



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.

The Cost of Back to School

A short summer break for our children in Hawaii's primary and secondary public schools means the lazy days of summer give way to the frenzy of back to school shopping all too soon.

School supplies and clothes may top off the shopping list, but there are other costs students in the J.B. Castle High Complex need to plan for:

School Lunch

Deposits to school lunch accounts should be made prior to the first day of school. Remember, student lunches will now cost \$1.25 for the first lunch and \$4.00 for the second lunch.

Uniforms and Physical Education Clothing

For elementary students, school t-shirts can be purchased for children to wear on school spirit days and excursions.

For King Intermediate, required t-shirt uniforms will be offered at a discount price during scheduled pick up days.

For King Intermediate and Castle High students, physical education clothes are required. Clothes are sold at the beginning of the semester the student is taking the class.

For Castle High, class spirit shirts and school logo wear are available for purchase to show their "Castle Pride."

Yearbook

For elementary students, order dates vary. For secondary students, yearbook orders are taken during the scheduled pick up days.

Class Dues for King Intermediate and Castle High

Class dues support activities specific to the student's grade level.

PTO and/or Ohana Membership and Fundraising

For all primary and secondary schools in the Castle Complex. Membership dues cost varies. They are optional and often nominal.

We encourage our Kaneohe community to join these organizations and participate in fundraising efforts which enhance your child's school with educational support and fun activities.

Student Athletic Book

Purchase an athletic book and support Castle High athletes while receiving a discounted price for sports events.

Project Graduation

Castle High seniors only. Offered during scheduled pick up days. Graduating seniors have an opportunity to attend a fun filled non-alcohol event, with their classmates.

Jean Fong, Kaneohe Community Family Center



Kaneohe Day on the Bay 2007!

"Drug-free in Diversity"

Saturday, July 28 10:00am - 3pm

Kokokahi YWCA

Family activities, petting zoo, kayaking and sailing, pony rides, craft fair, Xtreme Fun Rides and much more

Hosted by Cutty of "Cookin' with Cutty"

To volunteer or for more information, please contact the Kaneohe Community Family Center @ 235-7747.



Castle Complex Start Dates for School Year 2007-08

Ahuimanu Elem. July 31	Heeia Elem. July 31	King Intermediate 7 th grade orientation - July 31
Ben Parker Elem. July 31	Kahaluu Elem. August 1	All students - August 1
Castle High 9 th grade orientation July 31	Kaneohe Elem. July 31	Puohala Elem. July 31
All students -August 1	Kapunahala Elem. July 31	Waiahole Elem. July 31

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.hawaiiipirc.org>

Home Instruction for Parents of Preschool Youngsters (HIPPI)

<http://www.hippyusa.org>

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Family Center Services

•Family Support

Neighbor-2-Neighbor Youth Tobacco Prevention

•Kulana Nani

After School Program

ages 5 - 12

Teen Program

ages 12 - 17

Volunteer & Community Service Learning Opportunities

•Clerical and Program Support

•Special Event Child Care

Let freedom never perish in your hands. ~Joseph Addison

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Visitor

K.E.Y Project's



ALOHA AINA EARTH DAY

"2nd Annual Recycling and Community Clean up Project"

SATURDAY, JULY 7, 2007 • 8 AM – 2 PM

KAHALU'U REGIONAL PARK

47-200 WAIHE'E ROAD

Bring your recyclable items!

Proceeds will help to support KEY Project's youth and family programs

ACCEPTABLE ITEMS:

- scrap metal, pipes, metal appliances, car parts, bicycles, lawn mowers
- newspaper, cardboard, beverage containers (HI-5)
- green waste
- car batteries
- useable clothing & household items
- cellular phones, printer cartridges, computers: one per household/ one per car (no pick-up for this item)

For more info or to arrange July 7th curbside pick-up

Contact: **KEY Project (239-5777)** or **Rene Mansho (306-1876)**

"Conserving the Future by Recycling the Past"



(Resources and Early Access to Learning)
Free Parent and Child Classes



Fall Session:

August 6 - November 2, 2007

Kapunahala Elementary School

45-828 Anoi Road, Rm. A-1

Kaneohe, HI 96744

Register now...classes fill quickly.

For more information or to register, please call 233-5656.



JULY



6/29 thru 7/1 BayFest 2007 Entertainment, concerts, watersports, fireworks, Island Lifestyle Expo., carnival rides and more at Marine Corps Base Hawaii, Kaneohe Bay. For hours and more information, call the BayFest Hotline at 254-7679.

2nd Community Works in 96744 Mtg., 5 - 7pm at Queen Liliuokalani Children's Center. 235-7747.

4th Happy Fourth of July!



10th 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.

11th Oogle n Google Preschool Family Night, "Let's Go Camping," 6pm, Kaneohe Public Library, 233-5676.

Kahaluu Neighborhood Board Mtg., 7pm, KEY Project, 527-5749.

Selling and Buying on eBay. eBay basics offered by Windward Community College., 5:00-7:30p.m. Call 235-7433 to register

12th Koolauloa Neighborhood Board Mtg., 7pm, Hauula Community Center, 527-5749.

Kids Hurt Too, Healing Young Hearts Support Group, 6 - 8pm, Queen Liliuokalani Children's Center, 735-2989.

14th Alzheimer's Support Group 10 - 11:30 am, Kaneohe Community Family Center. Learn more about Alzheimer's and resources, 239-1552.

16th Ohana Food Distribution, 3 - 4:30 pm at KEY Project, Kahaluu.

18th Grandparents Raising Grandchildren 9am, Queen Liliuokalani Children's Center. Call Bernie at 235-7613 for info. about this month's activities!

19th Kaneohe Neighborhood Board Mtg., 7 pm at WCC, Akoaoka, Rm. 103 - 105

26th Kids Hurt Too, Healing Young Hearts Support Group, 6 - 8pm, Queen Liliuokalani Children's Center, Cynthia White, 735-2989.

28th Kaneohe Day on the Bay. Family fun at Kokokahi YWCA. 10:00a.m. - 3:00p.m. Call 235-7747 for more information.

This nation will remain the land of the free only so long as it is the home of the brave.

~Elmer Davis