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Professional Development – Fun Day



Over 100 HLSCC employees participated in the first ever Professional Fun Day on the college grounds, and though the **Green Lanterns** were crowned team champions after a full day of activities, it is fair to say that HLSCC was the overall winner given the success of the event.

The activities took place on Friday 31 where the six teams converged wearing their team colors, blowing whistles and taunting each other as the activities got on the way.

President of the College Dr. Karl Dawson addressed the anxious group, stating that the objective of the event was to bring together the college community after another school year and to reinforce the business of the institution which is to educate. "Everyone has a role to play in whatever capacity you find yourself," he explained. Keeping his remarks short, Dr. Dawson encouraged everyone to take away the positive energy that radiated amongst the participants and to return in the fall semester invigorated, charged and ready to go.

Benefit Dinner... Restoration of Colonial Manor



The proposed second phase of the H. Lavity Stoutt Community College Culinary Centre is the restoration of the stone house ruin, adjacent to the Centre, to be used as a restaurant to complement the training offered at the Centre.

The restaurant's development continues the hospitality tradition at the old Colonial Manor Hotel site, which was originally built in the 1960's. The Centre, inclusive of the restaurant, is slated to be designated as the official home of the BVI Culinary Team.

A benefit dinner to raise money for the project will take place at Government House on Friday, June 14, 2013.

Support the Class of 2013... Attend Graduation on 14th June



Lecture on Slavery... moves to sister islands after impressive turn out on Tortola

Hundreds turned out to the recent lecture on slavery by Dr. Angel Smith, Director of Virgin Islands Studies and the Coordinator of the Lectures Series at the College. In commemoration of 175 years of full freedom from slavery in the British Caribbean everyone is asked to support the upcoming lectures by Dr. Smith on the sister islands and learn more about this critical period in our history as we begin to prepare for this year's August festivities.

Dr. Angel Smith
In commemoration of 175 years of full freedom from slavery in the British Caribbean, H. Lavity Stoutt Community College is pleased to present a public lecture titled...

'Transition from Slavery to Freedom in the Virgin Islands'

The lecture which will be given by Dr. Angel Smith, will chronicle the experiences of the enslaved people in the Virgin Islands against the backdrop of the wider British Caribbean during the most critical point in the history of the region.

Sister Islands Lectures
 Virgin Gorda: Wednesday 5 June 2013 – H. L. Stoutt Community College Campus – Enid Pickering Building at 7:00 p.m.
 Jost Van Dyke: Sunday 9 June 2013 - The Fish House at 4.30 p.m.
 Anegada: Saturday 15 June 2013 - Claudia Creque Educational Centre at 6:00

Lecturer Fidel Captain... Launches Data Base Book



Lecturer in the Business and Computer Studies Department at HLSCC Mr. Fidel Captain loves programming and designing and developing database applications and websites. He has worked on numerous programming, database and web design projects spanning almost 20 years. "Some of the businesses that I have consulted and created applications and websites for are no longer in operation and some of them still use my applications today," Mr. Captain explains.

His latest book, Six-Step Relational Database Design™ bridges the gaps between database theory, database modeling, and database implementation. There are many books on the market on database theory, database modeling, and database implementation. However, there are few books that give a simple, step-by-step, and precise technique that is easy to follow for designing a relational database that results in a sturdy, reliable, and accurate data model that can be implemented on any relational database platform.

Congratulations to the Class of 2013... Reception highlights.

