

CLC HAPPENINGS!

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September is International Literacy Month

The Town of Morehead City Proclamation



for International Literacy Month was presented by Mayor Jerry Jones and received by Council President Maureen Wishousky on Tuesday, August 9th.

Thank you to Board Member Lucci McCullough who was also in attendance.

Here are some more celebratory events scheduled for the month.

Open house - Wednesday, September 6, 2017 - 11:00 a.m. to 12:00 - at the CLC office. The Carteret County Chamber of Commerce will do a ribbon cutting at 11:30 a.m. There will be food and refreshments; attendees are asked to bring a book to donate to our Newport HEADSTART program. The booklist for Headstart can be found here:

<u>Tutor Appreciation Luncheon</u> - Friday, September 15, 2017 - 12:00 noon Golden Corral, 4060 Arendell St., MHC.

<u>Volunteer Appreciation</u> - big red bus tour of Beaufort –Saturday, Sept. 30, 2017 - 3:00 p.m. Beaufort Historic Site, 130 Turner St., Beaufort.

Tutor Training will be offered again in August. Due to the high number of students waiting for our services, there is a great demand for more tutors. Please pass the word to your family, friends, church members or anyone that you feel would be interested. This is a 12- hour session spread out over four days. The cost is \$20 for materials and a year's membership in the Council.

The dates are August 22, 24, 29, 31st from 12:00 to 3:00pm each day and will be held at the Council offices at 4907 Bridges Street Ext., Morehead City.

Please call 252-808-2020 or email <u>carteretliteracy@carteretliteracy.org</u> for more information or to register.



Student "JR"

Entry level math levels was 5.1 exit level math was 9.5.

The student's goal was to achieve a certification in welding from the local community college, but she did not meet the math requirements. After studying with a CLC math tutor, she s successfully enrolled in and passed the certification class with the highest scores. In addition, she secured a job on a large, bridge-building project. Later, she was sent to American Welding Society (AWS) training to become a Certified Welding Inspector (CWI). Her current assignment is as a head welding inspector responsible for the east coast of the country.

WE NEED YOU to help get CLC information distributed around our communities. Our student rack cards have been re-created and updated. Please consider "adopting" a location and keeping our information stocked on a monthly basis. Click here for a list of suggested locations:

Follow this link for more information:

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Spelling Bee Buzz

Friday, Oct. 20th 6:00pm at The History Place



WE NEED YOU to spread the word about the 16th Annual Literacy Spelling Bee. Informational brochures are available at the office or you may print out the one below. In addition to sponsors, we are always looking for teams to participate.

Items for the Silent Auction are needed and welcomed!

Follow this link for more information:

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Upcoming Events

Please mark your calendars and plan to volunteer at or to attend these events.

Student Orientations third Tuesday of each month at the CLC office

<u>August</u> Tutor Training Course

<u>September</u> International Literacy Month observances

<u>October 7</u> Seafood Festival parking fundraiser

<u>Ocober 20</u> Annual Literacy Spelling Bee

HELP WANTED



We need a storyteller to help out at Headstart on Mondays around 9 or 9:30 for 20 to 30 mins.

Still in need of a librarian too!

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