## King Kekaulike High School eNotes Sy2016-2017 Tuesday, November 22, 2016

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- Color codes: C/O2017: PURPLE, C/O2018: PINK, C/O2019: GREEN; C/O2020: BROWN; & the other colors are for everyone.
- ➡ Hightlights: Giving, Christmas Trees for Sale, Candy Grams, Daily Bulletin, Instant Wolf Event, College AWARENESS Spirit Week, Wednesday Deadlines (Senior PTP, Senior Project 1st Draft, Senior Ball, Junior Prom Names, Photo Scavenger, Best Buddies), ASVAB Test, Sports, Calendar, Kalama C.A.R.E.S. Night, Donors Mahalo/Wish List, Links, Community (Cultural Exchange, Mary Poppins, Hui Holidays, Waldorf), Unsubscribe.



#### • A Time for Giving....

**Thanksgiving** is just a day away. **Thank you** to the anonymous family who again donated complete Thanksgiving meals for 3 Kekaulike families.

This morning I wondered if given the opportunity, some might like to donate a Christmas tree to a Kekaulike family. Let me share a story...

Years ago when our 5 children were young, and money was tight, we'd tape Christmas cards in the shape of a triangle on the window, or find a sweet

smelling branch to decorate. \$5 a tree was max, so more could go to gifts. Then one year family friends surprised us with a large, thickly branched Christmas tree. Little eyes lit up, and they jumped around excitedly. Our kids never lacked for joy & love, but we still fondly remember the year someone gifted us with a gorgeous Christmas tree.

If you'd like to donate a tree to a Kekaulike family in need, please write "DONATE," on the order form when paying. You can do it individually or team up with friends. To remain anonymous, please write "Anonymous" on the order form or your name will be listed in our eNotes' Thank You section. Senior counselor, Mrs. Jayna Yamamoto, and our counselors will let the family pick a Christmas tree next Saturday, Dec. 3, 2016. (see below)



# • 1st Kekaulike Christmas Tree Drive: Buy a Noble Fir Tree!

♥ **6-7' for \$60** or ♥ **8-10' for \$120** 

Pick Up Date: Sat, Dec. 3, 8am-2pm in KKHS front parking lot (enter through Kula Hwy. gate). Don't drive downtown to get your Christmas tree! Pick a gorgeous, noble fir tree at Kekaulike!

Download an Order form at <a href="http://kkhspcnc.tripod.com/tree-form.pdf">http://kkhspcnc.tripod.com/tree-form.pdf</a> & drop off your order form & check at Kekaulike's front office during office hours, 7am-4:30pm, or mail it to King Kekaulike High School, 121 Kula Hwy., Pukalani, HI 96768, ATTN: Ronnie Kihara.

Anyone can order, so if you have friends/family who might be interested, please forward them the order form! (Benefits KKHS Commencement)

# • Candy Grams, Dec. 5-16:

Students, spread the holiday spirit & send a note to your best friend! From Dec. 5-16, they can purchase a candy gram for \$1 during lunch recess. ASKK will distribute the notes with a candy cane.





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#### Link to Student Friendly Daily Bulletin: goo.gl/dA5Bxp



# • Instant Wolf Event!!!! Get accepted to Western Oregon University on the spot in F-204 on Wed, Dec. 14, 2016 at 9am:

Students who have a 3.00 GPA, do not need to submit test scores. Western Oregon's admission officer, Rob Findtner, will be here to give a presentation to all students interested in Western Oregon University in F-204 at 9am. At 10am-1pm: Instant Wolf (on-site admission) event. Rob will review applications, transcripts &

other required documents & give an admissions decision on the spot. Please fill out google form if you are interested at <a href="mailto:goo.gl/LIF6Fx">goo.gl/LIF6Fx</a> Questions? See Mrs. Gomer.

#### Freshman admission requirements:

- Cumulative GPA has increased to a preferred 3.00
- Seniors with a cumulative GPA of 3.00 or higher are no longer required to submit ACT or SAT scores.
- Students with a cumulative GPA below 3.00 as well as students who wish to receive consideration for designated academic scholarships, apply to their Honors Programs, or participate in athletics are required to provide scores.
- One letter of recommendation from a teacher or counselor who can address the student's academic preparation and future success at WOU.

## College AWARENESS Spirit Week, Nov. 28-Dec. 2:

Class points will be given for participation! Lunch activities will take place in front of the library.

11/21 M Dress up: College Application Day (wear college gear)

Lunch time activity: College and ABCs

11/22 Tu Dress up: WUE Day (wear college attire)

Lunch time activity: WUE & Mascot Coloring Day

11/23 W Dress-up: University of Hawaii Day (wear UH gear or green)

Lunch time activity: College Trivia

11/24 Th Dress-up: Teacher College Day (teachers wear alumni gear/students wear favorite college gear)

Lunch time activity: Teacher/College Match Game

11/25 F Dress-up: Ivy League Day (Princeton Orange; Brown Brown; Dartmouth Green; Columbia Sky Blue)

Lunch time activity: College Gear Giveaway

# • TOMORROW - Wed, Nov. 23 Deadlines, Etc.:

- Seniors' Personal Transition Plan Due Wed, Nov. 23 Questions? Please contact Mrs. Cindy Asato-Kochi at casatokochi@kkhs.k12.hi.us
- First Draft of Senior Project Paper Due Wed, Nov. 23 (Midnight): See the Senior Project Calendar at
  - https://www.sites.google.com/a/kkhs.k12.hi.us/kkhs-spt/calendar
- EXTENDED DEADLINE for Senior Ball Form & Payment, Wed, Nov. 23 in G206 during morning & lunch recess: (Check out Becca's Closet for formal wear - go online to <a href="http://kkhspcnc.tripod.com/becca.pdf">http://kkhspcnc.tripod.com/becca.pdf</a>)
- Photo/Video Scavenger Hunt ends Wed, Nov. 23...Register in G206 During Lunch! This



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is a class competition so participate & win your class some points!

ASVAB

• Sign Up for Armed Services Vocational Aptitude Battery (ASVAB)

Test, Wed, Dec. 7, 8am in F204: The ASVAB is the most widely used multiple-aptitude test battery. It measures a student's strengths, weaknesses, & potential for future success. It also can provide career information for various civilian & military occupations & is an indicator for success in future endeavors whether a teen chooses

college, vocational school, or a military career. ASVAB results are NOT released to recruiters automatically. Students may sign up with College & Career Counselor, Mrs. (Gomer) Kovacic in F-204.

#### Sports Schedule:

11/26 Sat JV Boys Soccer vs LHS @ Seabury, 9:30am

11/26 Sat JV Boys Soccer vs Kamehameha Schools Maui @ Seabury, 12:30pm

11/28 M JV Baseball Try-outs at KKHS Baseball Field at 2:45pm

12/2 to 12/4 KKHS Girls Basketball Tournament

12/9 to 12/10 MIL Maui Invitational Wrestling Tournament @ KKHS

12/15 to 12/17 KKHS Boys Basketball games @ KKHS

• For Calendar Events, please go to <a href="https://goo.gl/CAL2Dt">https://goo.gl/CAL2Dt</a> for the PCNC list of events or to the Student Activities website at <a href="https://goo.gl/CAL2Dt">KekaulikeStudentActivities.com</a>

#### **Kekaulike Complex News:**

• KALAMA Intermediate School's C.A.R.E.S. NIGHT, Tue, Nov. 29, 5-7:15pm in Kalama's Cafeteria:

Kalama School will be hosting their 1<sup>st</sup> Kalama C.A.R.E.S. Night on November 29<sup>th</sup> From 5pm to 7:15pm. They will be serving a **free dinner** for the families that attend this night. <u>Child</u> care is also available.

Two Breakout Sessions (30 minutes each): You may choose from 4 different classes offered:

- 1. **Teens and social media** Maui Police Dept.
- 2. **Cyber Bullying** Maui Police Dept.
- 3. Communication Strategies with Adolescents Non Violence Communication (NVC)
- 4. Infinite Campus Parent Portal Login Help Sue Williams (Kalama Registrar)

Please click on this link to sign up <a href="https://goo.gl/forms/mquFUp3csBEPYXxO2">https://goo.gl/forms/mquFUp3csBEPYXxO2</a> .....Thank You! Sponsored by Title 1

#### • DONORS:

- MAHALO to Anonymous Family for donating complete Thanksgiving meals for 3
   Kekaulike families!
- MAHALO to Lynn Kopycienski & Family for their donation of 35 aluminum paddles for our Kekaulike paddling team. Coach Marjie & our paddling team appreciate these gifts!
- MAHALO VOLUNTEERS, Kathy McDonald & Teri Takamura, for their help with the November parent newsletter & getting the Mid Quarter 2 grades out.

#### WISH LIST:

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Health Aide, Jan Pelekai:

♥ Shirts (Adult Med-Lg) & Pants (Ms. Pelekai gives clothes to students in need)



- For the List of Donations and Teachers' Wishes, go to <a href="http://tinyurl.com/j2uyn5b">http://tinyurl.com/j2uyn5b</a>!
- Helpful Links at <a href="http://tinyurl.com/j2uyn5b">http://tinyurl.com/j2uyn5b</a>
- - In the Community - (These are not sponsored by the Dept. of Education)
   Cultural Exchange Opportunity:
- Several yeras ago, Shay's family did a home exchange with a family from Berlin. It was great, & now their son is looking at studying for a year on Maui or in California but needs to find a host family. If any Maui family is open to hosting him (likely attend KKHS if it's an upcountry family). It would be a wonderful opportunity for Emil to learn about Hawaii (he was here several years ago for a few weeks), and the host family could learn a lot about another country through Emil. There is no reimbursement for rent & the family would also have to feed him, so there's a bit of a cost for the host family. Questions? Please contact KKHS alumni parent, Shay Chan Hodges at <<a href="mailto:shay.chanhodges@gmail.com">shay.chanhodges@gmail.com</a>. (This is not a Dept. of Education sponsored program.)
- Seasons Greetings! Mary Poppins, Nov 25-Dec 16 at Iao Theatre: Starring our own KKHS Drama Director, Mr. Chris Kepler! See him on the poster & see him perform along with another KKHS student. (This is not a Dept. of Education sponsored event.)
- Hui Holidays 2016, Nov. 21 to Dec. 24, 9am-4pm: Free Admission at Hui No'eau Visual Arts Center
- Haleakala Waldorf Annual Holiday Faire, Dec. 3, 9am-4pm:
   \$3 admission 12 and under free
- To Unsubscribe from eNotes: Please email <u>Jkaneshiro@kkhs.k12.hi.us</u>, & provide your name, child's name/grade, & type DELETE on Subject line.

#### Aloha!

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Parent Community Networking Center (PCNC) Facilitator
King Kekaulike High School

Gratitude can transform common days into thanksgivings, turn routine jobs into joy, and change ordinary opportunities into blessings. - William Arthur Ward

-Taken from Docs Daily Chuckle

