School Focus this month is SAFETY:
--Lincoln School will not be responsible for students being dropped off early in the morning. There is no adult supervision or early morning care available. Children should be dropped off starting at 7:15 a.m., when the cafeteria opens for breakfast.
--Parents are to pick-up their child/children promptly after school. Children should be picked up no later than 2:30 p.m. on Mon., Tues., Thurs. & Fri. and no later than 12:45 p.m. on Wednesdays. If you have any questions, please refer them to Admin.

SCHOOL DISMISSAL TIMES
Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, & Friday
Students are dismissed at 2:15 p.m.
Wednesdays Only
Students are dismissed at 12:30 p.m.

NO SCHOOL
Monday, September 7, 2015
Labor Day Holiday

***IMPORTANT***
FREE/REDUCED
MEAL APPLICATIONS
DUE BY:
Thursday, September 10, 2015

Parent Reminders:
- Required School Documents & Forms: If you have not already done so, please return all completed forms to your child's homeroom teacher as soon as possible. If you need another copy, please call or stop by the office.
- Parent/Family Handbook: Please read through the handbook to familiarize yourself with Lincoln School's policies, procedures, rules, programs & activities. If you have any questions, concerns or need clarification, please refer them to the office.
- Meal Tracker Deposit: Please make sure to keep track of your child's Meal Tracker account. Students have started to go into the negative. Tuesdays & Thursdays low balance letters go home. Drop off your payment to the office from 7:30 - 4:00 p.m.

Reporting an Absence
1. Please call Lincoln School in the morning by 9:00 a.m. at 587-4480 to explain the reason for your child's absence. If a call is not received by the school, you will receive an automated call starting at 9:30 a.m.
2. Please send a note to the office or your child's homeroom teacher when your child returns to school. If the absence is for 3 or more consecutive days, please send a doctor's note.
3. Parents may call to request their child's homework on the second day of absence.

Don't Forget Your ABC's
A...Attendance Increase
B...Behavior Decrease
C...Closing the Achievement Gap

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Vice Principal Corner...

Aloha! We are off to a great new school year! I want to thank all of you for helping to make the opening of school a wonderful success. All of the students are busy working and learning new things in their classrooms.

The theme this month is safety. We are still working on the traffic flow during morning drop off and afternoon pick-up. We ask that you please be patient as you enter campus with and for your child.

During morning drop off, please be sure to only let your child out of your vehicle on the curb (passenger side) so that JPOs can assist them to the side walk. We have had a few near misses with children getting out of vehicles on the driver’s side of the car while other cars are trying to pass. It is for your child’s safety that they only exit and enter the vehicle from the curb side.

Lincoln Elementary School has very limited parking. If you need to park to drop off or pick up your child, you will need to find street parking as our lot is full with faculty vehicles.

Please remember:

- Exit campus through the faculty parking lot
- Only allow your child to exit the vehicle on the curb side of the vehicle
- Please be patient with other drivers so we can get everyone out in a safe and orderly manner.

Mahalo!

Denise Spencer

Traffic Pattern:
News & Notes from the PCNC

By Ms. Lalo Ishiki-Kalahele, PCNC

Keeping in Touch: What parents thought about Open House

Open House is such a great way to start off the new school year! Not only do you get to meet Lincoln School’s staff and your child’s teacher, but you’re also provided with lots of valuable information. Here’s what some of our parents thought about Open House.

We asked Nina, mother of a Kindergartner and a 3rd grader, why she attended Open House. Nina said she came to get more information and also to take initiative and to be involved. She stated, “You can’t get involved if you’re not present.” We agree, Nina, and look forward to your involvement at Lincoln Elementary!

Tiffany, a new Lincoln parent and mother of one of our Kindergarteners, learned about the importance of attendance. She says the statistics on how absenteeism impacts education was surprising and recognizes how easy it is for a child to get 15 or more absences. (15 or more missed school days classifies your child as being chronically absent). We’re glad you came to Open House, Tiffany! That knowledge will help your child grow as a student.

Thank you all for coming to Open House!

PCNC News

Lincoln Elementary would like to educate not just our children but the whole family from the inside out. This September, we will start an exciting food education program for our families. You’ll be able to learn everything from food nutrition to budgeting and saving money. Along with the useful knowledge, classes will also include prizes, food demos and a budget box. Keep an eye out for the registration flyer because it’s FREE for our families. Each class will be different so save these dates and join us from 2:30 – 4:30 p.m. in room A3.

Thursday, September 17, 2015
Thursday, October 15, 2015
Thursday, November 19, 2015
Thursday, December 10, 2015
## September 2015
Lincoln Elementary School - Calendar of Events

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### Upcoming Events:
- OCT 2: End of 1st Quarter
- OCT 5 - 9 & 12: Fall Break, No School; Return to school on October 13
- OCT 16: 1st Quarter Assembly
- OCT 19 - 23, 26 - 27: Parent-Teacher Conferences
  - Change of dismissal times: Mon, Tue, Thur, Fri @ 1:15 p.m. / Wed @ 12:30 p.m.
- OCT 22: Field Trip - Grade 1: Lyon Arboretum
- OCT 30: Halloween Parade
- NOV 11: Veteran's Day Holiday - No School
- NOV 20: Flu Clinic
- NOV 26 - 27: Thanksgiving Holiday - No School

### **REMINDERS:**
- Field Trips - Please remind your child to wear covered shoes.
- Check your child's Meal Tracker account balance.
- Visit our school's website: [http://les.lincoln.k12.hu.us/](http://les.lincoln.k12.hu.us/)
# September 2015

**Lincoln Elementary School Breakfast & Lunch Menu**

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<td>Beef Stew Steamed Rice Mixed Fruits W.G. Cornbread</td>
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<td>BBQ Pork Patty on Bun Baked Beans Corn Diced Pears</td>
<td>Baked Chicken w/ Gravy, Rice, Broccoli Florets &amp; Carrots w/ Dip, Pineapple, W.G. Roll</td>
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<td>Beef Hot Dog in W.G. Bun Potato Rounds Baked Beans Veggie Sticks Apple Wedges</td>
<td>Chicken Nuggets on Shredded Cabbage, Rice, Mixed Green Salad w/ Dressing, Pineapple</td>
<td>Creole Macaroni Garden Salad w/ Dressing Sliced Peaches W.G. French Bread</td>
<td>Kalua Pork &amp; Cabbage Steamed Rice Lomi Tomatoes Pineapple W.G. Sweet Roll</td>
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<td>Crispy Nachos w/ Beef &amp; Beans Garden Salad Fruit Juice W.G. Cornbread</td>
<td>Teri Chicken Asian Noodles Egg Roll Tossed Salad Orange Wedges</td>
<td>Fish Nuggets w/ Sauce, Rice, Rainbow Salad w/ Dressing, Baked Beans, Pineapple</td>
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<td>Chicken Patty on Bun Lettuce Leaf Tomato Slice Oven Fries Orange Wedges</td>
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Menu Subject to Change

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