

*...Inspired by
memories...*

-Maggie

*...Art is about
...communicating
an idea...*

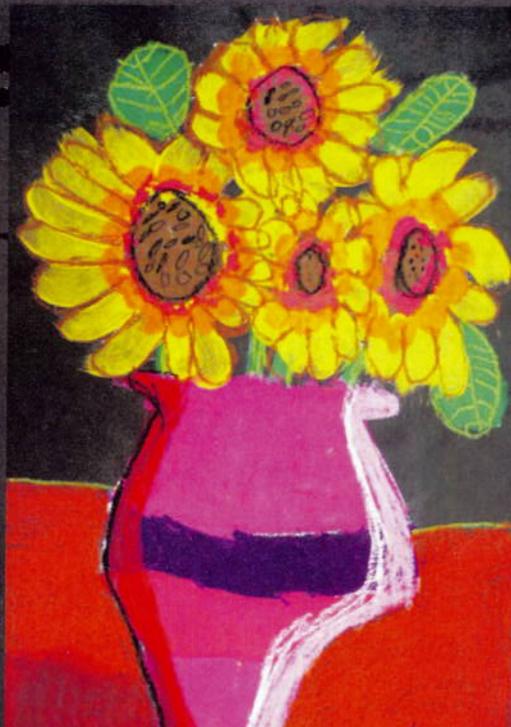
- Judith

*...capture my own
unique world...*

-Gabriella

*...content
as an
artist
and
as a
person...*

-Madeline



Kyra Stinson=Wesley, Grade 3

*'Charlotte's Got A Lot'
K-12 Student Art Exhibit
Charlotte Mecklenburg Schools
Charlotte, North Carolina*

May 2, 2011 11:00 am

**U.S. Department of Education
Lyndon Baines Johnson Education Building
400 Maryland Ave. SW**

Presented by CMS Arts Education Department,
Arts and Science Council, and
the U.S. Department of Education—Washington, D.C.

THANK YOU...

Arts & Science Council for sponsoring the trip to Washington, D.C. for our students and the reception. for our guests.

Their mission:

'Building appreciation, participation and support for the arts, science, history, and heritage in Charlotte=Mecklenburg.'

Diamond Springs Water for sponsoring our Reception.

Jason's Deli and Harris Teeter for sponsoring snacks for our students.

Charlotte Local Organizations for donation of items in the 'Charlotte's Got A Lot' Bags . They encourage you to discover what CHARLOTTE has for you!



ARTS & SCIENCE
COUNCIL



WELCOME

Myers Park Camerata
Handel—Overture to Judas Maccabaeus

REMARKS

Rachel Goslins
Executive Director
President's Committee on the
Arts and the Humanities

Representative Mel Watt
Congressman
12th District of North Carolina

Myers Park Camerata
Haydn—Symphony No. 1 in D Major

Ann Clark
Chief Academic Officer
Charlotte Mecklenburg Schools

RECOGNITION OF STUDENTS

Bradley Middle School Dance Team
Dancing to 'One Tribe' by Black Eyed Peas

RIBBON CUTTING

Please join us for a reception
immediately following ribbon cutting

Student Artists

Ardrey Kell High	Teacher - Pamela	Wittfeld	Student: Cyrus	Vaqar
David Butler High	Teacher - Kim	Blair	Student: Danielle	Green
David Butler High	Teacher - Cindy	Klingberg	Student: Ashley	Zawila
David Butler High	Teacher - Susan	Cunningham	Student: Torri	Garcia
Collinswood K-8	Teacher - Cynthia	Hira	Student: Eric	Madrid
Community House Middle	Teacher - Laura	Wallis	Student: Madison	Frye
Community House Middle	Teacher - Laura	Wallis	Student: Jillian	Swinyard
Davidson IB Middle	Teacher - Evelyn	Van Hecke	Student: Via	Savage
Dilworth Elementary	Teacher - Panze	Roberts	Student: Emily	Rush
East Mecklenburg High	Teacher - May	Winiarski	Student: Madeline	Pofahl
Elon Park Elementary	Teacher - Lynette	Hinman	Student: Claire	Rains
Endhaven Elementary	Teacher - Katherine	Hutchens	Student: Lexie	Winters
Garinger Math & Science High	Teacher - Julie	Brown	Student: Carlos	Zuniga
Highland Creek Elementary	Teacher - Debbie	McCall	Student: Amelia	Boys
Highland Creek Elementary	Teacher - Debbie	McCall	Student: Hayley	Morris
Highland Creek Elementary	Teacher - Gustavo	Maranchello	Student: Nicolette	Cusumano
Hopewell High	Teacher - Nan	Carey	Student: Brittany	Bivens
Hopewell High	Teacher - Erin	Carter	Student: Shennilla	Smith
Hopewell High	Teacher - Ben	Premeaux	Student: Brandon	Phuntek
JV Washam Elementary	Teacher - Celeste	Dulin	Student: Leslie	Bosse
Lebanon Road Elementary	Teacher - Joy	Davies	Student: Zachary	Lane
Mallard Creek High	Teacher - Kristin	St. Martin	Student: Garrett	Miller
Mint Hill Middle	Teacher - Kerri	Staviski	Student: Grace	Kim
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Morehead STEM Academy	Teacher - Lisha	Silver	Student: Richard	Emiko
Mountain Island Elementary	Teacher - Kathy	Odham	Student: Ryan	Gray
Myers Park High	Teacher - Lynn	Wu	Student: Katelyn	Morgan

Student Artists

Myers Park High	Teacher - Lisa	Holder	Student: Gabriella	Santander
Newell Elementary	Teacher - Grier	McMillan	Student: Jaryn	Bennett
North Mecklenburg High	Teacher - Maebeth	Hill	Student: Sarah	Borst
North Mecklenburg High	Teacher - Geoffrey	Gillespie	Student: Richard	Manning
Northwest School of the Arts	Teacher - Holly	Johnson	Student: Lucianna	Thompson
Northwest School of the Arts	Teacher - Tamara	Conrad	Student: Kayleigh	Mace
Northwest School of the Arts	Teacher - Fadi	Melki	Student: Hannah	Homesley
Northwest School of the Arts	Teacher - Brian	Hester	Student: Aaron	Desields
Northwest School of the Arts	Teacher - Laurie	Schorr	Student: Alex	Swing
Park Road K-6 Montessori	Teacher - Patricia	Kozek	Student: Celeste	Longshore
Park Road K-6 Montessori	Teacher - Patricia	Kozek	Student: Kennedy	Kozek
Pineville Elementary	Teacher - Mary	Rutherford	Student: Kyra	Stinson-Wesley
Providence High	Teacher - Susan	Daisley	Student: Halley	Freger
Ridge Road Middle	Teacher - Glenda	Cauble	Student: Olivia	Boys
River Oaks Academy	Teacher - Phyllis	Lambert	Student: Laney	Jordan
J.M. Robinson Middle	Teacher - Melissa	Leftwich	Student: Charlotte	Ulehla
Rocky River High	Teacher - Andrew	Vinson	Student: Angela	Herr
Rocky River High	Teacher - Kristen	Quinn	Student: Jared	Jones
Selwyn Elementary	Teacher - Karen	Swing	Student: Jack	McArthur
South Mecklenburg High	Teacher - Tony	Howard	Student: Judith	Akufo
Thomasboro Elementary	Teacher - Kathy	Bell	Student: Mercede	Vilaysaeng
Torrence Creek Elementary	Teacher - Shanna	Rabon	Student: Bella	Biondi
West Mecklenburg High	Teacher - Jeremy	Gardner	Student: Eduardo	Velasco
Whitewater Academy	Teacher - Jen	Gorczyca	Student: Alison	Menjivor
William A. Hough High	Teacher - Amy	Baker	Student: Haley	Fornelli
William A. Hough High	Teacher - Marjorie	O'Shea	Student: Peter	Brumm
William A. Hough High	Teacher - Amy	Baker	Student: Maggie	Adams

Student Performing Groups

Bradley Middle School Dance Team

Teachers - Debra Gresham & Stephanie Hebard
Students: Alexa Csehoski , Eva Bertone
Leahnette Gagum , Tia Broome
Alyssa Henderson , Sydney Loudermilk
Makayla Myers , Selena Price
Aleah Robinson , Ayanna Taylor
Maddie Tesar , Ada Thompson

Bradley Middle School Dance Team has been chosen as a regional representative for First Lady Michelle Obama's Health Initiative 'Let's Move'. They will be performing on May 3, along with other groups around the nation, to a song and dance choreographed by Beyoncé. The 'Let's Move' Flash Workout is supported by the National Association of Broadcasters Education Foundation.

Myers Park Camerata

Teachers

- **Thomas Lajoie & Matthew Wilson**
Students: Sydney Leighton , Alex Bang
Emily Shannon , Bryan Beasley
Lydia Tran , Eugene Kang
Emily Tran , Ryan Murphy

Myers Park High School Orchestra has performed in many venues across our area. This small group of students are accomplished string musicians.

For more information about CMS Arts Education you may contact:

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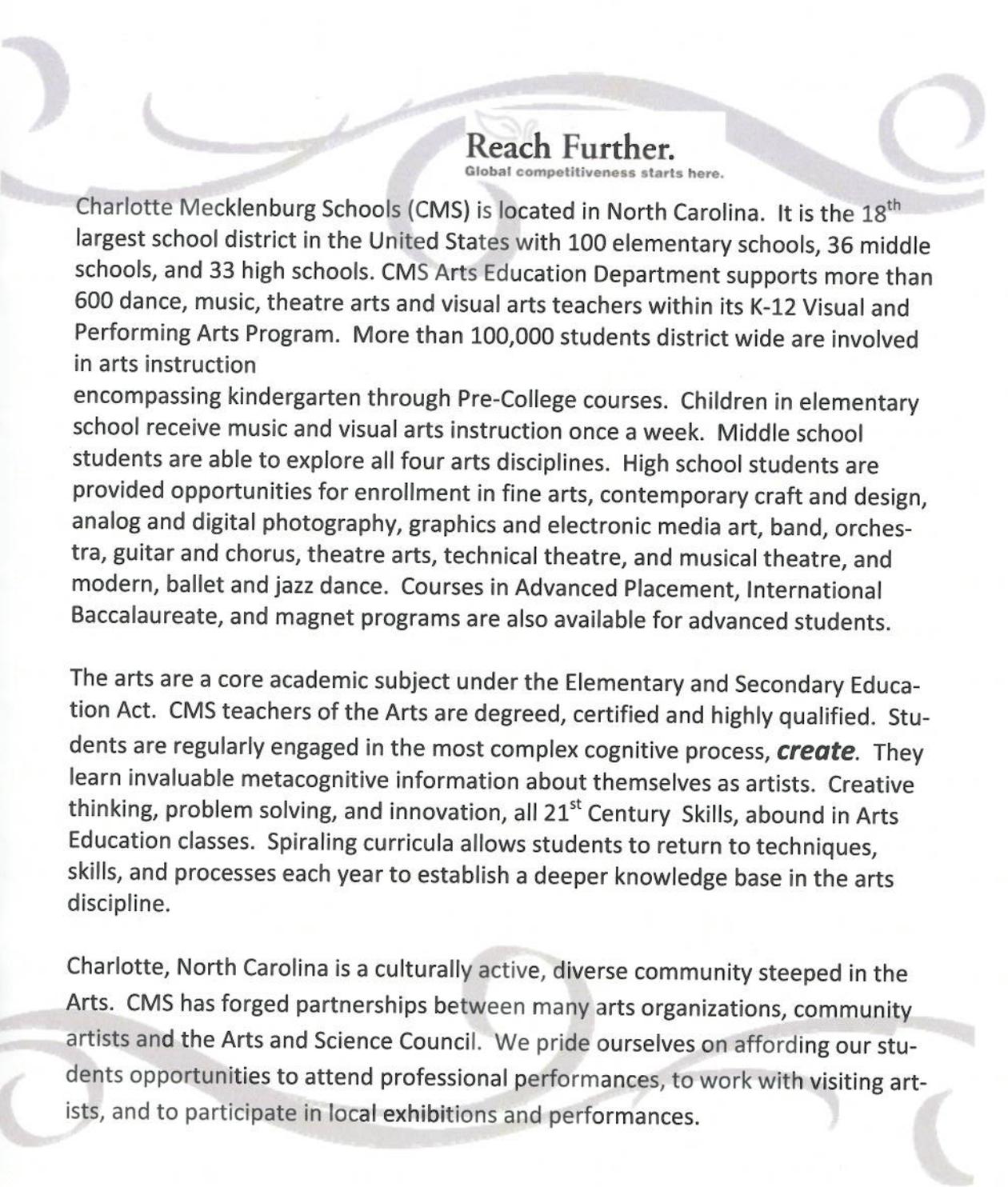
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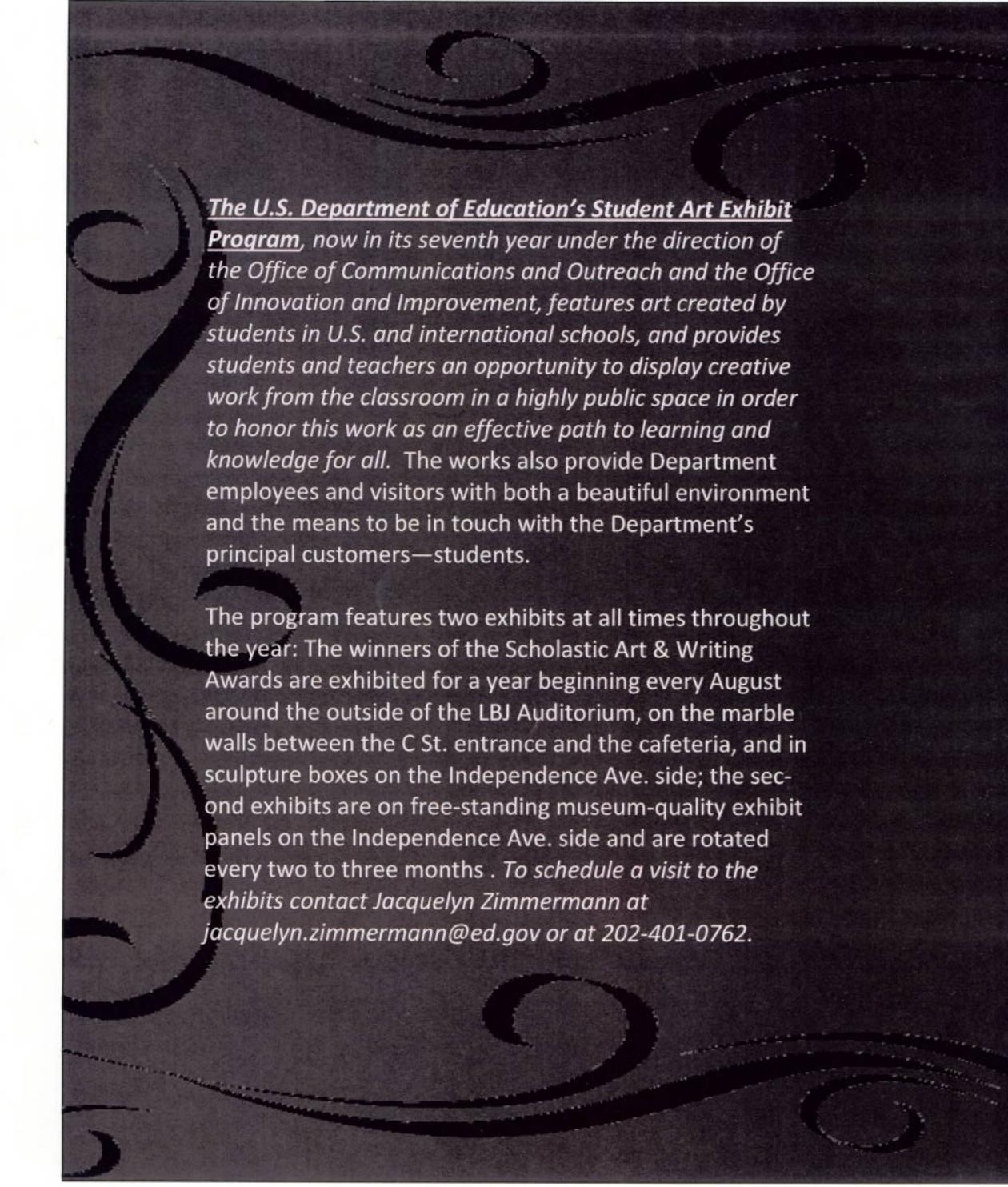
Global competitiveness starts here.

Charlotte Mecklenburg Schools (CMS) is located in North Carolina. It is the 18th largest school district in the United States with 100 elementary schools, 36 middle schools, and 33 high schools. CMS Arts Education Department supports more than 600 dance, music, theatre arts and visual arts teachers within its K-12 Visual and Performing Arts Program. More than 100,000 students district wide are involved in arts instruction

encompassing kindergarten through Pre-College courses. Children in elementary school receive music and visual arts instruction once a week. Middle school students are able to explore all four arts disciplines. High school students are provided opportunities for enrollment in fine arts, contemporary craft and design, analog and digital photography, graphics and electronic media art, band, orchestra, guitar and chorus, theatre arts, technical theatre, and musical theatre, and modern, ballet and jazz dance. Courses in Advanced Placement, International Baccalaureate, and magnet programs are also available for advanced students.

The arts are a core academic subject under the Elementary and Secondary Education Act. CMS teachers of the Arts are degreed, certified and highly qualified. Students are regularly engaged in the most complex cognitive process, **create**. They learn invaluable metacognitive information about themselves as artists. Creative thinking, problem solving, and innovation, all 21st Century Skills, abound in Arts Education classes. Spiraling curricula allows students to return to techniques, skills, and processes each year to establish a deeper knowledge base in the arts discipline.

Charlotte, North Carolina is a culturally active, diverse community steeped in the Arts. CMS has forged partnerships between many arts organizations, community artists and the Arts and Science Council. We pride ourselves on affording our students opportunities to attend professional performances, to work with visiting artists, and to participate in local exhibitions and performances.



The U.S. Department of Education's Student Art Exhibit Program, now in its seventh year under the direction of the Office of Communications and Outreach and the Office of Innovation and Improvement, features art created by students in U.S. and international schools, and provides students and teachers an opportunity to display creative work from the classroom in a highly public space in order to honor this work as an effective path to learning and knowledge for all. The works also provide Department employees and visitors with both a beautiful environment and the means to be in touch with the Department's principal customers—students.

The program features two exhibits at all times throughout the year: The winners of the Scholastic Art & Writing Awards are exhibited for a year beginning every August around the outside of the LBJ Auditorium, on the marble walls between the C St. entrance and the cafeteria, and in sculpture boxes on the Independence Ave. side; the second exhibits are on free-standing museum-quality exhibit panels on the Independence Ave. side and are rotated every two to three months. *To schedule a visit to the exhibits contact Jacquelyn Zimmermann at jacquelyn.zimmermann@ed.gov or at 202-401-0762.*