LAHAINA INTERMEDIATE

FEBRUARY 5, 2025 ENEWSLETTER



Important Dates

2/7/25 - LIS PTSA Dance
2/10/25 - Institute day - no school
2/17/25 - Presidents Day - no schooll
3/14/25 - Waiver Day - no school for students
3/17 - 3/21 - Spring Break

Reminders

- School starts at 7:45.
- All students should be in uniform and have their school id.
- Replacement IDs can be purchased in the office for \$5

Library News

Cool things happening in our Library check out the <u>LIBRARY NEWSLETTER</u>

Learning Lab

Does your child need extra help, time, support, and access to technology? If you said yes, the learning lab may be the answer. See flyer for more info.

Learning Lab FLyer

BUS APPLICATIONS

All Bus riders: If you haven't turned in your bus application for 4th Qtr. yet, please hurry. The portal has already opened . First come first for seats.

Yearbooks

Last day to purchase yearbooks for the 24-25 school year is February 20, 2025. Cost is \$25. Pay in the office or <u>online here</u>. Many of you prepaid for a book at registration so please email lori.koyama@k12.hi.us to double check before purchasing one.

Dress Code Policy

We have had an increase in dresscode and uniform infractions this January. Please review dress code policy with your child.

Click here for Dress Code Policy

Progress Reports

Progress reports will be hand carried home on Thursday 2/6/25







STUDENT & STAFF RECOGNITIONS

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Student and Staff of the MONTH

January Student of the Month 2025

A Student of the Month is a student who works well with others. They are hardworking and lead by example in the classroom and with their attitude and efforts. They are motivated to be successful and a joy to have in class.

6th Grade Nominees: Braden Abut ~ Anela Arakawa ~ Taondrae Caldcleught ~ Valeti Langi ~ Kirra Lee ~ Airish Jean Ramos

6th grade students of the month winners are: Anela Arakawa & Kirra Lee

7th Grade Nominees: Hunter Bleecher ~ Brayden Hemm ~ Madalie Jenks ~ Isaiah Sa ~ Brihanna Villa

7th grade students of the month winners are: Isaiah Sa & Brihanna Villa

8th Grade Nominees: Karylle Agcaoili ~ La'akea Bacalso ~ Sofiya Cartagena ~ Kassidy Ferguson ~ Seilala Samisoni ~ Cami Yasutake

8th grade students of the month winners are: Kassidy Ferguson & Cami Yasutake

January Staff of the Month 2025

Staff of the Month winners are staff members who are a valuable asset to our LIS Ohana. They positively impact their students and other staff members with their outstanding attitude, consistent reliability and actions that go above and beyond.

Staff on the Month (from Student): Hannah Flowers Staff of the Month (From Staff): Kama Ka'aikaula



Renaissance Business Partners

We are pleased to announce the participation of these businesses onto our Renaissance Partners In Living & Learning card qualifiers list. Students can now get great discounts, 2 for 1's, and/or freebies from these businesses.

They are: West Maui Sports and Fishing Supply, Skechers USA, L & L Hawaiian Barbeque (Honokowai only), Papi's Ohana, Teazentea Maui, Coco Deck Lahaina, Mala Tavern, Pizza Paradiso, Pineapple Robot, and Lahaina Cream Co.

For more information, please contact Todd Hayase at 808-727-6620 or <u>todd.hayase@k12.hi.us</u>.

Grade Level Counselors

6th Grade - Ivy Navarro 7th Grade - Todd Hayase 8th Grade - Cindy Koyama

and more Student and Staffulty Recognitions!

I Up'd My Grades and Behavior, Up Yours! Award – Students are nominated for this awardbased on improved academics, attitudes, and behavior performance.

UP YOURS AWARD

CONCRATURATIONS

6th Grade: Mckenzie Queja Cabading, Baylee Kekiwi, Tyson Rodriguez Furtado, Marlee Montgomery, Hoala Tihada, Airish Ramos, Kahlia Randle

Winner: Mckenzie Queja Cabading

7th Grade: Zamantha Corpuz, Brihanna Villa, Leslie deleon Velasquez, Damian Hussey Helekiola, Kasen Ganoy, Kimo Varona, Makayla Oasay, Felix Eisenberg, Daysia Costa, Jasmine Ahia

Winner: Kimo Varona

8th Grade: Marley Rivero, Mya Valdez, Steven Beneliezer, Vincent Yagin, Kobe Magana

Winner: Kobe Magana



Congratulations to the Following Top 3 Students in Each Grade Level who have Earned The Most Improved from Fall to Winter Testing: iReady Reading & Math SY 24-25



and more Student and Staffulty Recognitions!



LIS Ke ali'i Wrestling News - Thank you to Principal Bookland and REACH sports coordinator Anthony Griffith for securing a special grant for us to purchase a new Dollamur wrestling mat.





Congratulations! MATHCOUNTS TEAM

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Congratulations to the LIS MathCounts team for their 3rd place finish at this past weekend's Maui Chapter MathCounts Competition! 8th graders AJ Doctor, Emaly Pacil, Brielle Ramelb and Cami Yasutake made a strong showing, with Cami placing in the top 8 of individual competitors. She even defeated the first place individual in a head-to-head matchup to advance in the Countdown Round! Way to go amazing students, we are proud of you!







Best of beable awards



Beable is the next-generation Life-Ready Literacy platform. It's the only platform that links students' personal interests and aspirations to literacy growth, personal growth, career exploration, and academic rigor. By automatically providing just-right content and scaffolds at each learner's reading level, Beable delivers Lexile growth 5X expected annual growth while assuring equity for all. By accelerating literacy for future readiness, Beable puts students on personalized paths to academic success and career opportunity.

Because of the amazing work they are doing to build life-ready literacy with their students, the following teachers have become members and achieved status in the Best of Beable educator appreciation program.

As Best of Beable members, these teachers are now part of a national group of educators who share their commitment to prepare students for success in school, careers, and life.

THE BEST OF BEABLE WINNING TEACHERS ARE:



CHARMAINE NUESCA-GANER LYDIA PORTER FRITZ MARATA KRYSTLE DUNN

AWESOME JOB TEACHERS! ! WE ARE VERY PROUD OF YOU, YOUR HARD WORK, AND YOUR DEDICATION TO OUR HAUMANA. IMUA!



LIS PTSA News



Aloha LIS 'Ohana!

Please SAVE THE DATE for our upcoming Valentine's Dance!

> Friday, February 7th from 5-7pm DJ Ron will be there JJ We'll even have a Photo Booth!

Admission fee will be \$5, and food will be available to purchase. Students on the admin. list may not attend. LIS students only.

Permission slips will go home with your student on Wednesday 1/29 and are due back by 2/5.

We can't wait for a fun evening!!

Sponsored by your LIS PTSA



| MONDAY | - | TUESDAY | - | WEDNESDAY | _ | THURSDAY | _ | FRIDAY | |
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| CREAM CHEESE | | MARINARA SAUCE | | SALSA CUP | | STEAMED RICE | | TURKEY SAUSAGE LINKS | |
| APPLESAUCE | | BANANA | | WATERMELON | | CANTALOUPE | | RED GRAPES | |
| FRUIT JUICE, ASST. | | SLICED PEACHES | | PINEAPPLE | | DICED PEARS | | CRAISINS, ASST. | |
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| | | CHEESE STUFFED BREADSTICK | | CHICKEN & WAFFLE | | PORTUGUESE SAUSAGE | | BANANA BREAD | |
| TEACHER INSTITUTE DAY | | MARINARA SAUCE | | MAPLE SYRUP | | STEAMED RICE | | PORK SAUSAGE PATTY | |
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| PIZZA BAGEL | | FRENCH TOAST STICKS | | BREAKFAST CHICKEN SLIDER | | PORTUGUESE SAUSAGE | | COFFEE CAKE | |
| PINEAPPLE CHUNKS | | MAPLE SYRUP | | SLICED PEACHES | | STEAMED RICE | | TURKEY SAUSAGE LINKS | |
| SLICED PEACHES | | STRAWBERRIES | | MIXED FRUITS | | ORANGE WEDGES | | RED GRAPES | |
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FEBRUARY 2025 BREAKFAST

THIS INSTITUTUION IS AN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY PROVIDER

| MONDAY | | TUESDAY | | WEDNESDAY | | THURSDAY | - | FRIDAY | |
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| TASTY TENDERS | | FILET-O-FISH SANDWICH | | BEEF SPAGHETTI | | OVEN BAKED CHICKEN | | CHICKEN POTSTICKERS | |
| STEAMED RICE | | BAKED POTATO CHIPS | | TOSSED GREEN SALAD | | STEAMED RICE | | BABY CARROTS | |
| BROCCOLI FLORETS | | LETTUCE & TOMATO | | EDAMAME | | STEAMED CORN & CARROTS | | CUCUMBER STICKS | |
| BAKED BEANS | | CUCUMBER STICKS | | CANTALOUPE | | PINEAPPLE CHUNKS | | FRUIT JUICE, ASST. | |
| ORANGE WEDGE | | ORANGE FRUIT GEL | | WG FRENCH ROLL | | | | | |
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| | | MACARONI & CHEESE | | KALUA PORK & CABBAGE | | CHEESEBURGER | | PEPPERONI PIZZA | |
| INSTITUTE DAY | | BROCCOLI FLORETS | | STEAMED RICE | | TATER TOTS | | BABY CARROTS | |
| NO STUDENTS | | CRINKLE CARROTS | | LOMI TOMATO | | LETTUCE LEAF & TOMATO | | CUCUMBER STICKS | |
| | | SLICED PEACHES | | EDAMAME | | ORANGE WEDGES | | FRUIT SLUSHY, ASST. | |
| | | | | PINEAPPLE CHUNKS | | | | | |
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| | 1 | CHEESE BITES | | HAMBURGER CURRY | | CHICKEN TENDERS | | MINI CORN DOGS | |
| PRESIDENTS DAY | | MARINARA SAUCE | | STEAMED RICE | | BAKED POTATO WEDGES | | BABY CARROTS | |
| HOLIDAY | | CELERY STICKS | | TOSS GREEN SALAD | | BABY CARROTS | | CUCUMBER STICKS | |
| | | DICED PEARS | | CUCUMBER STICKS | | EDAMAME | | STRAWBERRY FRUIT GEL | |
| | | | | ORANGE WEDGES | | CANTALOUPE CHUNKS | | | |
| | 24 | | 25 | | 26 | | 27 | | 28 |
| BEEF PATTY W/GRAVY | | CHICKEN PATTY SANDWICH | | CHILI CHEESE NACHOS | | ROAST TURKEY W/GRAVY | | CHEESE PIZZA | |
| STEAMED RICE | | POTATO EMOTICONS | | TOSS GREEN SALAD | | WHIPPED POTATOES | | CUCUMBER STICKS | |
| STEAMED CARROTS | | LETTUCE | | SALSA CUP | | ZUCCHINI | | EDAMAME | |
| EDAMAME | | TOMATO | | FRUIT JUICE, ASST. | | WHOLE GRAIN ROLL | | FRUIT SLUSHY, ASST. | |
| MIXED FRUITS | | ORANGE WEDGE | | | | DICED PEARS | - | | |

FEBRUARY 2025 LUNCH

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IN THE COMMUNITY



Two Days a Week, Afterschool, 2-7pm

FREE

BUA 9 First Responder Skills:

TRAIN. OVERCOME. TRANSFORM YOUR LIFE!

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SURVIVAL SKILLS: WATERFALL HIKING VILD FOOD FORAGING HERBAL MEDICINE TRACKING & ARCHERY DEER BUTCHERING FISHING & DIVING FIRE MAKING

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Acoustic trauma occurs

Temporary threshold shift

Noise-induced hearing loss-is the

Search and Rescue Life Guarding/Rescue First Aid/CPR Active Shooter Paintball Psychological First Aid Fire Suppression PTSD Recovery

www.HEROEZ.org

Remember once hearing loss occurs

it is permanent and irreversible.

The Maui Wildfire Exposure Study -

- A University of Hawai'i study researching the indirect and direct impacts of the fires on Maui residents

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Requirements:

- 10 years or older, having been on Maui during the fires · Complete a survey, health exam, and provide clinical samples to observe metals and other contaminants.
- No Insurance required

In addition to a free fire-specific health screening, you will receive \$100 cash upon completing the study that day, along with your test results.

Where and When?

Visit our website for up-to-date times and locations available. Make an appointment and complete the survey online to save time. Open enrollment ends January, 2025.

MAUIWES.org

How loud is too loud?

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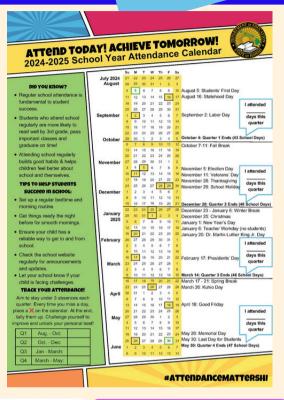




The loudness of a sound is measured in units called decibels (dB). Loud noises over 85 dB can

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Hawaii Voter Survey

The survey will allow the Committee to gather feedback on the accessibility of the 2024 Elections and help in their efforts to enhance the accessibility experience for Hawaii voters in future elections. Responses to the survey are anonymous.

Visit the following link to access the survey: 2024 Elections Accessibility Survey

Any individual needing assistance with completing the survey can contact our office directly at (808) 453-VOTE (8683)

TEEN HEALTH MATTERS

PARENT TEEN CONNECT

<u>ParenTeenConnect.org</u>, a free website for parents and their teens created by the makers of Second Step[®] Middle School, is a great resource for middle school families. It provides expert advice and practical tools for dealing with real parent-teen issues.

Get Talking with ParenTeen Connect

At <u>ParenTeenConnect.org</u>, you can hear from real parents and teens about the issues that cause conflict in their lives—including screen time, independence, responsibility, and communication—and get expert advice. Visit <u>ParenTeenConnect.org</u> at home with your child, select a topic together, and get talking!

WEEKLY

LESSONS

6th Grade Lesson 13: Using Your Guiding Principles

- Summary: In this week's lesson, your child will complete a story in which they use their guiding principles to make a decision and resolve a challenging situation.
- Question: Ask your child to describe their story and discuss the decision they made. Ask how they plan to include guiding principles in future decision-making.

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7th Grade Lesson 12: Your Future Self-Concept

- Summary: In this week's lesson, your child will envision their future self-concept, or how they want to see themselves in the future.
- Question: Ask your child what kind of person they want to become.

8th Grade Lesson 12: Agency and Confidence

- Summary: In this week's lesson, your child will think of ways to build confidence as they transition to high school.
- Question: Ask your child about the confidence-building strategies that work best for them. Ask them what they'd like to feel more confident about as they transition to high school.



In order to better help you, please consent for services before you coll at my.hazel.co/hawaiipublicschools

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