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Mo'ō'ōlelo Hālāwai Kūmau

4 Kepakemapa 2019

Kahi ma ka 'ao'ao of ke kahua pōhina'i

Kāhea Ho'omaka

Meeting called to order at 5:31PM by Daylin Heather with 8 people present including 2 board members.

Papa Inoa

Daylin & Konrad Heather, Lehua Coloma, Kumu Kaikaina, Kacie Ho'okano, Waianuhea Walk, Ku'ulei Malohi, Tish Reed, Ian & Jenny Bishop, Anuhea St Laurent, Nohea & Darren Keahi, Joelle Hussey, Leina'ala, Nellie Laimana, Makanani Kukona, Analu K-Aloha, Kumu Malia Mataele, Kumu Kamakani

Ho'āpono Ka Mo'ō'ōlelo Hālāwai

Approval of Minutes for Hālāwai 15 `Aukake 2019

Amendment from Lehua: Treasurer List of pre-approved budget to be adjusted to "Amounts" instead of "Prior Years' Amounts" on Pre-approved Budget sy 2019-20" spreadsheet

Approved

Items of Business

Pō 'Ohana

Usually a "Lā" but this year starting with a "Pō" event at Kualoa this Saturday 9/7/2019 to build piliina among the 'ohana. We'll start with a kūkākūkā about ideas and feedback for HMOP; even suggestions to the format of hālāwai HMOP (for example, what if we had potluck at the hālāwai because keiki are hungry). Then we'll have Analu sharing experiences from Mauna Kea and then finish kilo hōkū with Junior Coleman and Ka'ano'i Walk. 5-8PM (and gate closes 8PM)

HMOP providing some food. Feel free to bring food but bring your kino even if no food. We'll have plenty.

Treasurer Report (see Report)

Drownproofing: Kumu Kamakani will check with his English counterpart to see if papa 3/3rd graders will participate in Drownproofing classes at YWCA Kokokahi this year

Palule-T Kaiapuni: Order is coming but it was a rush order, for keiki sizes. Budget was increased to \$2k for sy19-20 due to more haumana kaiapuni, therefore need of more quantity of shirts. Shirts do not bring profit because charge is close to cost, haumana in papa Malaa'o is



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given 1 free shirt, and shirts are given as makana (i.e. Hawane's recent visit). Additional note: taxes are paid on shirt sales.

Kumu Report

Water dispensers are very appreciated by keiki who need reminders to bring omole wai to school, filled. Kumu Mālia provides little cups each day when keiki pōina. Keiki made mahalo-grams. It has cut down the disruption of keiki leaving a classroom (her haumana keeps a tally of how many times they leave the classroom) so they only ha'alele for the lua. They're better hydrated now. Other kumu have mahalo to add as well. Kumu are practicing lawena; please remind keiki they're in kula to learn & how important it is to be in kaiapuni. * Clarification: hale 'aina has a water dispenser not funded by HMOP but it was too far for keiki to consistently fill up during the day. Please send keiki with a water bottle and have them bring it filled or have them fill it up in the cafeteria when they arrive to kula.

Papa 4 will be going to Kaua'i in May 2020, this is in addition to prior planned trips for Papa 5 and Papa 8. They will be fundraising and will request from HMOP. Kumu Kamakani will join papa 4 as a chaperone for the 26 haumana; papa 3 will have a panihakahaka. Maybe kulolo fundraiser.

Reminders for school events coming up:

- Lā Kupuna this Friday 9/6 for those that signed up by last week.
- Pa'i ki'i (Picture-taking) is on Tuesday 9/10, following the Waiver day (no school) on Monday. Dress nice; uniform not required.
- Starting next Wed, Papa M-4 is learning Taiko drumming. Part of the **Artists in the School** program. They'll have a final performance at the end.
- New student teacher joining from UH-Manoa, Kanoelani Pacheco. She is helping in Papa 7-8.

'Imi Pono

(Tish Reed)

Want to increase revenue from food which is the biggest profit. Committee is open to suggestions like info booths about Mauna Kea, etc.

'Aha Kauleo Report

Proxy: Waiānuhea (Ka'ano'i sick)

New kula kaiapuni

- Waimānalo (M/1)
- Lāhainaluna (12)
- Hāna (3)



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- Pū'ōhala (8)

Changes to by-laws

- Advise OHE
- Name changes for some organizations

Kā'eo (statewide assessment) dates:

- 5/31 - close testing window
- 6/10 - 14 - test scoring mtg
- 7/22-25 - standard setting mtg (cut scores)
- 9/12 - KA'EO training meeting (subs for kumu)

"Initial analysis shows improved and adequate reliability"

Number of test questions should lessen in next test

Info on Papa 3-8 should be received school this month and reports available to families

Ka'anoi is the new luna ho'okō & Puohala rep for elementary. Celeste Keohokapu represents secondary.

Honor Kumu Mele Mai

Papa Alaka'i

Papa Malaa'o

Difficulties communicating with mākuā. Need more help in Malaa'o because of class size and wide range of 'ike. Aokea is in there but not sure what Aokea's schedule and commitment is or supposed to be.

Anela/Angela is a kōkuā in the class but is leaving Pū'ōhala because she can't get enough hours to work from Po'okumu. Po'okumu's response is because she already has 2 positions, she can't give more hours.

Papa 'Ekahi

Starting school year and getting ready for culture day. Feedback: How can we secure help for kumu (i.e. malaa'o which happens annually as a trend with 'ohana waivering on committing to kaiapuni) ahead of time knowing that this trend tends to happen each year. New parents may not realize what kind of commitment it takes to be a part of kaiapuni. From curriculum availability to ha'awina to 'ōlelo support for makua/ohana. This discussion will be continued at Pō`Ohana.

Papa 'Elua



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Remind app is great communication tool; will meet with kumu. Snacks (for keiki) are appreciated.

Papa 'Ekolu - 'Ewalu

No new updates

Malama Ko'olaupoko

Max capacity. Waiting for 7 English keiki and we'll be at 120%. Any additional applications are going on a wait list.

Paddling for gr 4-6 for free at Waikalualoko on Tuesdays but max at 12. They'll have to pass water certification and practice at the YWCA.

Other Member Mana'o

Makua question: How does Po`okumu determine how many kumu to hire?

Lehua gave an overview summarizing previous answers Po`okumu Makala has given in the past, including estimation of class sizes by looking at past trends, forms sent to families at the end of the school year with their intent to return, and new student registrations; there needs to be a certain amount of keiki in a grade level to warrant a kumu position; there are cut off dates to post kumu positions; OHE gives positions (2 lower grades and 1 middle school) to help kaiapuni to have smaller class sizes, etc. All families were interested in learning more about budget for more kumu and kokua positions, especially due to high numbers of keiki in majority of the kaiapuni classrooms and to help HMOP identify high-need areas where fundraising efforts could help. Malaa`o is especially concerned about consistency in help. Makua voted to carve out time during hālāwai to learn more about this.

Makua suggestions: Great suggestion to carve out time within the HMOP meeting to 'ōlelo, practice a mele/oli, tie in an 'ōlelo no'eau that the keiki are learning this week, or some type of activities that will help makua ho'oikaika 'ōlelo Hawaii. Will give it more thought/simmer and discuss more this Saturday at Pō 'Ohana.

MEETING ADJOURNED PM 6:59PM