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Camp Smith named MIH Project of the Year

The Masonry Institute of Hawaii hosted the end of the Year luncheon at Honolulu International Country Club on Wednesday, January 29, 2014. Rod Haraga, Director, presented the year in review. Among the highlights of 2013 were two sell-out seminars for Special Inspection of Masonry and Mortar and Grout presented by John Chrysler, President of the Masonry Institute of America. The MCAH/MIH Scholarship Golf tournament held in June, 2013 was a huge success. Four \$2,000 scholarships were awarded to Almarine Kitchens, Toby Yamamoto, Hope Sarmiento and Glory Sarmiento. The student chapters for the AIA and ASCE were given a \$1,000 donation for their help to the tournament.



Camp Smith – Physical Fitness Center

Project of the Year:

Camp Smith Physical Fitness Center

Owner: U.S. Marines
 Architect: Architects Hawaii, Ltd.
 Contractor: AMEC-NAN Joint Venture, LLC
 Mason Contractor: Construction Systems Hawaii, LLC.



Lloyd Arakaki- Principal in Charge – Architects Hawaii presents the design concept that created the award winning Camp Smith – Physical Fitness Center



Rod Haraga, Ryan Wada, Chairman MIH, Darren Iida – NAN Inc., Cary Shimamoto-Construction Systems Hawaii, Sharnell Shimamoto-Construction Systems Hawaii, James Frifeldt-AMEC, Lloyd Arakaki- Architects Hawaii, Paul Kasahara-Architects Hawaii and Michael Kim-Architects Hawaii

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According to Lloyd Arakaki, Principal in Charge, the CMU is the ideal material for this project because of its durability and ease of maintenance. In addition, the use of regular, split faced and colored CMU offers greater design flexibility and variety in pattern and texture. Bands of varying colors and textures add interest to the geometric pattern of the CMU and a scalar element to the visual composition. It also avoids the need for added finishes or paint. The optimal combination of beauty, flexibility, economy and durability makes CMU an ideal material for this project.

MIDDLE STREET TRANSIT CENTER WINS NATIONAL AWARD

Mr. John Ida of Urban Works was notified that the Middle Street Transit Center was awarded the NCMA award for 2013. Congratulations to the design and construction teams for this prestigious national recognition.



Middle Street Transit Center

Mr. John Ida describes the selection of using heavy, solid burnished faced CMU to provide openness of the platform area and roof. The CMU walls doubles as a structural and finish material for both exterior and interior. The dark gray of the solid, burnished face block walls provides a contrast to the light and airy steel structure of the butterfly roof above. A stacked bond pattern was chosen to create clean and minimal lines.

Owner: City and County of Honolulu
 Architect: Urban Works
 General Contractor: T. Iida Contracting
 Mason Contractor: Quality General, Inc.
 Cost: \$11.5 million

MCAH/MIH SCHOLARSHIP GOLF TOURNAMENT

It's time to buy those muscle relaxers and pain killers as the MCAH/MIH joins in sponsoring its 37th Annual Scholarship Golf Tournament at Pearl Country Club on Tuesday, **June 24, 2014**. Check the MIH website at www.masonryhawaii.com for the registration form.



Middle Street Transit Center at dusk

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Golf Tournament (cont.)

There will be a whole host of food, drinks and golf bags galore and many other prizes to help encourage you to sign up early for the tournament. If you'd like to be a tournament sponsor and help us raise funds for scholarships, there are three levels of sponsorship: Gold (\$1,500), Silver (\$1,000) and Bronze (\$700). Donations to this golf tournament are tax deductible under Federal Tax I.D. 61-1696445.

Please join the MCAH/MIH in a fun filled afternoon of golf and friendship. We're sure the golf outing will be a memorable experience.



Picture Perfect Swing - Julie Miyagi

Filing Period Open for Scholarships

The MCAH/MIH has announced that up to four \$2,000 scholarships will be awarded at its annual scholarship golf tournament on June 24, 2014. The application form may be found on our website at: www.masonryhawaii.com. The scholarship is available to members who are affiliated with the American Institute of Architects, Structural Engineers Association of Hawaii, Laborer's Union Local 386 and Mason Contractors Association of Hawaii. Filing deadline is: May 30, 2014.



Hope Sarmiento, Toby Yamamoto and Glory Sarmiento (not shown Almarine Kitchens) are winners of \$2,000 scholarships