

Mililani Uka School Council Community Meeting  
March 2, 2010  
Unapproved minutes

Members Present- Heather Wilhelm, Daryl Fujino, Kathy Ishii, Shauna Ihu, Margeaux Ikuma, Lance Fujioka, Julieann Patarini, Destiny-Brooke Tamayo, Carylynd Ala, Julianne Dennison, Leonard Smith, Cindy Nichols, Sheryl Baker

Guests-Norma Tansey, Kawai Tao

Not present Michelle Pascual, Fran Ancheta

Call to Order- 5:00 with a five minute recess

Approval of Minutes- Correction was made to minutes under members present- removal of Melody Hayase and change of Evelyn Ibonia to Lori Nishikawa. Changes notated and minutes were approved

Approval of Agenda- Agenda approved

Role Group Reports

A. Non-Certificated Staff - No report

B. SPED -No report

C. K-1 Teachers are working on Curriculum fair. Quad D prep is underway

D. 2-3 Grade report

Second grade attended the Aquarium and completed a coral reef study for quad D. Hui artist is finishing ceramic pots with class. 3<sup>rd</sup> grade has been painting a trivet. Quad D science focus is simple machines.

E. 4-5 Teachers report

4<sup>th</sup> grade went on field trip to the Polynesian cultural center.

Big Island field trip is coming up soon. They will be making clay pots from Hui donated funds.

5<sup>th</sup> grade is gearing up for HSA Testing. They have been holding morning Kid Biz in the computer labs. 5<sup>th</sup> grade will be doing basket weaving for Mothers Day.

F. ORT

Hawaii State Assessment is starting March 30 for reading, April 1 for math, and science on April 12-13. The school will pilot online testing after completion of HAS in April. Jump rope Team will end next week. Track tryouts started for 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> graders. The team will be selected before spring break and practice will begin after the break.

#### G. Administration

Read across America- Military members came to read to students K-2 and kicked off the new reading program by pledging to read every day.

Raise a Reader starts March 8<sup>th</sup>. Please record the minutes you read with your child and log the minutes on the website. A \$5000.00 prize will be awarded to the school with the most minutes. Uka does not expect to earn the prize and wants the award of students reading and being read to by parents.

Community Garage sale for the Mililani library raised \$1092.00. Thank you to all who donated items and time to this great cause.

School Renovations begin April 19<sup>th</sup> and will end in November. The contractors will be working on 4 classrooms at a time.

#### H. Hui

3<sup>rd</sup> grade has finished their art project and 2<sup>nd</sup> is finishing soon

Buddy picture is finished and are working out kinks to make next year smoother

Shamrock Sale is complete with sales of \$37,554.00 earning the school \$14,000 per contact. On March 23<sup>rd</sup> the Hui will be having a Jamba Juice trial selling 16 oz cups for \$4.00 after school. A car wash at JN Chevy is scheduled for Sunday, March 28 from 9-2, volunteers still needed. 100 percent of the profits will return to the school from the car wash.

#### I. PCNC

Report was circulated

Posters for the Board of Water contest are due this week.

#### J. Student council

Report was circulated

Family game night was a lot of fun. Thank you Hui for helping with the pizza orders

#### K. Parents

No report

#### L. Community

Mrs. Nichols has been hearing questions from people wondering if Uka will be having a Fall Fest next year.

#### V. Unfinished business-

##### Elections

As of the meeting only four people have expressed interest in SCC board for 2010-11. Cindy Nichols will return as community representative, second seat is open. Julianne Dennison and Carylynd Ala will return as parents and Leonard Smith has nominated his wife Anne-Marie to fill his position. There are additional openings for two more parents. Teachers were asked to recommend possible candidates. Election ballots need to go out in April.

#### VI. New business

A. School Wellness plan. The Federal government requires all schools to implement next school year. Uka focus group committee has been working on such a program and shared their ideas at SCC. The plan is three fold with emphasis on Nutrition & Health Education, Health Safety Policy, and Family & Community Involvement. The school is looking to implement more active recess activities, encourage healthy snacks, suggest healthy alternative fundraisers, and professional development for staff. Members suggested ideas like a recess challenge walk were student clock laps around the park to reach a mileage goal for the quarter or year. Another school holds a basketball fundraiser or return of the fun run for technology.

VII. Announcements

A. Next meeting Tuesday April 6, 2010  
Mililani Uka library, 5:00 pm

VIII. Meeting adjourned at 6:15 p.m.

Respectfully submitted by

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