

KAMEHAMEHA SCHOOLS MAUI 1996-2021

celebrating
25 Years

**‘IMI NA‘AUAO
KŪLIA PONO &
KULEANA
PILINA**

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KU‘UPAU

Ku‘upau. It is at once a statement of who we are and a vision for who we will become. Pukui defines ku‘upau as using all of one’s might and strength; exerting oneself; to go to the limit; to release all checks and inhibitions.

School year 2020-2021 marks Kamehameha Schools Maui 25th year, and each of you contributed to this remarkable journey.

Click on the link to view [KSM 25th anniversary video](#)



ALUMNI CORNER



Micah Torricer (on the left) and Brenn Nakamitsu (on the right) are KSM latest staff alumni.

BRENN NAKAMITSU (c/o 2006)

Kamehameha Schools Maui Facility Technician

After High School, I attended BYU-Hawaii and graduated with a BA in Hawaiian Studies. I was hired full time at the university, handling AV and broadcast needs. When our second child was born, we decided to move back to Maui to be closer to family. I worked at Akakū a couple of years before finally joining KSM.

Being able to work in a pleasant environment that values the Hawaiian mindset and thinking was a motivating factor in returning to KSM. My experience has been different but great being back this time as a staff member. It's nice to see former kumu still teaching the current haumāna. I like being able to see students learn new things.

Some of my fondest memories of being a student at KSM are those when we would be together as a class, like Spirit Week's cheer competition, Boys' Cheerleading, and even practicing songs for Founder's Day and Song Fest.

MICAH TORRICER (c/o 2008)

Kamehameha Schools Maui Electrician

While attending KSM there was a very strong expectation to continue into a college program so I attended UH Hilo majoring in computer science. After one year in Hilo, I returned to Maui to attend UHMC and changed my major to electrical engineering. After successfully obtaining my associate's degree, I decided to look for a job. I had the opportunity to enter the electrical journeyman program, worked with WASA Electrical Service, Inc., completed the program and in 2019 was hired at KSM.

I live Upcountry and my previous role as a KSM student has made my return to campus very familiar, like coming home. As a student I felt the expectation to treat all kumu with respect, and in their presence, I always made sure that my shirt was tucked in and that I did the right things. My biggest surprise has been getting to know the kumu and realizing that they are super relaxed and chill individuals!

A favorite memory? I loved playing music, and there were many times that I spent my free time playing music in Mr. Nitta's room. There would usually be 10-12 of us in there just jamming and it was the best!



KSM ALUMNI VIRTUAL GATHERING

Monday November 9, 2020 at 6pm

Come and join Kamehameha Schools Maui's first virtual gathering for KSM Alumni.

Learn about KSM's new leadership team with Po'o Kula, Dr. Scott Parker, and Hope Po'o Kula, Kelly Dukelow.

There will also be a *SURPRISE* guest from your past.



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FOR THE WEEK OF**

**DRESS DAYS
TUES & WED (10/13 - 10/14)
THURS & FRI (10/15 - 10/16)**

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SENIOR PROJECT

We're seeking community volunteers to evaluate the Senior Project presentations for the graduating class of 2021.

This year's Hō'ike Nui will be online. Video presentations will be sent to panelists via email. Watch and evaluate Senior Projects the week of November 16 – 20.

PANELIST FEEDBACK DUE NOVEMBER 20, 2020


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COMMUNITY



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From greetings to 'ohana, weather, food, sports, etc... learn the basis to converse in 'olelo Hawai'i.

CALENDAR

Pauahi Week
 'okakopa 12 - 16
 Events posted on social media
 See page 3 for details

Alumni Virtual Gathering
 Nowemapa 9
 6:00 pm - 6:45 pm
 Invitation to be emailed

Hō'ike Nui Panel
 Nowemapa 16 - 20
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Founder's Day
 Kekemapa 18
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