



BUTLER
COLLEGE PREP

Lynx Files

**PICK UP YOUR
RISING 9TH &
10TH GRADER'S
APPLICATION
TODAY!!!**

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SCHEDULE**

Monday: 4p-6p

Tuesday: 4p-5p

Wednesday:

4p-5p

Thursday:

4p-5p

Friday:

12:35p—1:30p

DETENTIONS:

12:35p—3:35pm

**Any leader who
misses detention
will be given an
additional
detention.**

**Leaders must
come to
detention in full
uniform and
signed detention
slip.**

FALL INTERIM PREP

At the end of every quarter, we as a Noble Network, assess our leaders on their knowledge of the College Readiness Standards. We take these formal assessments very seriously as this has become our number one re-teaching tool across the network. On **Wednesday, October 8th**, the leaders took the *Open Ended Response Assessment (OER)*. This assessment included a writing section in the following areas: English/language arts, science, and math. On **Friday, October 17th**, the leaders will take the *multiple choice* section of the interim in the following subjects: English, math, reading, and science. We will follow a normal start and end time. It is imperative that over the next week each leader is getting ample amount of rest and continues to attend office hours. We look forward to reporting back to you once the test has been administered.



Leaders MUST be in their seats at 8:15 and testing will begin promptly. Please make sure your leaders have a CALCULATOR and TWO number pencils. Leaders who are not prepared with the materials will be issued 2 demerits. Again, testing begins promptly at 8:15 and leaders will be dismissed from school at 12:25 p.m.

Butler launches NAACP ACT-SO Partnership

ACT-SO is a major youth initiative of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP). ACT-SO provides a forum through which youth of African descent demonstrate academic, artistic and scientific prowess and expertise, thereby gaining the same recognition often only reserved for entertainers and athletes.



ACT-SO and Butler College Prep are rooted in the firm conviction that all students can succeed and compete at the same or superior levels as their counterparts in classrooms, boardrooms and laboratories across this nation and abroad.

The NAACP's Afro-Academic, Cultural, Technological and Scientific Olympics is a yearlong achievement program designed to recruit, stimulate, and encourage high academic and cultural achievement among African-American high school students.

ACT-SO includes 26 categories of competition in the sciences, humanities, business, and performing and visual arts. More than 260,000 young people have participated from the program since its inception.

Any leader interested in participating in ACT-SO can speak with their advisor for an application. The ACT-SO Interest Meeting is Saturday, October 18, 2014 at the Avalon Library Branch (8148 S. Stony Island Avenue, Chicago, IL 60617).

Safety is Important

We have noticed that at arrival and dismissal some of the drivers who are dropping off or picking up leaders are not very courteous to other drivers and the bus for our Leaders with special needs. We are requesting that all drivers and parents respect the space that the bus must park by not parking directly in front of the gate. Additionally, safety and proper decorum is of prime importance for everyone and every leader.

Mark Your Calendar



October 16th

OER GRADING DAY FOR STAFF
Early Dismissal 12:25 pm
Progress Reports & Invoices Go Home

October 17th

Interim Testing

October 22nd

SHero Permission Slip Due

October 23rd

Norte Dame University and DePaul University
Permission Slips Due (Cost \$5)

October 24th

End of Quarter I

October 25th

College Fair 10:00am—1:00pm
Butler College Prep—821 E. 103rd Street

October 27th

Norte Dame University Visit (All Day)
10th Grade Only— Cost \$5
DePaul University Visit (All Day)
9th Grade Only—Cost \$5

October 30th

Progress Reports & Invoices Go Home
Admissions Information Session
821 E.103rd Street - Main Entrance E.104th Street
between Maryland Ave. and Corliss Ave.

November 1st

SHero Summit 8:30am—3:30pm
Cost: \$10

Parents... WE NEED YOU

Butler parents, interested in joining the other 60, 000 Charter Parents in Chicago: Join us at this year's first Charter Parents United meeting!

When: October 20, 2014

Time: 6pm—7pm

Where: Uno Casas 1641 W. 16th St.

Dinner and refreshments provided. To RSVP or learn more about Charter Parents United please contact Lildella Douglas at (312) 314-6750 or ldouglas@noblenetwork.org.

BUTLER MAIN OFFICE HOURS

Monday—Thursday
7:30 AM—4:30 PM

Friday
7:30 AM—4:00 PM



Breast Cancer Awareness Fundraiser



Breast cancer is the most commonly diagnosed cancer among African American and Latino women. As a fundraiser to aid research and finding a cure, Leaders will be able to show support for Breast Cancer Awareness Month, by wearing PINK on October 23, 2014. During this out-of-uniform day, leaders must contribute \$3.00 . Pink must be visible from the outside. This is optional. Leaders can wear their uniform alternatively. Dress code expectations are attached.

SHEro Summit

This is what CONFIDENCE looks like!"

The mission of the **J. Rose Project** is to empower girls of various social, economic, racial, & academic backgrounds through cutting-edge & thought-provoking programming within the *Greater Chicago-land area*.

Our goal is to inspire girls by nurturing a sense of power and strength within each girl in an effort to help her attain her dreams & honor her true potential.

The "I AM SHERO" Summit is the trademark event of The J. Rose Project.

When: Saturday, November 1, 2014

Time: 8:30am—3:30pm

Where: Rauner College Prep (1337 W. Ohio Street)

Cost: \$10

**Please cut the bottom portion of the paper and return to your advisor by
Friday, October 17, 2014 for 100% credit.**

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Leader Name: _____ Date: _____

Parent Signature: _____

Comments:
