

The **ROUNDTABLE**

EDUCATION. OPPORTUNITY. EQUITY.

VOTE Philadelphia!

As part of the Strawberry Mansion High School's commitment to servicing our community, Mansion seniors are participating in "When We All Vote," a national voter registration drive campaign.



DID YOU KNOW...?

In 1869, Congress passed the 15th Amendment giving African-American men the right to vote.



In 1920, when the 19th Amendment became a law, all American women won the right vote, however very few African-American women gained the vote that year due to voter suppression.

In 1940, only 3% of eligible African-American in the South were registered to vote.

By the end of 1995, 250,000 black voters were registered, one third of them by Federal Medical Examiners.

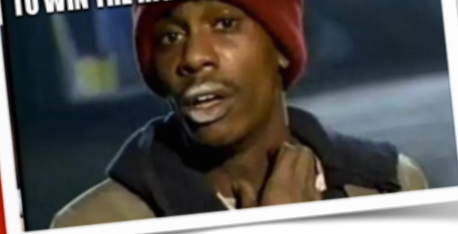
Senior Seminar and Social Science scholars have been researching the history of voter suppression, discussing it's impact on voter participation, registering people to vote, and creating social media voting advertisements, all in an effort to motivate Philadelphians to make their voice heard and vote. Scholars will also be working the polls on Election Day.

Here's how to vote in Pennsylvania: PA offers online voter registration. You can register by mail to vote by printing a voter registration form, filling it out, and mailing it to your local election office. You can also register to vote in person if you prefer. **-Kimora Kinnard**

Election Day is Tuesday, November 3rd.
To find your polling place, go to www.votespa.com. To find out what's on the ballot go to www.vote411.org.
Get out and vote! **-Mr. Knepp**



SO YOUR MEANING TO TELL ME IT TOOK NEARLY 100 YEARS FOR WOMAN TO WIN THE RIGHT TO BE ABLE TO VOTE ?



In addition, Mansion Media Arts scholars are also supporting this voting campaign by creating logos for "Vote That Jawn." This art contest can empower scholars to make a BIG impact in voter turnout for this election. K-12 students can't vote, but they can use their artistic talents to inspire and motivate their families and neighbors to vote. Mansion scholars **Jessica**

Stanton, Tyjay Pierla, and Patience Wilson had their designs entered into the competition. The 5 winning contestant's logos will be turned into decals, window clings, and merchandise. In these combined efforts, hopefully Mansion scholars can inspire the next generation to get involved early, and support the 15th Amendment!



NOV. 3 & 11
NO SCHOOL!



NOVEMBER 20
Mansion MeetUP



NOVEMBER
23-25
Report Card
Conferences



NOVEMBER
26-27
Thanksgiving Break

1st Virtual TownHall SUCCESS!

Our goal is to help scholars succeed, and provide opportunities to help them achieve their individual goals. When our Knights shine in all their greatness, here at the Mansion, we recognize them. The Strawberry Mansion H.S. Town Halls exists to celebrate academic success and reward select scholars for exceeding PRIDE expectations on a daily basis. These scholars follow the ABC's of education everyday... A= Attendance, B= Behavior, and C= Credit Attainment.

Our first virtual Town Hall was a huge success. Scholars were recognized for PRIDE and 90-100% attendance as well as staff celebrated for Mansion core values. Career pathway teachers recognized Marissa Cooper, Semaj Powell & Maurice Harley for outstanding work ethic. Town Halls will be held monthly on Google Meet. Join us this November... **Mansion, WE SEE YOU!**



BE A 95ER!

Did you know that 95% of success is showing up? Studies have shown that there is a direct correlation between attendance and good grades. A missed school day is a lost opportunity for scholars to learn. Chronic student absence reduces even the best teacher's ability to provide learning opportunities. Students who attend school regularly have been shown to achieve at higher levels than students who do not have regular attendance. Hard work and punctuality are often not the most attractive parts of one's education, but these attributes give scholars the best job opportunities in the future. These scholars are entitled to **special incentives** and a custom T-shirt... Join the elite group of Mansion scholars that have 95% or better attendance and get rewarded! Scholars will be recognized on November 20th, 2020 at the Mansion "Autumn Harvest" Meet Up where it's all about the pumpkin... Pumpkin pies, pumpkin launching, and pumpkin corn hole, and smooth pumpkin jams of course!

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INSTRUCTIONAL DAYS:



HISTORY OF BLACK VOTING RIGHTS



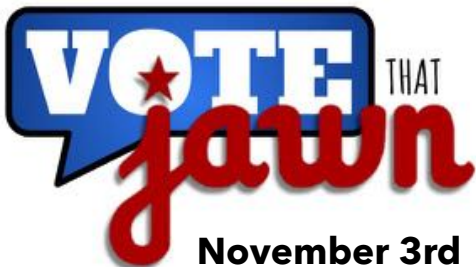
The 14th amendment to the Constitution (1868) granted African Americans the rights of citizenship. However, this did not always translate into the ability to vote. Black voters were systematically turned away from state polling places. To combat this problem, Congress passed the Fifteenth Amendment in 1870.



Teen Titans Lets go.....



...Register to Vote



MANSION MEETUP
12-3PM



NOV. 20TH

COME JOIN US FOR PUMPKIN PIE, PUMPKIN LAUNCHING, APPLE CIDER, CORNHOLE, PIE IN THE FACE, MUSIC, DANCING & SO MUCH MORE!

