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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

- ▶ **23rd - 27th March - Modern Language Awareness Week.**
- ▶ **23rd - 27th March** 10:00 a.m. - Modern Language Exhibition, ground floor of Ministry of Education Headquarters, Thompson Blvd.
- ▶ **23rd - March** 5:05 p.m. **As A Matter of Fact:** - Chefs from Keiser College, Fla. and winners of National Young Chefs Competition.
- ▶ **24th - March** 5:05 p.m. **As A Matter of Fact:** ADE Carnetta Ferguson - Reassignment, Transfers and Retirement of Educators 2009/10.
- ▶ **26th - March** 5:05 p.m. **As A Matter of Fact:** Richard Adderley Jr. and Hon. Charles Carter - The life story of Joseph Spence.
- ▶ **27th - March** 11:00 a.m. - **Culturama 2009** at St John's College Auditorium, Stapledon Garden.

"Literacy for Life" - Television Programme airs every Tuesday at 8:00 p.m. and Sunday at 3:30 p.m. on channel 11, ZNS.

PHOTOS OF THE WEEK



Administrators, Principals and Ministry staff attend a one day Crisis and Public Communications Workshop held in Freeport, Grand Bahama. Inset (far right) Chato Outten and (far left) Clint Watson — Photo: Edgar Arnette.



Exuma Principals pay courtesy call on Minister Carl Bethel - Photo by Aletha Cooper.



Minister Bethel (2nd left) and Archbishop Pinder (3rd left) tour Aquinas College's new site on Gladstone Road. - Photo by: Aletha Cooper.



Primary School Science Teachers exhibit students' work at Ministry of Education Headquarters, Thompson Blvd. - Photo: Edgar Arnette.



Pre-school Principals graduate from Grandfathering Programme. - Photo by: Edgar Arnette.

QUOTE OF THE WEEK

"Education's purpose is to replace an empty mind with an open one." - Malcolm Forbes.