

Pa'ahana
That's My Tradition



Waimea Middle School

Very Important!

LOCAL ADVISORY PANEL (LAP)

Family Self-Nominating Form (2019-'20 School Year)

When WMS became a public conversion charter school in June 2003, LAP became a very important part of school governance. LAP provides all stakeholders (families, faculty, staff and community) an opportunity to provide input, share concerns and support student learning. LAP is advisory and consists of 3 family members, 3 teachers, 2 classified staff, plus the school principal and community development director, Ho'okako'o Corporation staff and board members, and 5 community members. All representatives except community members are self-nominated and then an election is held by their respective stakeholder group. Once elected, these names will be forwarded by the Principal to Ho'okako'o Corp. for affirmation.

LAP meets monthly, generally on the third Tuesday from 4:30-6:30 p.m. The next meeting will be Tues., Aug. 20, 2019 in the new STEAM Learning Center Demonstration Lab (Z105). All are invited. All LAP meetings are open to everyone, and both meeting dates and agendas are posted in advance on the school website. All meetings provide an opportunity for interested parties to speak and bring up issues or concerns.

Family members are asked to consider nominating themselves. To read more about LAP, please see the school website. For more info, please call Principal Janice English (887-6090 Ext. 225), LAP Chair Jane Sherwood (896-0944), or Director of Community Development Patti Cook (937-2833).

I would like to nominate myself to serve on LAP:

Nickname if preferred: _____

Family Member's Complete Legal Name _____

Name(s) and Grade Level(s) of Student(s) at WMS: _____

WMS Student Name _____ Current Grade Level _____

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Home Phone _____ Work Phone _____ Cell Phone _____

Email (if available) _____

Occupation: _____ Employer: _____

Reason that you want to serve on the WMS LAP: _____

Signature _____ Date _____

Participation in LAP is voluntary but we do ask that, if self-nominated and elected, you commit to attending monthly meetings as frequently as possible. If you would like to nominate yourself, please fill out and ask your child to return this form to his/her Advisor or to the school office ASAP. The deadline to submit a nomination is Mon., August 26, 2019. An election will follow. *Mahalo!*

Advisory Teachers: Please place nomination forms in Patti Cook's box.