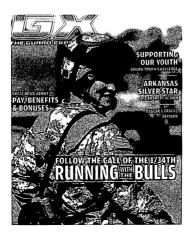
We are busy planning for the upcoming Tribute Dinner which will be held on October 18, 2007 at the Hilton Hawaiian Village, Coral Ballroom.

This year we are honoring Major

Ladda "Tammy" Duckworth a graduate from the class of 1985. Tammy is currently the director of Veteran's Affairs for the state of Illinois.

In an article by Will Hoover in the Honolulu Advertiser,

Tammy recounts the story of her experience in Iraq: On November 12, 2004 her entire focus was on not losing consciousness while trying to safely land a Black Hawk helicopter when it was blasted by a rocket-propelled grenade that exploded where Tammy was seated. The maneuver was an impossible feat with





two missing legs, a shattered right arm and a multitude of other serious injuries.

In the same article Tammy says "The big thing for me is that I am a McKinley grad". "That gives you a lot street creds. I wasn't a rich kid."

Tammy goes on to say "I have a lot of respect for the World War II generation who came back from the war and changed this country". "Senator Daniel Inouye was in that generation. Bob Dole and John F. Kennedy were in that generation."

So, you can understand why the Board of Directors wants to honor this proud tiger. She exemplifies the values of the McKinley Code of Honor: Honesty, Industry, Courage and Love. Please join us as we pay tribute to another deserving

M c K i n l e y Alumna. You may use the form on the invitation in this newsletter to purchase tickets. For more information call



the McKinley High School Foundation phone number - leave a message and someone will get back to you. That number is 808-536-3832.

The McKinley High School Foundation cordially invites you to attend a tribute dinner for

### Major Ladda "Tammy" Duckworth, Class of 1985

on Thursday, October 18, 2007, Hilton Hawaiian Village, Coral Ballroom, 5:30 p.m.

Please join us as we honor and celebrate Tammy Duckworth, a true American hero and proud McKinley alumna. Your support will allow the Foundation to continue to provide scholarships for increasing numbers of graduating seniors and to strengthen and enrich McKinley's educational programs. These programs include awarding over 360 scholarships to graduating seniors amounting to over \$665,000 since 1990.

R.S.V.P. by Wednesday, September 7, 2007. For more information, please call McKinley High School Foundation at 536-3832. Thank you and we hope that you will be able to join us for this very special evening to honor this very special individual.

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## McKinley High School Foundation Tribute Dinner Honoring

### Major Ladda "Tammy" Duckworth

Thursday, October 18, 2007 • Hilton Hawaiian Village

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Yes, I will attend the Taste of McKinley. Enclosed is a check for \$					
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#### CHUNG-HAO LIAO - CLASS OF 2004

The school year 2006-2007 has been a very busy year for me. I maximized the amount of courses I could take per semester. I took mostly classes from my major, travel industry management. I was able to study different aspects of travel industry management ranging from the operations, hotel management, service enterprise, and information technology to back of the house functions like human resources, finance, and accounting. I did many case studies and group projects in these classes. Case studies helped me develop my critical thinking and interpretation skills while big group projects helped me improve my collaborative and communication skills. I was also able to do on site inspection of various restaurants and travel industry spots and conduct interviews with managers. One great interview I did was at Mariposa restaurant with Mr. David Brown, the general manager. He taught me much about motivation and confidence as a leader

as a successful manager.

Aldwin Torres

I joined Eta Sigma Delta this school year. It is an honor society in the travel industry management school. In this club, we did various fundraising and community services such as Relay For Life and the Charity Walk. I was able to meet many friends and did much networking from Eta Sigma Delta. There are many companies in the travel industry that come to the University of Hawaii at Manoa to recruit people and to provide information about their company. I attended many information sessions this year such as Starwood, Marriott, the Kahala and Hilton. I realized the upcoming year would be my last school year so I am starting to research and learn about the great companies in the travel industry. This summer I was fortunate to be hired by Starwood as an intern. I will be interning in the guest services and Asia sales departments. I know this is a great

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opportunity for me to expand my skills and apply the knowledge I've obtained from school. It will be a valuable experience for me.

I have already completed my core classes and basic requirements for graduation so I am now focusing on completing my required class in the travel industry management major. I've also tried to put time into school clubs and associations so I can network and improve my social skills. I was fortunate to get the internship at Starwood where I am gaining more experience in the travel industry. I feel that I am doing really great in my school career right now and everything is running pretty smoothly. I would like to thank the McKinley High School Foundation for making my pursuit in education so successful. Thank you very much.

#### **CLASS OF 1944**

The class of 1944 donated funds to the Foundation for our scholarship program. Many classes donate residual funds from their class reunions to the Foundation - we are so grateful to them for their most generous contributions. A big mahalo to the class of 1944 and all of our generous contributors.

#### **CLASS OF 2007**

Once again, under the direction of Ms. Barbara Kakuda, the graduating seniors from McKinley give back to their alma mater. This year over two-thirds of the graduating seniors contributed to the Foundation's scholarship fund. It always amazes us of the generosity of these newest alumni. Thank you!!

### RICHARD MATO HONORS THE CLASS OF 1947 **ON THEIR 60TH ANNIVERSARY**

Richard Matao has donated stock to the Foundation in honor of the class of 1947's 60th anniversary. We are truly grateful to Richard for his generous contribution - the funds will be used for scholarships and to enrich programs at McKinley.

### PLANNED GIVING

As life's circumstances change, so do insurance policies related to your financial planning. You can have the satisfaction of helping McKinley High School, its teachers and students in the future by gifting an insurance policy that's no longer needed. If a donor transfers a life insurance policy to the McKinley High School Foundation, the gift is tax-deductible for gift tax purposes. If the donor pays subsequent premiums due on the policy, those additional premium payments constitute additional gifts that would also qualify for the gift tax charitable deduction.

In addition for the first time, IRA owners can give a portion of their retirement savings directly to charity without first counting it as income and pay income tax. In 2006 & 2007, holders of traditional and Roth IRAs who are at least 70 1/2-years-old can make direct charitable transfers up to \$100,000 per year.

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