

Rinzai Zen Mission Newsletter

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New Year's Message

I wish you all a very happy and healthy new year.

This year marks the 25th anniversary of the rebuilding of our temple complex. We all know that time passes so quickly and our beloved family and friends remain in our hearts and memories. We have a beautiful sanctuary with well maintained buildings because of the Issei and Nisei's hard work and generosity. So, we will celebrate our anniversary at Hanamatsuri and Obon with guest ministers from Japan and express our appreciation to our beloved family and friends.

Please come to Paia at those special times and celebrate with your old friends.

新年明けましておめでとうございます。

新しい年が皆様がたにとりましてご健康にめぐまれ、ご多幸の年となりますことを心から念じております。

今年は今のお寺が再建されましてから25周年になります。 時間の過ぎることは本当に早く、多くの家族や友人たちは今では心の中の大事な思い出として残ってみえるだけです。 しかしその今は亡き一世、二世のおかげでパイアのお寺は今もマウイの多くの人々のお役にたてています。 今年の花祭りや、お盆ではそのなつかしい方々へのお礼の法要を行いたいと存じます。

大事な予定をぜひカレンダーに書き込んでパイア まで来てください。

Important days of 2015

April 5 (Sun) 10:00 am...Paia Hanamatsuri at Rinzai Zen Mission with guest ministers from Japan. Big Bingo!

August 22 (Sat)...Obon !!!

March 20 - 22...Loochoo Identity Conference contact: Maui Ryukyu Culture Group Amy Shinsato, 276-6684

July 19 (Sun)...Tea Service with Urasenke Grand tea master, Dr. Genshitsu Sen contact: Urasenke Maui

Temple Schedule

January 11 (Sun)...Cleaning Day 18 (Sun) 10:00 am...New Year's Service and party, food, & Bingo

February 8 (Sun)...Cleaning Day
15 (Sun) 10:00 am ...Nehan-e,
Shakyamuni Buddha's Memorial Day
Feb.27 - March 2...Sesshin, Zen retreat

Check the photos on our website!

Not completely organized, but lots of old photos are on our website (<u>rinzai-maui.org</u>). Please open the home page and click on *Blog*. You should see the keyword for photos at bottom right of the page.

Memorial Service

Term period	Year of Death
1 year	2014
3 years	2013
7 years	2009
13 years	2003
17 years	1999
25 years	1991
33 years	1983

