

Savannah-Chatham County Public School System

Coming Soon

To A School Near You.....

June 8, 2009

District Events

Summer School and Credit Recovery Program

SCCPSS will offer a Summer School 1st Time Credit and Credit Recovery Program at Groves High School to provide students in grades 9-12 with the opportunity to complete missing credits and achieve academic success. Pre-Registration will take place June 8-10, 2009 at the Savannah Arts Academy from 2:00 to 5:00 p.m. Registration will be held June 18 and 19 at Groves High School from 8:00 a.m. to noon and 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. For more information, contact Dr. Angie Lewis at (912) 201-5000.

2009 SCCPSS Commencement Schedule

SCCPSS will hold its 2009 Commencement Ceremonies beginning Friday, June 12 through Tuesday, June 16, 2009. They will all take place at the Savannah Civic Center with the schedule as follows:

Savannah Arts Academy	Friday, June 12, 2009	4:00 p.m.
Jenkins High School	Monday, June 15, 2009	10:00 a.m.
Savannah High School	Monday, June 15, 2009	1:30 p.m.
Groves High School	Monday, June 15, 2009	5:00 p.m.
Windsor Forest High School	Tuesday, June 16, 2009	10:00 a.m.
Johnson High School	Tuesday, June 16, 2009	1:30 p.m.
Beach High School	Tuesday, June 16, 2009	5:00 p.m.

Doors will open one hour prior to the beginning of each ceremony. For family members and friends unable to attend, the graduations will also be webcasted through a partnership between the school district and the Savannah Morning News. To access the link, log on to www.sccpss.com and click on the video tab.

Board Workshop & Accountability Committee Meeting

The SCCPSS School Board will hold a Board Workshop Wednesday, June 17, 2009, at 9:00 a.m. in the Jessie Collier DeLoach Board Room. An Accountability Committee Meeting will also be held following the Workshop. For more information, contact the Board Office at 395-5534.

Special Board Meeting

The SCCPSS School Board will hold a Special Board Meeting Wednesday, June 24, 2009, at 9:00 a.m. in the Jessie Collier DeLoach Board Room. The purpose of the meeting will be to adopt the FY 2010 budget and the recommended millage rate. For more information, contact the Board Office at 395-5534.



Family Fun Day

The 21st Century Community Learning Centers (CCLC) will sponsor Family Fun Day Friday, June 26, 2009 at Savannah High School. The event will last from 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. and will feature food, prizes, basketball tournaments and clinics, chess tournaments, a poetry slam and more. For more information, contact Aldric Dekle, Project Director, 21st CCLC, at 395-5686.

School Events

Painted Ties Sale at Beach High School

Looking for a special gift for dad this Father's Day? Mr. Daniel Bonnell, a Beach High School art teacher, is selling hand painted ties to help fund a field trip to the Telfair Museum for his students. Sixty ties, each with a unique design, are available for \$5 apiece. For more information, contact the school at 395-5330.

Pooler Elementary Hosts ADA Kiss-a-Pig Campaign Events

Pooler Elementary School will show their support for the American Diabetes Association's Kiss-a-Pig Campaign by participating in various activities from now until the end of the school year. The tentative remaining schedule is as follows:

Tuesday, June 9 - "ADA Pooler Idol" - Faculty/staff members will perform their favorite acts for students beginning at 2:30 p.m.

Friday, June 12 - "ADA Popsicle Day" - Students will help beat the heat by enjoying refreshing popsicles.

For more information on any of these events, contact the school at 748-3625.

Cheerleading Clinic at Jenkins High

The Jenkins High School Cheerleaders will host a Cheerleading Clinic fundraiser Saturday, June 13, 2009. The event is open to students ages 4 to 14 and lasts from 8:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. in the school's gym. A performance featuring the participants will also take place from 3:15 to 4:00 p.m. Registration will be held from 7:30 to 8:00 a.m. Forms are available at the school in advance or the day of the event and must be signed by the student's parent or guardian. The cost of the clinic is \$25 and includes lunch and two snacks. For more information, contact Shennel Reedy at 303-6300.

Savannah High Hosts Basketball Camp

The 12th Annual Hoop School Basketball Camp will be held June 22-26, 2009 at Savannah High School. The event is for boys and girls ages 6-14 and will help teach fundamental drills, conditioning, ball handling, fast breaks, post moves, defending, rebounding and passing. The cost of the camp is \$95 for each participant. Campers are also required to bring a lunch or purchase food and drinks from concessions. For more information contact: SHS Men's Basketball Coach, Tim Jordan at 201-5091, Coach George Johnson at 507-8573 or Coach Bakari Bryant at 596-1527.



Community Events

Fresh Local Produce Available at Forsyth Farmers' Market

The Savannah Local Food Collaborative (SLFC) is partnering with the Coastal Health District, Step-Up Savannah, the City of Savannah and Healthy Savannah to provide a seasonal farmers' market at the south end of Forsyth Park. The Forsyth Farmers' Market (FFM) will be held every Saturday, from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m., now through November 21, 2009. The FFM has joined forces with the two year old Starland Farmers Market and will be the new home for those food vendors. The program will offer regionally grown, fresh food and food products sold by the producers. A pavilion will also be set up on the second Saturday of each month, featuring free health, nutrition and gardening lectures/workshops. For more information, contact Kristin Russell, Savannah Local Food Collaborative, at 220-8757.

SCCPSS Employee Appreciation Picnic

Omega Psi Phi Fraternity Incorporated, Mu Phi Chapter and the Chatham Association of Educators will present the third annual Savannah-Chatham County Public School System Employee Appreciation Picnic Thursday, June 18, 2009. It will be held from 4:00 to 8:00 p.m. at Tom Triplett Park/Pavilion, located on Highway 80 East in Pooler. The event is free, but those interested in attending are asked to RSVP by Friday, June 12, 2009 via email to omegapicnic09@hotmail.com. For more information, contact 665-1681 or 844-2578.

Parent University Graduation Ceremony

Parent University will hold a Graduation Ceremony Thursday, June 18, 2009. The event begins at 6:00 p.m. and will be held at the Eckberg Auditorium on the White Bluff Avenue Campus of Savannah Technical College. All graduates will be contacted by phone or mail and should arrive no later than 5:15 p.m. Parent University teachers, facilitators, volunteers, staff and special guests are also encouraged to attend. These persons are also asked to RSVP to Michael O'Neal at 507-8566.

Grand Opening for St. Pius Facility

The Little Red School House No. 2 Youth Futures Authority St. Pius Family Resource Center will hold its Grand Opening Wednesday, June 24, 2009. The event begins at 2:00 p.m. at St. Pius Family Resource Center at 705 East Anderson Street.

YFACE Offers Youth Leadership Council Classes

Youth For A Cleaner Environment (YFACE) in partnership with Toastmasters # 405 will hold summer sessions of Youth Leadership Council Classes. The program consists of eight sessions (July 8, 15, 22, 29, August 5, 12, 19 and 27) and will be held from 7:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. at Memorial University Medical Center in Conference Room C. The sessions are free, but only available to the first 25 individuals who register. The program is open to students ages 4-18. For more information, contact Janice Banks James at 897-0311, (770) 283-7591 or e-mail her at yface2000@yahoo.com.

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