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The St. Andrew's Schools and Aloha Council, Boy Scouts of America Present a Free Screening of "Raising Cain: Protecting the Emotional Life of Boys"

Friday, December 11, 2015, 6:00 PM

Kaka`ako Agora

(Honolulu, HI) The St. Andrew's Schools kicks off its new film and discussion series by partnering with Aloha Council, Boy Scouts of America to present "Raising Cain: Protecting the Emotional Life of Boys". This screening is free and open to the public. The film's perspective on the challenges boys and young men face today is especially relevant to parents and educators.

Rob Bracco, reviewer for Amazon.com says, "...If society and the school system stay on their current path, the boys of America are headed for trouble. The lack of positive "father figures" in most American homes, the removal of physical education and recess in schools, a school system geared more toward girls' educational development, and the emotional confusion many boys face when growing up with without any adult male guidance are all contributing factors to American boys' decline in classroom performance, rise in violent outbreaks, and inability to communicate inner feelings. This excellent documentary is a real eye-opener and

does an effective job pointing out the issues many parents do not feel comfortable talking about, nor understand how to address.”

During the event, educational experts will be on hand to participate in informal conversations with audience members. Speakers and honored guests include:

Jeff Sulzbach, CEO of Aloha Council, Boy Scouts of America

Sophie Halliday, Director of Studies at The St. Andrew’s Schools

Paul Burgess, Director of St. Andrew’s Preparatory School for Boys

Robert Landau, Executive Director of Hawaii Association of Independent Schools

Dr. Ruth Fletcher, Dean of Professional Programs at Punahou School

Paul Singer, Head of School at Assets School

Sandy Theunick, Head of School at The St. Andrew’s Schools

Light refreshments provided. Tickets required. Go to <http://raisingcain.eventbrite.com> to reserve a seat.

What: Screening of “Raising Cain: Protecting the Emotional Life of Boys” (120 mins.)

When: Friday, December 11, 2015

Where: Kaka`ako Agora, 441 Cooke Street

Cost: Free

Who: Public, parents and educators

Parking: Free street parking

Time: 6:00 PM

RSVP: Visit <http://raisingcain.eventbrite.com>

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