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Spotlight on STEM

The School of Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics (STEM) at JFK gave a detailed overview of their academy at the October Board of Education meeting. Principal Nick Vancheri, accompanied by the school's Assistant Principal, Dr. Dante Peretti; Science Supervisor, Ms. Jane Silverstein; Math Teacher, Mr. Chuck Coronato; and Science Teacher, Ms. Daniel Hoffman, delivered a comprehensive PowerPoint presentation for board commissioners and the public. One of the most interesting topics was an accounting of successful graduates of STEM that included PhD holders along with those working at high-level STEM-related occupations. [Click here](#) to view the STEM presentation.

Diverse Hispanic Heritage Activities at School 10



School 10 recently held their *Hispanic Heritage Celebration* with grades K through 8. Bilingual and ESL students performed dances, sang, and spoke of notable Hispanic role models. There were two showings for the entire student body and parents to see. Students recognized the contributions made by Hispanic and Latino Americans and how they have impacted the heritage and culture of the school itself.

Since September 15th, under the direction of the school's social studies teacher, students discussed a specific Hispanic role model daily over the PA system. Activities concluded on Friday, October 27, with a "Multicultural Performer Luncheon."



Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. School Librarian, Mr. Cardillo, got 2nd graders in a Halloween mood by reading them a scary story and creating a "Spooky Science" experiment with monster blood and a bewitched egg!

District Events

Nov. 1: Board of Education Workshop

Board Budget Priorities Discussion

6:30 p.m. at the District Offices, 90 Delaware Avenue

Nov. 6: High School CHOICE Fair

6:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m. at John F. Kennedy Educational Complex

Nov. 6: Teacher Job Fair

4:00 p.m.-7:00 p.m. at the District Offices, 90 Delaware Avenue, Paterson

Nov. 7: *Content of Our Character*

7:00 p.m. at Rosa L. Parks School of Fine & Performing Arts

Nov. 9 - 10: NJEA Convention
Schools Closed

Nov. 10: Veterans' Day
District Closed

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