

Waimea Middle School Local Advisory Panel (LAP)

Monday, March 23, 2015 - 4:30-6:30 p.m. – K-04

Timer: Lori Bergin

Minutes: Pam Potter

- 1) **Welcome, Introductions & LAP Business (10 mins) – Colin Miura, Chair**
 - **Welcome & Introductions**
 - **Confirm Quorum**
 - **Review & Approve Minutes from February 23, 2015**
 - **HC Board Has Confirmed Owana Wilcox as WMS LAP Community Rep – Congratulations & Mahalo!**
 - **Preview Agenda**
 - **School-Community Input (2 minutes for guests)**

- 2) **WMS Leadership Transition & Islander Institute – Andrew Aoki - Timing, process, involvement of WMS school-community – Board Chair Ann Botticelli & Dr. Megan McCorriston, ED (30 mins)**

- 3) **Interim Principal's Update – (50 minutes) – Amy Kendziorski**
 - **Celebrations:**
 - **Students' Academic Progress – Star Assessments (August-December-February)**
 - **Hawai'i County SRO position on campus beginning in 2015-'16 SY**
 - **WMS' Title 1 Plan & Goals – 2015-'16 SY – Pat Rice**
 - **WMS' Kamehameha Schools 2015'16 SY Grant Application - Amy & Pat**
 - **Social Studies – Focus on Literacy & Common Core State Standards – Tina Benson (20 minutes)**
 - **WMS Accreditation Development Committee Update –Jane Sherwood, Ken Fischer, Patrick Hurney, David Gibson, Pat Rice & Patti Cook (10 minutes)**
 - **Smarter Balanced Assessments Update including schedule, student encouragement and snacks**
 - **Meaningful Local Measures?**

- 4) **How LAP Might Help With Fulfilling WMS' Mission & Schoolwide Learning Results to Significantly Increase Student Achievement - Colin Miura (20 minutes)**
 - **Update on LAP's new Family Outreach Subcommittee**
 - **Recruitment of Reading Specialist – Posting reopened until filled**
 - **Discussion on Kaizen**

- 5) **Coming Events – Patti Cook (5 minutes) (See Page 2)**

- 6) **New Business**

Next Meeting: Mon., April 27 – 4:30-6:30 p.m.

COMING WMS EVENTS

- **Wed., March 25 – Mala'ai's 10th Anniversary School-Community Celebration – 1:30-2:30 p.m. – All Invited!**
 - **Thurs., March 26 – Kuhio Day – No School**
 - **Mala'ai Student-Run Farm Stand – Wednesdays, 2-3:30 p.m., April 1 thru May 6. All invited!**
 - **Fri., April 3 – Good Friday – No School**
 - **Sat., April 4 – Free Lei Making Workshop – 9 a.m. to noon, Waimea Homestead Farmers' Market – co-hosted by WMS 'Ike Hawai'i program, Waimea Education Hui, Waimea Hawaiian Civic Club with support from the Richard Smart Fund of the Hawai'i Community Foundation.** Tootsie Weller and other noted Waimea lei makers including Patsy Shioji who will provide instructions on how to make lei styles Waimea is known for including ti, kukui, akulikuli, lantern ilima, tuberose and Chinese lily. Hands-on participation encouraged. Donations of flowers and foliage welcome including palapalai, kupukupu, laua'e and pala'a ferns. Participants are encouraged to enter their leis in the Lei Contest being held that evening in conjunction with the Waimea Hawaiian Civic Club's Poi Supper at Kuhio Hale (Waimea's Hawaiian Homes Hall). Info: Tootsie Weller (960-1183) or kaleonapua@aol.com.
 - **Sun., April 5 – Happy Easter!**
 - **Tues., April 7 – 6:30-8 p.m. Connecting For Success 'Prevention Plus' Family Night. All invited!**
 - **Sun., April 12 – Mala'ai School Garden's 8th Annual 'Art & Sol' Benefit Auction – Kahilu Theatre Galleries – 12:30-3 p.m. Tickets: \$50.**
 - **Wed., April 22 – K(Arts) Grand Finale – Kahilu Theatre – Doors open at 5 p.m.; performance at 5:30 p.m. – Free and all invited!**
 - **Mon., April 27 – WMS LAP Meeting – 4:30-6:30 p.m. Classroom K-04. All invited.**
 - **Wed., April 29 – 4th Mala'ai Super Kitchen Dinner – Free at Kahilu Town Hall – 5:30-7:30 p.m.**
 - **Wed., May 6 – WMS Incoming 6th Grade Family Orientation Gathering – 5-6:30 p.m. Cafeteria**
 - **Fri., May 22 – WMS May Day! Two performances – Doors open at 8:30 a.m. and 5:30 p.m.**
- Note: Mass Hula Practice for Evening Performance tribute to Pua Garmon: 12:30-1:30 p.m., Sundays, April 19, April 26 and May 10. Thelma Parker Gym in Waimea.*
- **Mon., May 25 – Memorial Day – No School**
 - **Wed., June 3 – Last Day for all students**
 - **Mon., June 8 – WMS LAP Meeting – 4:30-6:30 p.m. Classroom K-04. All invited.**

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