COLLEGE PLANNING FOR MAUI FAMILIES

In Partnership with HACAC and Maui College Counselor Consortium

Thursday, April 18, 2013
4:30PM-7:30PM
Maui High School
1. NCAA- The Student Athlete (room B104)
Michelle Arnold, Kamehameha Schools- Athletic Counselor
We will discuss eligibility center, the new NCAA standards, timelines, how to contact coaches, how to build an athletic resume, and hear from student athletes.

2. Choosing a College For You (room B106)
Kirk Koenig, University of Oregon - Senior Associate Director for Operations
Fit is essential when looking at colleges and universities. In this session, attendees will learn how to research schools, what characteristics distinguishes a college or university, and when and how to start the multi faceted application process.

3. Senior Student Panel (room B109)
Attendees will hear from high school seniors on their senior year, the college application process, and how they selected their college. Seniors will share tips to navigate the application process and information they have acquired along the way.

4. Transition to College- I’m Admitted Now What? (room B103)
Joe Bezousek, Creighton University - Associate Director of Admissions
Joe Bezousek will walk attendees through the transition from a high school senior to a college freshman. He will also share tips and skills necessary to make the transition smooth and successful.

5. Financial Aid 101 (session 1 only-room B108)
Cathy Bio, University of Hawaii, Maui College- Director of Financial Aid
Between the acronyms and deadlines financial aid can be very confusing. Cathy Bio will break down each step of the financial aid process for attendees.

6. Translating Financial Aid Award Letters (session 2 only-room B108)
Cathy Bio, University of Hawaii, Maui College- Director of Financial Aid
Cathy will dissect financial aid award letters for attendees. She will go over scholarships, grants, loans, and what it means to take out a loan.

7. Basics of Banking (session 1 only-room B107)
This is a good overview of checking and savings accounts, ATM, and Credit/Debit cards. Students will gain an understanding of how to open and manage their bank accounts.

8. Making the Most of your money (session 1 only-room B107)
This is a budgeting class, which will teach students the basics of managing their finances. It will be useful to both college students and those entering the workforce.