

TO: KHS Parents & Ohana, Guardians, Friends (04/12/2024)

KALANI High School

WEEKLY E-BULLETIN

IMPORTANT DATES...

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| 1) Monday, April 15 | Inclusion Day |
| 2) Wednesday, April 17 | Chorus End of Year Concert |
| 3) Sunday, April 21 | Tentative : Kalani Complex Track Meet @ Kaiser |
| 4) Sunday, April 21 | Band Concert @Roosevelt |
| 5) Friday, April 26 | Citizenship Luncheon@ Hawaii Prince 10:30 |
| 6) Sunday, May 5 | Senior-Athlete Signing Ceremony |
| 7) Monday, May 13 | Freshmen Transition Day |
| 8) Wednesday, May 15 | Senior Awards Night @ Moanalua High School Auditorium |
| 9) Friday, May 17 | Athletic Awards Ceremony @ the Ala Moana Hotel |
| 10) Sunday, May 19 | Senior Prom : Date Confirmed |
| 11) Tuesday, May 21 | Graduation : Date Confirmed |
| 12) Monday, May 27 | Holiday : Memorial Day |
| 13) Thursday, May 30 | Last Day for students |
| 14) Friday, May 31 | Last Day for teachers |

Summer School : Thursday, June 6 – Thursday, July 11

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Vision: Character. Compassion. Community.

**Mission : We at Kalani High School create opportunities to discover our passions, purpose, and personal pursuits.
"A vision is not just a picture of what could be; it is an appeal to our better selves, a call to become something more."**

Ne'epapa: Educating our Future

To move as a whole or unit; moving or working together in unison

Kindness 101 : <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=5MPVjyv2yDM>

Congratulations

2024 Citizen-Scholar Award recipient

Stephanie Lee

For the past 19 years, the Hawai'i Lodging & Tourism Association, the Hawai'i State Department of Education, and the Honolulu Star-Advertiser have honored one outstanding senior from every public high school throughout the state who best exemplifies citizenship in school and the community. Each of these students have given back to make our state a better place and embody the Department of Education's Vision of a Public School Graduate.

Please congratulate Stephanie Lee – Kalani High School Citizen Scholar 2024

Congratulations

2024 Mamoru and Aiko Takitani Foundation Scholarship

Kate Shower

The Takitani Foundation Legacy Scholarship Program was started in 1993 by Mamoru and Aiko Takitani, founders of Hawaiian Host chocolates as a way to give back to the people of Hawai'i. Since that time, the Mamoru and Aiko Takitani Foundation (Takitani Foundation) has awarded scholarships each year to an outstanding student at every qualifying high school in the state. The Takitani Foundation Legacy Scholarship Program recognizes outstanding students who exemplify the qualities of hard work, high academic achievement, commitment to excellence, and dedication to our community.

Please congratulate Kate Shower – Kalani High School 2024 Takitani Foundation Scholarship recipient

Summer School

Dates : June 6 to July 11 ----- No school on Tuesday, June 11 and Thursday, July 4

Summer School Registration Information to be released soon

Congratulation

National Merit Recognition

Congratulations to the following juniors who took the PSAT/National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test in October and met the requirements to enter the 2025 National Merit Scholarship Program. With a Selection Index Score of 208 or above, these high performers have shown outstanding academic potential. These students are among the 50,000 highest-scoring participants (out of 1.3 million students who took the test) and will be recognized in the fall as either a Semifinalist or Commended Student

Haruto Gannon Sungwon Kim

Congratulations

Kalani Science Olympiad Team

3rd Place Overall in the Medalist Division

Congratulations to the following students, who placed in the top 3 in their events:

Chemistry Lab: 1 st Place	Andy Chen & Zhoulin Chen
Dynamic Planet: 1 st Place	Eric Wong & Logan Smith
Towers: 1 st Place	Logan Smith
Air Trajectory: 2 nd Place	Luka Milincic
Geologic Mapping: 2 nd Place	Logan Smith & Eric Wong
Robot Tour: 2 nd Place	Andy Chen
Codebusters: 3 rd Place	Donovan Morikone, Eric Wong, & Hunter Kwok Tak Hing
Ecology: 3 rd Place	Alex Chan & Logan Smith
Forestry: 3 rd Place	Zhoulin Chen & Aileen Kang
Microbe Mission: 3 rd Place	Alex Chan & Geo Choi
Optics: 3 rd Place	Eric Wong & Hunter Kwok Tak Hing
Wind Power: 3 rd Place	Geo Choi & Man Fung Zhuo

Congratulations

Team 3008

The team had a good showing in San Jose during the Silicon Valley Regional. Furthermore, Team 3008 won the Engineering Inspiration Award That award qualifies them for the World Championships in Houston, Texas

Congratulations

PAAC (Pacific and Asian Affairs Council) Club

PAAC Hawaii's Academic WorldQuest competition – 2nd Place overall
Please congratulate the following team members on their accomplishments
Jayden Tran Ivan Tse Isabella Lenardo Bodhi Mylett

Congratulations

Kalani Association of Students

President- Shea Brown Vice President- Yuna Otsuka
Secretary- Abby Nii Treasurer- Taylor Wong Historian- Naomi Stremick

Class of 2025

President- Mason Nagata Vice President- Calli Amine
Corresponding Secretary- Jinie Ho Treasurer- Kyra Kugiyama

Class of 2026

President- Kylie Awakuni Vice President- Kira-May Nosse
Corresponding Secretary- Christopher Tam Recording Secretary- Sara Lau Treasurer- Sadie Nakao

Class of 2027

President- John Phillips Vice President- Laineo Ono Treasurer- Destiny Nguyen

English Class for Adults

Kalani High School is partnering with McKinley Community School for Adults (MCSA)

CLASS INFORMATION

Class Time: Tuesday and Thursday 4:30 to 6:30 pm Start Date: March 4, 2024 End Date: May 30, 2024

*The class schedule will follow the DOE schedule. So whenever Kalani HS is out for a Federal or State holiday, or Spring Break, there will not be classes. The exception would be if you do not have school due to a PD day or other school event, we would still have school as planned, unless you do not want us to hold class on that day.

Kalani High School Track and Field Improvements Project

The construction site is off-limits. Please do not enter the job site.

Mahalo to Rep. Mark Hashem, Rep. Bertrand Kobayashi and Sen. Stanley Chang for securing the necessary funds

Sister School Partnerships – International Travel

Koyo Senior High School – Hiroshima	Hosted in August – Traveled to Hiroshima in January
Obihiro Hakuyo High School – Hokkaido	Hosted in March – Traveled to Hokkaido in July
Iwakuni High School – Yamaguchi Prefecture	Hosted in January – Traveled in March
Japan Super Science Fair – Ritsumeikan High School	Hosted in March – Will travel to Kyoto in Nov.
Busan Computer Science High School – Korea	Hosted in January – Will travel to Korea in summer
Osaka Gakuin University / High School	Will host in September 2025
Chengdu Debate Competition – Traveled to China in November	

Student Crime Stoppers

Students can use the Student CrimeStoppers number to report crimes anonymously

Please report students that you see writing on restroom walls

(808) 955-8300

STUDENT SECTION

College and Career Center Updates

Upcoming college visits: Open to students only.

For details on the times of visits and to pick up an activity pass, stop by the College and Career Center in the library.

Check your emails : Don't miss out on scholarships, deadline reminders, missing documents from your school's admissions or financial aid offices, etc.

Check our website for more information – <https://sites.google.com/k12.hi.us/kalanicounselorscorner/college-and-career>

Registration Dates for School Year 2024-2025

Date	Time
July 22 (Monday) Grade 12	8:30AM-12:00PM
July 23 (Tuesday) Grade 11	8:30AM-12:00PM
July 24 (Wednesday) Grade 10	8:30AM-12:00PM
July 25 (Thursday) Grade 9	8:30AM-12:00PM
July 26 (Friday) Make-Up Day	8:30AM-11:30AM Make-Up Day for those who did not attend

Congratulations
University of Hawaii
New Warrior Scholarships
REGENTS Scholar : Jenelle Wong

Provost

Jack Dias Kalina Hotema Kiana Mizuno Leanne So
Keala Takamiya Sky Voong Kokona Watanabe

ATHLETICS

Baseball

Kalani 4 – Roosevelt 3
Kalani 3 – Kailua 13
Kalani 1 – Moanalua 2
Kalani 5 – Farrington 4
Kalani 7 – Kaiser 8
Kalani 3 – Castle 0
Kalani 1 – Roosevelt 7
Kalani 0 – Kailua 12
Kalani 3 – Moanalua 6
Kalani 8 – Farrington 1
April 17 vs. Kaiser 3:00
April 20 @ Castle 11:00

Softball

Kalani 13 – Roosevelt 3
Kalani 5 – Castle 6
Kalani 18 – Kahuku 3
Kalani 16 – Kaimuki 3
Kalani 3 – Kaiser 0
Kalani 12 – Moanalua 6
Kalani 22 – Roosevelt 2
Kalani 11 – Castle 6
Kalani 20 – Kahuku 0
Kalani 10 – Kaimuki 0
Kalani 4 – Kaiser 8
Kalani 10 – Moanalua 6

Tennis

Eastern Division 2nd Place

Kalani Boys 4 – Kalaheo 1
Kalani Boys 4 – Castle 1
Kalani Boys 4 – McKinley 1
Kalani Boys 3 – Moanalua 2
Kalani Boys 5 – Roosevelt 0
Kalani Boys 5 – Farrington 0
Kalani Boys 5 – Kahuku 0
Kalani Boys 4 – Kailua 1
Kalani Boys 3 – Kaiser 2
Kalani Boys defeated Mililani in Semifinals
April 13 OIA Team @ CORP
April 17/19/20 Eastern @ CORP
April 26/27 OIA @ CORP

Eastern Division : 2nd Place

Kalani Girls 3 – Kalaheo 2
Kalani Girls 5 – Castle 0
Kalani Girls 4 – McKinley 1
Kalani Girls 4 – Moanalua 1
Kalani Girls 5 – Roosevelt 0
Kalani Girls 4 – Farrington 1
Kalani Girls 5 – Kahuku 0
Kalani Girls 5 – Kailua 0
Kalani Girls 0 – Kaiser 5
Kalani Girls lost to Mililani in Semifinals

Golf

Eastern Division

Kailee McKee	7 th Place	81
Rylee Hara-Shimabuku	11 th Place	83
Ashlyn Yorimoto	16 th Place	89
Tatum Frias	16 th Place	89
Taylor Olanda	31 st Place	105

Logan Smith	16 th Place	81
Parker Smith	24 th Place	85
Zaedis Yoshizawa	54 th Place	97

April 15 OIA @ Leilehua CC

April 16 OIA @ Leilehua CC

Judo

April 13 Eastern @ McKinley

April 20 OIA Individual @ Leilehua

April 27 HHSAA @ Stan Sheriff

Track & Field

Ruby Tuesday Results pending

Moanalua Invitational Results pending

Eastern JV Results pending

April 13 Mililani Invit @ Mililani

April 20 OIA JV @ Moanalua

April 25 Eastern Trials @ Kaiser

April 27 Eastern Finals @ Kaiser

May 2 OIA Trials @ Mililani

May 4 OIA Finals @ Mililani

Volleyball

Kalani 0 – Castle 3

Kalani 3 – Kaimuki 0

Kalani 3 – Kahuku 2

Kalani 2 – Kaiser 3

Kalani 3 – Farrington 0

Kalani 2 – Kalaheo 3

Kalani - win by forfeit - Anuenue

Kalani 3 – McKinley 1

Kalani 3 – Roosevelt 2

Kalani 0 – Moanalua 3

April 16 vs. Kailua

Water Polo – season completed

Kalani 1 – Kalaheo 19

Kalani 13 – Kailua 22

Kalani 9 – West Combined 10

Kalani 5 – Leilehua 18

Kalani 4 – Kahuku 18

Kalani 7 – Moanalua 13

Kalani 5 – Mililani 17

Kalani 2 – Kapolei 14

Kalani 2 – Kaiser 15

Kalani 1 – Roosevelt 13

ATHLETIC NEWS:

General Athletic Information: Athletic Director – Gregory.Van_Cantfort@k12.hi.us

General Athletic Information and Athletic Registration Questions: Assistant Athletic Director – Janeen.Waialae@k12.hi.us

Athletic Medical Information and forms: Athletic Trainer – Ben.Kuenzli@k12.hi.us

Athletic Trainer – Marissa.Fukunaga@k12.hi.us

Head Coaches: Firstname.lastname@k12.hi.us

Senior-Athlete Signing Ceremony – May 5, 2024

Athletic Awards Ceremony – May 17, 2024 at the Ala Moana Hotel

Continuous Notice

The Hawaii State Department of Education (HSDOE) and its schools do not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, ancestry, sex, gender identity, gender expression, sexual orientation, age, disability, and religion in its programs and activities. Please direct inquiries regarding Department nondiscrimination policies as follows:

Civil Rights Compliance Branch
Hawaii State Department of Education
P.O. Box 2360
Honolulu, Hawaii 96804
(808) 586-3322 or relay
CRCB@k12.hi.us

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Rhonda Wong, Compliance
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Annual Notice of Non-Discrimination and Anti-Harassment Statement

The Hawaii State Department of Education (Department) does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, ancestry, sex, gender identity, gender expression, sexual orientation, age, disability, and religion. This requirement extends to all of the Department's programs and activities, including employment and admissions as applicable. If you have difficulty understanding English, you have the right to receive language assistance at no cost to you. Please contact your school's principal for more information. For the Department high schools that offer Career and Technical Education (CTE) Programs of Study in arts and communications, business, health services, industrial and engineering technology, natural resources, and public and human services, there are no admission criteria. Department high schools will take steps to assure that the lack of English language skills will not be a barrier to admission and participation in CTE programs and will provide equal access to designated youth groups. The Department does not tolerate acts of harassment on the basis of race, color, national origin, ancestry, sex, gender identity, gender expression, sexual orientation, age, disability, and religion. Any student who believes that he or she has been subjected to harassment on the basis of race, color, national origin, ancestry, sex, gender identity, gender expression, sexual orientation, age, disability, and religion is encouraged to report such harassment. Students and parents may report allegations of discrimination or harassment to the school's administrator or to the Department's Civil Rights Compliance Branch at the address listed below. The Department is committed to conducting prompt investigations. Support, including counseling and educational resources, will be available to students who are harassed as well as to students found to have engaged in acts of harassment on the basis of race, color, national origin, ancestry, sex, gender identity, gender expression, sexual orientation, age, disability, and religion. Students found to have engaged in harassment may be disciplined up to and including suspension if circumstances warrant. Students, parents, and Department staff should work together to prevent harassment on the basis of race, color, national origin, ancestry, sex, gender identity, gender expression, sexual orientation, age, disability, and religion. The Department will not tolerate retaliation for reporting discrimination and/or harassment on the basis of race, color, national origin, ancestry, sex, gender identity, gender expression, sexual orientation, age, disability, and religion, and will take steps to protect those who wish to report the discrimination or harassment. Please direct inquiries regarding Department nondiscrimination policies to:

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AHERA

In 1986, Congress passed the Asbestos Hazard Emergency Response Act (AHERA) which mandated the Asbestos-Containing Materials in Schools Rule, 40 CFR Part 763. It requires all primary and secondary school buildings to be inspected by AHERA accredited inspectors and to identify all asbestos-containing building materials. The rule further requires the development of a management plan by an AHERA accredited management planner that is based on the findings of the inspection. The management plan outlines our intent in controlling the potential for exposure to asbestos fibers in our school. In February 2001, Hawaii Administrative Rules Chapter 11-502 was adopted by the Hawaii State Legislature. These rules essentially mirror the requirements of the AHERA regulations. In both cases, the rule requires our school to notify parents, teachers, and employees of the presence and status of asbestos containing material in our school buildings.

The initial inspection of our school was conducted in 1958 and identifies some asbestos-containing materials. Since that time, we continue to conduct periodic surveillances and triennial re-inspections to ensure that the asbestos-containing materials remain in good condition and do not pose a hazard to our students and staff. An asbestos management plan was drafted based on our initial inspection and submitted to the Hawaii State Department of Health. It outlines in detail the methods we will use to maintain the material in a safe manner. The management plan is updated regularly as asbestos is removed or conditions change. A copy of the management plan is on file in the administrative office and is available for your review during our regular school hours. Should you have any questions, please call the school at 808-305-0500.