

Chesterfield Times

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NEXT MEETING- MARCH 17, 2009

You are cordially invited to attend our next meeting on Tuesday, March 17, 2009, 6:30 p.m. at Tuley Park Field House, 90th & King Drive. Our special guest will be Barbara Holt, District Director, U.S. Representative Bobby Rush Office. Ms. Holt will focus on the "Economic Stimulus and YOU ". This is an opportunity for you and your neighbors understand the effects of this recent legislation on the small business community, seniors, college students, unemployed and homeowners. All are welcomed

HOME EXPO ON APRIL 11: HOME REPAIR PROGRAMS, FORECLOSURE PREVENTION ASSISTANCE, HOMEBUYER PROGRAMS, DEMONSTRATIONS AND MORE

CCC will host our annual "Home Expo" on Saturday, April 11, 10:00 a.m. at Tuley Park Field house, 90th & King Drive. Come and meet Representatives from Homeowners Assistance Programs (foreclosure prevention, utility bills assistance, credit counseling, home repair & more), Homebuyer Programs, Demonstrations, Contractors and a lot more. Former Chesterfield resident Judge Lewis Nixon will conduct a workshop on Foreclosure Prevention. This event is FREE and open to the public.

ACT PROGRAM – A BIG HIT

Approximately twenty-nine (29) students participate in our program. The majority of students improved their scores in reading, math, English & science. Two examples are listed below:

Student A – Pre-Test Scores – Math (7) Reading (16) English (35) Science (11)
Post Test Scores- Math (26) Reading (24) English (60) Science (25)

Student B - Pre-Test Scores- Math (19) Reading (12) English (37) Science (17)
Post Test Scores- Math (28) Reading (25) English (48) Science (19)

Kudos' to our Project Manager Lillian Taylor and our Instructors Tiffany Braxton, Indira Culmback, Collin Millhouse, Jr. & Juan Thomas

CCC AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM FOR GRADES 3rd -8th

CCC in conjunction with St. Mark Lutheran Church will initiate an *After-School Homework Center* starting March 18, 2009 and ending May 30, 2009. Students will receive tutoring in reading, writing and math. **THIS IS NOT A BABY SITTING SERVICE.** For more information: 773-651-3958.

SUMMER JOBS PROGRAM

The city of Chicago is currently accepting applications for *summer jobs for young people ages 14-21*. To fill out an application, simply log on to www.youthreadychicago.org. For more information call 877-587-WORK. Application deadline: **MAY 29th**

OUR NEXT BIG FIGHT: CHICAGO PARK DISTRICT

CCC has sent a protest letter regarding CPD charging fees for community related meetings and events. Our next step is to attend the April 8 CPD Board Meeting. This meeting will be held on Wednesday, April 8, 4:00 p.m. at CPD Headquarters, 541 North Fairbanks. We need YOU to join us. If you are able to attend please contact our office at 773-651-3958.

RE-ISSUE FAMILY DOLLAR ISSUE

CCC SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

CCC is currently distributing applications for our *Scholarship Program* at our monthly meetings. Applications **will not** be mailed to applicants. The deadline is July 1.

SAVE THESE DATES IN 2009

April 11, – Home Expo @ Tuley Park
May 30, – Frank Grego Health & Wellness Fair
September 19 – Silas Purnell College Expo