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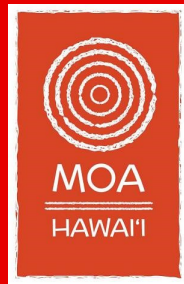
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EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S MESSAGE

Aloha Everyone,

Mokichi Okada wrote the following regarding *The Principle of Purification*.

"The spiritual world is infinitely more rarified and transparent than air. It is natural that it has been considered nonexistent until today. Not only does this spiritual world exist, it is the source of all things in Nature. The spiritual world has absolute and unlimited power. Everything comes into existence and grows through this power. The essence of the spiritual world is the harmonious union of the spirits of the sun, moon, and earth. It is an ethereal and inexplicable world, beyond imagination. In fulfilling the roles and functions they have, human beings cloud (impurities) their spirits in the same way that dirt builds up and remains on their physical bodies. A natural purification process occurs to the spirit the way the physical body is cleansed of built-up dirt by taking a bath. The purification process occurs not just in human beings but for everything in this world. For example, in the spiritual world above the earth, when impurities accumulate and concentrate in a certain area, through natural processes a purifying action of low atmospheric pressure occurs to clean that area. Storms, floods, and fires caused by lightning are forms of that purifying action." (The Spirit Is Primary and the Body Is Secondary; 1952)

"Just what are impurities? Impurities are clouding formed by less than pure thoughts, words, and actions of human beings. Evilness in minds, speech, and actions influences the invisible spiritual world. The truth is clouding comes into existence in the spiritual world as a consequence of such evil. Because impurities do accumulate in the spiritual world, it is a matter of course that the cleaning process occurs naturally. Impurities are blown away by wind and washed away by water in storms and are no different from the cleaning processes of the physical world. Accordingly, ascertaining and explaining the source of impurities is the key to finding the absolute solution. Just from the fact that severe storms are happening more frequently today, you can understand how people's minds have deteriorated and how commonplace and more frequent are evil speech and actions. ...

Since human beings create storms, they suffer from them. Nature is very proficient and operates in exactly the same way that the purification process called illness develops when impurities accumulate in the human body." (Storms Are Disasters Caused by Human Error!; January 30, 1950)

Let's not contribute to the clouding of our spirit or this world by refraining from negative thoughts, words and actions. By practicing

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MOA KOHRINKA

MOA Kohrinka flower classes are based on Mokichi Okada's deep respect for the life of flowers and its positive influence on man. He arranged flowers using and expressing the best features found in Nature.

The Kohrinka curriculum stresses three basic concepts:

- 1) Care for the flowers
- 2) Care for the implements
- 3) Etiquette in arranging. The joy of arranging beautiful flowers will enrich your life.

Nuuanu (3510 Nuuanu Pali Drive)

Jessie Nakata

2nd & 4th Tuesday 6:30 pm—8:30 pm

2nd & 4th Thursday 4:30 pm—6:30 pm

Kahala

Karen Takane

2nd & 4th Saturday 9:30 am—12:00 pm

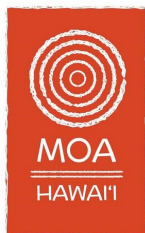
For more information, please contact Arts & Culture Manager, Roy Goshi-Otaguro, at 222-2031.

Cost

- Class Fee: \$10 Per Session (includes flowers)
- \$5 for students under 18 yrs.

New Students

- One time initiation fee to join MOA (\$25)
- Textbooks
- MOA Kohrinka Textbook (\$20)
- MOA Kohrinka Guidebook (\$8)
- Kohrinka Notebook (\$1)



The MOA Supporter System

We cordially invite you to be a part of our MOA Supporter System. MOA Supporters contribute a vital piece to the overall development and expansion of all our outreach and community activities. Together, we will make a difference for the welfare of society.

Questions: please contact us at:
(808) 952-6900 • Email: info@moahawaii.org
Website: www.moahawaii.org

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- \$50 Family (2 or more individuals)

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Make checks payable to: **MOA Hawaii**.
Pledges and gifts for higher amounts can be made as monthly or quarterly gifts. Donations to MOA Hawai'i are tax deductible.

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<p>* Kohrinka (Flower Arranging) Classes are held at the Toho No Hikari Social Hall, 3510 Nuuuanu Pali Drive</p>	<p>* OPT Continuous Education Level I Basic Therapist Level II Inter. Therapist (no classes in June)</p>			1	2 Okazaki/Liu *Kohrinka 6:00pm	3
4	5	6 Dr. Garcia 10:00am-12:00pm Nakata *Kohrinka 6:30pm	7 OHWP @ Kaneohe Community Center 8:30-10:30am Osaka Okonomiyaki Café 12:00-1:00pm MOA Board Meeting 6:30pm	8 Nakata *Kohrinka 4:30pm	9	10 Takane *Kohrinka 9:30am-12:00pm OHWP @ Valley of the Temples Byodo-in 12:00-3:00pm
11	12 OHWP @ Pearlridge Center Uptown 8:30-10:30am	13 Dr. Garcia 10:00am-12:00pm Shoda/Suenaga *Kohrinka, 12:30-2:30pm	14 OHWP @ Kaneohe Community Center 8:30-10:30am Iwamoto Branch Continuous Care @ 7:00pm	15	16	17
18	19 * OPT Continuous Education Level I @ 3:00pm	20 Dr. Garcia 10:00am-12:00pm Nakata *Kohrinka 6:30pm	21 OHWP @ Kaneohe Community Center 8:30-10:30am *OPT Continuous Education Level I 9:30am	22 Nakata *Kohrinka 4:30pm	23	24 Takane *Kohrinka 9:30am-12:00pm Otaguro/Tom *Kohrinka 10:00am-12:00pm Ebesugawa/ Nakano/Suenaga *Kohrinka 1:00-3:00pm
25	26 OHWP @ Pearlridge Center Uptown 8:30-10:30am	27 Dr. Garcia 10:00am-12:00pm	28 OHWP @ Kaneohe Community Center 8:30-10:30am MOA Seminar "Purification" 9:30-11:00am	29	30	

OSAKA OKONOMIYAKI CAFÉ

Wednesday, June 7

12:00-1:00 p.m.

\$12 - MOA Members

\$17 - Non-Members

Call - 952-6900 for information

OPT CONTINUOUS EDUCATION

Level I (Basic Therapist) Course

Monday, June 19 - 3:00 p.m.

Wednesday, June 21 - 9:30 a.m.

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and sharing the Okada Health and Wellness Program (OHWP) daily with others we can decrease the clouding and improve the condition of this world.

Seminar

This month's theme is *Purification*. To study further about *purification*, I will be conducting a seminar at the MOA Wellness Center on Wednesday, June 28, from 9:30-11:00 a.m. Please call the Wellness Center at 952-6900 to reserve your space.

Norman Oshiro
Executive Director

Okada Health and Wellness Programs

June 12 (Monday) – 8:30-10:30 a.m. - Pearlridge Center-Uptown

June 10 (Saturday) – 12:00-3:00 p.m. - Valley of the Temples Byodo-in

June 26 (Monday) – 8:30-10:30 a.m. - Pearlridge Center-Uptown

June 7, 14, 21, 28 (Wednesday) - 8:30-10:30 a.m. - Kaneohe Community Center



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