

Pahoa High & Intermediate School

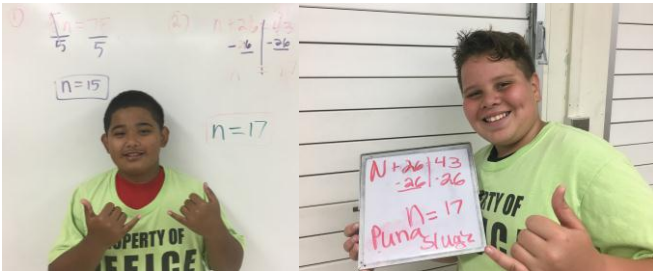


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Principal, Darlene Bee
Vice Principal, Kim Williamson (Grades 7 & 8)
Vice Principal, Kasey Eisenhour (Grades 10-12)

School Highlights -

Visit school website to view additional school highlights and images



Young Mathematicians.
7th grade students, Shane Kea and Lucky Nais, working on math problems in Ms. Heidi Zucker's math class.



2nd Annual Pahoa High & Intermediate School National Day of Service Beautification Campus Project. Thank you to students, teachers, staff and community in brightening up our school's campus. Participants planted t-leaves, repainted the railings and the front of F-Building.

Congratulations to Vice Principal Kim Williamson for being voted **January Employee of the Month**. Mr. Williamson is a leader that leads by example, he has a positive attitude and works hard to provide help to all students and staff in a variety of ways. Way to go Mr. Williamson!



PHS 2017 Homecoming Court

Top from left to right: Raynah Berinobis, Aaliyah Kamalii-Keka, Jade Aiona, Kamalani Noll and Desirae Salmo

Bottom from left to right: Harvey Tagalicud, Kealen Sibuciao-Kamakeeaina, Poe Falaniko Tuaeife Jr., Luis Guerrero-Garcia and Jaymin Santiago Burns.

Upcoming Events and Activities

February 14 – Valentine's Day. Mandatory Parent Athletic Meeting for Spring Sports. *Turn page for details.*

February 16 – Teacher's Institute Day. No School

February 20 – Holiday. Presidents' Day. No School

February 28 and March 1 – Grade 11 ACT Testing on Campus.

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School Breakfast & Lunch Program

Breakfast and Lunch is free and available every school day. Call or visit school front office for more information and pick up an application.

Learn More about the Breakfast & Lunch Programs

School Breakfast Program-

<http://goo.gl/60UYp2>

Hawaii Child Nutrition Programs -

<http://goo.gl/u3n9fd>

February Healthy Snacks

Crackers with Chocolate-Hazelnut Spread and Banana

Dividing evenly, spread 2 crisp bread crackers with 1 tablespoon chocolate-hazelnut spread. Top with 1 sliced small banana.

Minty Pea Dip with Pretzel Chips

Mash ½ cup frozen peas with 1 tablespoon chopped fresh mint and 2 teaspoons fresh lime juice. Serve with 15 pretzel chips.

Bagel with Ricotta and Strawberries

Spread ½ toasted whole-grain "flat" bagel with 2 tablespoons fresh ricotta. Top with ½ cup sliced strawberries. Drizzle with 1 teaspoon honey or agave nectar.

Cherry Tomatoes with Goat Cheese

Dividing evenly, top 5 halved large cherry tomatoes with 2 tablespoons fresh goat cheese. Sprinkle with 2 teaspoons chopped herbs (such as chives, basil, or parsley).

Dark Chocolate and Nut Clusters

Mix together ¼ cup unsalted roasted **nuts** and 1 ounce melted **dark chocolate** (70 to 80 percent cocoa). Drop onto wax paper; refrigerate until set.

Shop for Higher Education Program

Starting February 2017, there will be a new round for Pahoa High & Intermediate School to earn Maka'i points. Every time you Shop at either Foodland and Sack N' Save stores throughout the State, you can earn points for our school to earn \$2,000 scholarships. Please consider Pahoa High & Intermediate School as you designate your choice and use code 7609. Go to <https://goo.gl/uldJKf> for more information.

Class of 2017 Graduation Commencement

Graduation is fast approaching. Families are requested to begin making a list of guests to invite to this exciting ceremony honoring the Class of 2017 in celebration of 13 years of hard work. Admission tickets are required (including babes in arms). Each senior student will have opportunities to earn as many as 21 tickets. If this is not enough for your family, there will be other options to earn them. Details will be forthcoming.

Graduation attire and accessories will be distributed in mid-April along with a graduation packet that includes important information about senior obligations in order to release their diploma.

Commencement 2017 will be on Sunday, May 21 @ the Afook-Chinen Civic Auditorium, 5:30 pm.

Any questions or concerns may be directed to:

Mrs. Niimi, ph: (808)313-4267 or email june_niimi@notes.k12.hi.us

Ms. Harbaugh by email shannon_harbaugh@notes.k12.hi.us for grad attire information.

For planning purposes,

**ACT Testing for Grade 11 students will be on
Feb 28 and March 1 here on campus.**



Practice Test Resources:

Varsity Tutors - <https://goo.gl/L4O6Gg>

Free Official SAT and ACT Practice Tests PowerScore website - <https://goo.gl/O5ua0C>

2017 Junior and Senior Prom will be on April 15, 2017 at Nani Mau Gardens. More details to come.

Taking Applications for a New Driver's Education Class to begin in March

Driver's Ed applications are being accepted for a new class to begin sometime in March. Student's age 15 1/2 and older who possesses a valid learner's permit may apply. If we can get 20 valid applications before March 1st, we will hold a spring class. If we do not get enough valid applicants, the next class will be held this summer. Come by Ms. Iaukea's room (F102B) to get an application or if you have questions. You too could be driving this summer with your own driver's license!!!

Free Kendo Lessons

Do you like movies like "Star Wars" or "The Last Samurai"? Then you should train in kendo, the art of Japanese fencing. Develop your self-discipline, physical fitness, civility, and leadership. Come join the newly formed Rantokan Kendo Club in Hilo. Instruction will be provided free to all Pahoa High and Intermediate students. See Mr. Akagi in U205 for more information.

Athletic Directors Message:

It has been a whirlwind since I've started as the new Athletic Director for our Pahoa High School Athletics Department.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for all the unconditional support not only for athletics, but for our student-athletes and coaches.

Our new saying is "KAKOU PAHOA" which means We Pahoa. We all must work together to make things happen for our students and community.

Thank you for allowing me to be part of Pahoa and Puna. -Hoku Haliniak, PHS AD

Boys' and Girls' Golf Team

Pahoa high school is starting up a high school Boys' & Girls' Golf Team. This will be the first time since 2002 that we will have golfers representing PHIS in the Big Island Interscholastic Federation. Students interested please sign up in the gym hallway as soon as possible. If you have any questions, please contact Athletic Director or Mr. Ward Gardner at 313-4257 or ward_gardner@notes.k12.hi.us

Mandatory Parent Athletic Meeting for Spring Sports

Meeting will be held on February 14, 2017 from 6:00 – 7:30 PM in the PHIS Cafeteria. The meeting is for parents and athletes that have not attended Fall or Winter meetings.

Athletic Events and Activities

Baseball

February 21 – Pahoa at Kohala; 3 PM
February 23 – KS-Hawaii at Pahoa; 3 PM
February 27 – Kau at Pahoa; 3 PM
March 1 – Pahoa at Waiakea; 3 PM
March 4 – Pahoa at HPA; 1 PM
March 6 – Kona at Pahoa; 3 PM
March 9 – HPA at Pahoa; 3 PM
March 11 – Kealakehe at Pahoa; 1 PM

Boys' Volleyball

February 25 – 1st Annual Boys' Volleyball Pre-Season Tournament from 9 AM to 8 PM at PHIS Gym. Admission is \$2 all ages.

March 1 – Pahoa at CLA; 6 PM
March 4 – Pahoa at Waiakea; 10 AM
March 8 – Pahoa at Kealakehe; 6 PM
March 11 – Hilo at Pahoa; 10 AM

Golf

March 15 – All Schools at Hilo Muni start at 10 AM

Softball

February 22 – Pahoa at Kau; 3 PM
February 28 – Kau at Pahoa; 3 PM
March 2 – Pahoa at Waiakea; 3 PM
March 4 – Pahoa at HPA; 11 AM
March 7 – Pahoa at Keaau; 3 PM
March 11 – Kealakehe at Pahoa; 11 AM

Track

March 11 – All Schools in Kona; 9 AM

**Visit pahoahis.org under PHIS News' Athletic and Sports category for additional and new information.
Contact School Athletic Director at 313-4242**
