

Education

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WELCOME BACK

Yvonne Atkinson



It is indeed a pleasure to welcome back to school all new students, returning students, new teachers, and returning teachers.

I strongly encourage parents to list the education of their children as the first

and main priority this school year. Let us as parents and a community show our children that we are concerned about their educational opportunities.

As a School Board Trustee, I will make it a point to visit



TOWN HALL MEETING — Dignitaries and elected officials listen and take notes during the recent heavily-attended Town Hall Meeting on Education at the Nucleus Plaza. The meeting was called by school board member Yvonne Atkinson in order to receive input from her constituents on education concerns. Atkinson told a large assembled group of parents and educators that "education is the key to economics" at a recent Town Hall meeting. Atkinson spearheaded the session calling it "vital" as a "tool to receive direction and public input to support a quality public school system for our children." She will use input from the Town Hall meeting in conjunction with results of a printed survey which she commissioned, as a means of strengthening educational objectives of the Clark County School District.

all Clark County schools this year as often as possible. I will make my presence known to the students through my frequent visits in which I will stress the importance of their education, self-dignity and pride.

As a School Board Trustee, I am very pleased to be of

service to the community, but most of all I am pleased to participate in the beginning of a new and important committee; the Parents' Advisory Committee on Education (PACE).

The plans for this school year will be very rewarding to the children of the

community, because I plan to make Education a household word for many students, parents and the community as a whole.

Let us as a community set aside our personal self gains and interest and make the education of our children our main concern this school year.

School Lunch & Breakfast Policy Outlined

The Clark County School District today announced its policy for determining eligibility of children who may receive free and reduced price meals served under the National School Lunch and School Breakfast programs.

The following family size and income criteria will be used for determining eligibility. Children from families whose income is at or below the levels shown are eligible for free or reduced price meals.

Application forms are available in all schools along with a letter to parents or guardians. To apply for free or reduced price meals, an adult member of the household should fill out the application for free or reduced price meals as soon as possible, sign it, and return it to the cafeteria manager in the school. All questions must be answered. An application cannot be processed by the school unless it contains the total household income listed by the amount received by each household member and the source of income (wages, child support, etc.), OR a food stamp case number if the family receives food stamps; names of all household members; social security numbers of all household members 21 years of age or over or the word "NONE" if the household member does not have a social security number; and the signature of an adult household member. The information provided on the application will be used for the purpose of determining eligibility and may be verified at any time during the school year by school or other program officials.

The information provided by the family is confidential and will be used only for purposes of determining eligibility and verifying data. In the operation of school nutrition programs, no child will be discriminated against because of race, color, national origin, sex, age or handicap. If any member of a household believes there has been discrimination, a letter should be sent to the Secretary of Agriculture, Washington, D.C. 20250.



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National University has designed a comprehensive program to meet the demand for skilled workers in this expanding field. Courses leading to a Bachelor of Science (B.S.) degree in computer science begin

October 1, at National University's Southern Nevada campus, 2439 Losee Road, North Las Vegas.

In the high-tech field of computer science, salary and career advancement are tied directly to academic training. A diploma increases average lifetime earnings by \$235,500. Some of the employers who seek computer scientists include computer manufacturers, military contractors and software companies.

The B.S. degree in computer science curriculum

focuses on mathematical and theoretical problem solving to train employees in generalized software development. Emphasis is placed on the design of computer software development. Emphasis is placed on the design of computer operating systems, such as compilers, data base management systems and military weapons systems.

Successful completion of a computer aptitude test, administered free of charge by National University, is necessary for admittance to computer science degree programs.

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