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MISSION STATEMENT: To provide all persons in The Bahamas an opportunity to receive an education that will equip them with the necessary knowledge, skills, beliefs and attitudes required for work and life in a democratic society guided by Christian values.

Upcoming Activities

- ▶ **15th June** - 10:00 a.m. A committee meeting of The Bahamas Reading Mentoring Programme will be held at the Ministry of Education, Thompson Blvd. in the Conference Room.
- ▶ **15th June** - 10:00 a.m. C.I. Gibson Sr. High School's graduation ceremony at Bahamas Faith Ministries International, Carmicheal Road.
- ▶ **15th June** - Minister of Education Hon. Carl Bethel will attend Commonwealth Conference in Malaysia.
- ▶ **16th June** 10:00 a.m. C. C. Sweeting Senior High School's graduation ceremony will be held at Holy Trinity Activity, Centre, Stapledon Garden.
- ▶ **16th June** 6:30 p.m. P.A.C.E Closing Out ceremony at National Performing Arts Theatre, Shirley Street.
- ▶ **18th June** 9:00 a.m. - Report Card Day at all Government Schools.

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▶ Contact Mrs. Cooper in Communications with information on upcoming events and activities. (Ph: 502-8576 or Fax: 356-0007). e-mail aletha_cooper@yahoo.com

STAFF INDEPENDENCE TRIVIA QUESTIONS

Look for Trivia questions for the next four weeks and fax your answers to: 356-0007

The Winners will be announced July 2nd, 2009

8. Who was the first woman in The Bahamas to register for jury duty?
9. What was the population of The Bahamas in 1970?
10. Whose house formerly stood on the site now occupied by the Super Club Breezes?
11. Where is Bird Rock?

E-mail answers to info@bahamaseducation.com

The winners will receive fabulous prizes!!

QUOTE OF THE WEEK

"Don't spend time beating on a wall, hoping to transform it into a door"-Dr. Laura Schlessinger.

PHOTOS OF THE WEEK



C. V. Bethel Senior High School's Technical students recently presented a car which they had repaired and refurbished over the past semester to the Department of Education. Photo by Aletha Cooper.

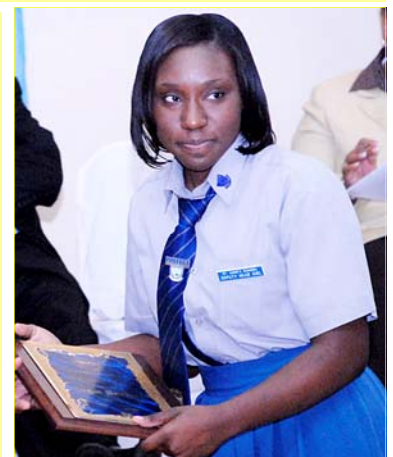


Dorothy Bryan celebrates another milestone (2nd left) with co-workers and family - Photo by Aletha Cooper.



Pictured receiving Templeton Foundation Essay Competition Awards are (2nd left) Justin Jack of South Andros High and Bernique Pinder, Crooked Island High School. Far left is Minister of Education, Hon. Carl Bethel and on the far right is Dr. John Templeton Photo by: Edgar Arnette.

The "Most Outstanding Student" Award was presented to Inga Bethel of St. Anne's School at the Technical Cadet Corps Graduation Ceremony 2009 - Photo by: Edgar Arnette.



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