

Minutes for Ke'elikōlani Middle School Community Council

Date: May 12th, 2025

Call to Order: 3:04 pm

Participants: Joseph Passantino (Principal, Noelani Takayesu (Chairperson), Brandon Galarita (Secretary), Lauren Pelier (School Community Coordinator), Vice Principal Nathan Davis (Vice Principal), Leihali'a Harper (Student Government), Aubrey-lei Faaola-Ieremia (Student Government)

Absent: Philip Barr (Parent), Allen Kauhi (Classified), Cary Miyashiro (Community)

Topic/Discussion	Action and/or Significant Points of Discussion	Responsibility
Approve Minutes of Meeting dated March 3, 2026	Leihali'a motions to approve the minutes. Principal Passantino seconded the motion.	All
Vacant SCC Nominations & Election for SY25/26.	Mr. Allen Kauhi to replace Ms. Eddianne Kalamau	Noelani Takayesu
School Updates	- The Bulldog Beats dance team competed in the 808 Battleground Dance Competition and placed first in Division 1. The school is looking to send students to New York to compete. - New project in the library to replace the flooring and renovate the Learning Lab (ne Library). - New grass pavers lot will be completed over summer. - PRKMS Soccer tournament wrapped up and the adult vs student match to occur. 7th Grade students were brought to Dave and Busters as an end-of-year activity. - Standardized test scores are still coming in with hopes to improve on past test scores. 8th Grade Promotion Ceremony to occur May 27th from 5:30-6:30pm. - Student-Led 8th Grade Banquet will be held on May 22nd. - Honolulu District FKK/KMR Amazing Shake competition in the works to be held December 4th or December 11th. Many volunteers will be needed to support student achievement.	Joe Passantino
Community Updates	- Lauren Peiler provided updates from the Q3 Meeting. - Alpha Delta Kappa donated many items to the Aloha Room - SGA went to the State Capital to testify in support of the mission and goals of the Family Resource Center	Community
SGA Updates	Aubrey shared about what has completed over Q4. Sign waving for support of mental health issues in teens, desserts for teacher appreciation week. SGA led a hype board where students wrote	SGA

	kind messages to teachers or friends that were passed on to whom it was written. • Leihali'a shared about year books to be released week of May 18 • Pep Rallies being planned for SY26/27 • Bulletin Games are encouraged daily in the Daily Bulletin	
Additional Comments and Concerns	•	All
SCC Self-Assessment Survey	• The committee collaboratively completed the SCC Self-Assessment	All
Principal Survey (Principal to be excused)	• The committee collaboratively completed the Principal Survey	All minus Admin

Adjournment Time: 3:49 pm

Recorder/Secretary: Brandon Galarita