

# HELP EVERY LIGHT SHINE BRIGHTER.



Your gift helps  
others find  
strength,  
hope, and  
opportunity.

2026  
Annual  
Campaign



# YOUR GIFT TURNS GRIEF INTO GROWTH

After years of caregiving and battling depression,

Terry found unexpected healing at the Mililani

YMCA—in a small garden patch.



Though she once hated

yard work, she began

tending a small

garden, channeling

her creativity and

slowly rediscover-

ing joy. Her

growing oasis

brought peace not

just to her, but to others

who came to sit, reflect, and

admire. "My joy is here," she says.

"I've seen the world. Now, I just want to see the Y."

# YOUR GIFT TURNS STRUGGLE INTO STRENGTH

After having two kids back-to-back and gaining 70 pounds, Jessica felt stuck—physically, emotionally, and spiritually.



Then came the Y. With financial aid, childcare, and uplifting group classes, she finally had space to heal. She and her husband found joy in working out side-by-side, while their kids played safely

nearby. “The Y has been game-changing,” she says. “It’s the first place I felt safe enough to begin again.”

# YOUR GIFT TURNS POTENTIAL INTO PURPOSE

Raised in Section 8 housing, Matthew joined the Y in  
2021 through a friend's referral. What began

as a summer job became a  
life-changing journey.

Surrounded by a  
supportive commu-  
nity, he discovered  
his potential—  
earning his way  
into college and  
stepping up as a  
Youth Leader. Along  
the way, he's mentored  
students, built classrooms in



the Philippines, and found purpose  
in giving back. "It takes a village," he says. "For me,  
that village was the YMCA

# SUPPORT OUR 2026 ANNUAL CAMPAIGN



Join us in raising  
\$1 million to help  
every light shine  
brighter. With  
your support,  
keiki discover  
their potential,  
teens grow into  
leaders, families  
find strength, and  
kūpuna stay active  
and connected.

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# YOUR LIGHT LEADS THE WAY

**\$70**

Connects one kūpuna to a month of Y membership where they find community, belonging and stay active.

**\$260**

Teach a child to swim through 10 classes—building water safety skills and confidence for life.

**\$300**

Send a child to a week of day camp—keeping them active, learning, and inspired during school breaks.

**\$350**

Give a struggling family a 3-month membership—opening the door to health, connection, and care

**\$500**

Provide kūpuna with 16 weeks of enhanced fitness classes—helping them stay balanced, independent, and strong.

**\$800**

Give a child a week at Camp Erdman—discovering new friends, new confidence, and the joy of the outdoors.

**\$1,200**

Empower a teen at College Camp—showing them what's possible for their future.

**\$1,550**

Fund a month of preschool—giving a toddler the best start to their academic journey.

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