

Wong Kong Har Tong of Hawaii

2025 Ching Ming Ceremony



“Return to Tradition”

The WKHT Ching Ming committee has decided to “return to tradition” by giving all members an opportunity to properly honor our Wong ancestors.

Ching Ming (Qing Ming) Festival means Pure Brightness Festival. As a holiday devoted to remembering and honoring the deceased, people sweep and decorate gravesites, light incense, burn paper money and ingots along with making a food offering. The burning of the imitation money and ingots is for the deceased to use in the afterlife.



WKHT’s Ching Ming Ceremony will be celebrated at the Legacy Monument, located near the top of Manoa Chinese Cemetery.



Saturday, April 19, 2025



Ceremony begins at 10:00 am; Lunch will be available at 11:30 am



Manoa Chinese Cemetery, 3225 Pakanu Street, Honolulu, HI 96822



For WKHT members that are unable to trek up to the Legacy Monument, a gathering space will be located at Manoa Chinese Cemetery’s Society Hall lanai area. This is at the bottom of Manoa Chinese Cemetery near the bone hall house.

Members will gather facing the WKHT Legacy at the top of the cemetery. At the appropriate time, members will have the opportunity to offer incense to our Wong ancestors.

Lunch will be served in this area at 11:30 am for member participants. There is **no** drive through lunch distribution.



Parking is available at the Pavilion area and on the street. However, please be mindful of the residents that live nearby.

For members that need mobility assistance, please mark “X” in the appropriate box on RSVP. There will be someone to direct you at Society Hall driveway for drop off.

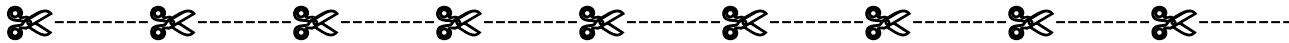
 **Open to ACTIVE 2025 WKHT members. Must RSVP for lunch count.**

Members are encouraged to consume lunch at the Manoa Chinese Cemetery as it is a way to symbolically share a meal with ancestors, showing filial piety and connection to the deceased.

 **RSVP by April 8, 2025**

Mail form to:

Wong Kong Har Tong of Hawaii
c/o Edna Wong
98-058 Lokowai Street
Aiea, HI 96701.



2025 WKHT MEMBER – CHING MING REGISTRATION

Contact Person: _____

Contact Person Phone Number: _____

First Name, Middle Initial, Last Name	Drop Off Assistance Needed
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