



November 2015 Newsletter

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WELCOME!!!

Maa Sa Akhi is delighted to extend a warm "Welcome Back" to our recently returning students.

We missed you!

- Asser Renaud
- Tamar Jaundoo
- Christian Phillips
- Abigail & Khashif Belisle
- Samien & Sebastian Mesadieu
- Annisteen Docteur
- Jaden Phillip
- Adriana & Julien Dorner
- Joshua Racine & Luidgy Cenatus
- Olivia Duvormond
- David Raymond
- Zion Bey
- Simone Sydnor
- Leonel Prepetit
- Marnell Elve
- Nathaniel Ward
- Annalyne Lesfloris

Maa Sa Akhi would also like to extend a hearty "Welcome" to our newest students:

- Corinne & Lotus Taylor
- Peyton Wallen
- Philbert Archer
- Yolanda Lafleur
- Frantcesca Raymond
- Ajene Christian
- Jandi Howell
- Silas Marin

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Adults & Seniors, Play Piano Now!!

Adults and seniors can enjoy group lessons with Maa Sa Akhi now!

These lessons take place at the Flatbush-Caton Market on Wednesday mornings from 10am – 11am.

If you or someone you know is interested, COME & JOIN IN!!!

Dates To Remember:

Thanksgiving Break
 Thursday Nov. 26th &
 Friday Nov. 27th

Classes resume Saturday
 November 28th

2nd Mini Recital Week
 Tuesday Dec. 1st –
 Saturday Dec. 5th

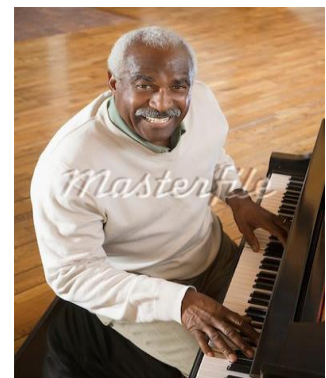
2nd Motivation Team Meeting
 Sunday Dec. 6th at 4:30pm

Winter Recess
 December 24th –
 January 2nd

Classes resume Tuesday
 January 5th

Caton Nursing Home Recital
 Sunday December 27th

Maa Sa Akhi Winter Party & Contest
 Sunday January 10th



DANCE! DANCE! DANCE!!!

BRAND NEW!!! MAA SA AKHI IS NOW OFFERING:



BALLET (AGES 4 & UP)

MODERN DANCE (AGES 4 & UP)

CREATIVE MOVEMENT (AGES 3-5)

JAZZ DANCE (AGES 4 & UP)

WE ARE ALSO CONTINUING OUR **AFRICAN DANCE CLASS** (ALL AGES)

COME ON IN AND REGISTER TODAY!!!



Mr. Ankh Ra's Master Vocal Class Is Back!!!

Renowned and exceptional vocal coach, Ankh Ra Amenhetep is returning to Maa Sa Akhi to teach his monthly master vocal class!

Come learn from this extraordinary vocal master. Everyone is welcome, so spread the word to all who may be interested!

MOTIVATION TEAM FALL 2015!

Do you appreciate Maa Sa Akhi? Would you like helping us insure we can support our grant and scholarship students? Do you have fundraising ideas you want to share and help motivate our entire Maa Sa Akhi family to succeed? Then you may very well qualify to be on our Motivation Team!!

Applications are now available. For more details, please call our office at 347-414-5486.

Together we'll become all we can be to guide our students to EXCELLENCE!

REMIND

REMIND, formerly REMIND 101, is a service which allows us to keep in touch with each family via text to your cell phone. If you can't get to a computer to get informed, REMIND will get the same message to you via your cell phone. We need our parents to sign up for this program immediately!

Please be advised that you will be receiving an invitation to join REMIND. If you have not already, you will be asked to complete the sign up procedure when you register for our fall semester so that you can begin receiving our important updates and messages.

Automatic Payments!!!

Maa Sa Akhi has implemented a registration system where tuition can be paid automatically! Parents and adult students will be able to set up automatic payments, which eliminates late payments and late fees, which will be strictly enforced. This affords a more feasible, safe and secure way to pay tuition instead of having to make cash payments. Your personal and billing information will be kept safe and your receipts and payments easily accessible on your banking statements. Additionally, automatic payments will eliminate the use of paper receipts! You will definitely be doing your small part to preserve the Earth's resources.

Maa Sa Akhi Yard Sale

Maa Sa Akhi is having a yard sale! Our Motivation Team has organized a yard sale as the first fundraising event for Maa Sa Akhi's 2015-2016 semester. MAKE SURE TO CHECK OUT sale ITEMS displayed throughout Maa Sa Akhi. Have friends/family come in to take advantage of great buys ongoing! If you would like to donate additional items for the yard sale, please call our office at 347-414-5486.



BOOM BOX for SALE!!

Panasonic Boom Box for sale for only \$50.

This stereo system has a 5 cd changer with cassette tape slots and radio tuner. And it's is MP3 capable.

Antenna and 2 large speakers included!

Add/Drop Period

In order to cut down on scheduling confusion, Maa Sa Akhi has instituted an add/drop period for our 2015-2016 semester. The add/drop period ended Tuesday October 13th. This means that parents and adult students are no longer able to switch regularly scheduled class time. Rescheduling regularly scheduled class times is now only allowed by the teacher or in cases of emergency. Hopefully, this new system will help Maa Sa Akhi to run more smoothly.

Mini Recitals

This year, Maa Sa Akhi is holding Mini Recitals throughout the entire semester. Mini recitals are small events during which the students perform what they've learned so far for their peers. We have noticed that these mini recitals help students become comfortable performing in front of an audience as well as give the students incentive to practice. Maa Sa Akhi's second mini recital week this semester takes place Tuesday December 1st – Saturday December 5th.

Students, come prepared to impress!

Brooklyn Public Library Free Family Events

Brooklyn Public Library is offering a series of free family events on Saturdays, at 11am and at 1pm, in Central Library's Dweck Center. Upcoming events include:

- December 5th (11am) - Art Workshop: Make your own 3-D train
- December 5th (1pm) – Play Date: a music group whose songs and dance moves inspire children's imaginations.
- December 12th (11am) – Art Workshop: Star Wars Jedi Day: Create your own Jedi Knight and Droid!
- December 12th (1pm) – The Star Wars Experience
- December 19th (11am) – Art Workshop: The Little Girl with the Big Voice. Learn how to create sound devices with ordinary materials
- December 19th (1pm) – You're a Good Man, Charlie Brown Musical.

Maa Sa Akhi Winter Party and Contest!!!

GET READY FOR OUR BIG PARTY AND CONTEST!!!
SNACKS, MUSIC, DANCING CONTESTS OF YOUR
EXCELLENCE!

AND PRIZES, PRIZES, PRIZES!
SHOW WHAT YOUR TEAM CAN DO!
RHYTHM, STAFF READING, INSTRUMENT PLAYING!

The party and contests will take place on Sunday January 10th.
It's sure to be a great time.
Can't wait to see you there!

Have a Wonderful Thanksgiving Break!