

CHA ELL Newsletter

What story does this mural tell?



Elton Monroy Durán uses art to create a visible identity in this Southwest Detroit neighborhood.

- 1) Who are the people shaded in the sky? Why are they not colorful?
- 2) Have you seen this image? Where is it?
- 3) How does the image make you feel?

This mural at the Plaza del Norte Welcome Center in Mexicantown is a celebration of Mexican culture.

Best Wishes Teachers

At Covenant House Academy Southwest we appreciate our teachers. And recently celebrated the commitment Mrs. Katie Anderson had for our students. She worked with students remotely and in person who successfully completed assignments and courses. Mrs. Anderson has joined another organization and CHA Staff wished her well.



Mr. Eric George knows where to find the most delectable cakes and presented Ms. Liisa Keski (Math, x409) with a birthday cake 2/26. Her age is the difference between the square of 9 and the product of 9 and 5

divided by $(\frac{3}{4})^0$

CHA staff social distance in the Cafetorium



Story of a Boxer

by Erick Reyes

I was born in the Bronx, New York where my Dad introduced me to boxing when I was 8 years old. He wanted me to learn how to defend myself. The police reported that gangs were recruiting kids and if they didn't join the gang they were beat up.



When I first started, I wasn't that good and wanted to give up. My coach motivated me to continue working and when I was 10 years old I won my first boxing match. By the time I was 11 years old I won 4 championship bouts!

We moved to Detroit when I was 12 and I thought that was the end of my boxing. I didn't know anyone here. It was the saddest time of my life.

I'm happy to say that I'm boxing again. I have an eye injury that will hopefully heal in time for me to prepare for a match April 28th. Nothing will keep me out of the ring again.

March Calendar



♣ Third Term
Ends the 4th

♣ Daylight Savings Time
Ends March 14th
"Spring Forward" 1 hour.

NO School

♣ Friday, March 19th
Professional Development for Teachers

♣ First Day of Spring:
Sat March 20th

♣ Spring Easter Break
March 29 – April 2
Monday–Friday

Word of the Month

Spring – Primavera

Phrase of the Month

Spring brings new life in nature and the COVID vaccine will keep more of us around to enjoy it.

La primavera trae nueva vida a la naturaleza y la vacuna COVID mantendrá a más de nosotros cerca para disfrutarla.

Principals Corner

Mr. Eric George



♣ I'd like to thank all the ELL students for doing their best on the WIDA test this month. WIDA evaluates student's English proficiency in reading, listening, speaking and writing. Teachers will use the data to focus their instruction to strengthen student's understanding of the English language.

♣ Click on this link to the [TCF Center COVID vaccine site](#) to see if you qualify for the COVID vaccine then call (313) 230-0505 between 9 a.m. and 8 p.m. Mon thru Friday to schedule your appointment.

Boletín CHA ELL

¿Qué historia cuenta este mural?



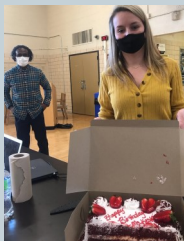
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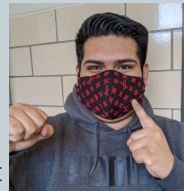
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