

TO: KHS Parents & Ohana, Guardians, Friends (09/21/18)

KALANI High School

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

IMPORTANT DATES...

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| 1) Thursday, September 27 | Financial Aid Night |
| 2) Friday, October 5 | Last day of 1 st Quarter |
| 3) Thursday, October 25 | PC Day : No School |
| 4) Tuesday, November 6 | Election Day : No School |
| 5) Monday, November 12 | Holiday : Veterans' Day |
| 6) Thursday, November 22 | Holiday : Thanksgiving |
| 7) Friday, November 23 | No school : day after Thanksgiving |
| 8) Sunday, December 9 | Band Concert |
| 9) Friday, December 21 | Last day of 1 st Semester |
| 10) Tuesday, December 25 | Christmas Day |
| 11) Saturday, January 26 | 2019 Hawaii Regional Science Bowl |
| 12) Sunday, March 17 | Junior Prom |
| 13) Friday, Spril 26 | Falcon Fair |
| 14) Saturday, May 18 | Senior Prom @ Koolau Ballroom |
| 15) Tuesday, May 21 | Graduation |

Fall Break : October 8 – October 12
Winter Break – December 24 – January 7

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

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Vision: Character. Compassion. Community.

Character: Using knowledge with integrity.

Compassion: Seeking to actively listen and understand beyond personal perspective and striving to nurture relationships.

Community: Students, parents, staff, and friends of Kalani empowering each other in an environment that fosters a sense of belonging and pride.

Mission : We at Kalani High School create opportunities to discover our passions, purpose, and personal pursuits.

National Merit Semi-Finalist

Congratulations to Shirley Li

Shirley is amongst the 16,000 Semifinalists (67 Hawaii Semi-Finalists)

in the 64th annual National Merit Scholarship Program. This academically talented high school senior has the opportunity to continue in the competition for some 8,600 National Merit Scholarships worth more than 41 million that will be offered in the spring.

The Selection Index Qualifying Score (minimum qualifying score on last year's PSAT test) to be a semi-finalist is 220.

Important Reminders

RSVP for Financial Aid Night: Informational Meeting in the Cafeteria

Parents/Guardians/Students of the Class of 2019 and all other interested parents and students are invited to Kalani High School's financial aid night. The purpose of this evening is to provide information about the financial aid process, in addition to navigating through the "Free Application for Federal Student Aid" (FAFSA). Registration for the event is encouraged to assist with handout preparation. Please RSVP to Lhayashi@kalanihs.org

NEW SAT registration deadline is Wednesday September 26

Seniors who have not yet registered for the SAT with essay given at Kalani High School on October 10th, your last day to register will be on Wednesday, September 26th during recess, lunch or after school in the College & Career Center in the library.

<https://www.kalanihighschool.org/apps/news/article/910863>



Kalani welcomes Superintendent Christina Kishimoto and CAS Rochelle Mahoe. Student guides Kaitlyn, Lauren and Reina.

*Congratulations to the following students who auditioned and were selected to the
Hawai'i Youth Symphony*

Youth Symphony I (20)

Everett Amemiya Erin Matsushita Kai Abergas Mia Caliri Jesse Cumpston Micaela Diaz-Paez
Valentina Diaz- Paez Fuma Fujiki Yukiko Hughes Kurumi Kawata David Kimura Maxwell Miyasato
Cuyler Murata Ryoma Sears Levin So Sherry Tanaka Hinano Tsuchiya Karen Watarida
Brevely-Ann Wiemer Aiden Woodard

Youth Symphony II (20)

Kayleen Asuncion Tea Caliri Gavin Ching Kiana Ejercito Jacob Fetterman Emily Fujii Ethan Garland
Rika Haraguchi Ashley Kelleher William Lam Alexander Lau Christine Lau Cora Lau Naiya Lim
Ashley Nakazaki Noriko O'Shea Moko Sato Chinatsu Takizawa Alexander Tomomitsu Robert Wiemer

Concert Orchestra (3)

Brian Nguyen Lilyan Li Shota Yamada

Federal Impact Aid Survey Forms

Parents, please help us collect Impact Aid by filling out the Federal Survey form. Forms were distributed to students to take home. 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.

Timeline for 2019-2020 Registration

September 2018

Updates for course catalog due September 21

November 2018

November 7- Distribution of Registration Materials to current students

Month of November

Counselors to visit classes to go over graduation requirements

All teachers to discuss department's classes and course sequencing and requirements

Elective Fair

Proposed Date- Friday, November 16

Time - Advisory

Participants- All Electives, will also suggest upper level math, science, All AP Courses, and Early College.

December 2018

Course Sign Ups- Tuesday, December 4 during Advisory

January 2019

Verification letter to parents regarding courses child has requested. (Sent home with Q2 report card)

February 2019

Master Schedule- Departments to submit tentative teaching

March/April 2019

Counselor to work on course requests and student schedules (2019) for students with missing information

May 2019

Sharing of Master Schedule for 2020

Dear Parents and Guardians,

As a parent/guardian of a Hawaii Department of Education student, you have the right to know the professional qualifications of the classroom teacher(s) who instruct your child. Federal Law allows you to ask for certain information about your child's classroom teacher(s) and requires us to give you this information in a timely manner upon request. You have the right to ask for the following information about each of your child's classroom teacher(s).

1. Whether the teacher has met licensing criteria and has earned the designation of Highly Qualified for the grade levels and subject areas in which he/she teaches. Core academic subjects include :
 - a. English-Language Arts
 - b. Mathematics
 - c. Science
 - d. Foreign Languages
 - e. Civics and Government
 - f. Economics
 - g. History
 - h. Geography
 - i. Art
2. Whether the teacher is under emergency or other provisional status through which State qualifications or licensing criteria have been waived.
3. The teacher's college major, whether the teacher has any advanced degrees and if so, the subject of the degrees and
4. Whether any teacher's aides or similar paraprofessionals provide services to your child and, if they do, their qualifications.

If you would like to receive any of this information, please contact our school office.

Mahalo to Senator Chang and Representative Hashem

Mahalo to Senator Chang and Representative Hashem for their help in securing monies for the design of a new rubberized track and field turf. **Kalani High School – \$550,000** for Plans and design for track and field improvements; ground and site improvements.

STUDENT SECTION

STUDENT GOVERNMENT

Class Activities

SENIORS:

Honolulu National College Fair

Students and families interested in attending the Fall National College Fair at the Hawaii Convention Center on October 25th, click on the registration link below for more information. You **MUST** register **BEFORE** attending the fair. We encourage you and your family to visit the National College Fair to meet and talk story with the college representatives. There are two sessions held, a morning and evening session. We recommend the evening session, as the morning session is generally very crowded with students.

Please register here: <https://www.nacacfairs.org/attend/national-college-fairs/honolulu-national-college-fair/>

Project Grad 2019

We need your help with **Project Grad 2019**. Please contact Mr. John Costa, parent of Jolie Costa, at kalanipg19@gmail.com or his cell (808) 227-8214.

Club Information

Key Club

Key Club is a one of the longest-standing community service clubs around the world. Our members give back to the community in multiple ways such as cleaning beaches, passing out water to runners at the marathons or charity walks, packaging food at the Foodbank bonding with the elderly, helping out at elementary school fairs, playing games with children with special needs, making cards for children in the hospitals, and much more. Key Club is one of the only service clubs that often volunteers with the same club from other schools, so students get a chance to meet people and go beyond their comfort zone. Within the district, the Key Clubs also have many socials and conventions so that while the focus of the club is volunteering, students have a chance to learn social and leadership skills as well.

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. Please see Mr. Alex Kendrick or Mrs. Sandra Yoshida if interested in PAAC. Application for PAAC Global Leadership Program is September 9, 2018.

Scholarships awarded to Kalani High students in the past 2 years.

\$15,100	Total awarded to 7 students to travel to Bali, China, Japan, Vietnam and the Philippines
\$10,678	Total awarded to 10 students to participate in PAAC's Global Leadership Program
\$1,300	Academic scholarships awarded for demonstrated interest in international affairs

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.

Computer Coding Club (new)

The mission of the Computer Coding Club is to make computer science and coding accessible to the entire Kalani community. We conduct workshops to share the fun and excitement of creating new and unique applications and games with others, and we engage in local and national competitions to hone our cyber security and app design skills. We meet every other Wednesday during lunch. See Dr. Ida in E-15 if interested.

Laulea (new)

Laulea is an inclusive, school-based club for students of all abilities. With the support of Special Olympics Hawaii School Programs, students with and without intellectual disabilities have the opportunity to participate together in social and recreational activities.

Japanese Club

Science Club

Inclusive of topics ranging from biology to engineering, Science Club gives you opportunities to explore science in a new light! Beyond honing in on your communication, leadership, and critical thinking skills, you will be able to better manage your time and build new relationships. Our offered competitions stretch to an international level and are invigorating but gratifying. Please see Mrs. Hamasaki in the library if interested.

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

Math League

One of the most active and competitive academic teams on campus, the Kalani Math League Team is a member of the Oahu Math 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--while strengthening their problem solving and computational abilities. See Dr. 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!

Other clubs on campus

Anime Club	Best Buddies	Chinese Club	Chorus Club
Creative Dance Club	Glee Club	GSA	Future Farmers of America
HOSA	Interact Club	Japanese Club	Knight Club
Korean Club	LEO Club	Mock Trial	Parkour Club
Polynesian Music Club	Magma Robotics	Science Club	Falcon Esports
Drama Club	Poetry Club	Speech and Debate Team	

Marching Band

October 20	Menehune Classic
October 28	Kapolei Marching Band Festival
November 3	Kamehameha Tournament of Bands
November 5	Oahu Marching Band Festival
November 12	Rainbow Marching Band Invitational
November 17	Mililani Bandfest

COLLEGE AND CAREER GUIDANCE CENTER

College Information

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

College Visitation Schedule

Appt Date	Appt Start	College	City	State
9/24/2018	10:00am	University of Nevada-Las Vegas		
9/27/2018	1:15pm	University of Hawaii at Hilo	Hilo	HI
10/1/2018	1:15pm	Carleton College	Northfield	MN
10/2/2018	11:15am	University of Hawaii at Manoa		
10/3/2018	8:30am	Babson College	Wellesley	MA
10/3/2018	11:00am	Pacific University, Oregon		
10/3/2018	1:15pm	Vanderbilt University	Nashville	TN
10/4/2018	8:30am	Northeastern University	Boston	MA
10/4/2018	11:15am	American University	Washington	DC
10/5/2018	8:30am	Villanova University	Villanova	PA
10/15/2018	8:30am	Menlo College	Atherton	CA
10/15/2018	1:15pm	University of Oregon	Eugene	OR
10/16/2018	8:30am	Sonoma State University	Rohnert Park	CA
10/16/2018	10:00am	University of Northern Colorado	Greeley	CO
10/17/2018	11:15am	California Maritime Academy, CSU	Vallejo	CA
10/17/2018	1:15pm	Johnson & Wales University, Providence	Providence	RI
10/17/2018	2:15pm	University of California-Irvine		
10/18/2018	10:00am	George Fox University	Newberg	OR
10/22/2018	8:30am	Nagoya University	Nagoya	
10/22/2018	11:15am	Concordia University-Portland	Portland	OR
10/22/2018	1:15pm	Drexel University	Philadelphia	PA
10/23/2018	8:30am	Boise State University	Boise	ID
10/23/2018	10:00am	Waseda University		
10/23/2018	11:15am	Maryland Institute College of Art	Baltimore	MD
10/23/2018	1:15pm	Seton Hall University	South Orange	NJ
10/24/2018	8:30am	Loyola Marymount University	Los Angeles	CA
10/24/2018	11:15am	Colorado State University-Pueblo	Pueblo	CO
10/24/2018	1:15pm	Illinois Institute of Technology	Chicago	IL
10/26/2018	8:30am	Trinity Western University	Langley	BC
10/26/2018	10:00am	Sophia University	Japan	
10/26/2018	10:00am	International Christian University	Japan	
10/26/2018	10:00am	University of California, Merced		
10/26/2018	11:00am	Sophia University	Japan	
10/26/2018	11:00am	International Christian University	Japan	

10/26/2018	11:15am	Macalester College	Saint Paul	MN
10/26/2018	1:15pm	Point Loma Nazarene University	San Diego	CA
10/29/2018	8:30am	Williams College	Williamstown	MA
10/29/2018	11:15am	Missouri University of Science and Technology	Rolla	MO
10/30/2018	11:15am	University of Richmond	Richmond	VA
10/31/2018	11:15am	Whitworth University	Spokane	WA
10/31/2018	1:15pm	Kalamazoo College	Kalamazoo	MI
11/1/2018	1:15pm	Holy Names University	Oakland	CA
11/5/2018	11:15am	Concordia University-Irvine	Irvine	CA
11/13/2018	8:30am	Hawaii Air National Guard		

If you missed any presentation, please stop by the College and Career Center for brochures and more information. Notes from the presentation are uploaded in the Google Drive folder. Be sure to be signed into your @kalanihs account to view the files <https://drive.google.com/open?id=1K3DcgsWFqTi064ukSWKyGt21diPht0Ai>

Athletics – Go Falcons

Fall sports information forthcoming

OIA FOOTBALL PARENT PASSES NO LONGER AVAILABLE

As a result of the realigned football schedule, each league has agreed that their respective parent passes will not be accepted at interleague games. To eliminate confusion at the gate, the OIA has eliminated the Football Parent Passes but will still offer parent passes for other sports.

STUDENT ACTIVITY CARD

As a result of the realigned football schedule that includes interleague games between the OIA and ILH each league has agreed that their respective Student Activity Card will not be accepted at interleague games. The Student Activity Card will still be honored for all OIA regular season games. The cost for the Student Activity Card is \$25.00 and is good for admission to all Kalani regular season games both home and away for football, volleyball and basketball. The student must show their Student Activity Card to receive the student admission price for interleague games. Without the card students will pay the \$7.00 general admission rate for each game.

ASET FEE

The Athletic Supply Equipment and Transportation Fee (ASET) is a one-time per school year fee assessed to student-athletes once they have been selected to the team. The fee is good for as many sports as your child is selected for within the school year. The fee is used to cover transportation costs for all sports (the amount allocated to schools by the state is not nearly enough to cover the annual transportation costs). With these funds, Kalani will provide transportation to and from all regular season and post season games. The fee will also cover airfare and ground transportation expenses if post season play is on the Neighbor Island.

The Student Activity Card will no longer be provided upon payment of the ASET Fee and must be purchased separately. The ASET Fee will be \$60.00 for the 2018 – 2019 School Year.

All student fees – grade level and athletic fees are approved annually by the School Community Council

Football Schedule

August

Kalani 0 – Kaimuki 49
 Kalani 8 – Pac5 28
 Kalani 0 – Roosevelt 30
 Kalani 0 – Kaiser 17
 Kalani 22 – McKinley 16

September

21 at Pearl City 7:30 p.m.
 28 at Waialua 7:30 p.m.

October

5 St. Francis*** 5 p.m.
 13 Kalaheo**** 6:30 p.m.

**Fall sport schedules forthcoming
 for Crosscountry, Soft-Tennis, Air Riflery, Bowling, Cheerleading and JV Softball**

COMMUNITY CONNECTIONS

Work continues on the Girls Varsity Locker Room Project.

The project is nearing completion and we hope to dedicate the new buildings soon
*Mahalo to Representatives Mark Hashem, Calvin Say, Bertrand Kobayashi and
Senators Stanley Chang and Les Ihara for their support of this project.*

Partnerships

Global Participation

**Jeju Student Forum : Kalani has been selected (and invited) to participate in the Jeju Student Youth Forum again.
Students will be traveling to Korea in November.**

Kalani students return from visiting Koyo Senior High School - Hiroshima Prefecture

KOYO Senior High School – Kalani High School Partnership

Kalani High School students returned from their cultural visit to Koyo Senior High School in Hiroshima, Japan. This sister school partnership continues to present opportunities for both schools to learn from each other while strengthening bonds of friendship, peace and tolerance between the United States and Japan. This program helps to solidify the fellowship between schools as we continue to engage in correspondence and visits that promote a greater understanding of the cultures and social customs of both countries. The Kalani Delegation (10 students), led by vice-principal Keileen Isono and Student Activities Coordinator Rei Akasaki stayed in the homes of Koyo students. They visited classrooms and explored beautiful Hiroshima. They returned to Hawaii on Sunday, July 29. Kalani High School cherishes the special relationships that we share with Koyo Senior High School and we are proud to be a part of a program that helps to develop lifelong friendships and global perspectives in our communities.

Global Participation

**Japan Super Science Fair : Ritsumeikan High School students arrived on Saturday, July 21 and spent a week in Honolulu.
Kalani High School has been invited and students will be participating in the Japan Super Science Fair in Kyoto, in November**

Alumni information

KALANI FALCON ATHLETIC BOOSTER CLUB

Kalani Falcons "Thanksgiving" Golf Classic - November 16, 2018 Honoring the Class of 1968!

Help us celebrate our 12th annual Thanksgiving Golf Classic. With the great food, prizes, and camaraderie, this event is one of the best ways to support Kalani Athletics. To date, over \$100,000 in support has gone directly to the athletic programs at Kalani in the form of equipment, specialized training and clinics, and high technology. Your participation makes a long lasting positive impact on the program. Included is a pre-round lunch, famous seafood pupu platter, and a buffet dinner prepared by Hawaii Prince. In addition to the golf and food, enjoy the great prizes including the \$10,000 Hole-In-One contest, hotel accommodations, restaurant and golf packages, and golf equipment.

Hawaii Prince Golf Club, 91-1200 Fort Weaver Road

Friday, November 16, 2018, 10:30 am Check In, 11:30 am Shotgun Start Time

"Scramble and Best Ball Shamble format" - Official and complete rules to be given at check-in

TEAM INFORMATION:

Team of Three Players: \$480.00

Includes Special "Thanksgiving" Prizes and Contests, Lunch, Snacks and Dinner

Entry into \$10,000.00 Par 3 Hole-in-One Contest Contact us at gokalani@gmail.com or (808) 372-7432.

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.).

Please turn in form (if you have not done so already) as soon as possible. You can download form from Kalani's webpage

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>.

Continuous Notice

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Section 504 inquiries

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Hawaii State Department of Education
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Honolulu, Hawaii 96804
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Krysti_Sukita@notes.k12.hi.us

Title VI, Title IX, ADA and other inquiries

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