

CMS ART Newsletter



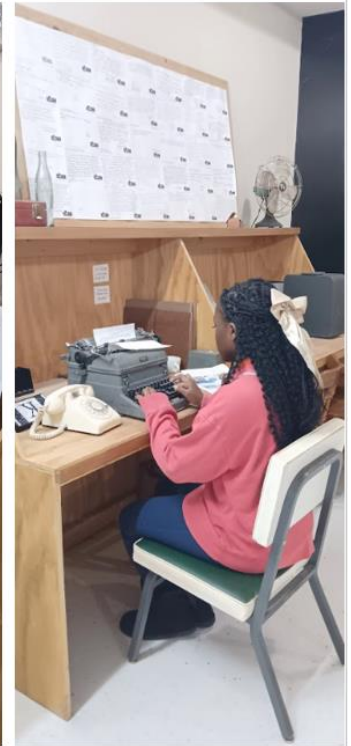
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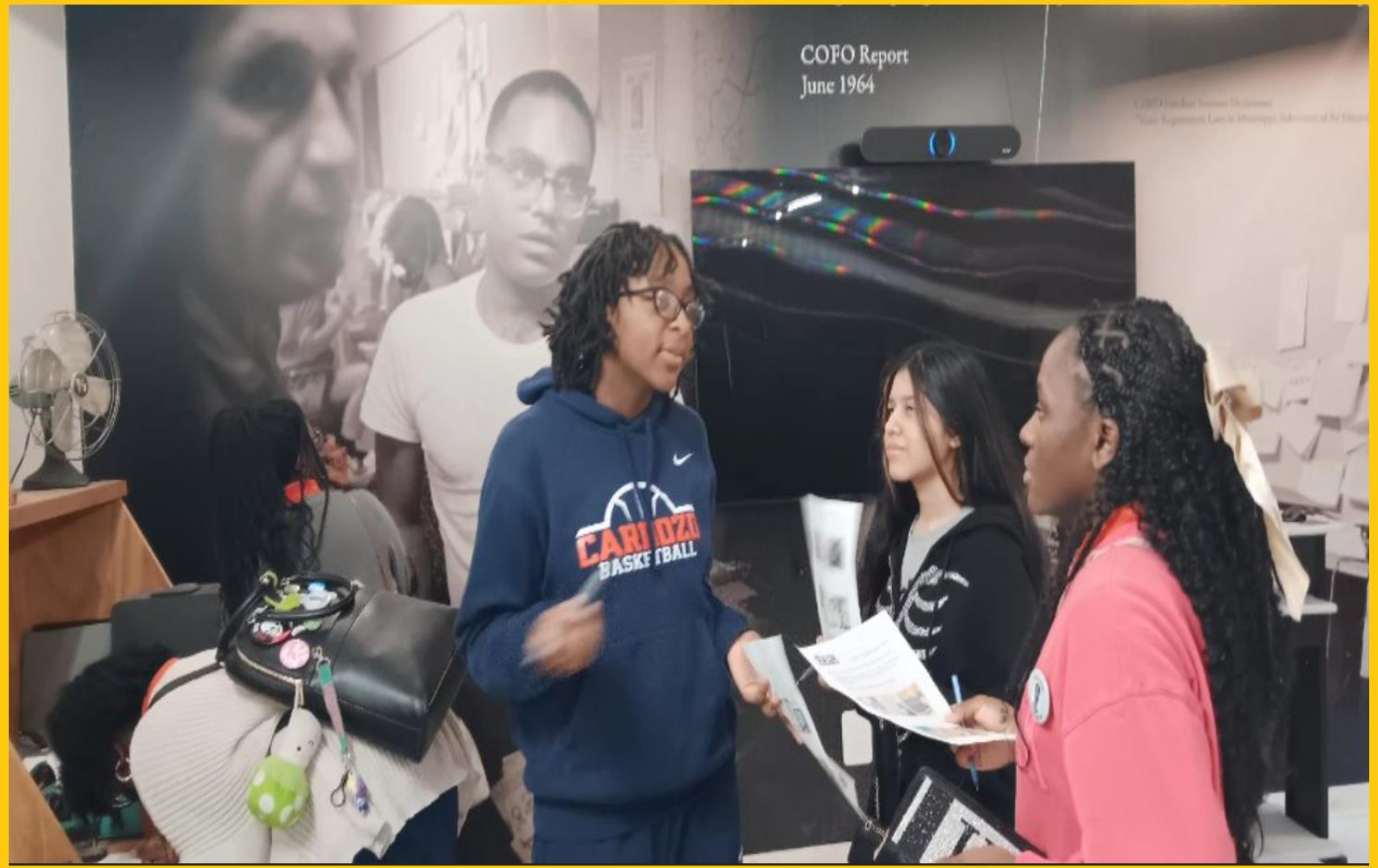
Dedicated to Democracy in the Deep South

Pt. 2 **Freedom Summer '64**

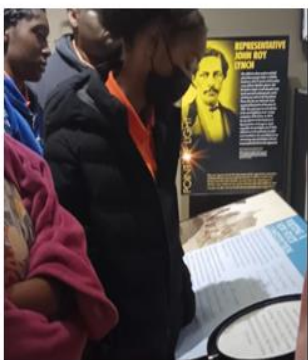


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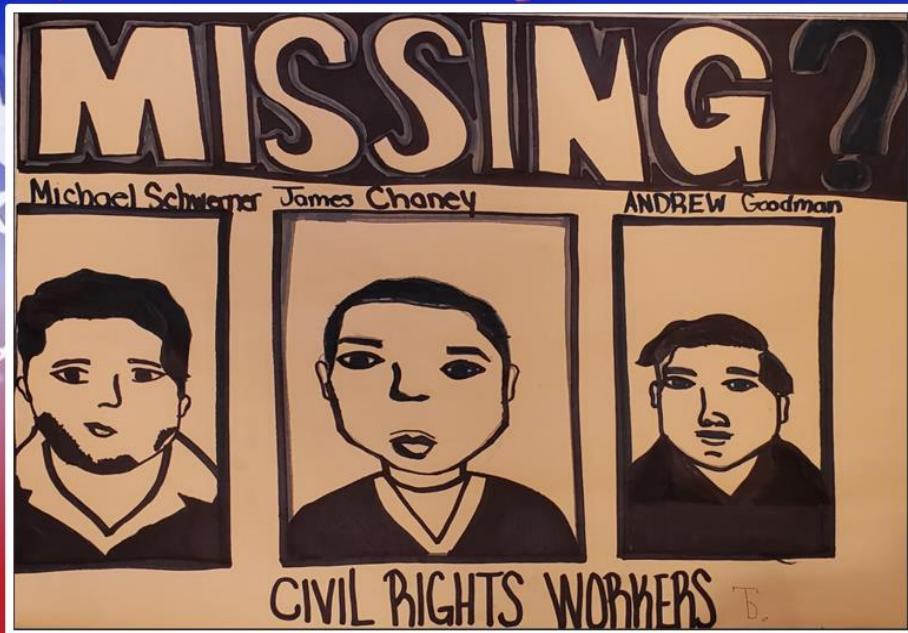
Mississippi Civil Rights Museum



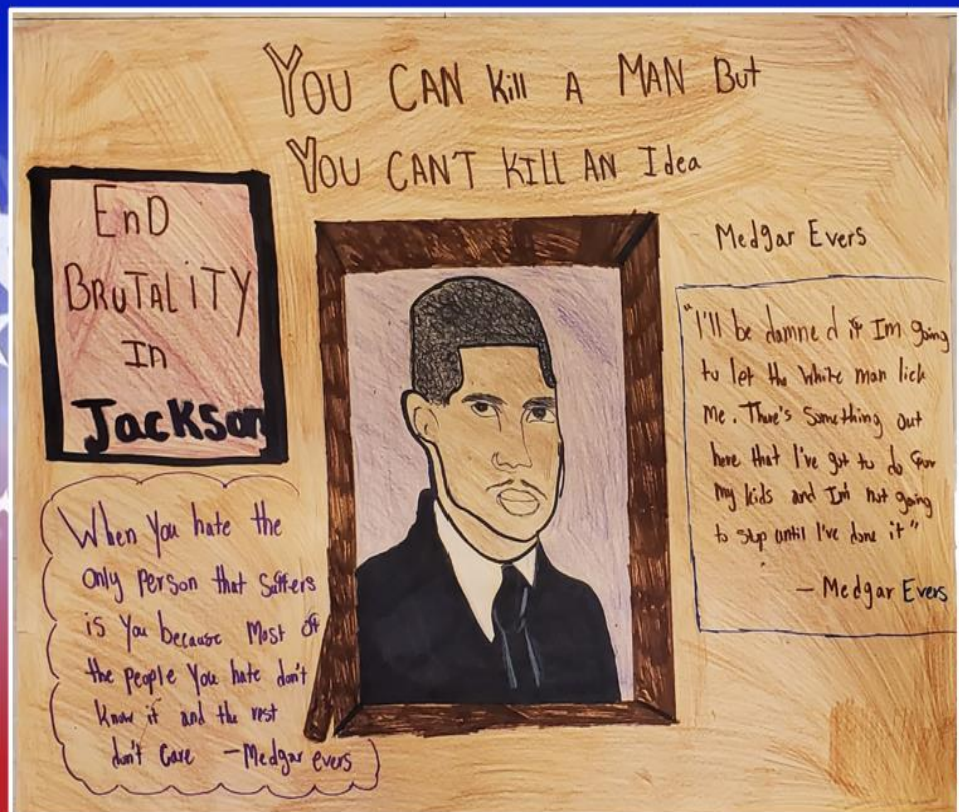


Freedom Summer 1964 Art Contest

Overall, Winner – Trinity Davis



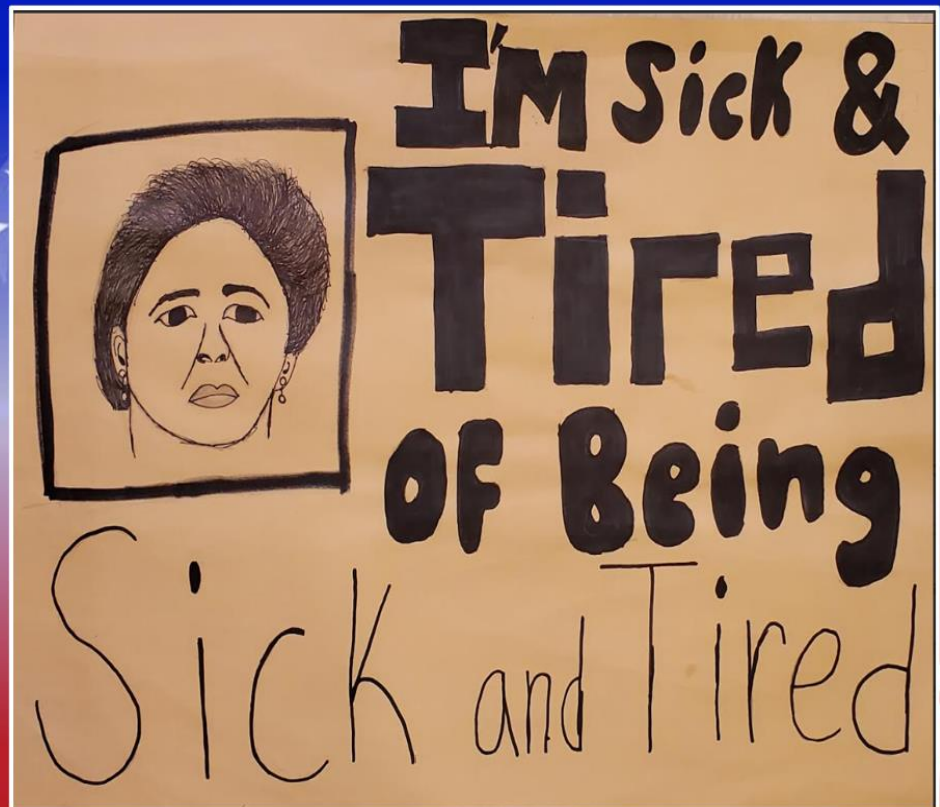
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Katherine
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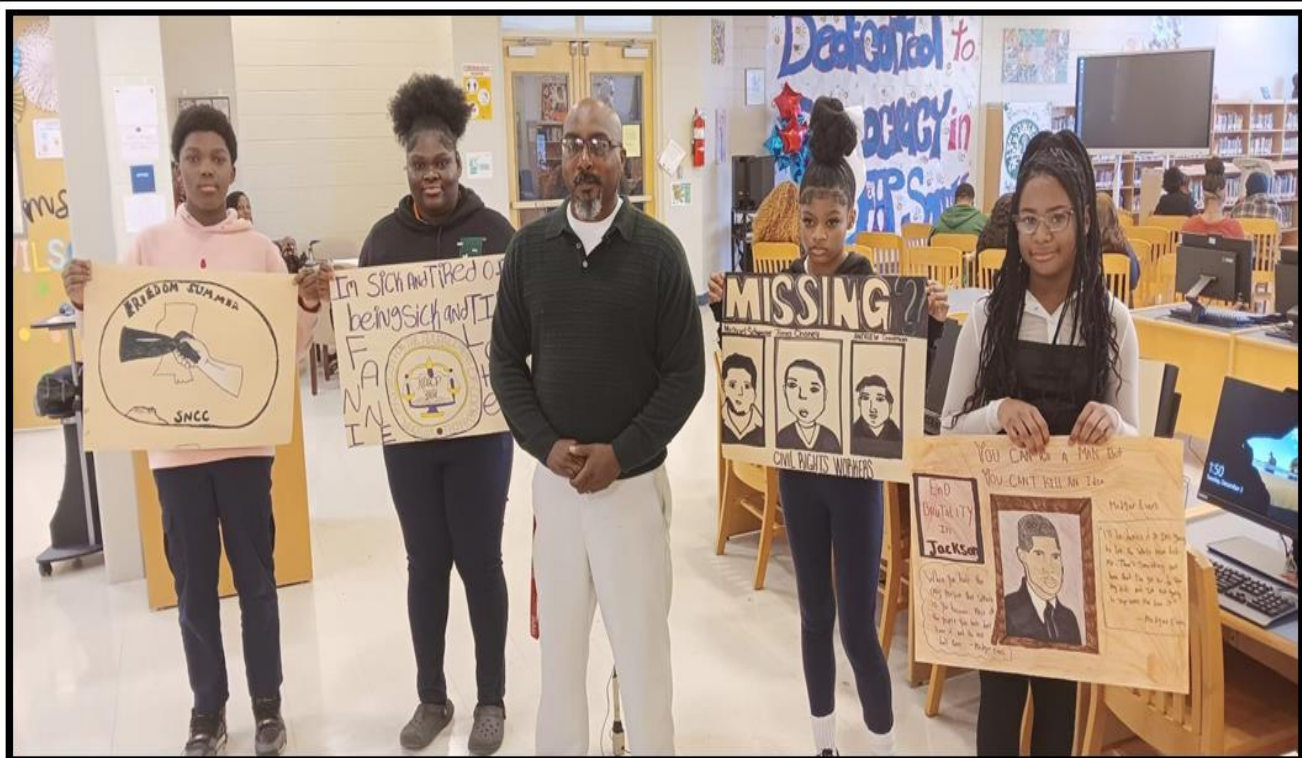




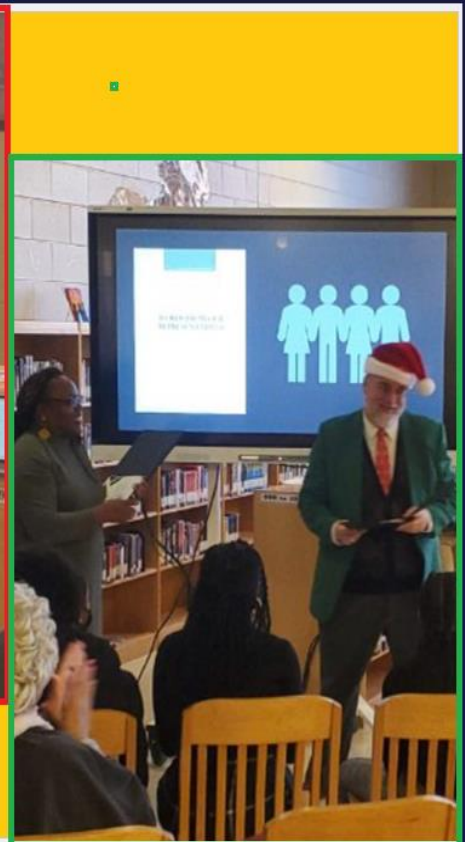
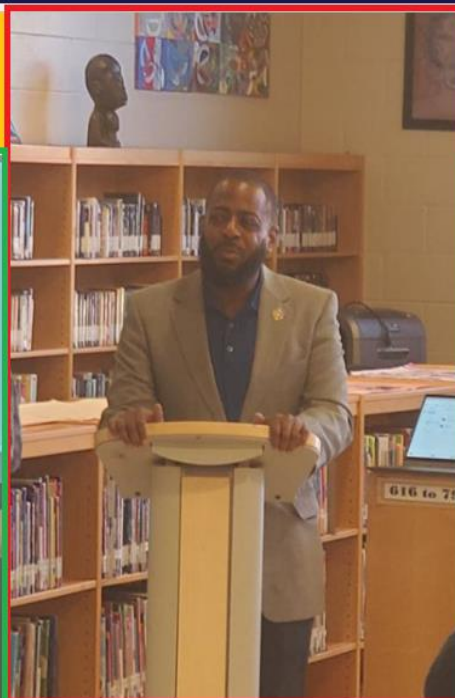
Layla Sykes

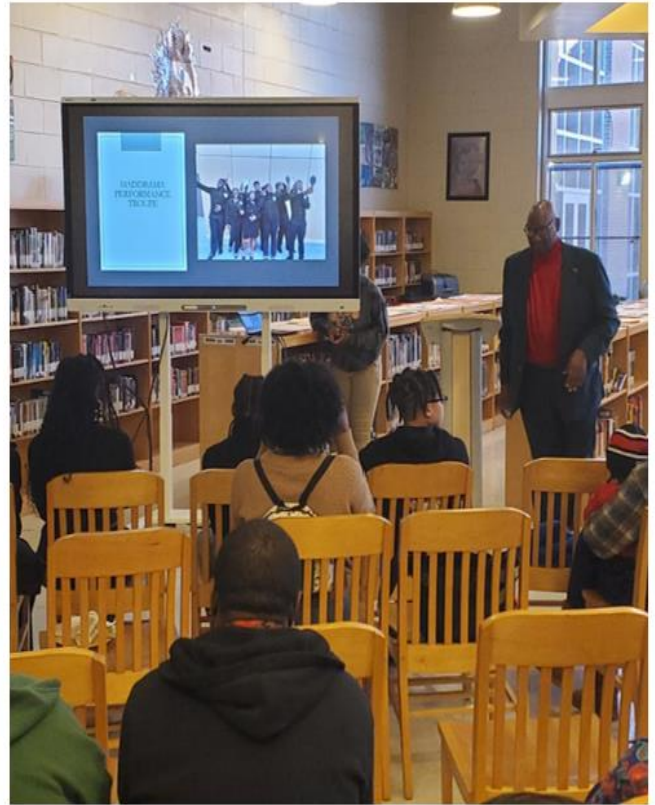


We are incredibly proud of our winners and participants for their hard work and dedication.



Ceremony Democracy in the Deep South







Thank you for your continued support and involvement in our school community. Let's keep inspiring and nurturing our students' talents!

Art Teacher **M. McGowan**



Hello, Jackson Public School Leaders and Thomas A. Cardozo Middle School Leaders,

Thank you so much for the opportunity to work with JPS's Thomas A. Cardozo Middle School for the **Dedicated to Democracy in the Deep South** project throughout the Fall 2024 semester. This project included an art contest by Cardozo Middle School students encouraging the community to vote in October 2024. In November, the work continued as an arts-integrated history project led by Cardozo art educator Myron McGowan and community partnerships coordinator Mrs. Joice Greer. In December 2024, the project culminated with an awards program to honor community members, like Representative Fabian Nelson, and others who have helped promote democracy in the Jackson community through education and the arts. This project was made possible by a mini-grant provided by Antioch Works for Democracy, the students' creativity and dedication and the tireless efforts of Mr. McGowan and Mrs. Greer. Thank you so much!

Antioch University's leader, Chancellor Chet Groves, has created a video for the Thomas A. Cardozo Middle School students and community to express our gratitude. Please find it here:

<https://vimeo.com/1037607663/9ac71bee04?share=copy>

We know that you will continue to ROAR with Excellence! Thank you so much once again.

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