



MONARCHS



McKinley Pride February 2018

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McKinley Uplifts Black History

by Dr. Ferrell

Learning about African American History is significant and important for our students. It helps them understand about the contributions Black people have made in our nation; how far we've come as a people and how to build a brighter and positive future. The knowledge and wisdom learned and gained from Black history lessons taught from teachers, read in books and shared from parents and grandparents, gives students of all races a deep sense of respect for the culture and contributions of African Americans in the United States. Students will participate in activities related to studying and focusing on struggles and achievements of African Americans throughout the month of February. To

culminate Black History Month, the Drama Club will host a Black History performance on February 22 at 1:45pm in the large gym.

McKinley Sweeps at District 205 Area Science Fair

Nilah Fultz, Tariq McLarty, and Aaron Bryant take first place at the TTTLP 6th Annual Science Fair at Thornwood High School on Saturday, February 3, 2018.



Holiday – No Classes
Presidents' Day
Monday, February 19

Father-Daughter Dance
Saturday, February 17

Black History Performance
Thursday, February 22

School Board Meeting
Monday, February 26

Math Bootcamp
Tuesday-Thursday.....3:15 – 4:15

Legos Club
Tuesday.....3:15 – 4:15

Tech Club
Wednesday.....3:15–4:15

Drama Club
Wednesday.....3:15–4:15

Girls Volleyball
Thursday, February 1 Heritage @ McKinley
Tuesday, February 6 Lincoln @ McKinley
Thursday, February 8 Wolcott @ McKinley
Tuesday, February 13 Schrum @ McKinley
Thursday, February 15 McKinley @ Wentworth
Tuesday, February 20 McKinley @ Heritage
Thursday, February 22 McKinley @ Lincoln

Lady Monarchs Volleyball

Tiesha Shepherd continued to put pressure on Lincoln Middle School with her fierce serves. She helped to lead the eighth-grade team to victory.



Distinguish Honor Roll

McKinley Monarch Distinguish Honor Roll students celebrate having straight A's with Principal Ferrell, Mr. Ingram and Ms. Perkins.



Boys Basketball

Coach Ingram and Coach Spesia lead the Boys Basketball Teams to regional championships. They fell short of making it to state this year. Let's see what they will do next year.



Math Bootcamp

This year's after-school Math Bootcamp is coming to an end. Special thanks to the instructors and substitute teachers. Our students will reap the benefit from your diligent work with them.



PARCC

Students will take the PARCC test in March. Teachers have been working with their students to teach and reinforce test taking skills and strategies. To prepare for PARCC outside of school hours, parents can assist by having their child complete PARCC practice test online via: <https://parcc.pearson.com/practice-tests/>



Students Studying

Twins value their time preparing for their upcoming test.



Snow Storm

Parents, teachers, staff, and students we made it through the snow storm. School was out on Friday, February 9 due to having experienced a record-breaking snowfall.

Apple of My Eye



Lady Monarchs invite your fathers to our annual **Father-Daughter Dance** on Saturday, February 17 from 4pm to 7pm.



VIP January 2018

Names of Students

Audrey Davis
Tenard Perry
Brooklyn Johnson
Sharee Turner-Rush
Melodia Eke
Justin Woodson
Matthew Hernandez
Nyazia Long
Hannah King
Caylan Guyton
Shaleah Turner – Rush
Shameah Turner- Rush
Juelz Vega
Jakya Dixon
Caliyah Williams
Jordan Anum
Jaylen Fenn
Samuel Townsend
Dariah Robinson-Bates
Kourtnae Holmes
Christian Hudson
Akiylah Ford
Austin Seeley-Williams
Asia Kennard
Devin Craig
Mikhi Bowens
Amari Williams
Jamiah Stennis
Nyla Hatley
Yarol Dewindt-Berroa
Jayden Perkins