

Kamaile Academy Public Charter School

"Where learning leads to endless opportunity and infinite worth"

Leadership Team Announcements

- Kamaile Survey: Students, parents, and community, please share with us your thoughts on Kamaile Academy to help us better serve students and families. The survey can be found at https://www.surveymonkey.com/s/OVS
- Kindergarten Registration is open for children born in 2008. Contact Yvonne at 697-7110.
- **Accepting Applications for grades 8, 9, and 10.** See Lynn Wilson for application and description of the process.
- Fall Pictures: Mark your calendars! September 26 (Grades PreK-8); September 27 (Grades 9-12)
- Fall Break: Friday, October 4, is the final day of Quarter 1. Students will return on Tuesday, October 15.

The Navigators' Center

- Hōkūle'a and Hikianalia Crew Are Coming to Kamaile: Monday, September 23, 1-4pm Crew members from the Polynesian Voyaging Society will be visiting our campus for a Worldwide Voyage Learning Journey. While the canoes are anchored at Poka'i Bay, crew will visit Kamaile to learn how our school is fulfilling their mission of Mālama Honua (care for the Earth). Please see Kenny in the Nav Center to get involved!
- Box Tops 4 Education, Labels for Education, and Coke Rewards are all launching at Kamaile to raise funds for our school. Please bring in your labels! Drop boxes can be found in the Front Office and Nav Center.
- PALS After-school: Still Accepting Applications: The program is open to all students in grades 1-8 at no cost and runs 3 days per week (M, Tu, Th) from 3-4:30pm. Application forms are now available in the Nav Center!
- Kamaile Student Government: Campaign Season Is Here! Elections are to be held on Friday, September 20. Students, see Ms. Della in D-104 or come to the Nav Center if you plan on running for an office this school year.
- Student Organizations: Middle and High School students, now is the time to get involved! To start your own official group, all you need to do is find a teacher who will be your Faculty Advisor, select four fellow officers, and fill out the online application form. Visit <u>navigatorscenter.org</u> or stop by the Nav Center for more info.
- 'Ohana Morning Program: Family members, spend time with your Kamaile student during breakfast (6:30-7:20am in the cafeteria) reading or working on school work. Volunteers can register with the Nav Center.
- Parent Council Meetings: Every Friday, 8:30am-9:30am (Nav Center)
- 'Ohana Concerns Group Meeting: All are invited to address the concerns and issues of the Kamaile 'ohana. o Thursday, October 3, 8:30-9:30am
- The Kamaile Store: The store is in special need of hangers! Please bring them to the store or the Nav Center along with any other donations (e.g., slippers, hygiene products, new clothing, school supplies). And the store remains open from 7–11am M, TU, TH, F, and 7-8am Wed.

- Volunteer Program: Family and community members, we encourage all of you to get involved by volunteering
 on campus. Please visit our website or contact Marcia in the Nav Center (mtagavilla@kamaile.org) for more info.
- For submissions to Navigator News, go to <u>www.tinyurl.com/navnewsrequest</u> or stop by the Nav Center.

ELL Department

• **Sundays Project:** Every Sunday, 5:30-7:30pm (Waianae Baptist Church)

Counseling Department

Aloha Kamaile 'Ohana,

Bullying continues to be a problem in schools across the island and the rest of the country. Here at Kamaile we take bullying prevention very seriously, and it is one of our core focuses in the Guidance Department. This year all students in grades 4-6 were pulled into the library for a bullying prevention assembly. Some of topics discussed included what bullying looks like, why some people may bully others, and most importantly, what to do if you or someone you know is being bullied. We will continue to address this topic throughout the year. We are also planning on bringing in guest speakers and live performances to further bring awareness to this very important subject. Have a great day! - Mr. B

Explorations

• Garden Support: Do you have plastic planters, garden tools, seeds, soil, cinder, manure, or plants that need a home? Let our Garden & Art teacher Mac MacLaird (mmaclaird@kamaile.org) know if you have something to offer our garden. We appreciate any contributions, ideas, or links. Thanks!

Learning Center

• Learning Center Chat Series- Hawai'i Meth Project: Friday, Sept 27, 1:45pm (Cafeteria)

All middle and high school advisories are invited to this presentation focusing on the dangers of meth, the ingredients, what it does to your brain, how it hurts those around you, and a few other street drugs.

Faculty & Staff

- LCC Course on campus at Kamaile: Leeward Community College will be offering their ED 285 Classroom Management Class here at Kamaile starting 8/27. The class will be held in the Library from 5:30-8:15pm on Tuesday evenings. If you would like to take this class for credit, you must register through LCC. The prerequisite for the class is either already passing an English 100 level course or taking the COMPASS exam that can be taken at LCC-Wai'anae. This class is also available to audit.
- Core Value Tickets: Copies are available for pick-up in the Navigators' Center. Take as many as you need, but please limit the number you award to students so that the Store can stay in operation!



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Stopping Bullying Before It Starts- Counselors have already begun addressing the issue of bullying this school year. All students in grades 4-6 attended a bullying prevention assembly in the library led by our wonderful Counseling Team.

