The largest part of our PTA budget covers the cost of bringing Cultural Arts and Assemblies to Hammond Elementary. Please help support our fundraising efforts to continue to bring these amazing programs year after year.

#### 2015-16 Cultural Arts Assemblies

### Tobacco Free

- November 17<sup>th</sup>
- The Tobacco Free Cultural Arts Assembly is sponsored and paid for by the Howard County Health Department, with funding from the Cigarette Restitution Fund. It will take place at HES for 3rd, 4th and 5th grades students. "Stay Tobacco Free" is a fast paced, "hip-hop" musical that delivers a powerful message about the dangers of smoking. Through the course of the play, the audience learns that smoking can cause health issues. They also learn about secondhand smoke, how to talk to a smoker about quitting, and the dangers of ecigarettes.

## Pop Quiz: The Math & Science Game Show

- January 14<sup>th</sup>
- Sensational Hit Game Shows like "Are You Smarter Than a 5th Grader," "Deal or No Deal," and "Who Wants to Be a Millionaire" have captivated the public and changed the face of television. Now, Pop Quiz brings the same thrills and excitement to your school by challenging your students' knowledge of Math and Science concepts. Student contestants will encounter six challenges involving crazy props like pinwheels, targets, bean bags, and a fog machine. Each challenge reviews mathematical theory or scientific facts in a way that they will remember long after the show!

# **Prismatic Magic Laser Show**

- March 10<sup>th</sup>
- Laser Team shows students that their school is a team, and gives students a
  fresh perspective on why engaging in bullying and cyberbullying, or simply
  standing by when someone else is being bullied, is so detrimental. The program
  reinforces the key character attributes that make for a successful team i.e.,
  respect, integrity, generosity, honesty, and truth. By integrating a dynamic live
  presentation with an exciting laser show, Laser Team is well-suited for today's
  visually-oriented learners ensuring that the program has a lasting impact.

### **Fabulous Chinese Acrobats**

- May 9<sup>th</sup>
- Back again for their 16th tour, The Fabulous Chinese Acrobats are once again
  poised to bring your school the ultimate assembly program experience. Each
  year, The Bureau of Lectures insures that a new troupe of acrobats skilled in all
  new routines is on tour and this coming year promises some of the most talented
  acrobats we have ever seen. This means that if your school has had the acrobats
  perform in the past, even as recently as last year, we will be bringing an entirely
  new show to your door. As always, the acrobats will combine astounding feats of
  skill, focus, and athleticism with teaching moments of Chinese culture, language,
  and history.