

July 30, 2015



Aloha, McKinley High School Centennial Class of 1965!

Your 50th Class Reunion Planning Committee (Rose Cater, Lenore Ching, Leburta Kanno, Stan Kanno, Eleanor Marquez, Mel Nakagawa, Gayle Navarre, Mike Navarre, Charlotte Shishido, George Waialeale, Sharon Watanabe, and Al Yoshimura) have been working hard to plan a grand reunion. We are pleased to announce the following events for our 50th Class Reunion – da Golden Reunion. All 50th Class Reunion events are open to spouse and significant other.

Sep 22, 2015 (Tue) - Golf Outing

Point of contact (POC) is Al Yoshimura; email: golfnuthawaii@hawaiiantel.net; cell ph.: 808-230-1300

Tee times from 9:00 a.m. (need headcount ASAP)
Leilehua Golf Course
DEADLINE: September 7, 2015

Green Fee with cart is \$27 to \$49, depending on your status. Please see registration form to select your status and fee.

Sep 23, 2015 (Wed) - MHS Campus Visit and Tour

POC: Anita (Lum) Barend; email: abarend@hotmail.com; home ph.: 808-393-2423

Time: 10:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.
Cost: \$5.50, includes lunch
DEADLINE: September 16, 2015
Parking available on campus, but please do your best to car-pool

- Meet Anita on the front steps of the Administration Building or in the air conditioned lobby.
- While waiting in the lobby, peruse the Hall of Honor which has pictures of outstanding alumni.
- After a walk-about escorted tour, you will have lunch prepared by the MHS Cafeteria. (NOTE: should you have any food allergies, please note it on the registration form).



Sep 23, 2015 (Wed evening) - da Golden Reunion

POC: Sharon (Kaneshiro) Watanabe; email: sowat@hawaii.rr.com; cell ph.: 808-783-4009

Time: 5:30 p.m. - 11:00 p.m.
Hale Koa Hotel – Waikiki Ballroom
Menu: Pacific Rim Buffet
Cost: \$65.00
DEADLINE: September 16, 2015 - \$65.00
Self-Parking Validation: \$5.00

- Music of our memories provided by Tapestry, and Tom Moffatt from KPOI Radio.
- Photographers to take a class picture as well as candid shots throughout the evening.



Sep 25, 2015 (Fri evening) - MHS 150th Anniversary Luau

POC is MHS.

Time: 4:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.
Location: MHS campus.
DEADLINE: September 16, 2015 or when tickets sell out.
Cost: \$20.00 and are available at the Registrar's office in the Administration Building.

- If you have Internet access, you may order the tickets online at <http://www.eventbrite.com/e/mckinley-150th-anniversary-luau-tickets-16739903502>
A small service fee is charged for this convenience.
- MHS is compiling its history into a MHS Memories Cookbook, which is more than your usual cookbook. Check out this web site: <https://www.facebook.com/MHS150Years?ref=ts>
MHS is asking for classes and graduates to share their favorite original recipes, pics, history, stories, and traditions. Mail to Kristen Ono or Jon Loomis at McKinley High School, 1039 S. King Street, Honolulu, HI 96814; or email to mhs150years@gmail.com. DEADLINE: November 1, 2015.

Sep 26, 2015 (Sat) - MHS Homecoming Football Game

Location will be Roosevelt High School football field; time and opponent to be announced.

Donations

Contributions (whatever you feel you can afford) are accepted to help defray planning expenses and as a class gift to McKinley. Please complete the appropriate section on the registration form.

Contacting Classmates

- Share this information with any and all classmates with whom you have contact. Out of 724 graduates, we only have 112 emails on file, and absolutely no contact information for 267 classmates. For the remaining number, we have a mailing address or for some only a telephone number.
- Have classmates call or email me: cell 808-384-2437; email address: ddewitt808@outlook.com.

I do hope that YOU, along with many of our classmates, attend this 50th Class Reunion as this will be our best reunion, and it will only come once in your life time, just like our high school graduation. So come and rekindle your friendship with your classmates from the Class of 1965. It is amazing that you have not seen each other even though many of us live in this small State on the same island. Remember too, that as we grow older, family and friends become even more important in leading and having healthy, productive lives.

So, don't procrastinate. Please complete the attached form and mail it to Sharon Watanabe, even if you decide not to attend this 50th Class Reunion. We will update the information in our database. And we do not share your information with anyone.

Mahalo Nui Loa!

David E. De Witt

50th Class Reunion Co-Chair

