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**ALOHA PACIFIC FEDERAL CREDIT UNION
OPENS APPLICATIONS FOR SCHOLARSHIP FUND**

**Now in its 23rd year, the Masami Oishi Memorial Scholarship Fund
will recognize ten of Hawaii's brightest member-students**

HONOLULU—Aloha Pacific Federal Credit Union (Aloha Pacific) opens its application process for the Masami Oishi Memorial Scholarship Fund. Ten \$2,000 scholarships will be awarded to students based on financial need, academic achievement and community service. Completed applications must be postmarked no later than May 15, 2010. Applications are available online at www.kalanet.com and at all branches.

To apply for the scholarship, applicants must be Aloha Pacific members in good standing for at least one year. They must be enrolled in a baccalaureate or graduate degree program at an accredited college, university or technical school and attend the school on a full-time basis during the award year. Applicants must also be available to attend a special awards ceremony on July 14, 2010.

The scholarship fund is in honor of Masami "Masa" Oishi, who joined the credit union in 1965 as its first manager. After more than 27 years of service, Masa retired as the president/CEO in 1992. In memoriam of his passing, the scholarship fund was renamed in his honor.

The 2009–2010 scholarship winners (and their selected schools) were:

1. Phyllis Arakaki, Creighton University
2. Neale Asato, Windward Community College
3. Jacob Baum, Chaminade University of Honolulu
4. Kelli Cadelinia, Pacific University
5. Coty Gonzales, University of Hawaii at Manoa
6. Ashley Guieb, Pacific University
7. Kara Kaneshiro, Creighton University
8. Bryant Lau, University of Hawaii at Manoa
9. Bryson Rafael, Saints Bible Institute
10. Kirstie Saito, University of Hawaii at Manoa

About Aloha Pacific Federal Credit Union:

Founded in 1936 by industrious city employees, Aloha Pacific FCU is the third largest credit union in Hawaii with more than \$612 million in assets. It has eight branches and 46 ATMs. Membership is open to employees of the City & County, members of the Hawaii Government Employees Association as well as other select employee groups (SEGs) and their immediate family. For additional information, please visit www.kalanet.com.

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