# KALANI High School

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

### IMPORTANT DATES...

1) Friday, April 7 Senior Luau @ Bishop Museum

2) Friday, April 21 Friday Night Lights vs. Kaiser @ McKinley 5:00pm Friday, April 28 Friday Night Lights vs. Roosevelt @ Kalani 6:30pm

4) Friday, May 12 Last Day for Seniors

5) Thursday, May 18 Senior Awards Night @ Roosevelt HS Auditorium

6) Friday, May 19
7 Saturday, May 20
8) Tuesday, May 23
9) Friday, May 26
Athletic Banquet (tentative)
Senior Prom (tentative)
Graduation (Confirmed)
Last Day for Students

10) Monday: May 29 Memorial Day

11) Tuesday, May 30 Last Day for Teachers

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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

Be the first to smile! ----- Danny Kaleikini

#### **WASC Accreditation Team Visit**

Aloha Parents,

Next week, April 10th through the 13th, Kalani High School will be visited by a team from the Western Association of Schools and Colleges. It is the one of the final steps in Kalani's process in renewing our school's accreditation. While on campus, the visiting team members will be interviewing faculty, staff and random students as well as walking through classrooms. Please help us in welcoming the WASC visiting team to Kalani High School.

# **Congratulations**

Kalani FFA (Future Farmers of America)

1st Place: Parliamentary Procedure competition at the Hawaii FFA State Convention Team members are *Harukí Cheung, Connor Izumí, Kristina Nakahara, Kohei Sears* and Chairperson Ayaka Yoshii

# **Congratulations**

National Center for Women & Information Technology Hawai'i Affiliate 2023 Regional Award Winners

Stephanie Lee Kristalyn Lee Leilani Phan

Mr. Bryan Silver has earned the Hawai'i Affiliate 2023 Educator Award

#### **Congratulations**

2023 NHS Scholarship Recipients

Taiga Sakai - \$3,200 Scholarship Recipient

NASSP, parent organization of the National Honor Society, is proud to announce the winners of the 2023 National Honor Society Scholarships! Every state in the U.S. is represented among the winners, along with the District of Columbia and our overseas chapters. These students, all members of the class of 2023, were chosen from among thousands of applicants.

# Congratulations

Scholastic Art Award National Winner

Kaíyana Peterson (grade 10) - National Gold Medal Atona Chan (grade 9)- National Silver Medal

Atona is the first Kalani freshman to win on the national level

# Congratulations

Team Magma (3008): Kalani Robotics

Hawaii Regional: 37 teams with teams from 5 countries and three states

Kalani students were amazing and help several teams during the event demonstrating gracious professionalism. They end up as the 8th seed alliance captains to proceed into the double-elimination final rounds.

Team Magma received the Industrial Design award for

a modular robot that can be broken down to fit into a standard suitcase (for shipping) and then reassembled in 3 hours. Leilani Phan was chosen as one of two recipients of the Dean's List semi-finalist and will go on to worlds to compete against 160 students from around the world for the top 10 spots as a Dean's list Finalist.

Really cool honor to be chosen at the regional. Worlds in Houston from April 17<sup>th</sup> – 24<sup>th</sup>

# Congratulations 2023 Citizen-Scholar Award recipient Jennifer Moritaka

For the past 18 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 Jennifer Moritaka – Kalani Citizen Scholar 2023

# Congratulations Andrew Lee

2023 Mamoru and Aiko Takitani Foundation Scholarship

Thank you to all who worked so hard to complete and submit the application for the Mamoru and Aiko Takitani Foundation Scholarship. The applicants were extremely qualified and highly competitive with outstanding academic, leadership, and community service profiles. The scholarship committee was extremely impressed with the quality of the applicants. Please congratulate Andrew Lee – Kalani's Takitani Foundation Scholarship recipient

# Congratulations

Kalani Robotics Team Magma Hawaii Regional : Industrial Design Award

# **Student Crimestoppers**

Students can also use the Student CrimeStoppers number to report crimes anonymously (808) 955-8300 <a href="https://www.kitv.com/news/honolulu-police-encourage-students-to-help-report-bullying-and-crime-on-campus/article-5fdb1c32-4f74-11ed-901f-3f7978109106.html">https://www.kitv.com/news/honolulu-police-encourage-students-to-help-report-bullying-and-crime-on-campus/article-5fdb1c32-4f74-11ed-901f-3f7978109106.html</a>

# STUDENT SECTION

# **College and Career Center Updates**

#### College and Career Center

Scholarship resources: <a href="https://bit.ly/KalaniScholarships">https://bit.ly/KalaniScholarships</a>

\*\*a Kalanihs.org account must be used to view the scholarship document\*\*



Scholarships

#### Reminders:

- Check your emails
  - O Don't miss out on scholarships, deadline reminders, missing documents from your school's admissions or financial aid offices, etc.
- Transcripts
  - O Stop by our office to request your mid-year transcript
  - Final transcript requests will be in May via Google Form
- Check our website for more information https://bit.ly/KalaniCollegeandCareer
- FAFSA support, please go to this link for more information <a href="https://www.pacfaa.org/page-1841145">https://www.pacfaa.org/page-1841145</a>

#### **Dual Credit**

The Summer/Fall 23 presentation is posted on the Dual Credit website - <a href="https://bit.ly/KalaniDualCredit">https://bit.ly/KalaniDualCredit</a>
Please see Mr. Zane in the library for more information regarding Dual Credit (Running Start / Early College) classes.

#### **Center for Tomorrow's Leaders**

CTL class dates: April: 4/10 4/18 4/26 May: 5/2 5/10

# **Club Information**

#### **Forthcoming**

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#### Class of 2023 (SENIOR PARENTS) PROJECT GRADUATION

If you would like to be a part of the planning for Project Graduation CLASS OF 2023, Please email Kimber Kahanu (son-Isaiah) at Kalanipg2023@gmail.com.

#### Class of 2024 (Junior PARENTS) PROJECT GRADUATION

"Any Junior parents interested in planning your students Project Graduation next school year, please email Kimber Kahanu (class of 2023 PG committee president) to receive more information. Email - <a href="kalanipg2023@gmail.com">kalanipg2023@gmail.com</a>. "

#### **ATHLETICS**

#### Baseball Kalani 7 – Roosevelt 8 Kalani 3 – Kailua 10 Kalani 1 – Moanalua 8 Kalani 4 – Farrington 9 Kalani 3 – Kaiser 2 Kalani 2 – Castle 0 Kalani 2 – Kailua 1 Kalani 2 - Roosevelt 5 04/08 Moanalua @ CORP 4:00 0412 Farrington 3:00 04/19 Kaiser 3:00 04/22 Castle 11:00

Golf					
Girls	03/06	03/13	03/15	03/20	03/27
Teal Matsueda	71		74	72	
Kara Kaneshiro	72		68	67	70
Kailee McKee	75		76	74	81
Rylee Shimabuku	90	85	89	85	80
Alexis Yorimoto		96			89
Ashlyn Yorimoto	101	98	87	89	84
Zaedis Yoshizawa	86	91	77	75	80
Parker Smith	87		83		
Bryson Nakata	88	88		83	83
Zachary Tam	95	102	84	83	94
Logan Smith	108	88	89		89
Virgil Tan	120	94	87	85	86
Judo					
April 8	@ Moanalua				10:30
April 15	Eastern Division @ McKinley				10:30
April 22	OIA @ Leleihua				10:30
April 29	HHSAA @ Stan Sheriff				10:30

# Softball

Kalani 11 –	Castle 2		Kalani 20 – Kaimuki 5
	Roosevelt 4		Kalani 18 – Kailua 0
Kalani 1 – I	Kaiser 4		Kalani 5 – Moanalua 4
Kalani 17 –	Roosevelt 2		Kalani 14 – Castle 4
Kalani 9 – I	Kaimuki 2		Kalani 15 - Kailua 0
04/11	@ Kaiser	3:00	
04/13	Moanalua	3:00	

### **Tennis**

### **Results forthcoming**

# Track / Field

April 8	Eastern Division Varsity Finals
April 15	OIA Junior Varsity Championship
April 20	OIA Varsity Championship
May 5	HHSAA Trials

May 6 **HHSAA** Finals

# Volleyball

Kalani 3 –	Kailua 2		Kalani 0 – Moanalua 3
Kalani 0 –	Roosevelt 3		Kalan 3 – McKinley 2
Kalani 3 –	Anuenue 0		Kalani 3 – Kalaheo 0
Kalani 3 –	Farrington 1		Kalani 3 – Kaiser 2
Kalani 2 –	Kahuku 3		Kalani 3 – Kaimuki 1
04/10	Castle	6:00	

#### **ASET FEE \$60.00**

Once your child has been selected to a team, parents will receive an email asking you to log into your child's account to pay the \$60.00 Athletic Supply Equipment & Transportation (ASET) fee. This fee is charged once per school year regardless of the number of teams your child gets selected for. A \$3.00 convenience fee is applied to online payments.

Please visit www.kalaniathletics.com for more information

# **Congratulations Dr. Michael Ida**

State Finalist for Presidential Award for Excellence in Math and Science Teaching 2023

#### **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 Beth Schimmelfinnig, Director Rhonda Wong, Compliance Aaron Oandasan, Title VI Toby Yamashiro, Title VII Nicole Isa-Iijima, Titl IX Krysti Sukita, ADA/504

#### 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.