

Kailua Intermediate School Community Council Meeting
March 13, 2018 @ 3:00 pm -- KIS Library Conference Room
145 South Kainalu Drive
Kailua, Hawaii 96734

Meeting Minutes

Attendees: Lisa DeLong, John Secreto, Kathleen Nullet, Jon Tavares, and Laurie Ahlgren

Unable to attend: Tiare Kekauoha, Rachel Compton, and student reps

The meeting was called to order at 3:02 by Kathleen Nullet, KIS SCC Chairperson.

The minutes of the January 16 and February 13, 2018 meetings were approved.

New Business:

1. KIS Academic Plan: Dr. DeLong reported that the 3 Year KIS Academic Plan was presented at the February 21, 2018 KIS PTSA meeting.
2. Election of Kailua SSC Board Members was discussed and per our bylaws, each was elected to a two year term. All members are available to continue next year. To complete our board we only need a Classified Representative. Lisa will put the word out.

Reports:

1. Lisa reported that our students have done fantastic and taken more than our share of 1st, 2nd, and 3rd places at the State Science Fair, History Day, Cyber Security, and MathCounts. With all the student successes we've had, interest in our programs has followed. We have had 11 principals come and visit just today to view our teaching teams in action and the Solution Center with Mr. Rod.

Wednesday, March 14th Walk Out plans were discussed. Some students are planning to peacefully assemble on March 14, for 17 minutes to honor the 17 students and staff members who lost their lives at Marjory Stoneman Douglas High School in Parkland, Florida on Valentine's Day. KIS admin and staff will support this event with a special bell schedule for the day that recognizes the 17 minutes from 10:00 am – 10:17 am. Participation is voluntary. Those wishing to participate in the walkout will meet in a designated, safe location on campus – the courtyard. A letter was sent home from Dr. Kishimoto and one specific to KIS was in the e-Bulletin and on the KIS website. Overall message was about having a safe school campus and a positive school culture.

Kathleen's report praised our students again for doing so well at History Day, etc. She added we are well into our testing period. April and May have no holidays, so we should be able to get through all the required testing. Students are looking forward to the two all grade field trips at the end of the year. 7th graders will go to the Ice Palace on Wednesday, May 30th. 8th graders will go to Dave and Buster's on Thursday, May 31st. May 31st is the last day of school for students.

Jon T had nothing to report. He will not be able to attend our regularly scheduled meeting on April 10th. Further discussion was held and it was decided that an April meeting was not necessary. Laurie will notify missing members to see if they have an agenda item to discuss on April 10th, otherwise, we will skip April and meet next on May 8, 2018.

Announcements: none

Adjournment Time: 3:35 pm

The next meeting is scheduled for May 8, 2018 at 3:00 pm.

Submitted by Laurie Ahlgren, Secretary