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**What's the RAVE in
 YOUR Neighborhood?**

COLUMBUS SERIES

Inner-City Community News & Opinions

Linden McKinley Girls Basketball



Front Row Sitting: N'Daia Hamilton, Cristia Haywood, Bryanna Featherstone, Sharae Brown, Cory Harris, Paylzie Burden-Mickens. **Second Row Standing:** Coach Erick Herzberg, Ya'Dra Knight, Shamyah Joyce, Najae Harrison, Janiyah Joyce, Saraysia Nelson, Tijae Turner, JaQuoia Watkins, Asst. Coach, Bill Sperlazza, Asst. Coach John Davis.

The average GPA of the team is a 3.02. We have 7 young ladies at a 3.4 or better. Additionally, the Girls Basketball Team were one team victory away from sharing the most wins in School History (16) and took the 5th Seed in the City of Columbus - DII Central District.

Profanity in Class is not Classy

“Swearing doesn’t make your argument valid; it just tells the other person you have lost your class and control.” — **Shannon L. Alder.**

**MEET LMSA
 NEWEST FEMALE
 JOURNALISTS.**

**BOTH LADIES ARE
 LMSA
 CHEERLEADERS**



Miss Michele Burns & Miss Tayzuana Wiley

According to the Dictionary profanity is: blasphemous or obscene language; a swear word; an oath. A question one might ask is what does blasphemous mean and what is obscene. What might seem like a swear word to some might not seem like swearing to others. It’s not uncommon to hear people use swear words in casual conversation. There is a conflict, though, between casual conversation and what is appropriate for a learning environment. This is because some people don’t recognize the difference between their home environment, casual conversations with friends, and the School environment. Some students swear whenever they want at any given time.

Because school is a place to learn, swearing can actually distract people in the classroom so that learning doesn’t happen. For that reason the use of profanity is considered a Level 1 Behavior Offense at Columbus City Schools.

If you use profanity you may get an after School Detention. And, if the swearing continues, this may result in an Office Referral because the swearing becomes a Level 2 behavior as Insubordination. If the Teacher tells you not to cuss, you’re supposed to listen, and if you don’t, you’re being insubordinate.

Columbus City Schools policy on profanity is most clear in the section on “Social Networks/Chat Rooms/e-Mail” in *The Guide to Student Success* handbook. It states: “Never use profanity, obscenity or other language which may be offensive to another user or intended to harass, intimidate or bully others.”

Unfortunately, at the end of the day, for some students, Suspensions and Write-ups really don’t help because they continue to do the same thing—swearing is a part of how they behave. In essence, these students, like Shannon L. Alder’s quote states, have “lost [their] class and control.”

Youth Career Expo

Hey... **High School Students**, what are you doing the rest of your life?

Join us for the **Plan Your Life: Youth Career Expo.**
Saturday, March 12, 2016 - OSU Campus
9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

This is not your typical, boring, sit in a lecture, and fall asleep, type of event. It will be fun, interactive, and instructed by students from The Ohio State University, so that you can relate. Have you ever wondered what it’s really like to be an: **Airline Pilot, Businessperson, Engineer, Medical Professional, Etc.**

Don’t miss the **Plan Your Life: Youth Career Expo.** There will be opportunities to sign-up for the following:

- Fly in a Flight Simulator;
- Spend an afternoon at Channel 4 Television Station learning engineering behind the scenes;
- Entrepreneurship classes.

Learn from your peers with the Ohio State Student University’s student organizations:

- National Society of Black Engineers
- Council of Black Students in Administration
- Aviation Student Association
- Medical Profession Student Associations
- Hispanic Student Association
- For the Parents
- Free Ride to College-workshops on:
 - ❖ Scholarships
 - ❖ College Readiness Programs
 - ❖ Career Information
 - ❖ Summer Programs

Contact: Norma Richards at (614) 256-3470
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Register at www.PlanYourLifeExpo.com



IT'S FREE!



Low Self-Esteem

When parents curse at their children, the obscene verbal attack can be emotionally devastating, according to LoveOurChildrenUSA.org. Children are emotionally vulnerable and depend on their parents' reactions to form healthy self-esteem and a positive sense of self-worth.

When you curse at your child out of frustration or anger, they might internalize your hostility, leading them to feel worthless and unlovable. Cursing can also leave your child confused and unclear about what they did wrong, because it isn't honest or healthy communication, further lowering their self-esteem.

BECOME PART OF THE RAVE

If You, your School or your Company would like to submit newsworthy information to the RAVE, send your inquiries to: Linda Nelson, Ronald Allen Technology Center, (614) 767-9229, rlassoc410@aol.com, www.rl410.com.