

National African & African-American Parent Involvement Day

Orca K-8 School

It Takes A Village

It takes a village to raise a family. We believe parents are a vital part of their child's education and we value their input and active engagement.

Monday, February 13, 2017

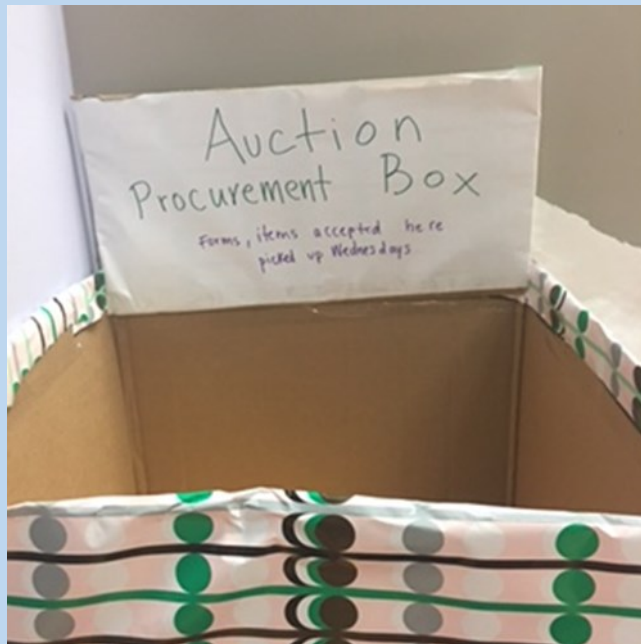
National African & African-American Parent Involvement Day is a day for parents to come to their child's school, see what their day is like and support their future educational goals by collaborating with educators and addressing the achievement gap. We want all of our parents here at Orca K-8 to feel empowered to invest in their child's education through collaborative efforts. All families with students of African descent are invited to join us as we celebrate you as parents and all the dedication you put into your children.

When & Where

Monday February 13, 2017 9:00 a.m-1:00 p.m.

Orca K-8 Room 310 and your child's classroom.

WHAT DOES THIS BOX REPRESENT? (located in the Main Office)



This box represents hope for our kids at Orca. PTSA is accepting donations for Orca's Annual Auction. The funds raised at the Orca Auction make many programs possible: *Garden Educator, We.app, Seward Park Audubon Program (K-8), Arts Corps...* to name a few.



Have a vacation getaway, concert, theater or sports tickets, restaurant gift cards or other experience you would be interested in donating to the Orca auction? Do you have a product or service you'd like to donate or are willing to ask a business to donate their support?

Contact our Procurement Chair Christina Gutierrez at [**christinacita@gmail.com**](mailto:christinacita@gmail.com)

Turn forms into PTSA box in main office

THE AMAZING MS. LILLIE RAINWATER!



Our amazing Ms. Lillie Rainwater is now serving in the role of *Extra Student Support*. One of her responsibilities will be to oversee our Learning Assistance Program (LAP) for students needing extra support in reading.

February 2017

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
			1	2	3	4 Orca Boys and Girls Basketball Game @ Franklin High School 10am
5	6	7	8 PTSA General Meeting @ Orca Childcare provided 7-8:30pm	9	10	11
12	13 African American Family Involvement Day Celebration 9-1	14	15	16 Environmental Science Night Orca 5:30—7:30pm	17	18
19	20 President's Day NO SCHOOL	21 Mid-Winter Break NO SCHOOL	22 Mid-Winter Break NO SCHOOL	23 Mid-Winter Break NO SCHOOL	24 Mid-Winter Break NO SCHOOL	25
26	27	28	1	2	3	4