

North Shore Outdoor Circle

General Membership Meeting



On Monday, October 26th in Waimea Valley, the North Shore Outdoor Circle held their biannual General Membership Meeting. It was a fun, delicious, informative event enjoyed by all.



Myles Ritchie swearing in our new board. Yvonne Alexander - Treasurer, Kerry Germain - President, Lea Albert - 2nd VP, Ruth Holmberg - Recording Secretary, Noelle Sutherland - Corresponding Secretary, Kathy Whitmire - Advisor, Rex Dubiel Shanahan - 1st VP, and Leslie (Tinker) Blomfield - Advisor.



Keeping the North Shore - Clean, Green, and Beautiful

**We presented
Beautification Awards
to community members,
paid tribute to past
President Patsy Gibson
and learned about
Kapa Cloth from
Page Chang.**



Committee Chairs - Mary Lou Lee: Beautification, Dawn Peerson: Beautification, Vera Stone: Publicity, Carolyn Sandison: Signs, and Peggy Cutting: Membership.



Upcoming Event

Circa 1950's courtesy UH Archival Department



*It does
look like
an ear!*



On Nov 3, the North Shore Outdoor Circle along with Friends of Waialua Library and Sugarpine Development will host a special event. The huge, ancient Ear Pod Tree (*Enterolobium cyclocarpum*) next to the Waialua Library will be groomed for the first time since 1991 by Oahu Tree Works. This tree, planted 114 years ago during the sugar plantation days, is an important tree in our community. It was designated an Exceptional Tree on Oahu in 1976 but never received a plaque. It will finally be receiving that plaque at a later date this year to honor its place in our community.



The Ear Pod Tree today, next to the Waialua Library.

Please stop by to see the work and visit our information table. If you would like to volunteer on that day, please contact us at nsoutdoorcircle@hawaii.rr.com or on our FaceBook page at NSOC.