



KAMEHAMEHA SCHOOLS®

16 Ianuali 2019

Hau'oli Makahiki Hou e ko Maui!

Parent participation is **critical** to student success!

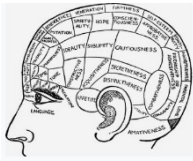
According to Child Trends™, parental involvement in school is defined as parent-reported participation at least once during the school year: attending a general school meeting, attending a scheduled parent-teacher conference, attending a school or class event, or volunteering in the school or serving on a school committee. At Kamehameha Schools Maui parent involvement is much more than attending one parent conference or a class event, **here we get involved and help out – providing hands-on kōkua and engagement! E ala! E alu! E kuilima! ~ Up! Together! Join Hands!**

Parent Sessions offer information with the goal of developing a partnership between makua (parent) and kula (school) and haumāna (student)!

Parent Session: Wellness through Balance – Challenge Success!

Thursday, 17 January, 6-7:30 pm, Charles Reed Bishop Learning Center at the High School

K-12 Parent Opportunity! Come, share, learn, and leave with information, positive strategies, and tools to develop the success of the whole child. KSM is working with Challenge Success™ to share student feedback and trends. For parenting tips and information: <http://www.challengesuccess.org> RSVP: <https://tinyurl.com/olapono>



Parent Session: The Brain! How it works for learning and decision making ...

Wednesday, 13 February, 6-7:30 pm, Keanolani Learning Center at the Middle School.

At this K-12 Parent Session, special guest speaker Tracey Tokuhama-Espinosa will share her 'ike (knowledge) about the brain and how people learn. Learn why knowing how your brain works is so important to learning and decision making! RSVP: <https://tinyurl.com/discoverbrain>

All School Movie Night – an opportunity to enjoy family time and meet other KSM families!

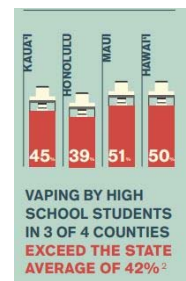
Friday, 22 February, 7:00 pm, *Indoors* at Nāmāhana Dining Hall. Sponsored by the PTO. Movie is FREE. Snacks will be available for purchase. A community service effort will be promoted at this event, look for updates. RSVP link will be shared soon.

Parent Session: Student Trends – Vaping?! What's happening and what can we do?

Tuesday, 12 March, 6-7:30 pm, Keōpūolani Hale at the High School

This K-12 presentation will provide information on student trends: vaping, etc. through presentations and community resources. Electronic smoking devices have grown in popularity among school-aged keiki and we are concerned because vaping products can cause serious health effects. Join us for an evening of information and learn positive strategies to take action and to discuss risks and concerns with your child.

RSVP: <https://tinyurl.com/stopvape>



MOANA at KSM! Keōpūolani Hale 18 'Apelila (April) - This is the first time a Disney picture has been re-recorded in 'ōlelo Hawai'i. The movie, a collaboration of five UH programs, is spearheaded by the Academy for Creative Media System and was recorded at the sound studio of Honolulu Community College's Music and Entertainment Learning Experience (MELE) program. More information forthcoming.



HO'OLAULE'A 2019 – Saturday, April 13, 2019 – 9:00 am – 3:00 pm
Look for updates from your PTSO grade level reps and the Ho'olaule'a
Publicity Committee.

Mahalo to our **HO'OLAULE'A 2019 SPONSORS** –



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HO'OLAULE'A 2018 Grants for 2018-2019 SY activities.

- Allies for Equality (A4E) funding for club and school-wide activities.
- Comet Coders Kula Ha'aha'a First Lego League, uniform assistance.
- Hawaiian Ensemble (43 members) travel assistance to Tahiti to strengthen pilina and share cultural and musical heritage.
- Huaka'i Hele (22 students) travel assistance to Italy.
- KSM Kula Ki'eki'e Japan Club (21 students) travel assistance to Hiroshima, Kyoto, and Tokyo, Japan.
- Ola Nā Iwi travel assistance to Kaua'i, participate in Hawaiian immersion to 'ōlelo Hawai'i and reflect on individual cultural goals.
- Papa Kou Bonus Buck Program funding.
- Project Graduation 2020 funding.
- PTSO 'A'apueo Scholarship fund - 4- \$1,000 awards and 2-\$500 awards to KSM alumni.

MAHALO NUI LOA

To our awesome parent volunteers that assisted with the games and the ice cream sundae bar at the Kula Ha'aha'a New Year's Carnival on Friday, January 11. The keiki enjoyed themselves and had so much fun. Mahalo to Student Activities Coordinator Eva Palakiko for planning this fun, active event!

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