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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

▶ **29th June** - 9:00 a.m. Opening of Summer Workshop 2009 — "Promoting Literacy Across the Curriculum" at Wyndham Resort and Crystal Palace Casino, Resorts, Cable Beach.

▶ **29th June** - 5:05 p.m. ZNS 1450 **As A Matter of Fact:** Guests 12th grade students, What does Independence mean? Hosted by John Burrows.

▶ **30th June** - 5:05 p.m. ZNS 1450 **As A Matter of Fact:** The Legacy of D. W. Davis. Guests Dr. Norman Gay, Donella Davis, hosted by John Burrows.

▶ **2nd July** - 5:05 p.m. ZNS 1450 **As A Matter of Fact:** Sir Arlington Butler, 1st Speaker in an Independent House of Assembly - The Transition from Colony to Independence, hosted by John Burrows.

▶ **3rd July** - 11:00 a.m. **Bahamian Day** at Learning Resources Section, Mackey Street.

[Tidbits can be downloaded at www.bahamaseducation.com](http://www.bahamaseducation.com)

▶ **Contact Mrs. Cooper in Communications with information on upcoming events and activities. (Ph: 502-8576 or Fax: 356-0007).**

PHOTOS OF THE WEEK



Sir George Alleyne (Chancellor of UWI) and Professor Howard Spencer make presentation to Honourable Carl Bethel. Photo by Aletha Cooper.



Preschool Unit sponsored a workshop at the Epiphany Anglican Church, Prince Charles Drive on Learning Centres in the Preschool. The facilitator was Ms. Gwen Philyawa. Pictured are some of the participants. Photo by Aletha Cooper.



100 Educators participate in an Industry Intern Workshop conducted at the Hotel Training Centre, Thompson Blvd. Photo by Edgar Arnette.

STAFF INDEPENDENCE TRIVIA QUESTIONS

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

The Winners will be announced July 6th, 2009

16. This Bahamian artist gained international recognition. He appeared at "Frolics Bergere" in Paris and at many other famous night clubs throughout the world. Name this famous personality
17. For what style of singing were the Andros sponge fishermen known?
18. He was the first Antiguan-Bahamian Anglican Bishop in an Independent Bahamas. What was his full name?
19. What was the first Bethel Baptist Church originally called?

[E-mail answers to info@bahamaseducation.com](mailto:info@bahamaseducation.com)

The winners will receive fabulous prizes!!

QUOTE OF THE WEEK

"A man can't ride your back unless it's bent." - Martin Luther King Jr.

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Indira Kelly, a proud graduate of BTVI holds her certificate in Office Administration. Held at Bahamas Faith Ministries International. Photo by Edgar Arnette.