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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.

EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES

- ▶ **20th February** - 10:00 a.m. - Minister Hon. T. Desmond Bannister visits the Cape Eleuthera Island School, Deep Creek, Eleuthera.
- ▶ **22nd February** - 8:30 a.m. School Lunch Vendors Training Workshop at T.A. Thompson Jr. High School (formerly C. C. Sweeting Jr.).
- ▶ **22nd February** - 5:05 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. - **As A Matter of Fact:** "Private Pre-School Directors." Guest SEO (Archer). Hosted by Mr. John Burrows.
- ▶ **22nd February** - 5:05 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. - **As A Matter of Fact:** "Grief and Death". Guest Rev. Angela Palacios. Hosted by Mr. John Burrows.
- ▶ **25th February** 10:00 a.m. The sixth graders of Cat Island Primary Schools, pay a courtesy call on Hon. T. Desmond Bannister, Minister of Education.

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

PHOTOS OF THE WEEK



Employees celebrate Valentine Day at the Ministry "Roses are red, violets are blue." Smiling faces - show love is still true. (Photo by Nadege Philippe and Aletha Cooper).



Ministry of Education hosted a Dialogue in Human Development Forum on Disaster Preparedness which was addressed by Captain Stephen Russell of NEMA (top inset) and Mr. Trevor Basden (below) of the Met Office. (Photo by Aletha Cooper).



Students of C. C. Sweeting Senior High School were addressed at their Honour Roll Awards Ceremony by a former student, Mr. Raymond Winder (inset). (Photo by: Aletha Cooper).



Hon. T. Desmond Bannister, Minister of Education (centre) and the Hon. Alvin Smith, Speaker of The House (second right) pose with administrators of the Spanish Wells All-Age School (Photo by Lisa Fitz -Charles).

QUOTE OF THE WEEK

"In prosperity, our friends know us; in adversity, we know our friends." - John Churton Collins.