



## **UHHSA SENATE REPORTS**

NAME: Executive Senator C. Miki'ala Akiona

RPT TYPE: Intercollegiate Athletic Advisory Council Report

SENATE MEETING: 09-013

DAY OF WEEK: Friday

DATE: September 25, 2009

IAAC Meeting: Monday, September 21, 2009; 4:30-5:40p

- 1) An Advisory Council is a group mandated by the NCAA to advise the Athletics Department. Council members will assist Dexter Irvin, Director of Athletics, to 'fit into the community' as well as guide him in moving Athletics forward.
- 2) "All Sports Passes" were given out to encourage support of our Athletic events; this will help student-athletes as well as Athletics coaches and staff to get to know our council members.
- 3) New Logo Presentation by Susan Yugawa of UHH Graphics:
  - Official Colors = Red and Black → Consistency in uniforms
  - Final designs and how logo will be used
    - Fire & Sail/Double H (Hawai'i-Hilo)
  - Obtain final UHH approvals → Licensing and patent process
  - Unveiling and marketing – target date January 2010
- 4) Projects to be worked on:
  - New website
  - Student Athletic Drug, Alcohol and Conduct Policy being revamped
  - New ticketing policy soon to be finalized
  - Administrative change in depositing of revenues
  - How Athletics may continue Men's Tennis and Women's Golf programs
  - Restructure Athletics organizational chart
    - Identify proper responsibilities for appropriate offices/personnel
  - New camp policy to meet Guidelines of NCAA
  - Institutional Self Study Guide (NCAA report) due 6/01/10
    - Required every 5 years
  - Booster clubs – pull resources together; reestablish ties in the community
- 5) Quarterly meetings = Next mtg. on Monday, December 7 at 4:30p in UCB127

Hui Ka Ua Reception: Wednesday, September 23, 2009; 5-7p

Hui Ka Ua, a non-profit organization designed to support UH-Hilo and Hawaii Community College, hosted an official welcome reception for the new Athletic Director and his 'ohana. Also present were administrative faculty, Athletic Department staff, and numerous supporters of UHH Athletics. Many were impressed to see UHHSA representation.