

Ke Kula Ha`a Ha`a `o Kealakehe  
The Kealakehe Elementary School  
**WARRIOR**



**December 7, 2017**

**GLO for the Month - QUALITY PRODUCER**

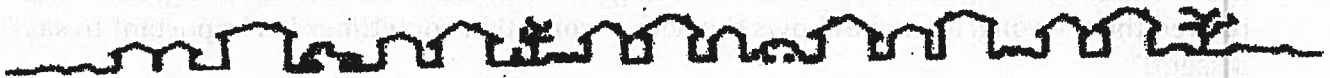
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**COME AND JOIN US TOMORROW**

**ARTS AND CULTURE FAMILY NIGHT - DECEMBER 8, 4:30 TO 6:30 PM**  
**Fabulous food! Great prizes!**

- ❖ Performances by our multi-cultural o'hana.
- ❖ Games from around the world
- ❖ Learn to play konane, learn origami,
- ❖ Make sushi
- ❖ A chance to submit a design for the yearbook cover,
- ❖ Admire the talented art work from our keiki.
- ❖ Make-it take it art

**BRING THE WHOLE FAMILY!**



**GLO FOR DECEMBER AND JANUARY - Quality Producer**

Kealakehe Elementary Ohana are becoming more familiar with the GLOs (General Learner Outcomes) every day. During December and January, we will focus on the Quality Producer who:

- Recognizes the elements of quality work.
- Understands the common core state standards and sets goals to meet them.
- Keeps track of progress and improves work to meet goals.
- Knows what needs to be done to meet the standards.

Teachers help keiki understand each GLO. An assembly will be held to recognize students who have consistently shown that they are quality producers. Your child's teacher will notify you about this event.

**KEALAKEHE ELEMENTARY PTO - KEALAKEHE PTO MEETS EVERY FRIDAY, 8:00 TO 8:30 AM IN FRONT OF THE LIBRARY. COME WHEN YOU CAN SO WE CAN START ORGANIZING TO SUPPORT OUR SCHOOL. CONTACT PARENT KELSIE WEHREN AT 430-2434 OR AT [KELSIE@TRUNKTRAINERSINC.COM](mailto:KELSIE@TRUNKTRAINERSINC.COM) OR POHAI KIRKLAND, PARENT COMMUNITY/BUSINESS INVOLVER AT (W) 313-7940, (C) 345-3148 OR (E) [POHAIKALANI@AOL.COM](mailto:POHAIKALANI@AOL.COM)**

**PTO T SHIRT SALE MAHALO - Your order has been placed. Shirts will be delivered on December 21. Thank you for your support.**

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**MORE STUDENT RESPONSE** for October Principal's Book of the Month, *When Pigasso Met Mootisse*. Students from Mrs. Fujisak's Grade 5 class rewrote part of author Nina Laden's story. Their complete response with art work is on the bulletin board outside of the library.

*"When Pigasso Met Mootisse Turning Point: Rewrite"*

Revisions are in capital letters.

The students' changed the original words from negative to positive connotations.

It started one day when Pigasso **COMPLIMENTED** one of Mootise's paintings. Then Mootise **SMILED AND SAID**, "THANK YOU, I REALLY LIKE YOUR PAINTINGS TOO."

Mootise call[ed] Pigasso an "ARTIST." Then Pigasso called Mootise' a "CREATIVE COW."

Mootise **EXCLAIMED**, "YOU PAINT LIKE YOU'VE BEEN PAINTIG FOR YEARS." Pigasso **KINDLY SNORTED**, 'You paint like a **WILD GENIUS**."

Mootise **CHEERED**, "Your colors look **SO BRIGHT!**" Pigasso **BLUSHED**, "Your paintings look **VERY UNIQUE**."

Then things got **AMAZING CRAZY**. **MOOTISE AND PIGASSO STARTED WORKING TOGETHER TO CREATE A MASTERPIECE THHAT THEY WOULD DONATE TO THE MUSEUM.**

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**PRINCIPAL'S BOOK OF THE MONTH** for **DECEMBER**: *I Dissent: Ruth Ginsburg Makes Her Mark*

Disagreeing does not necessarily make you disagreeable. Just ask Ruth Bader Ginsburg, the first Jewish woman on the US Supreme Court. When she was a young girl, lots of people told her she didn't have what it took to do the things she wanted to do, but she disagreed -- and proved them wrong. Now she shows the whole world that sometimes it's important to say "I dissent!"

The December Principal's Book of the Month, *I Dissent: Ruth Ginsburg Makes Her Mark* by Deby Levy, tells the story of a strong-willed Jewish girl who grew up to be a Supreme Court Justice who has made a difference for the citizens of the United States. Throughout her life, Ruth Bader remembered that her mother always told her that a girl could do anything. Ruth also remembered how it felt when her family was not welcomed in their neighborhood. During her law career, she disagreed and objected and begged to differ when inequity and injustice were evident. She is not afraid to make change happen. Ruth Bader Ginsberg is a hero.

Student work will be displayed on the bulletin board in front of the library and in the conference room after January 12, 2018.

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**BILLION MILES WINNERS FOR NOVEMBER - Sponsored by PTO**

Come and join us on Tuesday and Thursday on D field, 7:15 to 7:45 am.

<i>Kindergarten</i>	<i>Finley</i>	<i>356</i>
<i>Grade 1</i>	<i>Shearer/Reeves</i>	<i>492</i>
<i>Grade 2</i>	<i>Kaneshiro</i>	<i>802</i>
<i>Grade 3</i>	<i>Amoguis</i>	<i>900</i>
<i>Grade 4</i>	<i>Dadzie</i>	<i>593</i>
<i>Grade 5</i>	<i>Fujisaka</i>	<i>92</i>

Our Vision - Kealakehe Elementary School students are responsible, respectful learners who demonstrate effective communication and complex thinking. Students have the knowledge and skills to lead fulfilling lives in a diverse global community.

Our mission is to provide a quality education that meets the academic, social creative, emotional, and physical needs of all students in a safe and nurturing environment.