Mele Kalikimaka a Hau‘oli Makahikia Hou!

Aloha e Nā ‘Ohana a Kamehameha!
Aue! How quickly this semester has gone by! As we near the end of the first semester, we are reflective of our work accomplished and continue to be aware of the work ahead of us. This bulletin issue captures the essence of work that is currently occurring on campus.

In four months, we have learned how to celebrate. We have learned how to raise the level of pride of our students and amongst stakeholders of our school. We have opened avenues of collaboration and communication with members of the campus and those beyond the parameters. The cultural endeavors surface in defining our stance as a Kula Hawai‘i (Hawaiian School). At times we never know what may occur - but we look at implications and impacts and plan accordingly.

So what’s up for 2nd semester? We begin to review the Career Academy program of the school and its components. We anticipate the return of all school Hōike, return of summer school, Makahiki, and expansion of our La‘a Māla (Garden). The walls of our classrooms have been extended in creating new experiences for our students.

As we enter this Holiday Season, I send out to our students, faculty, staff, ‘ohana, and community members, my deepest aloha and mahalo for your continued support for your child and our beloved Kamehameha Schools and wishing you all a blessed Christmas and hope for a prosperous, love-filled New Year!

At any time should you need to contact me - please feel free to do so. Many I see at our games, and I enjoy the wa‘a sessions.

MELE KALIKIMAKA A HAU‘OLI MAKAHIKI HOU I‘A ‘OUKOU A PAU LOA!
May we continue to move in unison and with synergy with ALOHA and with PONO!

E OLA E KAMEHAMEHA!

Continue to follow the progress of our high school on our school blogs and Facebook!
http://blogs.ksbe.edu/hhs/
http://blogs.ksbe.edu/hawaiianathletics/
Facebook: Ke Kula Ki‘eki‘e o Kamehameha Hawai‘i

Founder's Day - December 19th A Time to Reflect!

With the aloha of our Ke Ali‘i Pauahi, we have a lot to be thankful for. As beneficiaries to what our Ali‘i has shared with us, we take December 19th in celebrating her birthday and reflect on the unconditional love that our Ali‘i has given. One of the most important days of the school year, we - all students, faculty, staff, ‘ohana, and community members gather to pay tribute to the legacy of Ke Ali‘i Pauahi with prayers, song, dance, and on-going reflection. As a school ‘ohana, this reflection on what have should happen each day. E Ola e Pauahi! E Ola e Kamehameha!
Lā ‘Ohana - Family Day!

Even with the ‘Awa rains, the downpour on November 17, 2012 did not stop the high school’s Lā ‘Ohana! Our ‘ohana showed up to our very first LĀ ‘OHANA (Family Day) for this school year. Planned by our Counseling Department with the kokua of Kumu Keali’i Akina, ‘ohana members were able to learn about the planting of kalo. The preparation of the lepo (dirt) to the planting of the huli was an experience for many of our ‘ohana members! Working alongside their child and members of the school was truly a blessing. Mahalo to our ‘ohana, our counseling staff, and Kumu Keali’i for a wonderful morning.

I Mua Week! E Kū Kanaka Kākou e Nā Koa!

E Kū Kanaka Kākou e Nā Koa! Stand Together with Pride, Warriors!

The week of October 28th, our Kamehameha Schools High School pulled together to celebrate our annual I MUA WEEK! The week started off with a Pep Rally in Koai’a and the introduction of our first I MUA WEEK COURT! Even our own faculty and staff opened up the Pep Rally with “OH HAPPY DAY”!

The week was filled with activities, including the annual POWDER PUFF football game with our ladies ... even our faculty and staff took to the field! Our I MUA WEEK ended with our football game on the Friday against Konawaena. The stands were filled with pride for our team!

The week was filled with pride and aloha for our school and for the individual classes.
Lions, Tigers, and Bears....OH MY! Wizard of OZ His KHS!

November 8-10 saw the Kamehameha Schools Hawai‘i Academy of Arts and Communication presents its 8th stage show. This year, utilizing students and faculty and staff members of the elementary, middle and high schools alongside community members and under the direction of Mr. Eric Stack, the WIZARD OF OZ came to life. The hard work and collaboration of so many people had our audience in a trance as they brought this childhood favorite to Lunalilo Hale. Mahalo to all the actresses and actors, people in the back scene, the planners, the musicians, and school leads for a wonderful show that transported many of us OVER THE RAINBOW where DREAMS DO COME TRUE!

Twelve Days of Christmas Dance Marathon

Bringing in the Holidays! Members of the Kamehameha Schools Hawai‘i High School Academy of Arts and Communication proudly presented their 2012 Christmas Concert entitled “Twelve Days of Christmas Dance Marathon” on November 28, 2012. The talents of our students in theatre, music, and dance lifted the spirits of those present to witness the talents of our high school students under the brilliant direction of our own kumu - Mr. Eric Stack, Mr. Wayne Kawakami, Mr. Herbert Mahelona, and Kumu Pili‘ilani Ka‘awaiola. The evening of pure joy was filled with classical and contemporary familiar Christmas favorites of many. The theatrial plays inserted in-between provided a clear connection of a historical time in our history.

Mahalo nui to all who continue to support our Academy of Arts and Communication and the many of hours of work to reach the epitome of excellence!

“The founder of these schools was a true Hawaiian. She knew the advantages of education and well-directed industry. Industrious and skillful herself, she respected those qualities in others.” - Honorable C. Bishop, January 1889
SUPPORT OUR WARRIOR TEAMS!!!

Winter sports are on its way!
Support our young men and women! See you at the games!

Girls JV and Varsity Soccer
Boys JV and Varsity Soccer
Girls Basketball
Boys JV and Varsity Basketball
Swimming
Wrestling
Canoe Paddling

Recent Girl’s Basketball Tournament at Kawānanāko Hall Gym in Keaukaha!
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Sophomore Biathlon and Freshmen Run - Let’s Pump It Up!

A healthy tradition at Kamehameha Schools, on Wednesday, November 21st, our Sophomores participated in their Biathlon, which consists of 10 miles on bike followed by a 3 mile run. The Freshmen also participated in their 5 mile run on Friday, November 30th.

Aloha goes out to our students for their perseverance and their participation in their events. Mahalo to members of the Physical Education Department and faculty, staff, and ʻohana members of the Sophomore and Freshmen classes for their full participation in supporting our students for these all day events.

New Member Induction to National Honor Society

November 29, 2012

Congratulations to the newest members inducted into the National Honor Society! There are now 37 members of our chapter National Honor Society.

Kera Akilyama
Ana DeLostrico
Nico Keanaopii
Namele Naipo-Arsiga
Kahiwai Peralta
Cashman Aiu
R yan Cruz
Sara Duvoisin
Joselyn Evans-Bautista
Haunu H opai
Tiana Iwata
Sara Kim
Bram Paikuli
Alyssa Volivar
Tiar Carreira
Acacia Ka’a’a
Shannon Kanaka‘ole
James O’Connor
Sienna Withans
Sam Bader
Joshua DeSa
Evan Enrique
Kelly Fitzgerald
Anysa Iwamoto
Juvette Kohawai
Khaile Moke-Sakamoto
Acacia Trusdell

Sust-‘āina-bility!
Science Classes Continue to Reforest for future generations!

Students in Mr. Truesdell’s and Mrs. Correa’s science classes continue to make linkage between science concepts and the reforestation of KOA. A true application of knowledge in Mālama ʻĀina! A gift to future generations...

“And so, in order that her own people might have the opportunity for fitting themselves for such competition, and be able to hold their own in a manly and friendly way, without asking any favors which they were not likely to receive, these schools were provided for, in which Hawaiians have the preference, and which she hoped they would value and take the advantages of as fully as possible.” - Honorable C. Bishop, January 1889