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TODAY

SUPER BINGO | Chicago

St. Florian will host Super Bingo today in the school gym, 13100 S. Houston Ave. in Chicago's Hegewisch neighborhood. Doors open at noon. Games start at 1:30 p.m. The \$25 admission includes set-up and luncheon buffet. Tickets are available at the school office and at regular Sunday bingo.

FYI: Call (773) 646-2868.

BAND CONCERT | Highland

The Highland Community Concert Band will have a spring concert at 7 tonight at the Lincoln Center, 2450 Lincoln St. "Music from the Melting Pot" is the theme of the concert.

FYI: Call (219) 838-0114.

TUESDAY

ORGANIZATION AWARENESS DAY |

Lansing

Lansing Public Library, 2750 Indiana Ave., will have an open house for Lansing organizations from 10 a.m. to noon March 31. Attendees can



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Students from Glenwood School for Boys and Girls have fun at a recent fundraiser for the school. More than \$125,000 was raised to support the school's residential education and life skills program.

Community turns out to support school

BY TIMES STAFF

GLENWOOD | Glenwood School for Boys and Girls recently raised more than \$125,000 during its 16th annual Community Celebration.

Since 1994, the Community Celebration and auction have brought in more than \$2 million to fund Glenwood's residential education and life skills program.

Chairman of Glenwood's South Campus Board, Craig Stern, said the event was a success.

"It was great to see friends from the community interacting with the Glenwood

students," he said in a news release from the school.

"Whenever someone first meets a Glenwood child, their reaction is always the same: 'These are great kids. I wish my own were so well behaved.' And the kids really enjoy talking to the adults and community kids. They always express their gratitude for the opportunities they have been given at Glenwood, which makes donating to this great cause all the more gratifying."

Some of the live and silent auctions items that brought in the highest bids were those handcrafted in the school's KidShop

by the students.

The event, formerly called Family Celebration & Auction, was co-hosted by Rogers & Hollands Jewelers, The Horton Group and Local 881 UFCW.

As a special addition this year, Harris Bank Homewood-Flossmoor President Jeanna Bridges presented two Harris Bank Community Hero Awards to longtime Glenwood employees.

The Harris Bank Community Hero Award honors individuals who have made a difference in their communities and treats them to VIP treatment at a Chicago Bulls game.