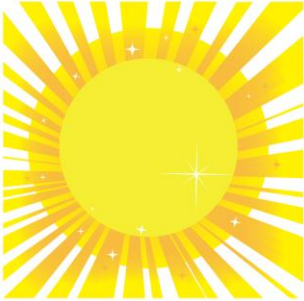


THE COMPASS PROJECT

Monday, June 21, 2010



Dr. Robin Moore presents the "Super Mentor" award to John Casey for 3 years of dedicated service to the CIS COMPASS Project during the Southern Middle Volunteer Recognition Breakfast.

We Have Reached The Finish Line

It is hard to believe that the 2009-10 mentoring year is complete. Together, we have made a difference in the lives of 110 students at Southern Middle School. Thank you for everything that you have done this year.

Some mentors have asked that they be informed of their mentees' promotion status. We will only contact the mentors whose students are being retained. If you do not hear from us, you can be assured that your student was promoted to the next grade level.

Our summer student activities will include a trip to a Durham Bulls game on June 28 and a service project with the Coalition For Human Care on July 8. If you are interested in assisting with either event please contact us.

We also want to invite all of our mentors/golfers to participate in our annual CIS "Fore" Kids Sake Golf Tournament on July 12. The tournament is one of our major fundraisers so we would greatly appreciate your participation. To find out more information about the tournament and related events please visit our website at: www.cismoore.org.

For those mentors who are ending their affiliation with our mentoring program, we offer our appreciation and want you to know that we will miss you. For those who are continuing, we are excited to have you for another year. Mentoring will begin September 7 and new mentor and student 7 Habits training will take place September 28-30.

Finally, we have included a letter we received from Sean Covey, author of *The 7 Habits of Highly Effective Teens*. It has been our pleasure to provide support and assistance to you during this school year and want you to know that we share the good news of your efforts with everyone we encounter.

Have a wonderful summer,
The CIS COMPASS Mentoring Staff

Dates to Remember

- Monday, June 28- 10:00 Durham Bulls Game
- Thursday, July 8- 2:00 Sandhills Coalition
- Monday, July 12- "Fore" Kids Sake Golf Tournament
- Sunday, July 18- 11:00 Take kids to Camp Challenge
- Friday, July 23- 6:00 AM- Pick up kids from Camp Challenge
- Wed. August 25- First day of school
- Tue. September 7- Mentoring Begins
- Sept. 28-30- New Mentor 7 Habits Training



A MESSAGE FROM COMMUNITIES IN SCHOOLS



7th graders pose with the new CIS Logo as part of the CIS National One Voice campaign.

Communities In Schools has unveiled a new logo that is part of an effort to obtain national recognition. The comprehensive rebranding effort, known as the One Voice campaign, was designed to focus and contemporize Communities In Schools' core messages and visual identity. The campaign unifies the words and images being used to represent Communities In Schools around the country, and raises the organization's visibility, both nationally and in the local

communities it serves.

The rollout will be phased in over the next 12 months to allow Communities In Schools local affiliates time to incorporate the new identity into their operational and marketing activities.

Communities In Schools surrounds students with a community of support, empowering them to stay in school and achieve in life.

For the full story visit:
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**Here comes summer
Here comes summer
Chirping Robins,
budding roses
Here comes summer
Here comes summer
Gentle showers,
summer clothes
Here comes summer
Here comes summer
Whoosh-shiver there
it goes**

**-Faith Long, Here it
Comes**

A Letter from Sean Covey

Greetings CIS COMPASS Project Mentors,

For the past three years, I have had the opportunity to follow the progress of the CIS COMPASS Mentoring Project at Southern Middle School in Aberdeen, NC. Information I have gathered from Franklin Covey Company consultants and your newsletter reveal a vibrant and exciting mentoring program.

I want to take this opportunity thank each of you for serving as a mentor for the CIS COMPASS Project. The name of your program is well suited to your mission, to provide guidance to youth as they travel their life journeys. Your dedication as a mentor epitomizes what my Dad calls a "transition person", one who models positive behaviors and encourages others to develop effective habits.

We at Franklin Covey are honored to have our 7 Habits training and materials serve as the cornerstone of your program. My hope is that all CIS COMPASS Project students will read *The 7 Habits of Highly Effective Teens* and with your guidance, allow the Habits to become a primary compass in their lives. I know that you will do your part.

My best wishes,
Sean Covey
Chief Innovations Officer
Education Practice Leader