International Day of Peace

to be Celebrated at MCC on
Wednesday September 15th

Noon Event

12:00 noon - 1:15 in Science Lecture Hall 11A
Ike (“EK”) Duru, community organizer from Cameroon, civil rights & immigration attorney and leader in the International Economic Development efforts of the U.N., will speak on the topic “Progress in World Peace.”

Evening Event

MCC Student Lounge
6:00 pm
Pupus made by the MCC Culinary Arts Academy will be served.
6:30 pm
Akari Ueoka, MCC Peace Club President, will present a slide show on the Balkans children’s summer camp of 2004 sponsored by the Global Children’s Organization. Akari, with the support of many in the Maui community, worked as a volunteer in the camp held on the island of Badija.
7:15 pm
Mayor Alan Arakawa’s Peace Proclamation for 2004 International Peace Day will be presented.
7:30 pm
Featured speaker Ann Wright will present her perspective on the Iraq war and the current direction of U.S. foreign policy. Ann is a retired Army Colonel and former Foreign Service diplomat who resigned her post after 16 years service in March, 2003. Her resignation was due to disagreement with the Bush administration’s decision to go to war in Iraq without the authorization of the UN Security Council, the lack of effort in resolving the Israeli-Palestinian conflict, the lack of policy on North Korea and unnecessary curtailment of civil liberties in the United States. Her talk will be followed by a question and answer session.

Please join us. All events are free and open to the public.