



Aloha parents and guardians of the Class of 2020,

I would like to welcome you back to Kamehameha Schools for an eventful sophomore year! We made it through our first year!! We would not have been able to make it this far without all of your undying support, sacrifice, and hard work. I would personally like to thank all of you for your kindness and generosity last year. We appreciate you so very much. This year, we will be organizing two major class activities: our Sophomore Social and our Sophomore Banquet. Along with these two Sophomore class activities, we will also need parent support at other school functions such as ASKS dances, the ATP Ho'olaule'a, Ice Cream Distribution and Song Contest.

The Sophomore Board will be helping to plan and implement many of these activities. As the 2020 Class Advisor, I am again looking forward to working closely with the class officers, the homeroom representatives, the class parents, the ATP parent representatives, the Dean of Student Activities and the other class advisors to ensure safe and enjoyable activities for the class and school. I would again like to thank all of you for all of your hard work and cooperation thus far. I also would like to thank you ahead of time for your continued support and efforts towards the Class of 2020 this year.

All of our parent meetings this year, will take place at the Konia Building, Room 202. Our first Parent Meeting will be held on Wednesday, September 13 at 6:00 pm. Our topic for this meeting will be general discussions of this year's class events. The following is our parent meeting schedule for this 2017-2018 school year (all parent meetings will take place on the **2nd Wednesday**, (except for October and February) of each month.

Wednesday, Sept. 13 @ 6:00 pm, Konia Rm. 202

Wednesday, Oct. 18 @ 6:00 pm, Konia Rm. 202

Wednesday, Nov. 8 @ 6:00 pm, Konia Rm. 202

Wednesday, Dec. 13 @ 6:00 pm, Konia Rm. 202

Wednesday, Jan. 10 @ 6:00 pm, Konia Rm. 202

Wednesday, Feb. 7 @ 6:00 pm, Konia Rm. 202

Wednesday, Mar. 14 @ 6:00 pm, Konia Rm. 202 (Song Contest Workshop)

Wednesday, Apr. 11 @ 6:00 pm, Konia Rm. 202

Wednesday, May 9 @ 6:00 pm, Konia Rm. 202

Class activities for the year:

Welcome Back Dance: Friday, August 18; Konia Field, 6:30 pm – 10:00 pm. We will need approximately 15-20 parents to help chaperone this event. Parents volunteering for this event are asked to arrive no later than 6:00 pm and will be responsible for general supervision duties of the dance floor, off-limit areas and inappropriate behavior.

First Ice Cream Distribution: Friday, October 20, 2017; 'Akahi Dining Hall; 10:30 am – 12:15 PM. Ice Cream will be given to students who meet one or more of the following criteria: 3.5+ GPA, GPA increase of .3, or perfect attendance. Eight-10 parents will be needed to help with this activity. Parents are asked to arrive at approx. 10:15 am and receive instructions from 'Akahi Staff. Basic duties include distribution of ice cream and toppings to the students.

Sophomore Social: Friday, November 17, 2017; Kalaniopu'u Pool; 6:00 pm – 9:00 pm. 20-25 parents will be asked to help chaperone this social. Parents are asked to arrive no later than 5:30 pm to help with set up and check-in. Duties include check-in of all students, basic chaperoning of the social area, common area, off limit areas, and watching for inappropriate behavior

Second Ice Cream Distribution: Friday, December 8, 2017; 'Akahi Dining Hall; 10:30 am – 12:15 pm. Ice Cream will be given to students who meet one or more of the following criteria: 3.5+ GPA, GPA increase of .3, or perfect attendance. 8-10 parents will be needed to help with this activity. Parents are asked to arrive at approximately 10:15 am and receive instructions from 'Akahi Staff. Basic duties include distribution of ice cream and toppings to the students.

Sophomore Banquet: Saturday, February 10, 2018; Kekūhaupi'o Gym. 6:00 pm-10:00 pm. We will need approximately 30 parents to help with set-up in Kekūhaupi'o Gym. Parents volunteering for set-up will be helping to arrange the tables and chairs, stage set-up, and decorations of the gym. (Food to be provided for all parents helping with set-up.) We will also need approximately 25-30 parents to help volunteer at the banquet. Parents volunteering at the banquet will be asked to help with check-in, serving of food, general supervision duties of dance floor and off limit areas, and break down at the end of the night. Dinner will be provided for all parents volunteering at the banquet. Parents wishing to volunteer for set up, will be asked to meet at Kekūhaupi'o Gym at approx. 9:00 AM on Saturday morning. Parents wishing to volunteer for the evening at the banquet will be asked to arrive at Kekūhaupi'o Gym, no later than 5:30 pm. We also may be asking parents for food donations to try and lower the cost of food. More information to follow as the date approaches. Sophomore Banquet Ticket order forms will be distributed through homerooms. Ticket sales will take place from Monday, January 8 through Friday, January 12 during the lunch periods at the 'Akahi Student Center. Checks or money orders will be accepted. NO CASH PLEASE.

Ho'olaule'a: Saturday, February 24, 2018; Kamehameha Schools Kapālama Campus. This year, the Class of 2020 will be responsible for organizing and facilitating the ENTIRE Ho'olaule'a. More information to follow.

Song Contest: Friday, March 16, 2018: Preparations have already begun for this special event. This year we will be again using our green yarn lei and sashes for Song Contest. Approximately 30 parents will be needed to help with this function. Parents are asked to arrive at the NBC at approximately 4:30 pm to help with check-in and pinning of lei and sashes.

A Song Contest workshop is scheduled at our parent meeting on Wednesday, March 14 in Konia Rm. 202 at 6:00 pm to prep the lei and iron the sashes. (Food and drinks will be provided for all parents able to help at this workshop.)

In closing, let me say "mahalo" for all the hard working parents who have been supporting the class of 2020 thus far and for those who have committed themselves to making the high school years a rewarding experience for all.

Patrice Perrin (808-330-2053) is our 2020 class parent. She will be organizing all parents interested in volunteering at our functions this year. Please feel free to contact Patrice or me if you are interested in volunteering at any of our events.

If you have any questions at all, please feel free to contact me at (808) 842-8531 or deono@ksbe.edu.

Aloha,

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