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ARTS AND CRAFTS

Celebrating the holidays with creativity, students in Arts and Crafts create Christmas letters and cards for family members and friends.





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PAINTING

Encouraging creativity, patience and self-expression, students in Painting class work on painting their favorite holiday characters.





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COOKING

Promoting independence, Cooking class students follow a recipe and make and decorate festive Christmas cookies.





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Cooking students got into the holiday spirit, using cookie cutters for their holiday cookies and decorating them with festive-colored icing and sprinkles, before gifting them to someone special.





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BASKETBALL



Basketball students continue to work on their skills practicing quick drives to the basket and making their shots.





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Basketball students learn to communicate with each other through a variety of drills and activities encouraging teamwork.



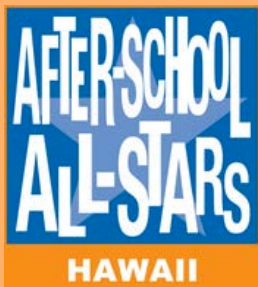


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VOLLEYBALL

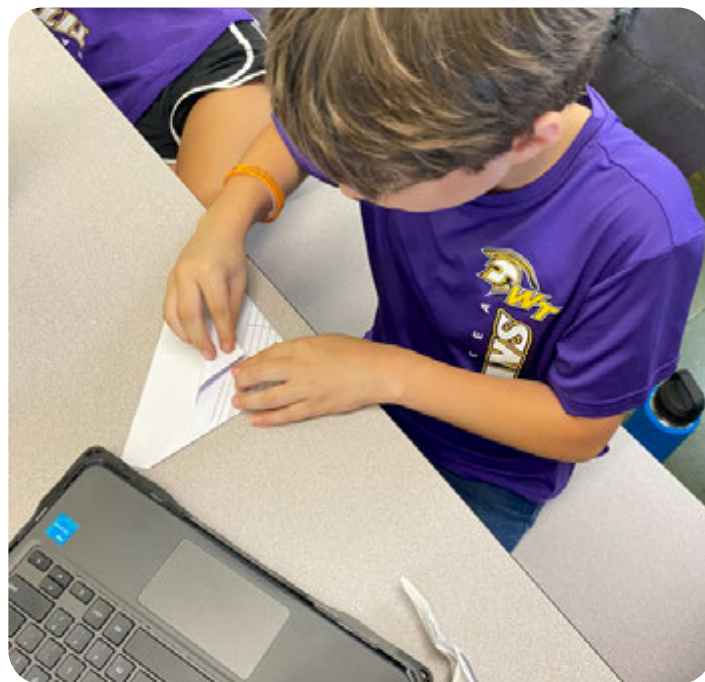
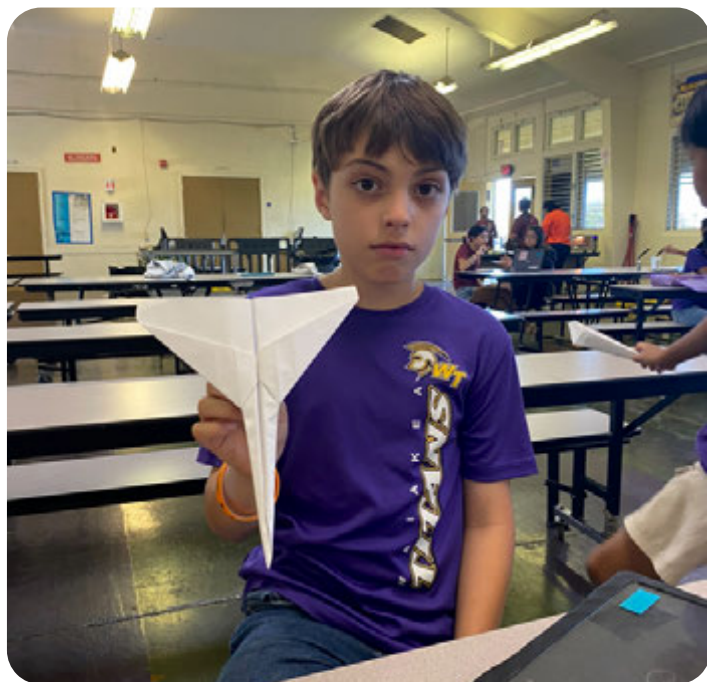
Students in Volleyball class continue to work on their skills on the court including blocking, setting, and spiking.





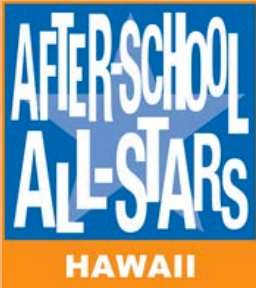
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STEM



STEM students took learning to the air as they challenged one another to design paper airplanes and test them for distance and flight time.





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STEM class All-Stars explore science through a tasty hands-on experiment by creating DNA strands from Twizzlers and marshmallows.





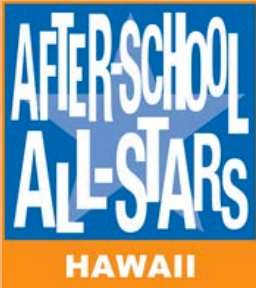
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TOBACCO AND VAPE PREVENTION



Waiākea All-Stars completed their Tobacco and Vape Prevention curriculum with a meaningful final project. Students created vape prevention posters, pledged to help keep their campus vape-free, and came together to sign a group poster showing their commitment to healthy choices.



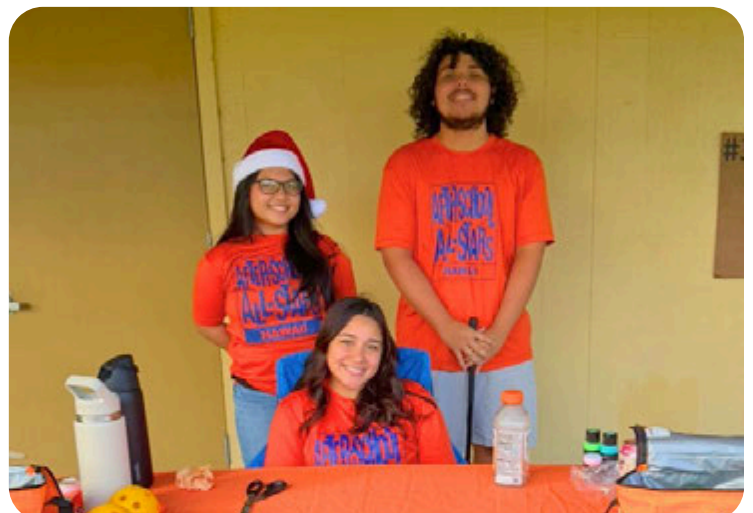


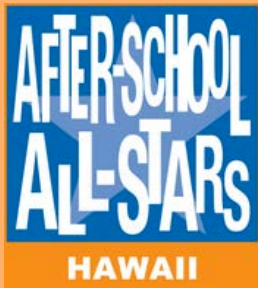
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BUCKET GOLF CHALLENGE



Waiākea All-Stars participated in the school's Bucket Golf Challenge which invited families and community members to golf at various "holes" created by staff and students on campus.



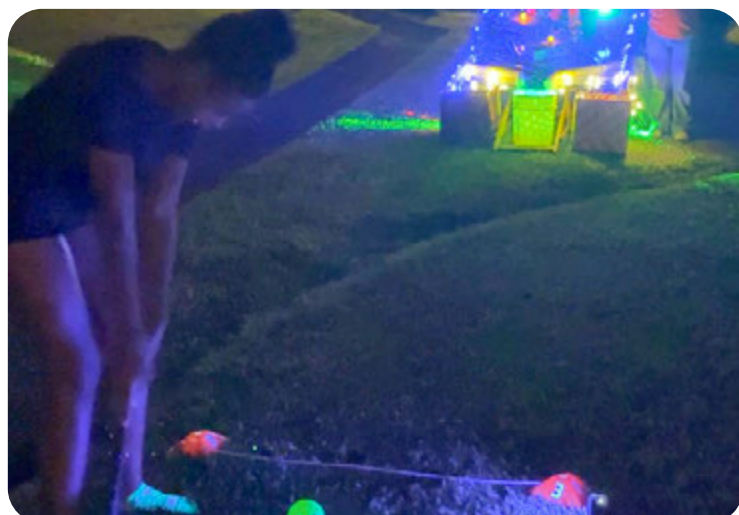


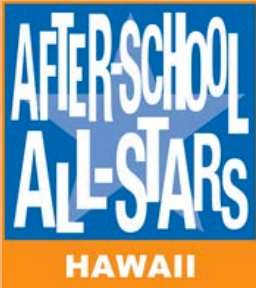
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Waiākea All-Stars lit up the night with their golf hole themed as a festive holiday pin-ball machine.





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Families, school staff, and students joined After-School All-Stars at the Q2 Holiday Hō'ike in the playcourt for a night of food, games and student accomplishments.





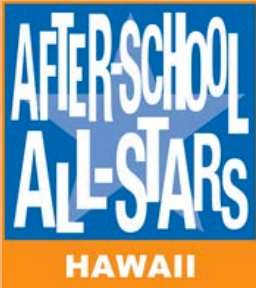
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Participants received a free meal and joined staff members at their interactive booths to win raffle tickets.





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Each booth represented a class that is offered during the program, including STEM, Arts and Crafts, Volleyball, Basketball, and Painting.





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At each interactive booth, parents and students were greeted with appreciation, joy and excitement.





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Students received awards for being an outstanding student, representing what it means to be an All-Star.





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Family involvement and participation is encouraged at Hō'ike to celebrate their students.

Students and families won fantastic prizes using the raffle tickets they won at each booth. Mahalo families for a fun night.





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Parents at the Hō'ike learned about tobacco and vape prevention and showed their support by creating posters and signing the group poster made by students, committing together to healthy choices.

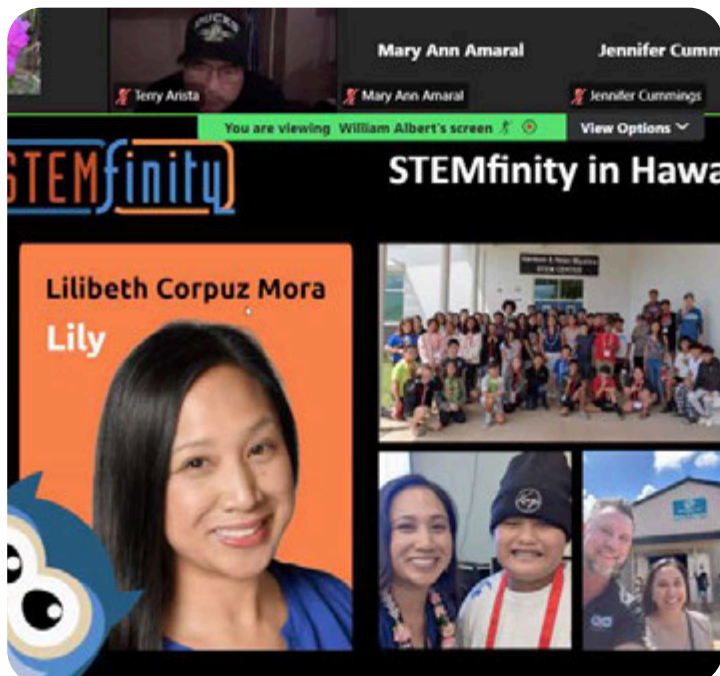




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STEMFINITY WEBINAR

After-School All-Stars joined the Hawai'i Afterschool Alliance and StemFinity to learn about STEM projects that can be incorporated into program.





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ADVISORY BOARD MEETING

Students, parents, and school administrators joined Waiākea All-Stars staff for an Advisory Board meeting to explore new possibilities for the program and celebrate student successes from throughout the semester.





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QUARTER TWO YOUTH ADVISORY BOARD MEETING

Youth Advisory Board members from All-Stars programs from across the state met virtually to talk about and share ideas for improving the program. Students played a fun round of “Shark Tank” to practice their public speaking skills. They pitched creative ideas, explained their plans with confidence, and learned how to answer questions on the spot. It was an engaging way to build communication skills and boost their confidence.

