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RB'S CORNER
REV. BOB OSHITA

Hello and welcome to the month of February! Over the long Martin Luther King weekend in January, Reverends Peter, Patti and I helped to run the BCA Youth Advocacy Reunion Retreat at the Seattle Betsuin. Thirteen of the 15 participants from the July retreat were able to attend. Our Sacramento Betsuin was well represented by Emily Furukawa and Matt Nitta. We were fortunate to have our Bishop, Socho Koshin Ogui, also with us that weekend. He was the special guest speaker for the Seattle Betsuin's special 750th Memorial Service for Shinran Shonin.

Although Socho Ogui had a full schedule of responsibilities, he altered his plans to spend an entire afternoon with the kids. When he spoke to them, he said this, "You are the most important people to BCA. You are the future." Of this there is no doubt. The Youth Advocacy Program is the heart of the BCA youth programs. And we have already seen that the positive energy and enthusiasm generated by this program has helped revitalize and recharge YBA activity in many BCA districts.

I have always felt that the most important programs we can nurture at a temple are the youth programs: Dharma School, YBA, sports programs, Scouting. If a temple has strong youth participation, we cannot help but feel that it has a vibrant future.

Over the years it has been a pleasure to see our Betsuin Dharma School grow and our youth programs flourish. But we must always keep in mind that nothing happens in a vacuum. It takes many people to maintain and sustain a temple as active as the Sacramento Betsuin. This year, we will be 111 years old. Over the past century, thousands of people have done so much to ensure that our Betsuin would be here for us to enjoy.

When we consider the dedication and sacrifices of so many who have done so much over the years, we know we could never thank them enough for all they have done. The only way to repay them is to continue to nurture the legacy they have given us. Our Dharma tradition is a gift we receive from so many... and it is now ours to nurture and grow.

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As we are still in the early weeks of the new year, I'd like to thank you all for your membership and support of our Sacramento Betsuin. Just as our successful youth programs ensure a vibrant future for our Betsuin, it is your participation and your support that give life to our temple.

With gratitude beyond words,
RB

I am very proud to serve another term as your president of the Sacramento Betsuin; the second of two one-year obligations served by the past leaders of the Board of Trustees. I'm not looking to threaten the 10-plus years that I served as the Dharma School superintendent, nor do I plan to even come close with Dr. Kelvin Mark ready to assume the presidency upon the end of the calendar year. I appreciate the 30 members of the Board of Trustees, and Elders, the Sangha members who serve in many capacities on Board committees, and to those who assist the chairpersons of many board activities. And last, I appreciate the Sangha for their positive response to the call for higher membership fees and the senior members who pledged to pay the cost of their BCA member dues. Our members have submitted their payment without hesitation, nor have they questioned the rationale for the higher cost of running the temple.

The Executive Committee of the Board of Trustees takes seriously its responsibility to examine all of the temple's expenses, and to make sure the income derived from member dues is used responsibly for direct and necessary temple expenses. We will work to passing an annual operating budget that is fair and sensible and live within our income derived from many sources.

On another note, I was intrigued by Sensei Koichi Mizushima's Dharma talk at the January 17 service. He was the only person presiding at this service with the ministers and ministers' assistants away on business with the youth retreat in Tacoma and overseeing the many temples that are under the supervision of Rinban Oshita. Sensei Koichi talked about seeing both sides of a maple leaf as it falls to the ground. The maple will show the bright and dull side of its leaf as it falls to the ground without shame or compromise. He associated the revealing of both sides of a maple leaf to the behavior and characteristics of people.

I appreciated his talk, mostly because I was thinking the same thing of people — is what you see on the outside the same as the inside — a moment before he began his Dharma message. I've often wondered if people who appear very nice, sincere, have a great personality are the same from the inside. Basically, are they fakes? Are their very attractive outside appearances and behaviors measuring up to what they think and do when the cameras are turned off?

Public officials come to mind — they'll do and promise anything righteous, yet many have been exposed as corrupt, conniving and devious people who will stoop to nothing for personal gains. They'll cheat on travel expenses, take perks that may be a conflict of interest, and are less than honorable to their love ones. Take Tiger Woods for example. He was very protective of his private life, conscious of his public, a family man with a wholesome image — yet from the inside was as corrupt as the worst of the worst.

If only everyone were as public as a maple leaf as it falls to the ground. The question for all of us is whether we act and behave as the maple leaf or more like Tiger Woods? You are the only person who knows for sure.

**GET FIT IN THE
NEW YEAR!**

**JOIN US FOR LINE DANCING
TAUGHT BY GRACE HATANO**

**WEDNESDAYS, 3-4 P.M. IN THE KAIKAN
STARTING FEBRUARY 10
DONATION: \$1**

**SACRAMENTO
BUDDHIST
WOMEN'S
ASSOCIATION**
KEIKO JEAN
KASHIWADA



The first meeting of 2010 was held on Wednesday, January 6. President Lynn Kurahara welcomed our newly elected board members, Meriko Hoshida, Gayle Kono and Irene Takeda. She also acknowledged and thanked last year's members who were leaving their leadership roles and thanked the members who were taking on new or continuing leadership roles. The BWA Board is planning a variety of different activities this year. Please join us!

I am the newly appointed corresponding secretary and will often be submitting the article for the SANGHA. Thank you to Sandy Nishimura-Yee and Lynn Kurahara for their past articles.

Rinban Bob Oshita reported that Reverend Kusunoki has been assigned to the Lodi Buddhist Temple and Reverend Sakamoto is currently interviewing with the Los Angeles Betsuin. Wasn't it wonderful that we were able to get to know them here at the Sacramento Betsuin?

CONFERENCES & UPCOMING EVENTS/ACTIVITIES

- Eshinniko/Kakushinniko/Lady Ohtani Memorial Service & Luncheon (February 14): The memorial service starts at 1 p.m. If you pre-order an obento (\$8), it will be available at noon. Obento orders must be placed by February 11.
- Shinran Shonin 750th Memorial Observance (February 28) in San Jose: Please contact Junko Egi at 427-2757 if you need a ride and more information.
- Spring Food Festival (March 14): Please mark your calendars for the ABA/BWA co-sponsored Spring Food Festival. Please come out on Saturday, March 13, to help with the sushi preparation. More details next month.
- NCDC and NCBWA Conference in Stockton (April 17): If you have signed up and need a ride, please contact Junko Egi at 427-2757. The conference is being planned and sponsored by Lodi and Walnut Grove temples.
- Shinran Shonin's 750th Memorial Observance and World BWA Convention in Kyoto, Japan (May 15-17, 2012): If you are interested in attending, contact Hiroko Tsuda at 427-0890.
- Crafts for the Bazaar: The Friday craft-making sessions will start up again soon under the leadership of Jane Nakagawa and Junko Egi. More details to follow.

DONATIONS & ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

Abiko Family	In Memory of Reverend Giko Abiko	\$150
Michiko Imai	In Memory of Her Mother and Sisters	\$100
Fumiko Takagi	In Memory of Wakako Shimazu	\$100
Norraine Okamoto	In Appreciation	\$50
Shoya & Ikuko Sakazaki	50th Wedding Anniversary	\$50

Our next meeting will be on February 3.

**MINISTERS'
ASSISTANTS**
REV. TIM CASTLE



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Rev. Peter Inokoji-Kim

At a recent Dharma School service, the Florin Sangha did a cool thing during service. The chairperson had all the kids who had returned home from college during the winter break stand up, and one by one, their names were called out and they were welcomed home for the holidays by the sangha. Both Carol and I thought this was a great idea in that not only was each student welcomed home by their family; they were also welcomed home to their temple by their extended family, the sangha.

This homecoming got me thinking about our daughter Leann and how she and all of her classmates will be off to college in just a year and a half. This thought totally bums me out! I know that in our role, if we do a good job as parents, we will raise kids who are able to move out on their own and be independent young adults. Although they need to have that sense of independence, I know that when I was that age, I still relied on so many people to get through life and college... yes, interdependence was the truth behind my "independence"!

When Carol and I left Sacramento to attend Cal State Fresno, it seemed that while we liked the independence of being away from Sacramento, we still missed our support system, our moms and dads. While we never looked for replacements, we were very fortunate to be adopted by one of our college buddies' parents, the Aokis. Some of our fondest memories of our college life had nothing to do with class work or other school adventures, but simply having a home to go every once in a while, a safe place to relax, to eat real food (including rice), and be able to get some good advice when our own parents were not immediately available. Some of our first important life events, such as learning to drink warm sake (yes, we were 21!), trusting that you actually can get a killer prime rib dinner at a bowling alley, how to remove frogs in the house, all-night study/cram sessions, or what a meteor shower really looks like

**MINISTERS'
ASSISTANTS**
(CONTINUED)

when you can view it from the orange orchards around Clovis, were all experienced at our home away from home.

I then think again about Leann, then Keri moving out on their own and wonder if they will be surrounded by good friends and “get adopted” by people who will take good care of them while they are away from home?

Almost 25 years later, I still think about our friends down in Fresno and think that without their help, I’m not sure we could have made it. I wonder if I’ve ever been able to express my gratitude to them for helping Carol and me get through our college years? But maybe the best way I can show my gratitude and say “thank you” is to learn from the examples that they set for us and be willing to do the same. And maybe if I do that, there will be others looking out for some kids from Elk Grove in the near future.

In Gassho.

REFLECTIONS

I am writing this SANGHA article as our family is planning for my father’s 88th birthday party/celebration coming in April. As part of this party, I have been asked to put together a slide show of his life and times. The last few days I have been looking at our family photo albums, old black-and-white prints of when my father was younger, his years in Japan, many past and present friends and family that have been most important to his life. And most recently, his grandchildren’s weddings, family reunions, wedding and baby showers, and the very exciting birth of his first great-grandchild. Our holidays these past few months have been very different because of the changes life presents to us all. My father has told me how fortunate he is to be surrounded by close family that really cares about each other and want to share in each other’s life experiences. However, I also know that it has been his love and nurturing of all of us when we were younger that has allowed this to occur.

In reflecting on my father’s life, I see a strong parallel to how our temple has evolved over the last 110 years since its early beginnings. Many generations of families, friends and ministers have nurtured, supported and developed our sangha community to what it is today. Innumerable people and circumstances have helped to build/maintain facilities that allow us to have important programs that enrich our lives so much. For myself and my family, much like you, I am willing to give back to and support important causes/organizations beyond just ourselves, if I know its intrinsic value. The Buddhist Church of Sacramento, and its future welfare, is one such organization deserving of our support.

With your continued and generous donations/contributions, the Legacy Endowment Fund will be looking toward the welfare of future generations. At the same time, through the proceeds from our fund-raising events, we will be looking at current opportunities/programs to support/nurture consistent with Legacy intent/objectives, such as ministers’ assistants continuing education/training program, youth advocacy retreat/reunions, informational educational programs, etc.

In the future we will be sharing articles about the types of donations we have been receiving from our temple members/friends. This past year, for example, the Legacy Endowment Fund has received the following:

- Large Hayashi estate cash donation (split 50/50 with General Fund).
- Anonymous donation of residential property (to be shared 50/50 with Asian Community Center after sale)
- Anonymous life insurance policy future proceeds.

Thank you all for continuing this legacy of support, leadership, working for the benefit of others... it’s quite an opportunity to be involved with our sangha and what an important legacy to continue.

P.S. If you or your family had submitted original photos/pictures for the 100th Anniversary project and would like to have them back, please contact the office and leave your name/telephone number. Someone from the board will get back to you. Thank you).

With much appreciation.

Once again my helpers came to my rescue. In fact, two of our college students came in to help also. The helpers were: Billy Hatano, Wayne Fong, Ted Ito, Jenny Kushida and Kevin Morita.

**LEGACY
ENDOWMENT
FUND BOARD**
ALLAN HOSHIDA

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**NOTES FROM
THE OFFICE**

**MAINTENANCE
REPORT**

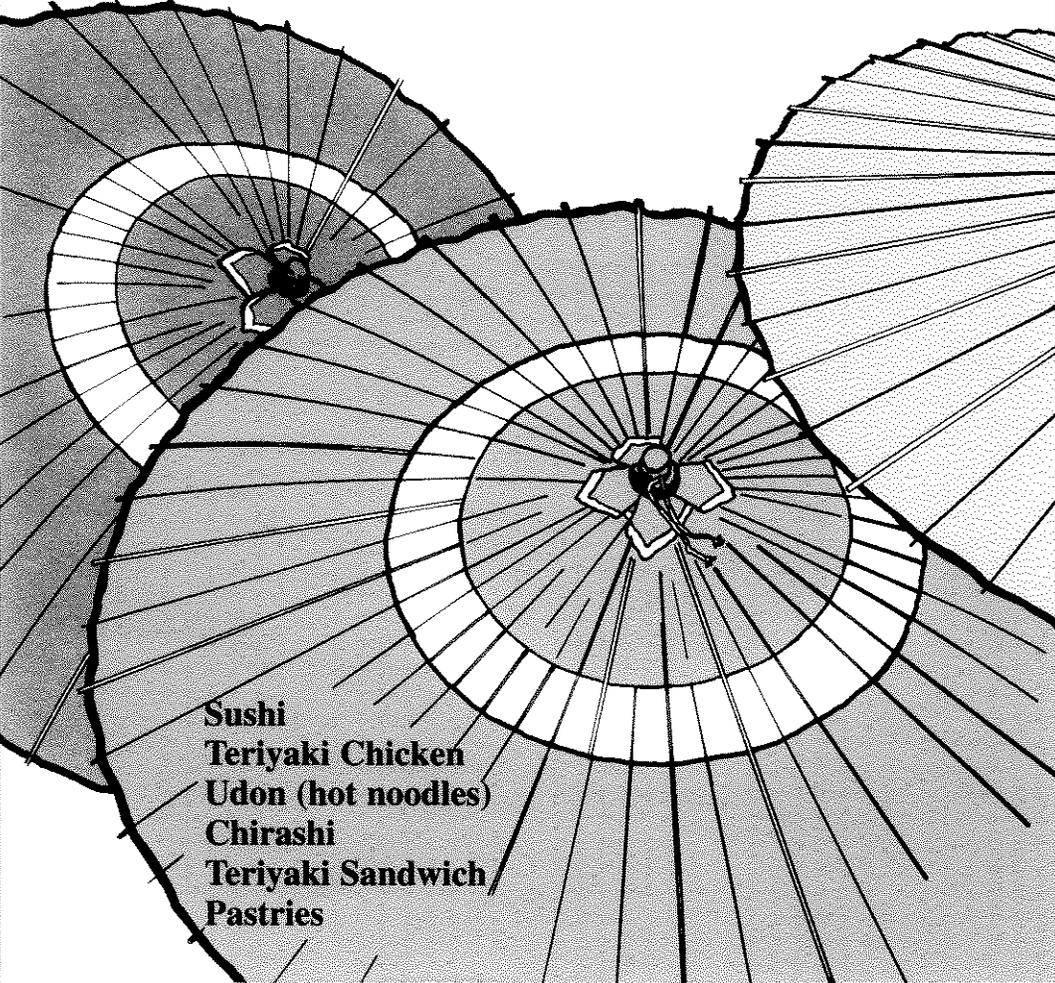
ED IMAI

Happy New Year to everyone! And sincerely hope you all had a wonderful Christmas holiday. Over the past month, the following members performed maintenance on the Betsuin's facilities. The Betsuin is sincerely appreciative to the following members for volunteering their time, expertise and hard efforts:

- Emily Furukawa, Ken Furukawa, Don Honda, Roy Imura and Gary Traganza for installing new white boards in classrooms #1 and #2. This is for partial completion of Emily's Girl Scouts Gold Award. Special thanks to Gary for ordering and picking up the boards and coordinating their installation.
- Don Honda and Gary Traganza for refinishing shelves and cabinets in the main kitchen as a requirement of the Betsuin's kitchen health inspection operating permit.
- Gary Traganza for purchase and installation of fluorescent light bulb protectors (42). Installed two electronic ballasts and photo eye for the outside lights above the entrance to the courtyard.
- Congratulations to Drew Quan for completing his Eagle Scout project of constructing four redwood benches that are located outside the main entrance to the church.

Buddhist Church of Sacramento

Spring Food Festival



Sushi
Teriyaki Chicken
Udon (hot noodles)
Chirashi
Teriyaki Sandwich
Pastries

Sunday, March 14, 2010

10:30 a.m. - until sold out or 3 p.m.

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DHARMA SCHOOL

KEN FURUKAWA



DONATIONS

February is a busy month, and a good time to reflect that one of the basic tenets of Jodo Shinshu is focusing on now... enjoying and appreciating every moment. That can be hard as we all juggle personal, family, temple, and work events and responsibilities. I know that is the certainly the case with me, and at times I feel a bit cast off.

Luckily my family and my limited understanding of the Dharma really keep me centered and remind me of the important things, including the unconditional love (and loving-kindness) all around me... I just have to open my eyes (and heart) to look. By doing so I remember one of those important things is remembering the teachings of Sakyamuni Buddha, which became the Dharma we seek to understand.

This month, on February 14, we observe Nirvana Day and the passing of the Buddha from this life to Nirvana. Isn't it fitting that this also is the American observance of a day dedicated to others we love? As part of this observance we hold a Dharma School Open House after service in place of class. Think of this as Dharma School class for parents! Please take this opportunity to appreciate the work your children have done in class. Enjoy the multiple arts and crafts projects, and engage the teachers to find out how these have been used to facilitate your child's understanding of the Dharma and Jodo Shinshu.

The first Sunday, February 7, is Scout Sunday. This service recognizes the special place the scouting programs hold in the development of our children at the Betsuin, and due to its length and speakers there is no class after service.

In Gassho.

Dharma School "Courtyard" gratefully acknowledges donations from the following:

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Reverend Peter Inokoji-Kim	Edith & David Matsuoka	Fusako Yokoyama
Minnie Iseri	Ed & Janet Mizutani	

BOY SCOUTS

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Please be aware that articles for the SANGHA are **due** on the **15th of each month**. Late articles will be published in the following month's issue.

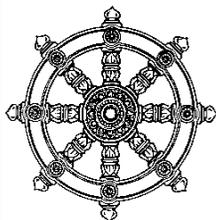
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December 2009: The last month in year 2009 for Boy Scout Troop 50. The last year designers get off easy with the design of the 2009 New Year's glasses. A year where over 75 percent of boys advanced at least one rank in the troop, and over 200 merit badges were earned. Despite all the year-end festivity, December was one of the quieter months for Troop 50.

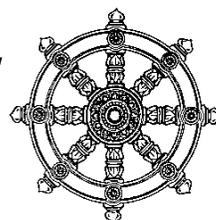
On December 4, Troop 50 had its annual Year-End Dinner, where the Scouts and their families were invited to eat a delicious potluck dinner, catch up with one another, watch some hilarious skits, and of course, participate in the gift exchange.

One week later on December 11, Ms. Yee took an eager group of 42 Boy Scouts to "The Gun Room," where they shot .22 caliber rifles. Thirty of them earned a Junior USA Shooting Team 2009 Patch. We even had one Scout, Trenton Lee, score a perfect score with five bulls-eyes! The event was made possible through generous donations: Thank you to the Sacramento Chapter of Safari Club International, the Hirano Family, the Sacramento County Firearms Education and Safety Council, and The Gun Room.

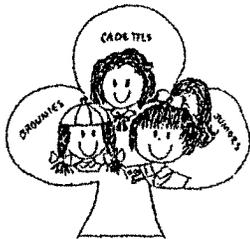
On December 18, the last meeting of 2009, there was a Green Bar meeting where senior Scouts met to plan out the troop's activities and the troop meeting. The boys enjoyed a troop-wide scavenger hunt and overnight stay. That concluded the great year of 2009, and wishing you a great new year: Troop 50.



Welcome New Members
Ronald Ikemoto
Mari Lynn Shimamoto



GIRL SCOUTS
KRISTI OMOTO/
ELLEN SHINFUKU



Brownies 4 had an enjoyable time at the Juniors 4-led “Brownie Girl Scout Ways” Try-It meeting. Juniors 4 planned, coordinated and prepared four exciting activity stations. The girls learned educational facts at the “Be Prepared” emergency kit station, “Girl Scout Ways” sign book station, “Girl Scout Law” puzzle and bookmark station, and “S’mores” station. Juniors 4’s leadership skills are truly extraordinary! Thank you, Juniors 4, for helping Brownies 4 earn their “Brownie Girl Scout Ways” Try-It!

Brownies 4 also earned their Healthy Habits Try-It. **Deborah H. Owyang D.D.S.** discussed the importance of keeping your teeth and gums healthy and cavity prevention strategies. Thank you, Deborah Owyang D.D.S., for teaching Brownies 4 about good oral hygiene and proper nutrition! Brownies 4 attended the Zink the Zebra event, where they learned the importance of being kind and sensitive to others who appear different from them. They were also taught the fundamental values of understanding, respect, compassion and acceptance. The girls earned the Zink the Zebra patch and Zink bean bag at the end of the event.

Juniors 2 purchased and delivered recycling bins to every classroom at their school, **Matsuyama Elementary School**. They introduced a paper recycling program for all classrooms to help save trees and protect the environment. What a great project. Way to go, Juniors 2!

Juniors 4 had a great time at the IMAX showing of *A Christmas Carol* during December. They are looking forward to being able to complete some try-its in the next few months and are continuing to work on their Junior Aide badge.

Troop 569-08 Seniors organized a canned food drive during the November 13, 2009 investiture/rededication ceremony. We are happy to announce that 355 pounds of food were collected and the Sacramento Food Link picked up the boxed food Saturday, November 14. Troop 569-08 would like to thank all of the 569 troops for making this a successful canned food drive.

Some of our girls were fortunate to volunteer on Saturday, December 5, 2009 and filled 1,300 boxes of food to be distributed to the community. Thank you to Bev Sato for taking, watching and boxing food herself.

California Emergency Food Link was founded in May 1992, with the mission of finding sensible solutions to hunger and food scarcity. Food Link is also a member of the America’s Second Harvest, which is the largest domestic hunger relief organization in the United States. These efforts are successful, not only through collaborations between public and private organizations, but it also depends and relies on the support and hard work of members in the community like us!

Scout Sunday Service will be February 7. Guest speaker for the Girl Scouts will be **Dr. Alice Tom**, Dean, College of Continuing Education, California State University, Sacramento and Scout leader for Cadettes 3.

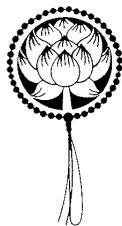
Girl Scout Cookies: Hope everyone was able to purchase some delicious Girl Scout cookies. Cookie delivery will be **Wednesday, February 10** in the kaikan.

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- Helen Imai..... December 29, 1927 - December 6, 2009*
- Kazuko Fujii Pericone February 1, 1931 – December 25, 2009*
- Tomiko Shimamoto July 10, 1915 – December 27, 2009*
- Masao Fujikawa November 23, 1919 – December 28, 2009*
- Jack Kaneshige October 7, 1927 – December 28, 2009*
- Masako Jill Okabe..... February 12, 1914 – January 3, 2010*
- Thomas Toru Sasaki April 2, 1924 – January 5, 2010*

SPORTS COMMITTEE
ALAN WU



Well hello there, fancy meeting you here. It's February and it will come and go just like that. So on your mark... get set... go:

We would first like to thank Steve Kiyama for getting a gear from the mochi grinding machines repaired because after many attempts to locate a replacement gear of the exact size and shape with no success, he fabricated a thing-a-ma-jig which attached to the fluxcapacitor, and presto, we have a fully functional gear once again. Even our master mochi machine mechanic, Mr. Rod Kunisaki, was very impressed with the way that gear turned out. And many thanks again to Sam Adachi for spending countless hours in front of Oto's Marketplace to sell all of our extra mochi, which many sources close to Sam say it's good for him, because it keeps him out of trouble. Speaking of trouble, it is a good thing we have sooooo many extra refrigerators and freezers just lying around to store the mochi while Sam is busy selling it; otherwise, we would be in big trouble and hip-deep in spoiled mochi if any of those freezers got unplugged. Okay, take a deep breath... now go again!

The basketball league is in the home stretch now with the final games to be played in February, and don't forget that Sunday, February 7 is Superbowl Sunday, so all our basketball games will be played on Saturday, February 6, otherwise known as Superbowl Eve, so make sure to check with your Team Mom for that Saturday schedule and game location, because you not only want to show up for the game on the right day, but you also want to show up for the game at the right gym, and that would mean that you would miss out on the game that you wanted to see, and that would not be a good thing to do, and since it is nearing the end of the league, that means that the tournaments will soon be here, so the teams are gearing up for tournament action coming in March, and oh, by the way, this year will be our 39th Annual Betsuin Basketball Tournament, and it will be held on March 6 and March 7 at various gym locations, so stay tuned for more details. So that will end February; see you in March.

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Mari Lynn Shimamoto	In Memory of Tomi Shimamoto	\$1,100
Okabe Family	In Memory of Masako Okabe	\$1,000
Kaneshige Family	In Memory of Jack Kaneshige	\$700
Masao Fujikawa Family	In Memory of Masao Fujikawa	\$600
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Christine Tsubokura	In Memory of Masao Fujikawa	\$50
May Fujii	In Memory of Kenji Furuta	\$20

MEMORIAL

Tessie Goi Family	13th Year for Frank Goi	\$300
Julia Matsui	3rd Year for George Matsui	\$300
Sally Muranaka	3rd Year for Sam Muranaka	\$300
Onuki Family	49th Day for Tracy Onuki	\$250
Susie Imai	49th Day for April Ohara	\$200
Patty Miyao, Janice & Brian Fujita,		
Teresa & Buck Fong	7th Year for Kiyoko Miyao	\$200
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Katsuye Gotow	49th Day for Kaoru Gotow	\$100
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M/M Naomi Higaki	1st Year for Frank Miwa	\$100
Brad Honda, Cara Honda,		
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Kyle & Dorothy Kumasaki	49th Day for Sachie Kumasaki	\$100
April Ohara Family	49th Day for April Ohara	\$100
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M/M Tom Matsumoto	In Memory of Ukio Furuike	\$50
Kaz & Yuri Omoto	49th Day for Sachie Kumasaki	\$50
Mits & Miyo Omoto	49th Day for Sachie Kumasaki	\$50
Hiroshi Oto	49th Day for Kaoru Gotow	\$50
Kaneo Yamamoto	7th Year for Kiyo Miyao	\$50
Ben & Kazuko Makishima	49th Day for Sakae Ikemoto	\$35
John & Kristi Fujimoto	49th Day for Sachie Kumasaki	\$30
Eddie & Kelli Lee Family	49th Day for Sachie Kumasaki	\$30

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Ron & Ellen Ishimoto	17th Year for Kiyoshi Ishimoto	\$25
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Akito & Lillian Kushida	In Memory of Sagami Tanihana	\$20
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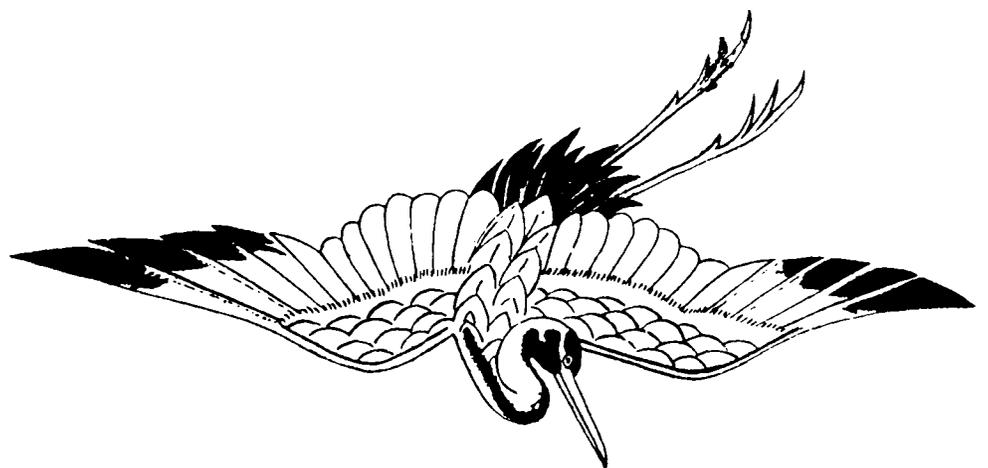
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