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Lahainaluna High School Foundation

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Foundation Welcomes Student Advisory Committee Members

The Foundation is pleased to announce the addition of three new Student Advisory Committee members. SAC members will be assisting the executive director with providing student input for our print and social media outlets, and also providing a conduit to the student body.

Our new members are:

Aiyana Galletes



I am from the island of Hawaii, currently attending Lahainaluna as a fourth-year boarding student. I became a member of the Student Advisory Committee because the Foundation was founded on, and perpetuates values that I admire. I love how much this organization does for the school and the community and hope to be a part of this great tradition.

My goal for this year is to generate as much support and sponsors as possible. This is important to me because I want to create as many opportunities as I can for Lahainaluna students.





Vision

A superior high school experience for all Lahainaluna students

Mission

To support the Lahainaluna school community by providing opportunities and resources

To assist in preserving and perpetuating Lahainaluna's unique history, culture and traditions

Values

Loina Tradition Hoihi Respect Ho'oha'ahea Honor Kupaa Dedication Pio ole Committment Kaiaulu Community



I'm a Junior and a Boarder from the island of Lana'i. The two sports I play are football and baseball. My main goal after high school is to attend and graduate from University of Washington and earn a Bachelor's degree in computer engineering. The reason why I want to be a part of the student committee is to give back to the community.

Ethan Kaleiopu



I was born on Maui and am currently a senior at LHS. I'm excited to become a member of the Student Advisory Committee because my heart is in this school. I have strong ties here and the community due to several members of my immediate family graduated from this school. I would love to do what I can do to help better this amazing school and keep its traditions going.

LHS Band Needs Instruments by Myron Carlos, Band Director

The saying: "Be careful what you wish for, you just might get

COMING EVENTS

I KA NANI O LELE LHS PTSA Fundraiser October 22, 2016 1PM-10PM LHS Campus

2016 Football Schedule

Oct 8 Kamehameha @ LHS Oct 15 LHS@ Baldwin*(WMS) Oct 21 King Kekaulike @ LHS

HOMECOMING

*(WMS) War Memorial Stadium

BENEFIT -

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it" could ring no truer than this year for the music program at Lahainaluna. We're always open to accepting more students and grow the program but this year took us by surprise--We have more students than instruments.

Serendipitously, we had a large amount of students enroll in the bands right as the school year started. It is the first time in over a decade that we have two concert bands. Along with the existing Marching/Pep Band, Jazz Band and two choirs, we've been teetering between 260-300 students a year. This unforeseen influx has left us with little to no instruments available for the students to use. Many of the instruments we've passed out this year date back to the 1960s and 1970s and without a repair shop on the island, are unsightly and barely playable.

The music program proudly represents the school at many events from public concerts to sporting events and interacting with the community. To many, it is a jewel of Lahainaluna and the Lahaina community. It is also one of the few longest running programs in the school having been a part of thousands of student's lives over the school's 185 year history.

We welcome any assistance in keeping the band legacy thriving at Lahainaluna by assuring the students have proper equipment so we may provide the best music education and experience for them.

To donate to the LHS Music Dept, make checks payable to **LHS Foundation**, with *LHS Band* in the memo, or use the donation button on our website. <u>www.lahainalunahighschoolfoundation.org</u>

Our Common Goals

by Steven Raymond

Though situated in an isolated area, a school can amass a pretty significant alumni and 'ohana base over the course of 185 years. I can't give you that exact number, but I've seen yearbooks from 70+ years ago that contain surnames that are part of present graduating classes. The West side continues to grow and whether your family is generations deep at Lahainaluna or coming into our 'ohana for the first time, there is a common thread. With each new generation comes the same goals, hopes and dreams from the previous generation – all the best for the students education and future. From Seminary times through the days of emphasis on vocational education into the present, Lahainaluna has been that "beacon on the hill" supporting and nurturing those goals and dreams.

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It's never been easier to help support the Foundation. Next time you place an order at Amazon.com, just designate us as your charitable organization. In these economic times when we are all tightening our purse strings, three of the Foundation's six values – COMMUNITY, COMMITMENT and DEDICATION, define what you – LHS supporters and 'ohana – have in common with the decades-old goals, hopes and dreams for the students. Speaking for the Foundation, I pass on a heartfelt thank you for your continued support and contributions. For those thinking about contributing, please do. Whether you want to give towards a specific area or to the general unrestricted fund account, we will humbly accept your donation. Any denomination will help support the school and students. Areas that you could specify include any club, academic or athletic program, boarding program, etc. Just about any recipient you can think of can be funded by your contribution

Mahalo nui for your kokua.



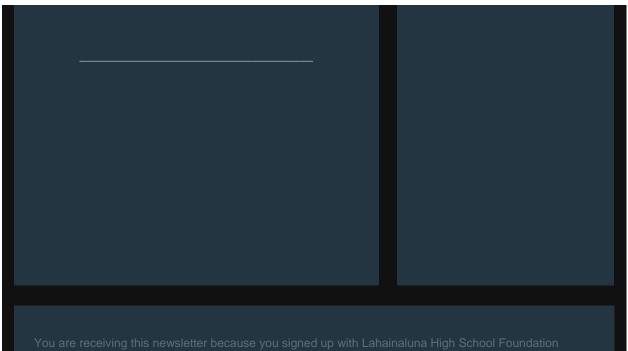
LHS PTSA FESTIVAL

The Lahainaluna High School PTSA's fund raising megaevent is scheduled for Saturday, October 22nd, from 1pm -10pm. We hope that the Lahainaluna community will show their support for this special experience. Proceeds from this inaugural event will help numerous groups, clubs and teams start the year off with some seed money to help them with their individual needs.

The event will feature live music, food and drinks, crafts and clothing, kid activities, game booths, silent auction, informational booths and a "Lei-bor" Day Lei Contest.

As this event and the PTSA's mission & vision align with that of the Lahainaluna High School Foundation, we are excited to be able to assist with their efforts to create a memorable and successful experience.

For more information, contact PTSA Event Coordinator Pakalana Phillips at 808-357-7619, email pakalana_phillips@lahaina.k12.hi.us.



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