

# honolulu park place

### **NEWSLETTER • NOVEMBER/DECEMBER 2018**

#### Mark Your Calendars Now!

## HPP Holiday Party Tuesday, Dec. 4, 2018

Free for all HPP Residents Guests \$25/adults, \$10/children

#### New this year ...

Party on the \* 8th Floor Koi Deck \*Rain Option (Lobby/Club area)

\* Three Seatings 6:00 PM 6:30 PM 7:00 PM

Choices of Entrée \* Traditional Turkey Dinner and all the fixings

Chicken Parmigiana with Baked Rigatoni Mushroom & Sage-stuffed

Portobello (Vegetarian)

\* **Pizza** for the kids

## The 2018 Holiday Party

promises to be Honolulu Park Place's best party yet! Credit this year's planning committee of Katherine Crosier, Rebecca Friedman and **Melanie King** for coming up with great ideas to eliminate the crowds and long lines.

The biggest change of all will be that we will be serving dinner on the 8th Floor Koi Deck in three separate seatings: at 6:00 pm, 6:30 pm, and 7:00 pm so that everyone will have a chance to sit down at a table. In addition to seating at the hales, we will be renting a large tent, tables and chairs which will be placed on the lawn adjacent to the tennis court.

There will be several choices of entrée:

a. A traditional turkey dinner with mashed potatoes, gravy, sausage stuffing, cranberries, and green beans.

b. Chicken parmigiana with baked rigatoni, and Caesar salad.

c. Mushroom and sage-stuffed portobello (vegetarian), with roasted baby potatoes, rainbow carrots, and a green bean salad.



- \* Santa will appear at 6:30 PM with gifts for kids
- \* Musical Entertainment
- \* Gift Certificates to Long's, Safeway and Little Village

#### Register at hpponline.org before Nov. 26 or sign up in the office

Volunteers are needed to serve Food Sign up at hpponline.org or in the HPP office

A children's size cheese pizza will be served for kids. Wine and water will be available to drink.

#### Dessert will be served downstairs in

the Club area. You can choose between pumpkin or apple pie, or there will be cupcakes for the kids.

Santa will make an appearance at 6:30 pm in the Club area, with gifts for the children. We suggest that families with children sign up for the 6:00 pm seating, then go downstairs for dessert and to receive a present from Santa.

Each of the seatings will have a raffle drawing for gift certificates to Long's Drugs, Safeway, and Little Village. The raffle drawings will be at 6:15, 6:45 and 7:15 pm, so listen for your numbers!

Your name badge will serve as your food ticket. Registration packets with badges and raffle tickets will be available for pickup from **Friday**, November 30 at a table in the lobby.

Deadline is Monday, November 26. RSVP at **hpponline.org** or in the HPP office. Please, no walk-ins will be permitted. This party is free for all HPP residents, and you are invited to meet your neighbors to celebrate the holidays!

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## Volunteers are needed

in order to make the HPP Holiday Party on December 4th a success! Please volunteer by signing up at **hpponline.org** or in the HPP office. We especially need people who are willing to serve food as there will be several stations.

## Shut-in food delivery

If you are not able to come to the HPP party on the 8th floor, we have volunteers who can deliver the food to you. All we need is your apartment number and your menu choice. Sign up at **hpponline.org** or in the HPP office. Food will be delivered at 5:30 pm.



## **Meet the HPP Staff**

**Sonny Petalver** immigrated to Hawaii from the Philippines in 1992. He commenced work at Honolulu Park Place in April 2018.

He and his wife have two boys and a girl aged 21, 14 and 13. They live in close proximity to their parents and two of his siblings residing in Hawaii. His eldest brother and family have maintained their residence in the Philippines.

Sonny may be seen during the weekends and from Monday to Wednesday carrying out his custodial duties at the gym, locker rooms, residents' lounge, koi deck and trash chute.



His core goals in life include maintaining a positive attitude and managing stress well. He appreciates the friendliness of the HPP residents and the cooperative spirit and sense of humor of his fellow workers.

## In this season of giving

please consider showing your appreciation for the great staff we have at Honolulu Park Place by a gift to the HPP Employee Christmas Fund. Among many benefits of living in this building are having a professional security staff which greets you by name, watching out for your safety as well as that of your belongings, having clean common areas, and taking care of maintenance issues.

Bring monetary gifts to the office where they will be distributed among the staff. It's easiest to have checks made out to "Cash."

Thank you in advance for your generosity!



## Speaking of giving ...

A couple from HPP has recently shipped approximately 500 pounds of supplies to a remote island village school in Fiji. The shipment included school supplies to outfit each of the 110 students as well as the equipment necessary

to provide renewable solar energy to the school. How is that for generosity!

**Real Food Cafe** is offering Thanksgiving dinner specials. Order for yourself or to take to a potluck. You can order the complete dinner (turkey and sides), or just the turkey, or just a side. Phone 271-7052.

**Massage: Stan Sugai**, 808-536-6979. **Susan Lovinger**, phone 808-342-6402. By appointment only. \$50/hour massage\$80/hour & half. Gift certificates are available.

**Correction to the last HPP newsletter:** In the article about HPP resident **Randall Duldulao**, this sentence was inadvertently omitted: *We will soon be bidding aloha to Randall as he will be deployed in September, 2018, for a one-year peacekeeping mission in Eastern Europe.* 

Don't forget to send in your RSVP to the HPP Holiday Party! Last week to register before the Nov. 26 deadline!