

THE WEEK AHEAD

Week of February 8, 2014 – February 14, 2014

African-American History Month takes place February 1 – February 28.

Friday, February 14 - There will be no school due to districtwide professional development. District offices will be open.

Saturday, February 8 - Brian & Teri Cram Middle School will hold a Parent Advisory Committee meeting at 9 a.m. Continental breakfast will be provided. The meeting will feature a discussion of Cram's school performance plan. The community will have an opportunity to ask questions and discuss any concerns with the principal. For more information, call (702) 799-7020.

Saturday, February 8 - First and fourth grade students at Neil C. Twitchell Elementary School will take part in a Valentine's Day craft activity with the residents of Del Mar Gardens Nursing Home on Saturday, Feb. 8, 2014, from 10 - 10:30 a.m. First grade teacher Amy Field said, "We want to do a community service project in order to further teach our students about every day acts of kindness." For more information, call (702) 799-6860, ext. 3056.

Monday, February 10 - Trustee Deanna Wright will hold a District A community engagement meeting at Burkholder Middle School, located at 355 W. Van Wagenen, Henderson. The meeting will begin at 10:30 a.m.

Tuesday, February 11 - This week's "Inside Education" will focus on how CCSD plans to cope with increased student enrollment. Also featured will be a segment on the Las Vegas Metropolitan Police Department's Explorer program. "Inside Education" airs every Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. on Vegas PBS, channel 10. It is the only weekly TV show that focuses on CCSD and public education in southern Nevada.

Wednesday, February 12 - The District F parent meeting with Trustee Carolyn Edwards will be held at 9:30 a.m. in the Grant Sawyer Middle School library, located at 5450 Redwood St., Las Vegas.

Thursday, February 13 - The Board of School Trustees will hold a regular meeting, beginning at 4 p.m., in the Edward A. Greer Education Center board room, located at 2832 E. Flamingo Rd., Las Vegas. To view the agenda visit <http://www.ccsd.net/trustees/pdf/agendas/02-13-14-rbm-agenda-pdf>.

Reminders/Awards/Honors –

The regional FCCLA competition was held at Southwest Career & Technical Academy on Feb. 1, 2014. East CTA Culinary Arts Program seniors Daidre Gamboa and Edwin Martinez, along with junior Irving Leyva-Garcia, participated in the individual hot foods competition. Each student was given 90 minutes to prepare up to seven dishes, and each dish was tested by a panel of seven experts. The meals were judged based on their use of ingredients, taste, texture, presentation, student work habits and correct temperature. After much deliberation, it was announced that Gambo won first place.