



PACT's Kane`ohe Community Family Center (KCFC) Family Center News

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The Kane`ohe Community Family Center will facilitate the strengthening of families and communities from Kane`ohe to Kualoa by enabling them to identify and use their own and other resources to improve their quality of life and sense of community.



Five Rs 96744

"It takes a village to raise a child."

~African proverb

Our 96744 Ohana must commit to guiding our children toward a promising future. The **5 Rs 96744** project focuses on promoting the values of respect, responsibility, resourcefulness, relationships, and resiliency throughout our Kaneohe community.

Respect Honoring one's self, others, the environment and authority. *Examples:* use positive words and actions, treat others like you would like to be treated.

Responsibility Taking ownership of one's actions, obligations and commitments. *Examples:* Be on time, be truthful, keep your word, follow rules.

Resourcefulness Being skilled and imaginative in finding ways to succeed. *Examples:* Ask for help; use good judgement.

Relationships Valuing the benefit of working and playing together. *Examples:* Help others in need and work together; volunteer in the community.

Resiliency Adapting and striving for positive outcomes in adverse situations. *Examples:* Have a positive, stick-to-it attitude; identify with a positive role model.

The **Five Rs 96744** project is being implemented in our Kaneohe community.

- Schools are using the 5Rs in their character education curriculum.
- Sports leagues are using the 5Rs during their practice games and times.
- After school and summer programs are using the 5Rs as part of their behavior expectations.

The goal of our project is for all of us to positively encourage our youth to demonstrate appropriate attitudes and positive behavior.

Who Supports 5Rs 96744?

- PACT/Kaneohe Community Family Center
- Castle Complex Schools Windward District
- Hawaii Department of Education
- Department of Parks and Recreation
- City & County of Honolulu
- Community Works in 96744
- Hope Chapel Kaneohe Bay

For more information or to get involved, please contact: Jadine Yonemitsu, PACT/Kaneohe Community Family Center, 235-7747.

For the next five months, the *Family Center News* will profile families that know, live, and/or teach the 5Rs in our community.



Third Friday in August Celebrates Hawaii Statehood in 1959

On August 21, 1959, United States President Dwight D. Eisenhower signed a proclamation declaring Hawaii to be the 50th state in the Union. That event is recognized every year by a Hawaii state holiday on the third Friday in August.

This year, Hawaii Admissions Day falls on Friday, August 17. Schools, and state, county, and city government offices are closed on Admissions Day, but visitor attractions, shops, and city recreation centers remain open.



Kaneohe Day on the Bay 2007

Thank you to all of the vendors, entertainers, and hosts for making Kaneohe Day on the Bay 2007 a success.

Also thank you to volunteers, friends, family, and community members for giving their time and energy, and all the organizations that made donations for this event.

Kaneohe Community Family Center

Community Resource and Referral

•Phone 235-7747

•Website <http://kcfc.pacthawaii.org>

Hawaii Parental Information and Resource Center (HPIRC)

<http://www.pacthawaii.org>

Home Instruction for Parents of Preschool Youngsters (HIPPY)

<http://www.hippyusa.org>

<http://www.hawaiiipirc.org>

Family Center Services

•Family Support

Volunteer & Community Service Learning Opportunities

•Clerical and Program Support

•Special Event Child Care

Website of the Month:

Ask for Kids is a kid-friendly way to search online. A fun destination site focused on "edu-tainment," it uses natural-language technology that allows kids to ask questions and perform web searches, such as "[When did Hawaii become a state](#)?" or "[What's it like to live in space](#)?" in the same way they would ask a parent, friend or teacher.

www.askforkids.com

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Parent Project Classes

**The tougher it gets to be a kid...
..the tougher it gets to be parent!**

Does your teenager have failing grades? Does he/she refuse to go to school? Is he/she using drugs or alcohol, running away or displaying destructive behavior?

This 10-week program teaches concrete prevention, identification, and intervention strategies for the most distressing adolescent behaviors.

DATES & TIME: Thursday nights, from September 6th to November 8th. 5:30 - 8:30 pm.

LOCATION: Kaneohe Community Family Center @ 46-028 Kawa St., Suite A10, Kaneohe (behind Zippys).

Costs: \$24.00

Dinner: provided

Contact: Kaneohe Community Family Center at 235-7747.

Home Instruction for Parents of Preschool Youngsters

Are you a resident of 96744 and looking for a preschool program for your 3-4 year old child?

HIPPY is a preschool program that empowers YOU to be your child's first teacher!

**Call for more information,
PACT Kaneohe Community
Family Center 235-9779**



August **BACK-TO-SCHOOL**

- 1st** Oogle n Google Preschool Family Night, "Let's Go Camping," 6pm, Kaneohe Public Library, 233-5676.
- 6th** Community Works in 96744 Mtg., 5 - 7pm at Queen Liliuokalani Children's Center. 235-7747.
- 8th** Termite Information Seminar, Dr. Julian Yates III. Offered by Windward Community College. 6:30 - 8:30p.m. Call 235-7433 to register.
- 8th** Kahaluu Neighborhood Board Mtg., 7pm, KEY Project, 527-5749.
- 9th** Kids Hurt Too, Healing Young Hearts Support Group, 6 - 8pm at Queen Liliuokalani Children's Center, 735-2989.
- 9th** Koolauloa Neighborhood Board Mtg., 7pm, Hauula Community Center, 527-5749.
- 10th** Hapa in Concert at Windward Mall, Center Court, 6 - 7pm.
- 11th** Fiji in Concert at Windward Mall, Center Court, 5 - 6pm.
- 11th** Alzheimer's Support Group 10 - 11:30 am, Kaneohe Community Family Center. Learn more about Alzheimer's and resources, 239-1552.
- 12th** Island Style Comedy A look back at the '80s with Frank Delima, Andy Bumatai, and Da Braddahs. Hosted by Kaleo Pilanca at Windward Mall, Center Court, 2 - 4pm.
- 14th** Windward Community Children's Council Monthly Meeting, 6 - 7:30pm, Windward Dept. of Health Conf. Rm. Open to all parents and guardians of special needs children. 586-5363.
- 15th** Grandparents Raising Grandchildren 9am, Queen Liliuokalani Children's Center. Call Bernie at 235-7613 for info. about this month's activities!
- 16th** Kaneohe Neighborhood Board Mtg., 7 pm at WCC, Akoakoa, Rm. 103 - 105
- 17th** Statehood/Admissions Day - Library closed
- 20th** Ohana Food Distribution, 3 - 4:30 pm at KEY Project, Kahaluu.
- 23rd** Kids Hurt Too, Healing Young Hearts Support Group, 6 - 8pm at Queen Liliuokalani Children's Center, Cynthia White, 735-2989.
- 24th - 9/16** "The Pajama Game" Directed by Ron Bright, coming to Paliku Theater at WCC, Aug. 24 - Sept. 16. The musical story deals with labor troubles in the Sleep-Tite Pajama factory, where worker demands for a "seven and a half cent" raise are going unheeded. Call for tickets 235-7310 or www.eTicketHawaii.com.

