

Class XXX

Education Day

February 6, 2014

Class Day Chairs: Dave Farace, Kenley Obas, Charlie Robinson, and Ken Scott; Class XXIX (Best Class Ever!)

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Overarching Goal: Education Day is an interactive learning experience providing exposure to local and state educational opportunities and issues that serve the needs of K-20, the workforce, and lifelong learning.

Objective: To participate in an on-site review of the operations, practices, and outcomes in the K-12 system to gain a better understanding of the challenges encountered by these schools, including the successes and issues that they have achieved and fact, respectively.

| 8:00 a.m. | Class XXX Members Arrive at Assigned School (2 Classmates/School) |
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| 8:00 – 10:00 | Shadow the School Principal/administrator |
| | to obtain an overview of each school's environment, |
| | accomplishments, challenges, and day-to-day operations. |
| | Please keep a 'journal' of your experiences for your visit. |
| 10:00 – 10:30 | Travel to <i>The Montgomery Academy</i> * (See Map) |
| | 3240 Vaughn Road, Montgomery, AL 36106. |
| | Location on Campus: Bear Field House |
| 10:30 - 11:15 | 'Debriefing' in Small Groups with Facilitators |
| | Ken Hare, Caroline Montgomery Clark, Charles Jackson, Stephen Woerner, & Duncan Kirkwood Each group will have representatives from Montgomery Public Schools & Private Schools |
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11:15 - 11:45Large Group Discussion and Questions11:45 - 12:30 pmLunch

Objective: To learn how leadership is applied in the community to identify and improve educational outcomes.

| 12:30 - 1:00 | Leadership Learned and Leadership Applied Caroline Novak – Reflection on Leadership: "The Story of A+" |
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| 1:00 – 2:30 | State and Local Big Picture |
| | Eleanor Dawkins, |
| | Montgomery Public Schools |
| | Ann Sikes |
| | Executive Director, Montgomery Education Foundation |
| | Thomas Raines |
| | Policy Director: A+ Education Partnership |
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2:30 – 2:45 BREAK

Objective: To familiarize the class with innovative educational programs within the State of Alabama.

| 2:45-4:30 | Innovation within the Montgomery Public School System |
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| | An Overview of Career Technical Education |
| | Yulanda Thornton and Mikki Kenshaw, Career Tech Specialists |
| | Quanza Thomas, Health Science Academy at Jeff Davis H. S. |
| | Chris Ray, Law and Public Safety Academy, Lanier H.S. |
| | Rick Robinson, Electrical Technology, MTech |
| | Keith Worthington, Business Teacher, MTech |

Allison de la Torre Executive Director: Alabama School Readiness Alliance Jessica Hammond Executive Director: Alabama GRIT

→ Please complete the Education Day survey (on-line).

References: "What we're learning from online education."

Daphne Koller:

(https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=U6FvJ6jMGHU&noredirect=1) Coursera (https://www.coursera.org/)



