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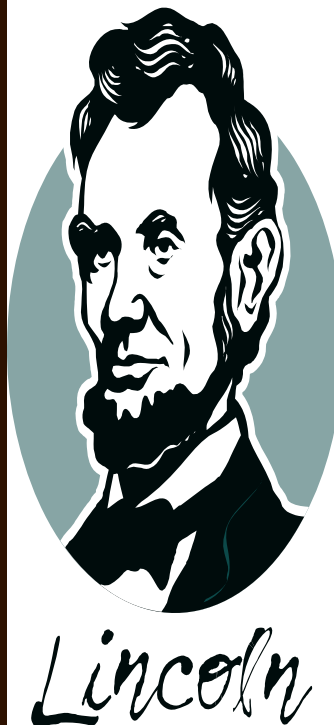
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**February Calendar of Events:**

February Black History Month	February 2010
Valentine's Day Party	February 12, 2010
Valentines Day	February 14, 2010
Mardi Gras Break	February 15-17, 2010
Mandatory Parent Meeting	February 18, 2010

## Black History Month



Black History was originated in 1926, by historian Carter G. Woodson. Woodson chose the second week of February because it marked the birthdays of two Americans who greatly influenced the lives and social condition of African American: Former President Abraham Lincoln and abolitionist and former slave, Fredrick Douglas.

Until the study of black history, blacks were absent from history.

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Cameron Lloyd  
Brandon Guy  
Xavier Turnange  
Alyssa Moniz  
Quartez, McCullom  
Emma Graham  
Charles McLean  
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**Thank You Members for a job well done for Martin Luther King Day. Members walked the neighborhood around the club and picked up liter .**



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**Youth of the  
Month**

**Chelsea Harris**  
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**February 16, 2010**

**"Fat Tuesday"**

**“The Chain” Poem**

Some stories are kept a secret.  
Their words are hard to hear  
and subjects harsh, as in them  
people appear

Yet, if left untold, the truth  
will distort and damage reality  
and make innocent victims look  
like viscous enemies

For this reason, let the tales  
of all men be spoken so the  
chain connecting humanity can  
never be broken

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