



Hawaii Association of School Psychologist School Psychology Awareness Week Activities

November 14-18 2010

In collaboration with the National Association of School Psychologists' School Psychology Awareness Week, HASP is coordinating a number of activities to promote the practice of school psychology in Hawaii and our goal of helping Hawaii's Keiki and their Ohana succeed at school, at home and in life.

- **November 14 *Post this Year's S.P.A.W Poster***
 - Post this year's poster at your schools where it is visible to parents and students
 - The poster is enclosed in the October issue of *Communiqué*
 - Download [8½ × 11 PDF](#) versions here.

- **November 15 *Meet a Principal Day***
 - Meet with a principal to discuss the "NASP practice model" and let them know how we can be an asset to their school
 - Download the [NASP Practice Model Overview brochure](#) (PDF)

- **November 16 *Meet a Parent Day***
 - Meet with a parent or parent group.
 - Let them know what we do and how we help students and families

- **November 17 *Raise your visibility with local policy makers on "Capitol Hill Day"***
 - We are encouraging all of our members to schedule a meeting with local state legislator to discuss your services. Resources on how to schedule this meeting as well as talking points for this meeting are attached below.
 - There will be a proclamation specifically designating School Psychology Awareness Week and recognizing the important role the profession plays in children's education and development. Time and place of the signing ceremony to be announced.
 - HASP Social 5:00pm @ Murphy's (2 Merchant Street)
We will be gathering to celebrate school psychology awareness week and meet with colleges to discuss our experiences meeting with legislators.

- **November 18 *Advocacy in Action***
 - We are encouraging all HASP Members to log on to <http://www.nasponline.org/advocacy/index.aspx> and take some sort of action.
 - Write a letter to a policy maker.
 - Read a NASP Policy Brief
 - Join an Advocacy Committee

Take the challenge to raise awareness of the practice of school psychology so we can help Hawaii's Keiki and their Ohana succeed at school, at home and in life.