

DAILY ANNOUNCEMENT

Friday, February 15, 2019

Our Thought for the Day is:

“Nearly all men can stand adversity, but if you want to test a man’s character, give him power.” – Abraham Lincoln

Black History Month Reading:

Lonnie G. Johnson is a former Air Force and NASA engineer who invented the massively popular Super Soaker water gun.

African-American engineer and inventor Lonnie G. Johnson was born in Alabama in 1949. He earned his master's degree in nuclear engineering from Tuskegee University, and went on to work for the U.S. Air Force and the NASA space program. After tinkering with the invention of a high-powered water gun, Johnson's Super Soaker became a top-selling item by the early 1990s. He has since been developing the Johnson Thermoelectric Energy Converter (JTEC), an engine that converts heat directly into electricity, which Johnson's sees as the path to low-cost solar power.

Mrs. Belknap would like to remind everyone to be kind, be responsible, and be the best that you can be today. The choice is yours.