

Feral Chicken Updates:

The feral chickens on campus continue to be **trouble** for Kuhio School.

We ask for the community's help in controlling the population, however individuals in the community are either driving into the parking area or walking on campus to feed the chickens. This must stop! Feeding causes problems:

- Increase the number of chickens on campus
- Causing chickens to see humans as sources of food and rushing up to people (can be dangerous for our young students)
- Increasing numbers of holes on campus grounds because chickens dig holes in the ground and around the plants to look for food - students are not able to play freely due to the risk of injuries
- Increased sanitation risks as chickens nest and poop all over our campus grounds
- Increased disturbances to our neighbors - roosters crowing, chickens wandering throughout the school campus, including buildings and the neighborhood

DO NOT FEED THE CHICKENS!

We will be working with a company to trap and relocate as many chickens as we can. We ask that when you see these traps you leave them alone. The chickens will be handled humanely.

Unfortunately, it has become evident that we cannot completely eliminate the chickens, however, with community support we can manage the population, and minimize the problems.

We thank you for your cooperation!

