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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

- ▶ **1st March** - 10:30 a.m. The Official Opening Ceremony of the Career and Technical Education Exposition at The Kendal Isaacs Gymnasium under the theme "Invest In Your Future"
- ▶ **1st March** - 5:05 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. - **As A Matter of Fact:** Sports in our High Schools. Guests SEO Keith Saunders and Mr. Alfred Forbes. Hosted by Mr. John Burrows.
- ▶ **2nd March**- 5:05 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. - **As A Matter of Fact:** Brass and Leather. Excellence in Education Awards. Guest DDE (Collins). Hosted by Mr. John Burrows.
- ▶ **3rd March** - 5:05 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. - **As A Matter of Fact:** Modern Languages. Guests SEO (Donella Davis) and Team. Hosted by Mr. John Burrows.
- ▶ **5th March** - 1:00 p.m. – Presentation of a Camera System for Palmdale Primary School, and Science Books for L.N. Coakley High School in the Conference Room at the Ministry of Education.

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PHOTOS OF THE WEEK



The United States Ambassador, Her Excellency, Nicole A. Avant (2nd right) paid a courtesy call on the Minister of Education Hon. T. Desmond Bannister (2nd left). Pictured far left is Permanent Secretary, Mrs. Elma Garraway, and at far right is Political Officer, U.S. Embassy Wendy Rejan, (Photo by Nadege Philippe).



The Bahamas Red Cross Centre for the Deaf conducted a "See - The Sound Visual Phonics Workshop" at the Superclubs Breezes Hotel, West Bay Street. (Photo by Edgar Arnett).

QUOTE OF THE WEEK

Few things are harder to put up with than the annoyance of a good example. - *Mark Twain (Samuel Langhorne Clemens)*



National Literacy Staff attend a workshop on "Communication and Application" at their headquarters on Farrington Road. Left Antonito Abraham instructor and standing (right) SEO (Annett Dorsett). (Photo by: Edgar Arnette)



Participants at the First Annual School Lunch Vendors and Tuckshop Operators Workshop held at the C. C. Sweeting Senior High School listened carefully to an address given by First Assistant Secretary, Ralph Bowe (inset). (Photo by Nadege Philippe).

Security Officers attending a General Meeting held at C. C. Sweeting Senior High School were issued a challenge to improve their services by the Minister of Education, Hon. T. Desmond Bannister (inset). (Photo by Nadege Philippe).

