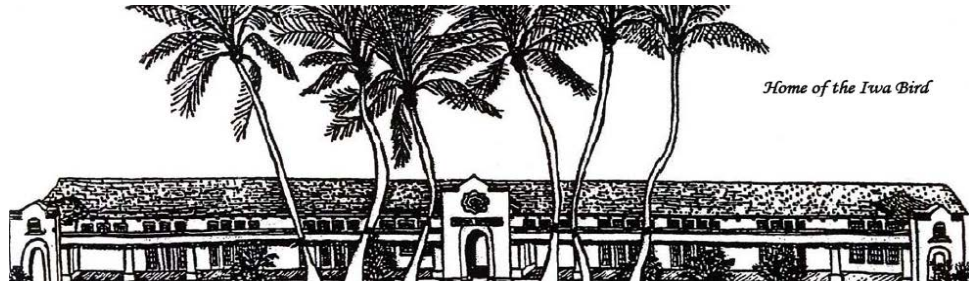


Hale`iwa Elementary School



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

August 28, 2023

Dear Hale`iwa Families,

Hale`iwa is very excited to share that on **Friday, October 6 at 9:00am on our Big Field, we will be having our first Ho`olaule`a.** For those of you who have been a part of the Hale`iwa school community for many years, you may remember that prior to COVID, Hale`iwa held an “Aloha Festival” (like a May Day program, but in October) every other year. This school year, we are celebrating with a Ho`olaule`a. Instead of having a royal court like we did with the Aloha Festival, each grade level will perform a hula that will honor one of our Hawaiian Islands. All of our students are invited to participate, from our pre-schoolers in EOEL to our 6th graders.

Here is the important information for each grade level:

Grade level	Island that the grade level will be honoring	Name of song that the grade level will be performing	Outfit that students will need to provide
EOEL pre-school	Oahu	Aloha O`ahu	Plain white t-shirt* Black bottoms (shorts, pants, leggings, as long as it is black)
Kindergarten	Maui	Ulupalakua	
First grade	Lanai	Mele O Lana`i	*Note: The school will provide other items to embellish each grade level's outfit. These may include lei po`o, ti-leaf skirts or <u>printing with paint on the students' white t-shirts and other items.</u>
Second grade	Kahoolawe	Kaho`olawe	
Third grade	Molokai	Moloka`i Slide	
Fourth grade	Kauai	Auheha O Manu O`o`a`a	
Fifth grade	Hawaii	Nā Mo`olelo Kahiko	The embellishments will be determined by the island the grade level is honoring.
Sixth grade	Niihau	Aia i Ni`ihau	

We are very fortunate to have our Kumu, Ms. Felis Garrido teaching our students all of the dances during their Hawaiian Studies classes each week. However, before we move forward we would like to ensure that each child has permission to participate. Students who will not participate in the Ho`olaule`a will be provided with alternate activities during the dance practice times.

On the following page is a QR code that will link you to our ELECTRONIC PERMISSION FORM. **You may also visit this link: bit.ly/haleiwahoolaulea to complete the form. Please complete the permission form by FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 1, 2023. Thank you!**



Hale'iwa Ho'olaule'a ELECTRONIC Permission Form

Friday, October 6, 2023

9:00am - The Big Field

Please scan the QR code to complete your child's permission form electronically. Please complete ONE form per child. Your responses by Friday, September 1 would be greatly appreciated.



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On the next page is a flyer that you can post at home so that you do not forget our special day coming soon!

SAVE THE DATE!

Friday, October 6, 2023

9:00am



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HO`OLAULE`A