Local Organization Honor’s Marvin Blye with Billboard

Consultant, accountant, professorship, full time student? What else does Marvin Blye do? Marvin Blye is an avid volunteer! In December, Blye was honored for his service to the Maryland Eastern Shore community with pictorial coverage on a Billboard. The billboard is located on one the most visible throughways of the shore and is sure to be seen by many.

Kudos to Blye on his personal and professional commitment to philanthropy and service.

Second Year Student Offer’s words of wisdom….

Second year student, Ron Siers offers the following letter of encouragement to first year students:

I hope that each of you have stayed the course, stayed in the moment and successfully completed your first fall semester for the Cohort of 2008.

I remember the sense of accomplishment, relief, and anxiety that our cohort members felt after the first fall semester. Stay focused and be sure to continue to read, research, and ponder your eventual dissertation. Be sure to take the seminal works away from each of your courses. This will really help you during your comprehensive exams.

If you are fortunate enough to know what you would like to research for the dissertation, begin to collect organizational and leadership theories, approaches and styles NOW! Start building that literature review that you will need for Chapter 2 of the Dissertation.

Continue to support, encourage, and empower each other throughout the time off before the spring semester. Be sure that all cohort members have registered properly and professors have been contacted for updated Syllabi and Textbooks.

Be sure to celebrate your cohort’s fall success! “It is good to have an end to journey towards, but it is the journey that matters in the end” (LeGuin, 1929). Enjoy the journey!

Continue to believe in each other and yourself! Stick to your Goals! Articulate them to others! Contact each other for inspiration and empowerment! I wish you all continued success!
What’s on your I-pod?  What are you listening to…?

Ever wonder what your cohort classmate’s are listening to? Here is what some of your classmates had to say…

Anything by Jennifer Hudson (Marvin Blye)

“Anything Beyonce and Jay-Z” (Unique Morris)

“Thirsty” by Marvin Sapp (Lisa Johnson)