Between The Lines

The Catholic University of America’s DC Reads Newsletter

Fall 2006 has been our largest semester of DC Reads to-date! We had approximately 170 tutors, placed at 8 different sites in NE and NW Washington, DC. Due to increased interest, we expanded two of our tutoring sites. It’s quite impressive that students are tutoring Monday—Thursday until 8pm. It’s also amazing that so many students spend their Saturday mornings and afternoons tutoring!

This semester more than ever, the DC Reads Team Leaders stepped up and assured that all tutors had a positive program experience. In addition to tutoring, these students arranged van/metro transportation, collected attendance, and provided vital communication support between the Campus Ministry office and the Site Supervisors at the DC Reads sites.

We could not have finished the semester near as strongly without the work of the Team Leaders: Tom Christian, Lisa Campbell, Kate Reina, Emily White, Jen Nguyen, Lyndsey Przybylski, Chris Rennalls, and Lissette Casas.

We would also like to acknowledge those tutors who had perfect attendance this semester. It is challenging to balance classes, homework, social life, and DC Reads. We appreciate those tutors who remained consistent in DC Reads all semester!

As we enter the final week of the Semester, we hope that you finish your tutoring on a positive note. Thanks for you hard work. We hope to see you in 2007...

...And so do your kids!

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DC Reads 2007

The Mandatory Meeting for Spring Tutoring is
Wednesday, January 10th at 7 pm in the Great Room of the Pryz. Check your email the first day of classes for important info. We’ll see you soon!

Announcements

Last Day of DC Reads this Semester is:
December 7th

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Work Study students: The last date to resolve paycheck errors is Dec 12th. Also your final paycheck for the semester will be available Dec 22nd.

If you haven’t yet, you can still sign-up for Direct Deposit! Just stop by the Payroll Office in Lehy Hall.

Volunteer students: If you have requested a letter documenting your hours (i.e.- class credit), it will be available Dec 13th.

Please contact Saleem Hue Penny at: PennyS@cua.edu with questions.

Interested in Being a Team Leader?...

If you enjoy taking charge, are confident in a leadership role, and have a class schedule that allows you to tutor consistently, you should consider applying to become a DC Reads Team Leader! If you are interested, simply note this on your Fall Semester Evaluation and we will give you more info.

Please remember, your Fall 2006 Semester Evaluation is due to your Team Leader by Monday, December 11th. Your Team Leader will let you know you can receive 30 min of work credit for completing your evaluation!