



## Kamaile Academy Public Charter School

"Where learning leads to endless opportunity and infinite worth"

### Leadership Team Announcements

- For submissions to Navigator News, go to [www.tinyurl.com/navnewsrequest](http://www.tinyurl.com/navnewsrequest) or stop by the Nav Center.
- **Welcome back!:** We are thrilled to have everyone back and are looking forward to an amazing year!
- **Back to School Night:** Thursday, August 15, 5:30-7:30pm (Cafeteria). Please join us to kick off the new school year! You will have the opportunity to meet all of our faculty in the cafeteria. The campus will then be open for you to visit with teachers and staff to learn more about their plans for the year.
- **Kindergarten Registration** is open for children born in 2008. Contact Lynn Wilson at 697-7110. We are now considering geographical exceptions (GE's) for kindergarten.
- **Accepting Applications for grades 8, 9, and 10.** See Lynn Wilson for application and description of the process.
- **Uniform Update.** The administration team has picked cotton tee shirts for this year's uniform. We will provide two shirts for each student for free; parents can order more from the vendor. Order forms will be provided during the first week of school in your child's homerooms. It is important to return these forms as soon as you receive them. The company promises a quick turnaround and will deliver the shirts the second week of school. Students may wear school appropriate attire until their shirts are delivered. If they have uniforms from last year they may wear those shirts during the first week.
- **August 16:** Statehood Day (no school)

### The Navigators' Center

- **'Ohana Morning Program:** The program enables family members to spend time with their Kamaile student during breakfast hours in the cafeteria either reading or working on school work. We will begin registering volunteers this year on **Monday, August 12, from 6:30-7:20am in the cafeteria.** Once you are signed up, you are welcome to come every morning with your student during breakfast hours.
- **PALS After-school:** Students and families, please look out for application forms for SY2013-14 soon! Classes should begin in September. 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. All students get 30 minutes of homework time and then 1 hour of project-based learning.

- **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 and fill out the online application form. Please visit [navigatorscenter.org](http://navigatorscenter.org) or stop by the Nav Center for more information.
- **Parent Council Meetings:** Every Friday, 8:30am-9:30am (Nav Center)
- **The Kamaile Store:** Now open from 7–11am M, T, TH, F, and 7- 8am Wed
- **Volunteer Program:** Family and community members, we encourage all of you to get involved by volunteering on campus. Whether you are best in the classroom, in the office, in the garden, or on the field, we'll find a job for you! Please visit our website or contact Marcia in the Nav Center ([mtagavilla@kamaile.org](mailto:mtagavilla@kamaile.org)) for more info.



## ELL Department

In ELL Department News, ALL of our beloved ELL staff have returned to Kamaile for the 2013-14 school year! Please smile and wave when you see us on campus and around town:

Marcia Rantak, Mickson Maras, Ramona Mossman, Michelle Young, and Kirsten Bergh

In addition, we are lucky to announce our new ELL staff member Rich Vicain. Rich loves surfing and is stoked about working with your children at Kamaile. Welcome Rich!

- **ELL Welcome Back:** Wednesday, August 7, 1:30pm (cafeteria). We are inviting all families who speak a language other than English to join us in the cafeteria for a short welcome back message and to meet us in person!
- **Sundays Project:** Sunday, August 11, 5:30-7:30pm (Waianae Baptist Church) and every Sunday after.

August 5 marked the first official day of Kamaile Academy fulfilling the vision of a PreK-12 learning village! Mahalo to *everyone* for their part in making this a reality. Our entire school community joins together in celebrating our first ever Senior Class for making it to this capstone year and being true leaders of our Kamaile 'Ohana.





Two of our high school students were given the incredible honor of joining Hōkūle'a on the Mālama Hawai'i leg of [Mālama Honua, the Worldwide Voyage \(WWV\)](#). The students served as crewmembers on an overnight sail from Kaunakakai, Moloka'i, to Kawaihae, Hawai'i. What a way to kick off our SY2013-14 voyage!

