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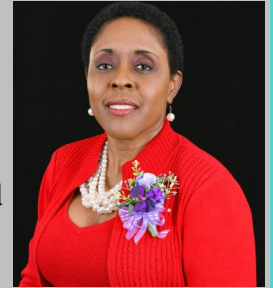
Quarterly Newsletter– April 2024 - 15th Edition
The Stellie J. Jackson Enrichment Center

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A Message from the Board Chair. . .

Dear SJJEC Supporters:

The SJJEC Board, Staff, and Students are incredibly grateful for our Circle of Friends who have donated to support the mission of the Stellie J. Jackson Enrichment Center. The Board and Staff seek to plan experiences that enrich students spiritually, emotionally, and academically. Your generous support helps provide enrichment opportunities and field trips for our afterschool and summer programs. We hope you will enjoy the photos from our events and field trips throughout the newsletter and on social media.



Dr. Dickey



During a January 2024 visit to the African American Cultural Museum at Loray Mills, SJJ students participated in a Zoom event with retired NASA scientist Dr. Lonnie Reid.

The SJJ staff helps students with reading and mathematics each afternoon, attempting to close below-grade-level gaps. In Clover School District, i-Ready is an online program used to measure student growth in reading and mathematics and provide students with a pathway of remediation and enrichment activities to help mitigate deficiencies. We are excited to report that on the most recent i-Ready diagnostic, SJJ students grew by an average of 37 points in reading and 27 points in mathematics. Great work, SJJEC students and staff!



We are grateful for your continued support of SJJEC. Please continue to keep us in your prayers that we may do those things that support and enrich the lives of our students.

Thank You!

We want to extend our heartfelt thank you to the student council at Clover High School and the team of faculty advisors, Carson Yukob, Michelene Rickey, and Lori Sowell for sponsoring a food drive to benefit the Stellie J. Jackson Enrichment Center.

Students were asked to collect and donate goldfish, honey buns, crackers, cookies, fruit snacks as well as juice boxes to be utilized at the center during snack time. The second block class that contributed the most items won a pizza party. As the pictures show, the students of CHS were extremely successful.

We are very grateful for the continued support from Clover High School.



Field Trips Are Fun

On April 21st students from the Center took a field trip to Bojangles Coliseum to see the world-famous Harlem Globetrotters play against the Washington Generals.

In the week leading up to the field trip, students were exposed to the history of the Globetrotters, the team's cultural significance and the team's commitment to being positive role models. Each day following snack time a video featuring a Globetrotters story helped to build the excitement and explain the why we were taking this trip.

We were fortunate to have an enthusiastic team of chaperones to share this experience. Mrs. Elizabeth Johnson, Dr. Millicent Dickey, Ms. Sherri Ciurlik and Mr. George Smith joined the students in cheering the Globetrotters in a 113 point victory over the Washington Generals.



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THE END-OF-YEAR SHOWCASE

Please join us at Clover Chapel United Methodist Church

405 Kings Mountain Street, Clover, SC

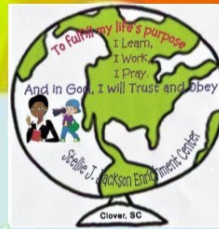
May 23, 5:00 p. m.

For A

Year-end Review

Of

Activities and Accomplishments



FREE

SUMMER CAMP

June 10th - July 17, 2024
(No Camp the week of the 4th)

Ages 5 years to 2nd Grade

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Our Activities
Reading Time* Art* Community
Building Activities* Devotional
Time* Field Trips* Music Time

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