

Seriously, are we gonna let these guys decide what to do with public education? Make public education into a "market"?

Do we think they really care about our children as people?

Let's take a stand.
Together we can save our schools.
Here's what we can do now:

Don't eat at McDonald's.

Don't buy Evans pork rinds.

Don't do business at: Wal-Mart, Sears, Microsoft, Walgreen's, Sara Lee, Kraft, Azteca, Chase Bank, Bank of America, Allstate

Call the people on the board of education. Tell them to quit closing neighborhood schools.

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Parents, please visit <http://pureparents.org> for information on how to fight for our schools. And visit <http://bubbleover.net> to dream of how our public neighborhood schools could be even better.

Teachers, join up at <http://coreteachers.com>

January 28th, 2009 at 3:30pm
125 S. Clark St.
Chicago Public Schools' Board of Education
again presents:

THE NEW MARKET OF PUBLIC EDUCATION



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This is the title of the Renaissance Schools Fund Symposium on May 6, 2008.

A Corporate Bazaar

Sponsored by:

Richard M. Daley, Mayor of Chicago

Arne Duncan, former CEO of CPS, now Sec. Of Ed.

CORPORATIONS ONLY.

Parents, you should attend the New Schools Expo to find out what we want you to know.

Public Ed. Bake Sale

Sponsored by:

Sandra P. Guthman, Polk Bros.

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Get your piece of the public education pie here!

Get your public education do-goodies!

Corporations only. Students, parents, teachers don't worry – each corporation will give you a piece of their piece of the pie.

Brownies, cookies with school names on them, available for “sale”. Must state you are one of the above Renaissance School Fund supporters in order to get a goodie.

Public Ed. Raffle

Sponsored by:

People's Gas and Exelon (ComEd).

Parents - your child's name has already been entered. Don't worry we'll tell you where to go.

Give out raffle ticket stubs with sponsors listed.

\$1 schools!!!

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Must go! Comes with tax dollars, sponsors, building, furniture, and some (you choose!!!) students. Certified teachers optional. (See our blanket spread with closing school report cards printed and laid out on the sidewalk for your shopping pleasure.)

Shell game

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Donald Lubin, Sonnenschein, Nath & Rosenthal

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Where'd the undesirable student go?

Learn how to keep out or get rid of those pesky special education students, English language learners, and disciplinary problems!

Raise your investments' test scores, and drive down the competition's!

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Hat Trick (aka tutoring)

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Learn how to successfully bribe students into signing up for your program.

What worked this year: McDonald's gift certificates, cheap computer giveaways, internet services.

For Sale: The Whole Thing!!!

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