



THE TUESDAY

11/23/10

# TYLER *Times*

**PLEASE SHARE WITH YOUR PARENT OR GUARDIAN**

## UPCOMING EVENTS

### NOVEMBER 25-26

SCHOOL CLOSED Thanksgiving

### MONDAY, NOVEMBER 29

Spanish Immersion Meeting · 4pm

### TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 30

Dine out at Fusion Grill · 5-8pm

### WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 8

PTA Executive Board Meeting, 6pm  
*Please Rsvp to tylerpta@hotmail.com*

### TUESDAY, DECEMBER 14

Open House · 9-11am

### TUESDAY, DECEMBER 14

Teatro De La Luna Performance

## What's up at Tyler: Principal's Update

Hello! We just completed the first advisory and you should be receiving report cards from your students' teachers. We are seeing progress at Tyler, and continue to move forward with our priorities: literacy, collaboration horizontally and vertically, and making data based decisions.

Whether your student is in the Autism, Spanish Immersion, Arts Integration education or Headstart programs, you should be learning about their academic status and progress. Teachers have worked hard this first marking period and set high academic expectations for all of our students.

If you have any questions about the reports you receive, feel free to reach out to the teachers or to the administration.

We are also experiencing some success on the modernization front. While some things are not quite done, we see progress every day. We are eternally grateful for your continued support.

Mark your calendar for two upcoming events: Spanish Immersion meeting to update interested parents on the program status—November 29th at 4:00pm in the Music Room; and an Open House on December 14th from 9:00-11:00 when we will be show-casing our programs to prospective parents. An Arts Integration experience with Teatro de la Luna is planned.

## Arts Integration Update

Last week was a jam packed week for arts integration at Tyler. Ms. Sanker, Ms. Krystopowicz, Ms. Herrmann, Ms. Gladney and Ms. Gross' classes went to The Phillips Collection to see the Jacob Lawrence Migration Series as well as other amazing works of art. The students were introduced to the language of visual art; color, line, shape and mood. At the end of the visits the students got to create their own collages based on their moods. Ms. Irving and Ms. Dunn's classes will go to The Phillips on Tuesday, November 23. All of the trips are part of Tyler's involvement

in Art Links to Literature: Exploring Jacob Lawrence's Migration Series program. All Kindergarten through fifth grade classrooms will get to experience the Migration Series, take a trip to the Phillips and have their very own gallery opening at the museum! For more information please ask Ms. E (lauren.eskovitz@dc.gov) Mr. Hart's classes were busy with Singing A to Z last week and Mr. Holsey and Ms. Stephen's classes finished up their partnership with Dancing with Books. Remember to ask your students how they use the arts to learn!

## Please Use the Main Entrance Only

Please use the main entrance at the corner of 10th and G Streets, SE when entering and leaving the Early Education wing. The fire doors on the wing are intended for emergency evacuations and dismissal at the end of the day. These doors do not always close well, creating safety and security issues for students. Please do not use them for morning drop-off.

## Dine out at Fusion Grill

The next Tyler Dine Out is Tuesday, November 30th from 5-8pm at Fusion Grill on 8th Street. Please join us for kids' menus and fun with other Tyler families. The Tyler PTA receives 15% of all tabs, including take-out orders!

## SHOUT OUT:

**To the Tyler staff team that has been working in overdrive on Afterschool!  
To everyone in the Tyler family—have a safe and Happy Thanksgiving!**

