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**STRANGER DANGER ALERT!**

This morning, a Kaiser student was catching the bus to school when a stranger followed her on the bus. He attempted to sit next to her, she moved seats and he tried to sit next her again. Student reported incident to bus driver who called HPD. Stranger followed student off the bus, at a bus stop near campus. Student ran into the neighborhood hoping to lose him, but he stayed in pursuit. Student then came on campus to report incident to admin. Stranger left campus before security could respond. Stranger was found by HPD shortly thereafter and positive identification was made. Stranger is in custody of HPD.

Cougars, please be safe over the break. Try to walk with a buddy. Let someone know where you are, especially if you're alone. Student was able to take a picture of the perpetrator, do the same, if possible and safe to do so.

**PROJECT GRAD 2019 PRICE INCREASES DECEMBER 21<sup>ST</sup>**

Reminder for Seniors who have not signed up for Project Graduation 2019, the price increases from \$225.00 to \$300.00 after December 21, 2018. Sign up today!

**FINAL'S SCHEDULE – WEEK OF DECEMBER 17<sup>TH</sup> – 21<sup>ST</sup>**

The Semester 1 Finals Bell Schedule is out. Please click here for schedule: [Final's Week](#)

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**PROJECT GRADUATION ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

**PROJECT GRAD 2019 DUNKIN' DONUTS FUNDRAISER**

Dunkin Donuts granted us an extra batch of tickets! We sold out of tickets twice. Don't miss out on our last batch of Dunkin Donuts. Project Grad is selling tickets for yummy Dunkin' Donuts – One dozen for only \$11. Tickets are good for an assortment of donuts and they are good for a year! You may redeem tickets during business hours at any Dunkin' Donuts full restaurants. These will make great stocking stuffers! PG2019 will be selling tickets today at Tuesday's Farmer Markets and now online! Click here to order: [Dunkin Donuts](#)

## **PROJECT GRADUATION CLASS OF 2019 – PRICE INCREASES DECEMBER 22ND**

Sign up for Project Grad before the price increases on December 22nd!

Cost to sign up for Project Graduation:

September 1<sup>st</sup> through December 21, 2018 - \$225.00

December 22<sup>nd</sup> through graduation - \$300.00

So sign up now! Download your registration form here: [ProjectGrad 2019](#). Forms are also available at the front office. Please fill them out completely and return with your payment to the front office.

Parents... please email [kaiserprojectgrad2019@gmail.com](mailto:kaiserprojectgrad2019@gmail.com) if you would like to join the committee and to stay informed.

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## **COLLEGE AND CAREER ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

### **SCHOLARSHIPS**

Seniors, and not just for Seniors, now is the time to start thinking about scholarships and getting ready for their deadlines. Please click here: [Scholarships](#) to view the many opportunities which are available to you.

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## **CONTESTS**

### **FOUNDATION FOR INDIVIDUAL RIGHTS IN EDUCATION (FIRE)**

Writing contest for Juniors and Seniors, 800 – 1,000 word essay. Prompt: First Amendment. Max cash award \$10,000. Click here then scroll down for more details: [FIRE](#)

Deadline is **December 31, 2018**.

### **HAWAI'I BICYCLE LEAGUE**

Calling All Artists! Design a Hawai'i Bicycle League T-Shirts & Jerseys to Win Cash Prizes.

Deadline to enter: **January 18, 2019**. For more information and contest rules, please click here: [HBL Design Contest](#)

### **20TH ANNUAL DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING PEACE POETRY CONTEST**

The International Peace Poem Project started on Maui in 1996 by volunteer teachers, writers and artists. A 6-year-old girl wrote the first lines of the Peace Poem and it has grown to more than 160,000 lines of poetry from over 120 nations. If you would like to be a part of this living, growing peace poem, please click on the following for more information: [Peace Poem](#).

**Deadline – February 15, 2019**

### **CANCER UNWRAPPED WRITING CONTEST**

Experiencing a cancer diagnosis can cause a storm of emotions. Whether cancer has made you feel angry, sad, lonely, or even grateful, we want to hear about it. The Cancer Unwrapped Teen Writing Contest invites high school students to submit essays about their experience with cancer for the opportunity to win cash prizes. Since the contest began in 2006, we have received more than 2,900 submissions and handed out over \$135,000 in prize money.

Click [here](#) or the graphic to apply. See the flyer for more information.

**Deadline - April 15, 2019**

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### **KAISER HS ATHLETICS ANNOUNCEMENTS**

CLICK HERE FOR [PARTICIPATION/PARENT CONSENT FORM](#):

CLICK HERE FOR [PHYSICAL EXAM/CONCULSSION RISK ACK FORM](#)

CLICK HERE FOR [PARENT ATHLETE HANDBOOK](#)

CLICK HERE FOR [KAISER ATHLETICS WEBSITE](#)

### **JUDO INFORMATIONAL MEETING – TUESDAY, DECEMBER 18<sup>TH</sup>**

All Cougars who are interested in participating in Judo during the Spring season, please attend an informational meeting on Tuesday, December 18<sup>th</sup> in Mr. Zakahi's room G203 at 3:30pm. Mahalo!

### **WRESTLING UPDATE**

Wrestling Cougars travelled to Maui to participate in the Maui Invitational where all leagues compete island wide.

Congratulations to Koby Chun for placing 1st in his weight class.

And also to Katie Heim for making it to the Semi Finals in her weight class. #cougarnation proud!

## **PADDLING UPDATE**

Kaiser paddling had a strong start in the season opener.

Results:

Jv Girls - 1st place East / 3rd overall

JV Boys - 1st place East / 1st overall

Vars Girls - 1st place East / 1st overall

Vars Boys - 4th place East / 4th overall

Mixed JV - 3rd place East / 4th overall

Mixed Vars - 1st place East / 1st overall

Next race at Keehi Lagoon 8:30am - 10:30, Saturday 12/22

Great job, Cougar Paddling!

## **BOYS BASKETBALL PRESEASON UPDATE**

Vs. Saint Louis II, won 49 – 32 SFS Holiday Hoops

Vs. Punahou II, lost 48 – 70 SFS Holiday Hoops

## **LADY COUGAR BASKETBALL UPDATE**

Vs. 'Iolani, lost 66 -40 - 'Iolani Classic

Vs. Sacred Hearts, lost 36 – 42 - 'Iolani Classic

Vs. Moanalua, won 58 – 55

## **BOYS VARSITY SOCCER UPDATE**

vs. Castle, won 4 - 0

## **LADY COUGAR SOCCER UPDATE**

Vs. Castle, won 2 - 0

## **UPCOMING ATHLETIC EVENTS**

Tuesday, December 18

Girls Basketball vs. Kalaheo @ Kalaheo, 5:30pm

Wednesday, December 19

JV Baseball vs. Kalaheo @ Kaiser, 3:00pm

Boys Soccer vs. Kalani @ Kalani, 5:30pm

Lady Cougar Soccer vs. Kalani @ Kaiser, 5:30pm

Friday, December 21

Swim – Kalani Invitational @ Kalani, 1:00pm

Girls Basketball vs. Castle @ Kaiser, 5:30pm

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**KAISER COMPLEX ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

**AINA HAINA ELEMENTARY: SEEKING ADULT SUPERVISORS FOR CAFETERIA**

Monday - Friday (or may work selected days). \$10.10 per hour, 17 hours per week. 10:30a-12:45p daily (additional hours available from 9:45-10:15a and/or 12:45-1:15p). Available immediately through June 1, 2019. Contact: Aina Haina School Office at 377-2419 or Vice Principal Gayer at [Tony\\_Gayer@notes.k12.hi.us](mailto:Tony_Gayer@notes.k12.hi.us).

**KAIMUKI MIDDLE SCHOOL HOSTS TWO SPEAKERS TOMORROW WED, DECEMBER 19<sup>TH</sup>**

The community is invited to listen to two excellent guest speakers and participate in some fun activities in the cafeteria at Kaimuki Middle School.

Doora Shin from **Plastic Free Hawaii** will give a presentation from 3PM-3:45PM. She will talk about the impact of plastics on our community and steps we can take to lessen the impact on our ecosystem.

Author, Tae Keller (originally from Hawaii), will be discussing her debut novel, "**The Science of Breakable Things.**" Books are available for pre-order and Tae will be signing books after her talk! Please see the book order form attached if you are interested in purchasing a copy!

We will have other fun crafts and activities as well as pizza, drinks and snacks for sale. Please come and see what's happening at KMS. We'd love for you to join us!

[Click here for the link to our event.](#) PDFs are attached as well.

If you have any questions please email Nicole Ross at [nicole\\_ross@kaimukims.k12.hi.us](mailto:nicole_ross@kaimukims.k12.hi.us)

## **PARENT PROJECT RETURNS TO NVMS**

This eight week course will have parents feeling more confident about dealing with pre-teens and teenagers in a technology driven world. Parent Project is a nationally recognized programs that offers strategies to empower parents. Facilitated by NVMS PCNC Joanne Imada & AHS PCNC Renee Ako. Deadline to register: January 11, 2019. Class runs from January 24 – March 14, 2019. Please see attached flyer: [Parent Project](#)

## **KAISER HIGH SCHOOL FARMER'S MARKET**

### **Every Tuesday, 4:00 - 6:00pm**

The Kaiser High School Farmer's Market is growing! Come and see what they have in store as the holiday season draws near. Thai Food, Vegetables, Jewelry, fresh farm eggs and more. Hope to see you there!

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## **IMPORTANT UPCOMING DATES (Click here for link to [KHS CALENDAR](#))**

Dec 18 Finals 3 & 4

Dec 19 Finals 5 & 6

Dec 20 Finals 7 & 8

Dec 21 Quarter 2/Semester 1 Ends

Dec 24 – January 7 – Happy Holidays - Winter Break

Jan 7 Teachers Return to School

Jan 8 Students Return to School

Jan 11 Assembly – Talent Show

Jan 18 Planning and Collaboration Day – No Students

Jan 21 Holiday – Martin Luther King Day – No School

Mahalo,

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