



Friday November 13, 2020

Important Upcoming Dates

Date	Time	Event
Thursday & Friday November 26 & 27	All Day	Thanksgiving Break - NO SCHOOL
Thursday, December 3	3:30-5:30pm	Governing Board Meeting

Blended Learning to Begin January 5!

Aloha Parents and Guardians, the Kona Pacific Governing Board decided at its meeting yesterday that we will begin our blended learning program, in accordance with our School Reopening Plan, at the beginning of Quarter 3, when we return from winter break on Tuesday, January 5th! This decision is contingent on Hawaii County still meeting all DOH metrics regarding blended learning in the weeks leading up to January 5th, and on our successful working out of our lunch and recess procedures prior to winter break. The Governing Board will continue to regularly monitor the health and safety conditions in Hawaii County to confirm that our instructional mode is in alignment with DOH guidelines.

Annual Title 1 Meeting

Kona Pacific Public Charter School is what is known as a "Title 1" school, meaning that 47.2% or more of our students qualify for free or reduced-cost meals per federal guidelines, and that we have requested and have been approved to receive federal Title 1 funds to help us meet the needs of our students. Through our willingness to receive federal Title 1 funds we are held accountable for certain things, including developing and implementing an ongoing school improvement plan, and having an annual Title 1 Meeting. Our annual Title 1 Meeting will be held virtually this year on Thursday, November 19 at 5:00pm. You will receive an email with the Zoom URL. This will be a short meeting to go over what it means to be a Title 1 school, and to allow for questions and answers from you. We have to show proof that we have held this meeting, which is normally a sign-in sheet but this year will be your attendance at the Zoom meeting. We look forward to seeing you next Thursday at our annual Title 1 meeting.