

Parent Bulletin

Upcoming Events

Principal

Laureen Dunn

Vice Principal

Melinda Pamatigan

Counselor

Jared Yamamoto

Support Service

Coordinator

(SSC)

Shari Villaruz

Office Hours:

7:30am-4:00pm

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May

- 2-13 Smarter Balanced Assessment
- 6 Grade K -Field Trip- HTY
- 13 Grade 1- Parent Activity
- 17 Grade 5 - Banquet
- 18 Preschool Graduation
- 21 Aladdin Musical Performance
- 26 Last Day of School- Early Release 12:40

July

- 08 Uniform Sale on campus
(9:00 am - 3:00pm)
- 18 Uniform Sale on campus
(9:00am - 3:00pm)
- 27 Meet and Greet- **Grades K-2**
(5:00pm - 6:30 pm)
- 28 Meet and Greet- **Grades 3-5**
(5:00pm- 6:30pm)



Students will be released at 12:50 pm on Wednesdays for the 2016-2017 school year

Principal's Message

The school year has come to an end and we would like to thank all of you for your support. Creating a school system from nothing to what we have in place today is nothing more than amazing. As we continue to grow and refine our academic programs, we are also looking forward to offering more parent/family involvement activities with the establishment of a Parent Teacher Organization (PTO) next school year.

Mahalo to the following outgoing School Community Council members that represented their role groups this school year.

- Deborah Eveland, Certificated, SCC Chairperson
- Laura Rahaim, Certificated
- Dollinda Sato, Classified

Please join me in welcoming the following SCC representatives. The student representatives will be chosen after the Student Council Election.

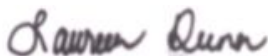
- Alyssa Morgan, Parent
- Lee Tokuhara, Community
- Jennifer Duldulao, Certificated
- Jill Higa, Certificated Alternate
- Cynthia Reyes, Classified

We would like to extend a fond aloha to our faculty and staff members who will be leaving our Ho'okele Ohana. We wish them the very best in their future endeavors.

- Mrs. Laura Rahaim, 4th Grade Teacher
- Mrs. Shari Villaruz, Student Services Coordinator
- Mr. Brandon Chesebro, PE PTT
- Ms. Holly Pearce, Art PTT
- Mr. Kurt Ginoza, Music PTT
- Mr. Damon Nakatani, Hawaiian Studies PTT

The teachers are scheduled to return to work on Tuesday, July 26, 2016 and the students' first day back to school will be on Monday, August 01, 2016. Until then, please have a safe and restful summer. Our faculty and staff look forward to seeing you again to begin another year of great accomplishments.

Mahalo nui loa,



Vice Principal's Corner

Aloha Students, Parents and Families,

I cannot believe it is over already! I feel like we just started this adventure at our new school. It has been such a rewarding experience getting to know all of you and I am looking forward to next school year to make things even better!

Thank you for all of your support and suggestions along the way. I am grateful to be a part of this team as we navigate into the upcoming school year together. Great things will surely come!

We are looking for some awesome people to help fill vacancies for Part-Time Teachers, Adult Supervisors, Para-Professional Tutors, Room Cleaners, Sub Custodians and Sub Educational Assistants. If you are interested in learning more about these positions, please call me to set up an interview.

Have a safe and enjoyable summer!

Melinda Pamatigan

Vice-Principal



School Uniforms by *The Custom Company*





Ho'okele Elementary 2016 - 2017 Uniform Information

We are very pleased to be working with Ho'okele Elementary students, staff, and parents on your uniform program.

There are two easy ways to purchase your uniforms:

- For your convenience, we will be conducting a sale in the **Front area fronting the Office** on **FRIDAY, July 08** from **9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.** & **MONDAY July 18** from **9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.** We accept cash and MasterCard/Visa credit cards. **No personal checks will be accepted.**
- Visit us at our new location in Harbor Center: 98-027 Hekaha Street, Building #3 Unit #12, located in Aiea



Unisex T-Shirt	Zip Hooded Jacket
 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fabric: 100% Cotton • Color: Black • Sizes: Youth XS - XL Adult S - 2X • Price (pre-tax): YXS - Adult XL \$9.00 Adult 2X \$11.00 	 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fabric: Poly/Cotton • Color: Black • Sizes: Youth XS - L Adult S - 2X • Price (pre-tax): YXS - Adult XL \$28.00 Adult 2X \$30.00
Dri Fit T-Shirt	Long Sleeve
 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fabric: 100% Polyester • Color: Black • Sizes: Youth S - XL Adult S-2XL • Prices (pre-tax): YS - Adult XL \$12.75 Adult 2X \$14.75 	 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fabric: 50/50 Poly/Cotton • Color: Black • Sizes: Youth XS - XL Adult S-2XL • Prices (pre-tax): YXS - YXL \$16.00 Adult S - XL \$17.00 Adult 2X \$19.00

Aladdin



A big mahalo to the cast, crew, parents, and staff that made our first musical a huge success! A special shout-out to Mrs. Brown and her daughter, Melissa, who directed and choreographed the musical.





On behalf of the school, we would like to acknowledge and thank the following who volunteered throughout the school year:

- Kai Akau
- Emily Malama
- Lani Tesoro
- Laura Batalona
- Anna Kalama
- Alice King
- Jessica Kramer
- Sarah Lapilio
- Patricia Davis
- Karen Kamaka
- Pearl Dunn
- Marion Reap
- Takako Izumigawa
 - Keil Oliver
 - Linda Warne
 - Jodi Akau
 - Wendy Souza
- Aileen Whiting
 - Jason Otero
- Maritas Stevenson
 - Sally Tupper
- Jennifer Palmer
 - Angela Nikora
 - Desiree Kim
- Aileen Whiting
 - Jarna Clough
 - Chrisann Leao
 - Sarah Willing
 - Rotary Club
- Kapolei Neighborhood Security Watch

**I apologize if I have missed any volunteers. We do appreciate all that you do!