

Mililani Uka Elementary School

Vision: Excellence at our school is everyone continually working together as lifelong learners to be responsible citizens.

Purpose: We declare that our school's purpose is to ensure that each child reaches their potential as a lifelong learner and responsible citizen in our global society.

Principal's Message:

I would like to welcome our new teachers, Ms. Raejean Gamiao who replaced, Mrs. JoAn Meza and Mr. Lance Fujioka, our new PE resource teacher. We are fortunate to have such highly recommended teachers join our school ohana.

A special mahalo for your continual support of our school policies and procedures, together we continue to work toward maintaining a safe learning environment here at Mililani Uka!

Heather Wilhelm

Calendar of Events

August

- 24 Volunteer Training: 6 p.m.
Parent Talk Story: 6:30 p.m. New Report Card
- 26 Hui Magazine Order collection
- 29 **Get Moving, Get Fit** Fitness Event 8 -12 am
Hui Magazine Final Order collection
SCC Meeting in Library 5 p.m.
Talk Story: Academic & Financial Plan 6:30
- 31 Hui Entertainment Book sale begins
Math Talk Story for Grade 4

September

- 2 NO SCHOOL: Teacher Workday
- 5 NO SCHOOL: Labor Day
- 6-9 **Play it Safe: Safety Week**
- 6 Personal, Gun & Ice Safety review
Math Talk Story for Grade 5
- 7 Fire Safety with Safety Assembly 8:30 am
Kindergarten Parent/Child Read Aloud Night
6-8 pm. In Cafeteria
- 8 Lockdown and Sun Safety Day
Hui Sally Foster Fund raiser begins
- 9 Traffic Safety Day
- 13 **Math Talk Story for Grade 2**
- 14 **Math Talk Story for Grade 3**
Deadline to return Niketown5 registration
- 15 **Bullies-Why they tease Workshop at 'Ike** 6:30 pm
- 16 MHS Homecoming Parade 1 p.m. Town Center
- 20 **All American Hero Event 6-8 pm Cafeteria**
- 21 **Math Talk Story for Grade K**
Hui Sally Foster Sale Ends
- 22 **School Picture Taking Day**
- 23 First Quarter Recognition Assemblies
PS/K-2 at 8:30 am Grade 3-5 at 9:15

September 26 – October 7: Fall Recess

October

- 2 NIKETOWN5 Event in Waikiki
- 10 NO SCHOOL: Teacher Workday
- 14 **Math Talk Story for Grade 1**
- 15 **Campus Beautification/ 3 R's project**
- 17 **SCC Meeting in Library** at 5 pm
- 21 **UKA FALL FEST** 4-8 pm.

New Staff at Uka

Aloha and welcome to two new staff.

Lance Fujioka, Uka's Physical Education Teacher and Ms. Gamiao to Grade 4 room D6 replacing Mrs. Meza.

Get Moving, Get Fit : 8/29/05

Uka students learn fun ways to stay fit as classes rotate through 3 fitness stations manned by the Army Wolfhounds and volunteers. Supported by HMSA and Hope Central. Come see the fun 8:30-11:30!

"Let's Talk Story"

Mililani Uka recognizes involved parents have superior students, so Uka will be hosting various evening events for parent participation:

Today: August 24 at 6:30

Learn about the changes to the Hawaii Report cards.

Monday, August 29 at 6:30 pm

Uka reviews our Academic and Financial Plan for Parent Input

Math Talk Story 6:30

Separate nights for each grade level will be held for parents in the library. Topics include: Hawaii Content and Standards, Math games and activities to reinforce math skills, and how parents can help their child with math learning.

Grade 4: Wed, August 31

Grade 5: Tues, September 6

Grade 2: Tues, September 13

Grade 3: Wed, September 14

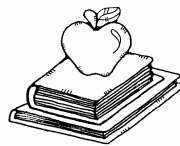
Kindergarten: Wed, Sept. 21

Grade 1: Friday, October 14

Hui O Mililani PTSO

Next Meeting: Thursday 8/25 at 5 p.m. in Office Conference room.

The Hui board would like to remind families that all fundraising activities are voluntary. Our Magazine Drive runs until August 29. Entertainment Book Sale begins August 31 and Sally Foster Gift-wrap begins September 8. Participation is the key concept no matter how small or large the contribution. Volunteers are needed and greatly appreciated.



**Uka Library
— Needs Help**

Training is provided. Please call Mrs. Enomoto at 627-7303, ext. 241.

Student Recognition Criteria for earning awards acknowledged at Recognition Assemblies:

Ho'opono Badge:

presented to all students who consistently shows mutual respect.

Na Hoku:

Presented to the student who has shown the most improvement in any one area, academic or behavioral.

Ha'aheo O Mililani Uka

Presented to the student who shows best effort in all areas, academic and behavioral.

BREAKFAST CLUB

In order to meet Federal Guidelines, the breakfast cashier was moved to the end of the line and a computer accounting system was added

Students are now able to prepay their breakfast account. Students who prepay (or are free), receive a scanable, blue luggage tag and become members of the Breakfast Club.

Students with luggage tags are first in line. By October (2nd quarter) only students with prepaid breakfast accounts and luggage tags will be able to buy breakfast.

How to Join the Breakfast Club

* Breakfast prepayment must be noted separately from lunch payment. Suggested payment amount:

One month breakfast, full price = \$7.00;

Two months = \$14.00

One month breakfast, reduced price = \$4.00;

Two months = \$8.00

* Write your child's name, grade, and room number, on the payment envelope. Indicate how much money should go to breakfast and lunch. If you are writing one check for several children, write all the children's names, grades, and room numbers on the payment envelope.

* Deposit your prepayment in the "Lunch Box" on the office counter. Cash or checks are accepted. Checks should be made out to Mililani Uka Elementary School.

* Help your child secure the blue luggage tag to their back pack (upper right handle or strap). Attach it by using the loop to circle the strap and then pushing the card through the loop.

* If the tag is lost or damaged, students must let the office know and pay 50 cents for a new tag.

Notice of a Low Balance - There are no breakfast loans!!!

* Your child will receive a general notice of a low breakfast account balance when there are 5 or less breakfasts in the account.

* It is very important that your child show you this note, and that more money be deposited into the breakfast account, because **there are no breakfast loans!!!**

If you have questions about your account, call the office. 627-7303

Community News Corner: MTA Literacy Day: Sept 24

Join the fun at Rec Center 3 and pick up a new book at the Scholastic Book Fair 9am-2 pm.

Parent Workshop: "Bullies-Why They Tease" will be held at Mililani 'Ike on Thursday, September 15 at 6:30 pm.

Guest Speaker: Jarrett Horibata
Mililani Complex School Event.



DROP OFF and PICK UP SAFETY

Please keep our students safe by following these simple rules. Courtesy to others is also important. Remember, you are a role model for your child.

- 1) The curbs are for drop off and pick up only (like the air port). There is no parking or waiting at the curb.
- 2) Pull up to the curb for drop off and pick up. Do not drop off or pick up students in the through-lane or middle of the cul de sac.
- 3) It is illegal to wait along the curb in the cul de sac (HRS Sec. 15-14.1). Please observe the no parking signs in the cul de sac and in front of the school. Violators may receive HPD citations.
- 4) Pedestrians should use the sidewalk. No one should jay walk across the street or cul de sac.

Parents should also follow these rules. Your child is watching you and will do what you do!

Support Mililani Uka with purchases you make daily!

What is eScrip?

eScrip is a hassle-free way for schools and on-campus groups (including sports programs) to raise funds through everyday purchases made at eScrip merchants.

How does it work?

eScrip and over 150 merchant partners have created a system that rewards customer loyalty by contributing a percentage of purchases to your chosen group. You shop the way you like to shop for groceries, clothing, travel and entertainment. It's simple and convenient, all you need to do is register your grocery club card and debit/credit card(s).

Simple Registration-Register Today!

1. Log on to www.escrip.com and go to "sign up",
 2. Designate our group to receive contributions. Our Group ID is # 7282726.
- Register your Safeway Club Card --and your debit, ATM and credit cards if you wish.

That's it! Visit eScrip merchants to shop. It's automatic!



During August, Macy's donates 6% of purchases to eScrip and Safeway will donate 10% now through September 6! Log on and start shopping for Uka!

Stay Informed...

You can help your child by staying informed. Please remember to read Uka's newsletter or visit www.mililaniuka.com. A calendar for school-wide events is posted on the site, as well as the monthly lunch calendar.

More Ways to Support UKA

Support Our Organization at Foodland and Sack N Save!



From Sept. 1-30, make a donation to our organization at any Foodland or Sack N Save checkout.

Foodland and the Western Union Foundation will match a portion of your gift!

Our organization code is: _____

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!



AND OFFICE DEPOT is taking care of business and our keiki by contributing 5% back to school for 2005. Just shop at Office Depot and use UKA'S CODE: 70027388 to contribute even more!

PLAY IT SAFE! **Safety Week at Uka** September 6-9, 2005

Tuesday, September 6

Practice Personal Safety and Pledge to be Gun and Ice Safe

Wednesday, September 7

Review your family fire exit plan
Safety Assembly at Uka 8:30 a.m.

Thursday, September 8

Lockdown Drill and Sun Safety
Silly Hat and Glasses Day

Friday, September 9

Practice Traffic/Pedestrian Safety
Always wear your seat belt, bike/skate helmet, and follow pedestrian rules.