

Hui Makua
March 8, 2017
5:00pm
LCPCS Band Room

Minutes

Guest Speakers: Hawaii Police Department present talk about Substance Abuse: Discussion re new/resurfacing illegal drugs that are becoming common, how to recognize the paraphernalia, how these drugs may affect LCPCS students and families, how people are making/mixing prescribed medications with illegal substances to make dangerous drugs.

Reports

1. Message from the Director: Mr. Garcia unable to attend
2. Faculty: Kaulana:
 - Naomi Smith wanted to thank parents and students who worked at the book fair. Profit of approx \$4,000.
 - Teachers unions going thru contract negotiations. Sign waving April 4th at 7:30am in front of the school, for equal funding for charter schools. Signs to read 'Equal Funding' 'Support Charter Schools'. Many people don't understand what it means to be a charter school.
 - Accreditation coming up in April. Self study has been submitted. Next week Tuesday mock parent session 130-2p with parents that are already involved. It is desired to have charter school members on the team, usual 4, four days in april, schedule meetings to ask about the self study. Their recommendations for Laupahoehoe will come from us. Trying to keep the voice of the person who wrote that section.
3. Student(s): Spring break the week of March 20th.
 - Comment: The kids are not motivated to attend the programs, the kids just come to class then graduate.

Shantell: An issue at LCPCS is that we do not have sports so students go to other schools, Hilo etc. An option for students is to join teams from other organizations but transportation is challenging. The long distances between destinations is a major factor. The only sport the campus cannot not support/accommodate is paddling. A grant is in place for baseball for next year's 9th graders. Mr. Sher may want to coach baseball.
 - March 30 clean-up for the Tsunami Memorial at Laupahoehoe Point on March 31st. Lunch was once served at the service - discussion about how we can do that again, there are tables and a kitchen in the gym. Will make a plan for it next year.
 - Suggestion to have the Music Fest at the school next year since we have the space
 - Discussion re RAGNAR this year - sign up now

- Slam jam will be held this summer instead of the pool bash. Will still do the free school supplies.

4. Governing Board:

Rachel: Next GB meeting March 28th at 5:30pm open to the public.

Events and Updates

Rachel:

1. The Music Fest is April 8.

- The Malamalama kids are helping to make 4 gift baskets for the performers which will include thank you crafts. I would like to also include homemade goodies for the performers to enjoy during and after the event such as banana chips, candies, etc. I will be making homemade jam. If you or anyone you know may like to contribute goods/gifts, please contact me. Jocelyn Archer is a baker. Liana makes jam.
- For music fest- we are still asking for volunteers for setup and day of -clipboard here at meeting- and asking everyone to take a flyer and put it up somewhere they go or take a bunch and put them all over! Also ask them all to like and share FB posts. Volunteers have to pay. Car deal \$10 for everyone To benefit music program. Gabbie; not for senior scholarship

2. The Matson Cleanup fundraiser was a success! We had about 30 people including the keikis that came together and filled up almost three truck beds with rubbish. Matson has gotten back to us already and we should expect the funds within a week. Congratulations everyone on our first successful Hui Makua fundraiser!

3. Jamba Juice Fundraiser Idea *Possibly coordinate with May Day or similar event: **Coordinate** the order with Hilo Jamba store 1-2 weeks before the event.

- Determine the smoothie flavor/s and quantity.
- Spread the word that Jamba Juice is coming. Advertise! Advertise! Advertise!
- Jamba staff brings the product to your event and sells each sixteen-ounce smoothie for \$5.00. For each smoothie sold your organization will receive 20%!
- At the end of the event, LCPCS will get paid on the spot.

Next meeting: 4/12/17