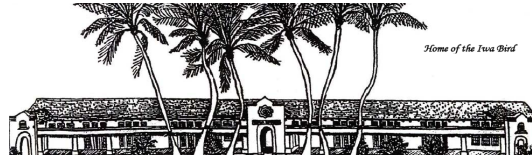


Hale`iwa Elementary School



Ke aka o Hale`iwa ...Kupono me ke aloha no ke ahona o ke ao

The ESSENCE of Hale`iwa...Live life to the fullest with honor, respect, kindness and love to make the world a better place

October 17, 2023

Aloha Hale`iwa Families,

We hope that everyone had a wonderful, restful fall break. Thank you to everyone who attended our Ho`olaule`a on Friday, October 6. All of our students were MAGNIFICENT in their performances. We are very grateful for everyone's kindness and respect to each other and to our students. It truly was a magical day that will live in our hearts for many years to come.

As we begin our second quarter, here are some important reminders and information.

- **Parent- teacher conferences will be held from Friday, October 20 to Friday, October 27.**
 - School will end at 12:35 every day during parent-teacher conferences
- **Hale`iwa's annual Halloween March will be on Tuesday, October 31 at 8:15am.**
 - Students should come to school dressed in their costumes. After the Halloween March, students will need to change into regular school clothes.
 - Please review [this flyer](#) for more information about our Halloween March.
- Our Kumu Ku`uipo Garrido is sponsoring a **Halloween Costume Swap on Wednesday, October 25 from 2:00 to 4:30pm** at her lo'i. Here is [a flyer](#) with more information.
- **I will be off-island from Tuesday, October 24 to Wednesday, November 1 on a professional development trip sponsored by our CAS Bob Davis. While I am gone, Ms. Robin Miller will be TA Principal.** Ms. Miller is a highly experienced administrator who has served as Vice Principal at Mililani High School and is currently serving as the Mililani and Waialua Complexes School Renewal Specialist.
- We are excited to welcome back our Vice Principal, Mrs. Osiris Terada, on Monday, October 30 from her maternity leave. We also look forward to the return of our new counselor, Mrs. Nicole Yonamine, on Monday, November 6, from her maternity leave.
- Our annual Tsunami Walk is tentatively scheduled for Wednesday, November 22, 2023 at 8:15am. More information will be shared in November.
- **SAVE THE DATE!** Our Winter Fest will be on Wednesday, November 29 from 3:00 to 5:00pm. Santa Claus will be there 😊 Details will be shared in a few weeks.
 - Our Scholastic Book Fair will be from Monday, November 27 to Friday, December 1. We hope you will be able to do some shopping at our book fair!

It is going to be a great second quarter!

Sincerely,
Malaea Wetzel, Principal