

The Enmanji Sangha



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Teriyaki BBQ and Bazaar



Sunday, July 12
10:00am to 5:00pm

*Check work schedules inside



Obon Odori
Saturday, July 18
7:00pm

Obon Service
Sunday, July 19
10:30am
Guest Speaker:
Ryuta Furumoto,
San Mateo Buddhist Temple

Nembutsu Notes

by Rev. C. Myokei Himaka

How Green are you willing to go?

In the latest edition of the local North Bay Bohemian paper, I read a fascinating story about the growing movement known as "natural burial." What it consists of is "no embalming, burial in a biodegradable container, which would be a shroud or a wooden box or a cardboard fiber box or a woven wicker box, ideally going into a piece of ground that is maintained in a natural state." This description was given by Cynthia Beal, cofounder of the Eugene, Ore-based Natural Burial Company.

Apparently this practice has been done in Great Britain for nearly 20 years. The procedure is offered as another choice for customers who want "the natural option." As you can imagine traditional cemeteries and funeral directors find it difficult to make this offer, as it requires new products and changing ways of doing things.

One local cemetery that does offer this option is the old Daphne Fernwood Cemetery in Marin. This 133 year old cemetery was recently purchased by Tyler Cassidy in 2004 and he decided to make natural burial an option for his customers.

The Fernwood Cemetery is set in a rugged piece of property surrounded by trees and hillsides. Burial sites are not lined up in rows, nor are headstones uniform. Many plots are identified by natural stones of various sizes or small trees, or some left unmarked. Location of a burial site is possible by use of a radio

Sunday Morning
Dharma Class - 9:30am
All levels of
seekers welcome

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B. W. A. News

by Nancy Yoshioka

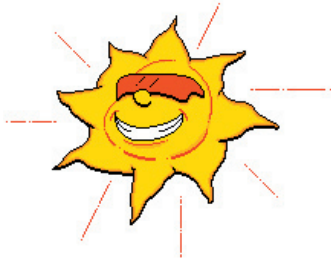
Keiko Furusho presided at the June 7 meeting, following topics were discussed:

1. Donations gratefully received from M/M Gary Masada in memory of father George and from Chiyo Miyano – special.
2. Completed Hawaiian fabric aprons were shown.
3. Those planning to attend the October 9-11 FBWA Conference in Sacramento should contact Keiko as soon as possible. Also think about attending the Japan World Conference (BWA) in 2011.
4. BD BWL Hoppo-Fukuoka activities discussed: welcome dinner, entertainment, etc.
5. Can opener purchased by Alyce Sugiyama.

Our next meeting is August 2 from 11:30 am – please join us after the service!

Dharma School News

by Loren Miyasaki



Our Dharma School teachers were acknowledged and presented gifts of appreciation from the Enmanji Board during the June 7 Shotsuki Hoyo Service. Lisa Kaku, Laurie Shimizu, Linda Miyasaki and Bob Shimizu cannot be thanked enough for all their time and dedication to our program.

July will be a busy month. The students and parents will be helping Lisa with the children's game booths during the Teriyaki BBQ and Bazaar. On Saturday, July 18 the Dharma School will have our concession selling refreshments during the Obon.

Hope everyone has a great summer!

BEC News

by Rev. Himaka and Sydney Yamashita

We are continuing to offer Meditation Sessions on Wednesday evenings, at 7:30pm, with Rev. Hozan Hardiman.

Rev. Himaka is also continuing to offer her evening Dharma Group Discussion at 7:30pm. The date for July's meeting will be July 9. We meet in the Library room of the Hall.

Due to scheduling conflicts our monthly Dharma at the Movies has been postponed again. Please keep checking back for the next time.

Our "Dharma of Music" session with Rev. Hardiman has been scheduled for Fall of '09. Further information will be announced at a later date.

We are always open to suggestions regarding Dharma speakers or activities. Please share your suggestions with Sydney Yamashita or Rev. Himaka.

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with the name of the person and the dates, so even if the surrounding terrain changes they can always be located.

The argument for natural burials is an extension of the environmental considerations behind all things "green." Cremation, they argue, uses a "significant amount of natural gas." Cremation also releases pollutants into the air despite modern filtering efforts. Costs too are another consideration.

In anycase, such a choice is more likely to be made by those who more carefully consider their departure from this world. Maybe this non-invasive return to the earth that has supported us actually is one more way to express our gratitude to the world. namoamidabutsu.



Obon At Enmanji

Our Obon festivities will take place on the weekend of July 18 and 19. Saturday's Obon dancing will begin at 7 pm. We will be setting up chairs and tables at 4 p.m. for those who can come out early to help. Assistants will be here by 6 p.m. to help dress the dancers. As in the past this turns out to be a pot-luck event so please bring something to share as we will eat at about 5 p.m.

The Dharma School will once again be in charge of refreshments. Udon will be served to all of the participating dancers. The Enmanji BWA will also be selling imagawayaki. Sonoma County Taiko will be entertaining during the intermission.

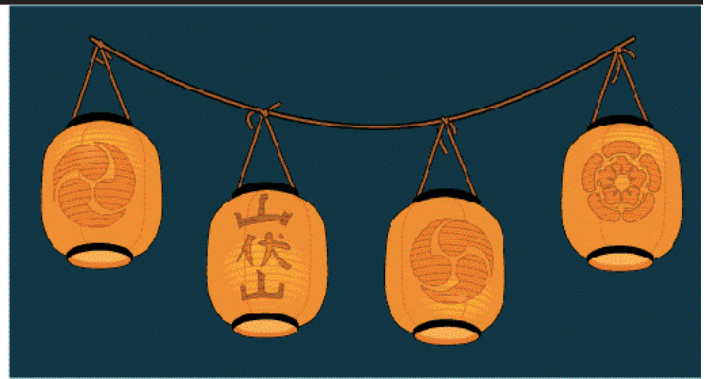
The Obon Service on Sunday, July 19 will begin at 10:30 a.m. The Hatsubon families, those who have lost a loved one since the last Obon, will bring a candle offering up to the altar during the service. These candles will be provided by the Temple.

Rev. Ryuta Furumoto from San Mateo will be the guest speaker for the Obon Service. After the service we are planning to have lunch at the Sushi Hana Restaurant in Sebastopol. The cost will be \$10 per person. Please let Loren Miyasaki know if you are going to the restaurant to help in the reservation count.

Hatsubon Families for 2008-2009

Families of:

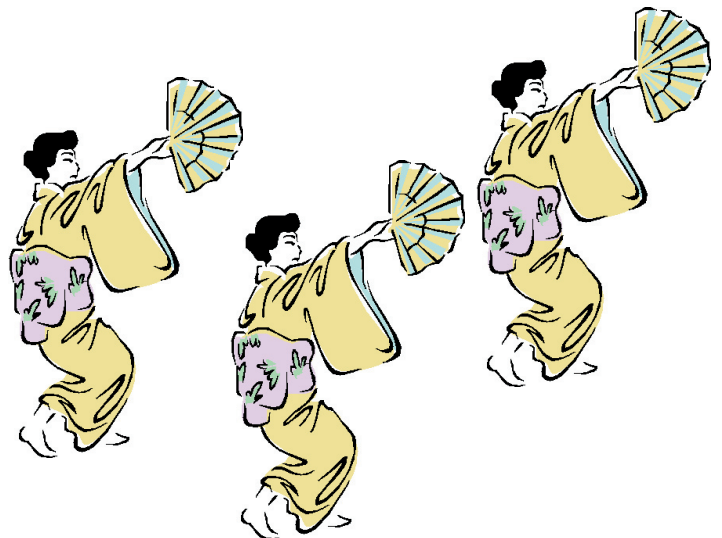
Martha Yoneko Taniguchi
Mary Sakiko Noguchi
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Emiko Moreland
Mitsuo Tsujihara
George Masao Masada



Obon Odori Practice

The Obon Odori at Enmanji will take place on Saturday, July 18, at 7 p.m. In preparation for this festive event the Obon dance practice will be directed once again by Mrs. Mary Ann Goodman and her team of assistants. Practice will be held at the Memorial Hall starting on Tuesday evening, July 14, from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. and for each night through Friday July 17. Everyone is encouraged to come to practices. No experience is necessary. Enjoy the music and get some exercise at the same time!

On Friday evening, July 17, the Yagura will be constructed in preparation for the Obon. We are asking the guys to come out that evening and lend a hand in setting up the Yagura and lights. On Saturday July 18 starting at 4 p.m. we will be setting up the outside chairs and inside tables. Refreshments will served a 5 p.m. so please bring a pot-luck dish to share.



Donation**Acknowledgments**

Enmanji Buddhist Temple and its affiliate organizations wishes to express sincere appreciation for the many donations received from members and friends.

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August Shotsuki Hoyo

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(5-10-09)

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Enmanji Buddhist Temple Membership Form - 2009

For those wishing to either become members, or to continue your membership with the Enmanji Buddhist Temple, please fill out the form below and submit it to the temple office. Please write "Membership" on the outside of the envelope.

Please indicate member status:

Name _____

☐ **Current Member**

Address _____

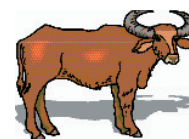
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City, State, ZIP _____

Telephone: (____) _____

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	Quarterly	Annually
<input type="checkbox"/> Single Adult Member (less than 75 yrs old)	\$45.00	\$180.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Family Membership	\$90.00	\$360.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Senior Single Membership (+75 yrs old)	\$25.00	\$100.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Senior Couple (both +75 yrs old)	\$50.00	\$200.00
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<input type="checkbox"/> Sustaining Membership (Single)	\$68.75	\$275.00
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<input type="checkbox"/> Special Donation for _____		



ENMANJI BOARD MEETING

21 June 2009

ATTENDING: Dr Kent Matsuda (presiding), Rev. Carol Himaka, Robert Furukawa, Kinu Iwamoto, Tomio Iwamoto, Mary Kawahara, Julene Leach, Ken Morita, David Murakami, Larry Ono, Russell Ono, Martin Shimizu, Paula Shimizu, Phyllis Tajii, George Thow, Jim Wakayama, Caroline Yamasaki, Lloyd Yamasaki, Ray Yamasaki, Roy Yamashita, Sydney Yamashita, Keiko Furusho.

The meeting was called to order at 12:18 pm by Dr Kent Matsuda, President. Reverend Himaka led gassho. Recent correspondences received noted.

Reports

1. President's Report (Dr Matsuda). Reported attending Enmanji Finance Committee meeting on 30 May; attended the BCA National Board Meeting at the Jodo-Shinshu Center.
2. Minister's Report. Rev. Himaka enumerated activities for May, including visit requests, funeral/memorial services performed (late Mr Tsujihara, Mr. George Masada); Memorial Day services May 24 at various cemeteries (w/Martin Shimizu). Visited by about 25 senior students from the Sonoma Academy (where Dr. Kivett's children attend).
3. Treasurer's Report. Caroline Yamasaki distributed financial report for year to date (YTD). May income \$8,384 (rounded), May expenses \$7,240, YTD expenses \$62,119.
4. Jr. YBA (Paula Shimizu). No activity.
5. Japanese Language School (George Thow). The 8-mo. course completed. A one-day intensive refresher course currently being considered.
6. Membership (Dr Matsuda). Temple membership to date 170, with 128 paid (115 fully paid, 13 partially paid). Dues received to date \$19,670.
7. Dharma School (Dr Matsuda). Dharma School teachers given \$50 gift certificates to a local restaurant at 7 June service.
8. Property (Russell Ono). Rev. Himaka asked about fixing gas leak (possible pilot light?) in kitchen stove; Russ will look into problem. Bids received for repairing chain-link fence along Gravenstein Hwy: low bid (\$1,296) by Difranc Fence Co. Bids to repair leaky flat parts of Hall roofs received: low bid \$11,000 from Cornerstone Roofing. M/S/P to accept bids from Difranc Fence and Cornerstone Roofing.
9. Hall Usage (Julene Leach). Ken Ishizu

requested use of the Hall on 7-8 August for a birthday party.

10. BWA (Keiko Furusho). Detailed report of BWA activities provided in another column of this Sangha.
11. BEC (Sydney Yamashita). Rev. Hardiman continues meditation workshop Wednesday evenings. He will give presentation on "Dharma of Music" in November. Enmanji to commemorate Shinran Shonin 750th Memorial Observation together with the Ho-Onko service on November 15.

OLD BUSINESS

1. Lina Hoshino Request for Financial Aid for Video Project. Phyllis Tajii reported that Lina unable to attend JACL meeting but sent a written request for financial aid. Her proposal to be discussed at meeting of JACL and Enmanji committees.
2. 75th Anniversary Celebration (Clare Shimizu). Congratulatory letter from Monshu requires Enmanji to send a minimum of \$500 orei to Hongwanji.
3. Counting Membership. Discussion about who should be counted as member of church and reported to BCA tabled last month. In absence of membership chairman Loren Miyasaki, discussion put back until August.
4. Obon (Martin Shimizu). Obon practice 14-17 July; yagura set up on 17th. Marianne Goodman leading/instructing practice; band that played last year will be requested to play again this year.

NEW BUSINESS

1. Bay District Council Meeting 28 May 2009 (Dr Matsuda and Keiko Furusho). Palo Alto Buddhist resolution to seek permanent funding for the Center for Buddhist Education (CBE) failed. A DVD of the Amida's Family Conference is available for viewing.
2. BCA National Board meeting, 6 June 2009 (Dr Matsuda). The BD Shinran Shonin 750th Memorial Service on 7-8 Feb 2010 at San Jose Betsuin. Delegates requested to use Fairmont Hotel. National Council Meeting to be held in conjunction with the 750th, but registration will be separate. BCA Endowment Foundation reported 26% decrease over past year. Two \$1M pledges announced, one for CBE, the other for IBS. Changes in Campaign: funds raised for JSC building and for CBE folded into Campaign such that all donations to the CBE, JSC, or the Campaign considered as contributions to Campaign. The BCA will trademark its name, abbreviation, and the crest.

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3. Minister's Compensation. Board voted down recommendations agreed to by Socho Ogui, Rev. Himaka, and Enmanji Finance Committee. Committee to meet again to draft compensation package acceptable to all parties.

Gassho,

Tomio Iwamoto,
Co-Secretary

Toban for BBQ Assignments for Refreshments during Teriyaki Preparation Week and Clean-Up Day

Toban chairpersons are listed. Please contact your Toban chair if you have any questions.

Monday, July 6 July Toban
Matsumi Sugiyama, 546-3739
Keiko Furusho

Tuesday, July 7 August Toban
Fumi Tajii, 544-4023
Lily Okamoto

Wednesday, July 8 Sept Toban
Diane Ono, 576-7966
Mary Fok

Thursday, July 9 Oct Toban
Bob Furukawa, 762-8767
Dr. Bill Kivett

Friday, July 10 Nov / Dec Tobans
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Helen Kobayashi

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Saturday, July 11 July / Aug Tobans
Matsumi Sugiyama, 546-3739
Keiko Furusho

Fumi Tajii, 544-4023
Lily Okamoto

Monday, July 13 Sept Toban
Diane Ono, 576-7966
Mary Fok

ENMAN NO TOMO NEWS

JUNE 6, 2009
Kinu Iwamoto

June is a month for vacations and graduations. Many of us were away. I was "down under" (in Western Australia). Sachi Shimizu reported that the "turn-out" for Enman No Tomo was smaller than usual. Approximately 50 members were in attendance.

The highlight of the day was Michiko Rogers (assisted by Keiko Takahashi), showing how to wear kimonos and tie the obis. Michi reported that there are not only different styles but different techniques to tying obis on the kimono. Obis and kimonos can be differentiated whether a person is a young lady, an older person or a man. Also, there are differences in kimonos worn at a casual occasion versus a special event. If the woman has short-length sleeves, this indicates that she may be an older or a married woman. Longer sleeves on a kimono are usually worn by younger or single woman. With regards to tabis, Michi stated that it is worn with the more formal kimonos along with fancy slippers. No tabis with geta is considered casual wear.

Michi stated that, though more commonly used kimonos were on display, fancy and elaborate silk kimonos and obis can cost many thousands of dollars. For those who may still have their silk kimonos, hang on to them. Imagine what it may be worth today!

Thank you for your most informative presentation Michi! And, thanks to the models – Mai, Jodi, Tak and Michi for modeling.

The flower plants decorating the tables this month were contributed by Lily Okamoto and her daughter Nancy Davlin. Beautiful bouquets of flowers were received from Fred Furuzawa, Takashi and Yukino Kameoka, and Dorothy Shimizu. Kayoko Weisheiting brought the shiso seedlings. The many delicious trout served at lunch were from Jim and Margarette Murakami. To top off the delicious lunch, I am told that the Otani family once again donated a delicious sheet cake in

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honor of forever-young Paul Otani's special birthday in July. Happy, happy birthday, Paul and all others with birthdays in June and July! Enman No Tomo wishes to thank all of you for your thoughtful contributions and support!

Special thanks go to the following for their generous donations to the Enman No Tomo Senior Center: 1) Gary and Irene Masada, in memory of Mr. George Masada, 2) Marie Sugiyama, Special, and 3) Helen Tsujihara and family, in memory of Mr. Mits Tsujihara.

Reminder: No Enman No Tomo gathering in July. It is Teriyaki Chicken and Bazaar time! See you in August.

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Updates from BCA Headquarters

(May 20, 2009)

Rev. Kazuaki Nakata, formerly from Sacramento, has been assigned as Kaikyoshi minister to the Ekoji Buddhist Temple (Virginia), effective July 1, 2009.

Rev. Ganjo Peter Inokoji-Kim has been assigned to the Buddhist Church of Sacramento as a full-time Kyoshi minister, effective August 1, 2009.

(June 23, 2009)

Rev. Kyosei Kurt Rye of Fresno Betsuin has received BCA Kaikyoshi status effective May 26, 2009.

Rev. & Mrs. Ryuta Furumoto of San Mateo welcomed their third child on May 21, 2009.

Mr. Fred Yasukochi, Past President of the Buddhist Churches of America (1973-1974) passed away on June 13, 2009, at the age of 89. A memorial service will be held at the Oxnard Buddhist Temple on June 29, 2009, at 11:00am.

BCA Overseas District Representatives' Seminar

This year the seminar will be held October 13-15 at the Hongwanji, Kyoto. Ministers and lay representatives from the four Overseas Districts (Canada, Brazil, Hawaii, and BCA) gather at the Hongwanji to deepen their understanding of our tradition and our relationship with the Hongwanji. Two Kaikyoshi ministers and 5 lay members will be selected to participate in this year's seminar.

Shinran Shonin 750th Memorial and World Buddhist Women's Convention

2011 marks the year Hongwanji begins the 750th Memorial Services and observances for Shinran Shonin. Service will begin April 2011 and continue for 10 months concluding in January 2012. Members of the BCA and other Overseas Districts have been invited to attend the service for Shinran Shonin at the Hongwanji, Kyoto, held May 15, 2011.

At the same time, the 14th World Buddhist Women's Convention will be held on May 16-17, 2011, in Kyoto. BCA members are encouraged to attend both these events.

Travel plans are available through:

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to our past BWA members)

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August Service Schedule

- Aug 2 Dharma Class 9:30 a.m.
Family Service 10:30 a.m.
Shotsuki Hoyo
Minister: Rev. Carol Himaka
Chairperson: Mrs. Sydney Yamashita
- Aug 9 Dharma Class 9:30 a.m.
Family Service 10:30 a.m.
Bishop's Memorial Service
Minister: Rev. Carol Himaka
Chairperso: Mr. George Thow
- Aug 16 Dharma Class 9:30 a.m.
Family Service 10:30 a.m.
Minister: Rev. Carol Himaka
- Aug 23 No service
Rev. Himaka on vacation
- Aug 30 No Service
Rev. Himaka on vacation



Meditation Sessions

Wednesday Evenings

7:30pm

If you are interested in seeing what meditation is all about, please drop in about 10-15 minutes before 7:30pm if you need some instruction. The session begins at 7:30 sharp!

August Toban

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Evening

Dharma Discussion

Thursday Evenings

7:30pm

The following evenings are now set for Evening Dharma Discussion:

July 9
August 6
September 10
October 8
November 12
December 10

All are welcome to come. Those who have questions are especially encouraged to take this opportunity to discuss issues of concern.

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July Service Schedule

July 5 Dharma Class 9:30 a.m.
Family Service 10:30 a.m.
Shotsuki Hoyo
Minister: Rev. Carol Himaka
Chairperson: Ms. Helen Kobayashi

July 12 No Dharma Class or Service
Teriyaki Barbecue and Bazaar

July 19 No Dharma Class
Obon Service 10:30 a.m.
Guest Minister: Rev. Ryuta Furumoto
Chairperson: Mr. Loren Miyasaki

July 26 Dharma Class 9:30 a.m.
Family Service 10:30 a.m.
Minister: Rev. Carol Himaka

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