

TO: KHS Parents & Ohana, Guardians, Friends (09/15/17)

KALANI High School

WEEKLY E-BULLETIN
UPDATES FROM A.M. BULLETINS, FLYERS, ETC.

IMPORTANT DATES...

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| 1) Monday, September 25 | Homecoming : Tug-o-War : Lunch Activity |
| 2) Monday, September 25 | Homecoming : Night Pep Rally 5:15 – 7:30pm |
| 3) Tuesday, September 26 | Homecoming : Powderpuff Game : During advisory |
| 4) Tuesday, September 26 | Homecoming : Eating Competition : Lunch Activity |
| 5) Wednesday, September 27 | Homecoming : Powderpuff Game : Lunch Activity |
| 6) Thursday, September 28 | Homecoming : Assembly/Pep Rally : During advisory |
| 7) Thursday, September 28 | Homecoming : Powderpuff Game : Lunch Activity |
| 8) Friday, September 29 | Homecoming : Dress Up Race : Lunch Activity |
| 9) Friday, September 29 | Homecoming Game vs. Kalaheo @ Kaiser (JV @ 5:00pm / Varsity to follow) |
| 10) Wednesday, October 11 | PSAT Test at Prince Kuhio Hotel |
| 11) Wednesday, October 25 | Report Cards Distribution during Period 2 |
| 12) Friday, October 27 | No School : Professional Development Day |
| 13) Friday, November 10 | Holiday : Veterans’ Day |
| 14) Thursday, November 23 | Holiday : Thanksgiving |
| 15) Friday, November 24 | No school : day after Thanksgiving |
| 16) Monday, December 25 | Christmas Day |
| 17) Thursday, January 18 | Report Cards Distribution during Period 2 |
| 18) Sunday, March 25 | Junior Prom |
| 19) Friday, April 6 | Report Cards Distribution during Period 1 |
| 20) Saturday, May 19 | Senior Prom |
| 21) Tuesday, May 22 | Graduation – Class of 2018 |
| 22) Thursday, June 14 | Report Cards ready for pick up in library |

Fall Break : October 9 - 13

DEADLINE...Friday 9:00am is the deadline for your group’s input in next Parent Bulletin.

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“Dare to reach out your hand into the darkness, to pull another hand into the light.”
“One knows from daily life that one exists for other people - first of all for those upon whose smiles and well-being our own happiness is wholly dependent, and then for the many, unknown to us, to whose destinies we are bound by the ties of sympathy.”
Albert Einstein | 1879 - 1955 | Swiss physicist & Nobel Prize winner

Congratulations

Homecoming Court 2017

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| King : Austin Young | Queen : Erin Terada |
| Senior Attendant : Chara Higaki | Escort : Pablo Ruelas |
| Junior Attendant : Marissa Nishiki | Escort : Kai Sigler |
| Sophomore Attendant : Bailey Miyashiro | Escort : Tyler Martinez |
| Freshmen Attendant : Alana Touch | Escort : Timmy Tran |

Mahalo Kalani Crosscountry Team

A big shout out to the Kalani Crosscountry Team.
The team raised \$400 collecting recyclables and is donating the \$400 to the Red Cross of Hawaii.
Thank you to the team and to Coach Diana Woitovitch (retired Kalani Teacher)

Hawaii Youth Symphony

Congratulations to the following students who were selected for this prestigious group.

Youth Symphony I (21)

Kai Abergas Everett Amemiya Kento Francisco Fuma Fujiki Kassi Hatakenaka Daniel Huang Yukiko Hughes
Kurumi Kawata Erin Matsushita Maxwell Miyasato Cuyler Murata Margaret Nakayama Tiffany Nakayama
Justin Okumura Eunice Park Ryoma Sears Ryder Tanaka Sherry Tanaka Shayn Toothman
Aiden Woodard Austin Young

Youth Symphony II (19)

Mia Caliri Tea Caliri Jesse Cumpston Micaela Diaz-Paez Valentina Diaz-Paez Kiana Ejercito Gento Fujiki
Rika Haraguchi Raquel Hernandez Alexander Lau David Kimura Ashley Nakazaki Sunwoo Oh Joshua Romero
Levin So Tyler Takemoto Chinatsu Takizawa Karen Watarida Robert Wiemer

Concert Orchestra (10)

Kayleen Asuncion Joe Karasawa Ashley Kaya Ashley Kelleher Naiya Lim Evan Sakuda
Moko Sato Anna Shikuma Kiana Tangonan Alexander Tomomitsu

International Travel

Welcome Back KAS President Ryder Tanaka and Counselor Kacy Sumikawa

Kalani High School was well represented at the 2nd Hiroshima Junior International Forum hosted by Hiroshima Governor Yuzaki. KAS President Ryder Tanaka and Counselor Mrs. Sumikawa listened to experts in international relations, collaborated with teachers and students from other nations, and made connections with other participants and chaperones. They will spread the message of peace.

Hiroshima 20th Anniversary Sister State Partnership

Kalani High School will be a part of Senator Brian Taniguchi's Delegation Traveling to Hiroshima to celebrate the 20th Anniversary of the Sister State Partnership. Eight other Hawaii high schools will join First Lady Dawn Ige and other legislators. Emele Kim, Emily Martinez, Lina Namatame, Rovi Porter and Student Activities Coordinator Rei Akasaki will be representing Kalani. They will be leaving on October 1 – returning on October 8.

Japan Super Science Fair

Kalani High School is once again invited to participate in this year's Japan Super Science Fair in Kyoto, Japan. Priscilla Hsu, Daniel Huang, Kailer Okura, Jenna Tsuzaki and Julia Tsuzaki (accompanied by Mrs. Hamasaki) will be presenting their research topic "An Energy Analysis of Invasive Species Avrainvillea Amadelpa" and performing their Cultural Presentation in early November at Ritsumeikan Senior High School. The Ritsumeikan Super Science Fair was organized in 2003 as a place for scientific exchange, concentrating on scientific research presentations by high school students. The Ritsumeikan Super Science Fair changed its name to the Japan Super Science Fair in 2011 in order to widen its scope not only in Japan but around the world. There are 47 schools represented at this year's JSSF, including schools from Australia, Canada, France, Hong Kong, Indonesia, Iran, Kenya, Korea, Malaysia, Mongolia, Nepal, the Netherlands, New Caledonia, the Philippines, Russia, Singapore, Taiwan, Thailand, the United Kingdom, the United States, Vietnam and host country Japan. Our students return home on Tuesday

Jeju Student Forum

Kalani High School is once again invited to participate in the Jeju Student Forum in Korea. Rosalyn Kagimoto, Kokoro Matsumoto, Shannon Shigeta and Cameron Woods, (accompanied by teacher Mike Zane) will be representing Hawaii and the United States in Jeju, Korea. The Jeju Youth Forum is a creative platform for youth to exchange their opinions and ideas. Through various panel discussions on protection of migrant workers, protecting cultural and natural world heritages, reducing waste effectively, and eradicating inequality and injustice in society and other topics faced by the international community, participating students from all over the world build up skills in global leadership and help to formulate international consensus. It is indeed hoped that this year's Forum serves as a way to form global friendships and cooperation through the virtues of understanding, enthusiasm, wisdom, and trust. The Kalani Delegation will be traveling from October 31 – November 6.

SUPPORT FOR OUR CAFETERIA STAFF

Thank you for your support of our cafeteria staff. The number of cafeteria positions is determined by the number of meals served from August 15 – September 15.

Running Start/Early College

Parents are you interested in having your child experience college classes while in high school?

Earning both college and high school credit through one class?

Possibly saving you money and shortening your child's time in college?

Have your child see Mr. Tanaka in C-12 to enroll in Running Start/Early College

STUDENT PUBLICATION / AUDIO / VIDEO RELEASE FORM

In order to protect student's rights to privacy as outlined in the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA) and the Protection of Pupil's Rights Amendment (PPRA), parents/guardians are asked to give the Hawaii State Department of Education permission to create or use digital or print media of student's name, voice, likeness, or images of student work for the purposes described in this form. Parents / guardians need to give their permission in order for the student's name and/or likenesses for the following school-related publications

Please turn in your "Student Publication/ Audio/ Video" release form to the office as soon as possible.

Failure to do so will result in your name and picture being left out of various publications throughout the year (sports team rosters/ pictures, club rosters/ pictures, yearbook photo (SENIOR Portrait picture in yearbook, etc.).

A playbill, showing the student's role in a drama production

Annual yearbook

Student Photographs for classroom / teacher use

Honor roll or other recognition lists and programs

Graduation programs and announcements

Sports activity programs

School newspapers

Audio and video recordings

Student photographs for classroom and teacher use

Officially recognized activities and events

Please turn in form (if you have not done so already) as soon as possible.

You can download form from Kalani's webpage

PARENT PORTAL ACCOUNT LETTERS

Parent portal account letters will be distributed to students during Advisory next week. Students are asked to deliver the letters home to parents. Information and activation code for parent accounts are shared in the letter. The Parent Portal Account allows parents to view child's schedule, grades, attendance and or assignments (if teacher posts assignments). If they have more than one child at Kalani, they should be able to see both with the same account. Some schools in the complex may not have opted in to use Infinite Campus to allow parents to view information and therefore parents may only see information of children that are at participating schools.

Parent Portal Account

Parents of students new to Kalani may get an Infinite Campus parent portal account in the following ways:

- May request account information via email to neal_hirasaki@notes.k12.hi.us stating their child's name and their name in email.

Federal Survey Forms

Parents, please help us collect Impact Aid by filling out the Federal Survey form. Forms were distributed to students this week. The amount of Impact Aid schools receive is based on how many parents complete and return the survey to their child's school.

Every school strives for a 100% survey return.

Congratulations

National Merit Scholarship Program

The following seniors (2018) took the PSAT/National Merit Qualifying Test and met the requirements to enter the 2017 National Merit Scholarship Program. With an index score of 209 or above, these high performers show outstanding academic potential.

Lilianne Au Victor Ho

Annual Notification of Privacy Rights

"Annual Notification of Privacy Rights" "Know your privacy rights as they apply to 1) student record information; 2) directory information; 3) surveys and other information collection; and 4) military recruitment information. For more information on your privacy rights, the laws that protect them, and how to exercise your rights, contact your school administrator or visit

<http://ferpa.k12.hi.us>.

STUDENT SECTION

STUDENT GOVERNMENT

SY2017-2018 Fall events

Homecoming activities - September 25-29

Powderpuff game

Night pep rally

Homecoming Assembly (Pep rally)

Winter Ball

Winter Ball is on January 4th at Rumours. More information to follow.

Class Activities

Seniors

Attention Class of 2018 parents! Please email kalanipg2018@gmail.com to receive information and news about Project Grad 2018.

Class of 2018

Sept. 20 - Grad Contract

May 11 - Last day for seniors

May 22 - Graduation

Seniors

Want to have a memory of your time here at Kalani? Senior yearbook page reservations are now being accepted. Get a group together and reserve a page or get one all for yourself. Come by room D10 if you are interested.

The last day to reserve a page is Friday September 15.

CLUB News :

List of clubs

Chinese Club	CORE	Creative Dance Club	Future Farmers of America
Glee Club	GSA	HOSA	Interact Club
Key Club	KHOT	Korean Club	LEO Club
Math Team	Mock Trial	Polynesian Club	NHS
Robotics – Team 3008	Science Olympiad	Speech and Debate Team	DECA
Falcon Esports	Drama Club	Poetry Club	

Marching Band

October 21	Menehune Classic
October 28	Mililani Bandfest
November 4	Kamehameha Tournament of Bands
November 9	Rainbow Marching Band Invitational
November 11	Kapolei Marching Band Festival
November 24	Waikiki Holiday Parade

Pacific and Asian Affairs Council: Bringing the World to Hawaii's Youth!

PAAC's core program is to engage high school students and teachers through classes, inter-school conferences, competitions, teacher workshops, thought-provoking simulations, and travel that foster a greater awareness of history, foreign policy, economics, and social issues in the Asia/Pacific region: and to inspire these students to become leaders with a broader understanding of Hawaii's place in the world.

DECA

DECA (open to all *business* students), formerly known as Distributive Education Clubs of America, is an international organization that "prepares emerging leaders and entrepreneurs in marketing, finance, hospitality, and management" through activities, projects, and competitions that apply business knowledge. This club provides its members with the opportunity to gain real-life skills used in college, career, and beyond, while instilling professional responsibility and community mindedness. Membership applications and dues must be turned in by September 6, 2017 to Mrs. Potterton (E-23). For more information, please visit: deca.org decadirect.org, @DECAInc on Facebook, Twitter, Instagram, Pinterest, YouTube and LinkedIn, or Mrs. Potterton in E-23. Our email is kalanideca@gmail.com.

Japanese Club

The Japanese club is a new organization that broadens the knowledge of students that wish to learn the Japanese culture. From hands on activities to engaging lessons on Japan and its culture, we strive toward the goal of teaching our members something new each week that is enjoyable yet informational. Members not only learn but have the opportunity to participate in Japanese related events and establish new friendships throughout the year. The club also has a smaller group for members that are interested in taking their learning of Japan to the next level by participating in the Japan Wizards trivia competition for a chance to win a free trip to Japan. For more information or if you have any questions, please contact khsjapaneseclub16@gmail.com

LEO Club

Join the LEO Club! exciting volunteer and scholarship opportunities. Pick up a form in B21 or attend our first meeting on. Membership dues are \$5.

Math League

One of the most active and competitive academic teams on campus, the Kalani Math League Team is a member of the Oahu Mathematics League--a group of around 30 public and private schools from across the island which engages in monthly competitions that draw over 300 students apiece. Students can share their love of mathematics, form friendships with students from other schools, and engage in an impressive and enriching activity--all while strengthening their problem solving and computational abilities. See Doctor Ida if interested

NHS

The Kalani High School chapter of the National Honor Society--a nationally-recognized organization that recognizes academic excellence and promotes service and leadership--is among the largest student organizations on campus. NHS members help to improve the school and wider community through homegrown service projects and by partnering with organizations as diverse as the University of Hawaii's Kennedy Theatre and Habilitat. See Dr. Ida if interested.

C.O.R.E.

Christ Our Real Example

CORE Club is about growing in and learning about Jesus, supporting and acceptance of one another, and developing friendships. As a club, we meet during lunch on Wednesdays in room K-16. We talk about the daily struggles as well as times of celebration and discuss ways to get through it all TOGETHER! Come join us for lively games, yummy snacks, and a brief time of sharing. Hope to see you there!

COLLEGE AND CAREER GUIDANCE CENTER

College Information

- Please visit the College & Career Center link on Kalani's webpage **kalanihighschool.org**
- Susan Arashiro / Sandra Yoshida College & Career Counselors (808)305-0556
- susan_arashiro@notes.k12.hi.us

College Visitation Schedule: 2017 - 2018

Day	COLLEGE	Day	Time
SEPTEMBER			
20	Pacific Lutheran	Wednesday	(9:30am) - Odd
	Northern Arizona University		(1:00pm) - Odd
21	Gonzaga University	Thursday	(11:15am) - Even
22	Whittier College	Friday	(8:30am) - Odd
	Grinnell College		(11:00am) - Odd
	University of Laverne		(1:00pm) - Odd
25	Johns Hopkins	Monday	(8:00am) - Even
26	University of San Francisco	Tuesday	(8:10am) - Odd
27	Emerson College	Wednesday	(11:00am) - Even
28	Loyola Marymount University	Thursday	(8:15am) - Odd
OCTOBER			
2	Washington University in St. Louis	Monday	(8:30am) - Odd
3	Chaminade University of Honolulu	Tuesday	(9:30am) - Odd
4	Oregon State University	Wednesday	(8:15am) - Odd
	UH Manoa		(11:00am) - Odd
16	Colby College	Monday	(11:00am) - Odd
17	University of Oregon	Tuesday	(9:30am) - Even

	University of California, Irvine		(11:00am) - Even
18	Air National Guard	Wednesday	(9:30am) - Odd
19	Seton Hall University	Thursday	(8:10am) - Even
24	University of Sydney	Tuesday	(9:30am) - Odd
24	Pepperdine	Tuesday	(1:00pm) - Odd
25	Maryville University	Wednesday	(8:10am) - Even
Day	COLLEGE	Day	Time
26	University of Washington	Thursday	(8:15am) - Odd
26	Northwestern University	Thursday	(1:00pm) - Even
NOVEMBER			
3	Concordia University, Irvine	Friday	(12:45pm) - Odd
14	UH Hilo	Tuesday	(9:30am) - Even
21	Bard College	Tuesday	(8:10am) - Odd

ATHLETICS – Go Falcons

KALANI SEEKS GIRLS WATER POLO PROGRAM COACH:

DESCRIPTION:

Kalani High School is seeking candidates for the Girls Water Polo Head Coach. The Program Head Coach will oversee the Girls Water Polo Team. The Water Polo Program is a competitive program, and we are seeking a well-qualified individual to accept the challenge of maintaining the competitiveness of the program. Interested candidates should send a detailed resume which includes their water polo/swimming background to athletics@kalanihs.org. Deadline for submission is September 30th.

Kalani High School Athletics plays an integral role in the student experience. The philosophy of Kalani Athletics encourages student athletes, within the framework of the educational mission of the school, to be the best that they can be, to be the best team person and to be a true team player with the idea that this is what defines winning.

The Athletics Department supports more than 54 teams in over 19 different sports. The coaching staff at Kalani High School plays a significant role in the success of its' Athletics program and the education of our students.

KALANI SEEKS TENNIS PROGRAM COACH:

DESCRIPTION:

Kalani High School is seeking candidates for the Tennis Program Head Coach. The Program Head Coach will oversee the JV Girls Tennis Team and the Boys and Girls Varsity Tennis Teams. The Tennis Program is a competitive program, and we are seeking a well-qualified individual to accept the challenge of maintaining the competitiveness of the program. Interested candidates should send a detailed resume which includes their tennis background to athletics@kalanihs.org. Deadline for submission is September 30th.

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For more information about coaching at Kalani High School,

Contact Gregory Van Cantfort @ 305-0500

Athletics Director

GO FALCONS!

Football Results

Kalani 16 – Pearl City 22 (in overtime)

Kalani 34 – Kaimuki 41

Kalani 57 – McKinley 24

Kalani 33 – Waialua 0

Kalani 19 – Mount Tahoma 9

Kalani vs. Waipahu @ Kaiser September 16

Kalani @ Roosevelt September 22

Homecoming Game : Kalani vs. Kalaheo @ Kaiser September 29 5:00

Fall sport schedules forthcoming for Cheerleading

Air Riflery	@ Roosevelt	September 9	9:00am
Boys		Girls	
Kalani 1787.14 – Moanalua 2056.42		Kalani 2066.4 – Moanalua 2043.41	
Kalani 1871.19 – Kaimuki 1370.05		Kalani 2084.4 – Kaimuki 1246.05	
Kalani 1787.13 – Kaiser 1906.25		Kalani 2075.38 – Kaiser 1901.32	
Kalani 1834.23 – Roosevelt 818.08		Kalani 2076.41 – Roosevelt 1743.21	

Crosscountry	@ Kaiser	September 16	8:30am
	@ Pearl City	September 23	8:30am
	Eastern Div. @ CORP	September 30	8:30am

Results not available on OIA website

Bowling	@ KBay	September 21	2:30
	@ KBay	September 28	2:30

Results not available on OIA website

Volleyball	@ Kaimuki	September 19	5:30
	vs. Moanalua	September 21	5:30
	@ Kalaheo	September 26	5:30
	@ Roosevelt	September 28	5:30

Beat Farrington 25-19 25-19
Beat Kailua 17-25 27-17 15-8
Loss at Castle 19-25 23-25
Beat Kaiser 25-23 25-13
Beat Anuenue 25-16 25-13
Beat McKinley 25-14 21-25 15-8

Soft-Tennis	vs. Kaiser & Moanalua @ Kaiser	September 16	9:00
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Results not available on OIA website

JV Softball	@ McKinley	September 16	9:00am
	vs. Kahuku	September 23	9:00am

Results not available on OIA website

ACADEMIC REVIEW STATUS:

The parent/guardian whose child is on Academic Review Status (ARS) is encouraged to stay in close communication with their child's teacher, counselor and coach. All parties should work in unison to ensure that the student-athlete has the greatest opportunity to be successful in their academics so that they may become eligible to participate in athletics.

CHANGE IN SPORTS MEETING PROCEDURES:

The DOE requires that parents/guardians who have a child participating in athletics must attend the Parent Sport Meeting, with their child, once their child has been selected to a team. This is required once each school year that the child is participating in a sport. The meetings have now been broken down and grouped by sport. Please attend the Parent Sport Meeting for your child's sport. The Parent/Guardian is required to go online (kalaniathletics.com) to view the OIA/OC16 Risk Management video under the video tab and to view/read both the DOE Parent and Student-Athlete Handbook and Kalani's Guide to Athletic Participation. This must be complete PRIOR to coming to the Parent Sport Meeting. These items will no longer be distributed at the sport meeting. Those who do not have computer access may request an appointment with the Athletics Director to view the video and be provided a hard copy of the two handbooks. Since your child has already been selected to a team the \$80.00 ASET fee is due at the Parent Sport Meeting. The Parent Sport Meetings shall be announced in the morning bulletin and will also appear on the athletic website, school calendar and Principal's Newsletter. Contact your child's coach if you should have any questions.

ATHLETIC PHYSICALS & CONSENT FORMS:

An Athletic Physical and the Parent Consent and Assumption of Risk (CAR) form is required before anyone may participate in any athletic training. Parents are encouraged to make every attempt to have these physicals completed during the summer months. If a student does not have a current physical on file with our Athletics Trainer prior to tryouts it may jeopardize their opportunity to make the team. Those participating in a winter sport should consider having their physicals completed no later than October. Spring sports should be no later than February. Physicals are good for one calendar year from the date of the physical. A separate CAR form is needed for each sport your child participates in. These forms are to be turned in directly to the Athletic Trainers. Please do not give them to the coach! For more information please contact our Athletic Trainers. **The trainers start work at 1:00pm.**

Ben Kuenzli – bkuenzli@ahct.k12.hi.us

Marissa Sumida – marissa_sumida@notes.k12.hi.us

Office: 305-0610

ATHLETIC PRACTICE SAFETY:

For your safety and the safety of our student-athletes our practices are closed to the public. The gym doors will be closed during practice times and for the field/pool sports parents are asked to stay outside the fence line of the entire field/pool. Parents are asked to plan on arriving to pick up their child after a practice/game prior to end of the event. We want to be sure that there is adult supervision until all athletes have been picked up. Please communicate with your child's coach if you should have any questions. Reminder that there is to be NO SMOKING/VAPORING, NO ALCOHOL AND NO PETS allowed on any DOE campus.

Awards / Student Recognition

COMMUNITY CONNECTIONS

Kalani High School announces Partnership with the University of Hawaii Center for Cognitive Behavior Therapy

Kalani High School is excited to announce our new partnership with the University of Hawaii Center for Cognitive Behavior Therapy. We would like to welcome our newest partner to our Community of Learners.

Construction on Campus

Work continues on the Girls Varsity Locker Room Project. This new facility, a Title IX Project is being constructed between the gym and track. It will be the first new building on campus since the pool was built in 1975.

The girls have been without a Varsity Locker Room since the school was built in 1958. There is a Boys Varsity Locker Room. Your diligence and patience helps to provide for the safety of all members of our community of learners. We know that this new facility will enhance the overall education and experience for your child. Thank you.

Mahalo to Representatives Mark Hashem, Calvin Say, Bertrand Kobayashi and Senators Stanley Chang and Les Ihara for their support of this project. Mitchell Otani - Principal

Awards / Teacher Recognition

Partnerships

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Alumni information