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Greetings Friend of Charleston Promise Neighborhood!

From all of us here at CPN, we hope your holidays are wonderful! This year has been exciting for the Neighborhood, with positive strides made at all of our schools. To that end, please don't forget that you can [double the impact](#) of your donation if you give to CPN before December 31st, and help us meet our generous donor's \$50,000 challenge. Every gift counts, so please [click here](#) to make your donation today.

Enjoy this special time of year, and thank you for being part of the Promise!



Goodbye 2016, and here's looking at 2017!!

Sanders-Clyde Goes Walking in a Winter Wonderland...of Art!

On Thursday, December 15th, CPN co-hosted Family Arts Night with Sanders-Clyde, as students wrapped up "Celebrating the Arts" Week, just before the holiday break.

Hundreds were in attendance, as students shared with their families what they learned from six week-long visiting "Artists in Residence." Becky Becker, a puppeteer, shared her passion in the art of story telling. DancED instructors worked with students and their families on the fundamentals of dance, while Patrick Marzett of PlanetMarz fused technology with art as he taught the basics of 3D graphic design in the computer lab. Arianne King-Comer shared the history of Indigo in South Carolina, and turned a history lesson into an experiential learning art creation as students and families dyed their own pieces in Indigo. Music took center stage as Mr. Mickey taught families how to create and play their own flutes, and Chambers Austelle (artist-in-residence at Sanders-Clyde currently working with middle school students on a mural for the Media Center) offered drawing lessons for interested students and families. What a perfect way to start the holiday break!



Sanders-Clyde family at Family Arts Night

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