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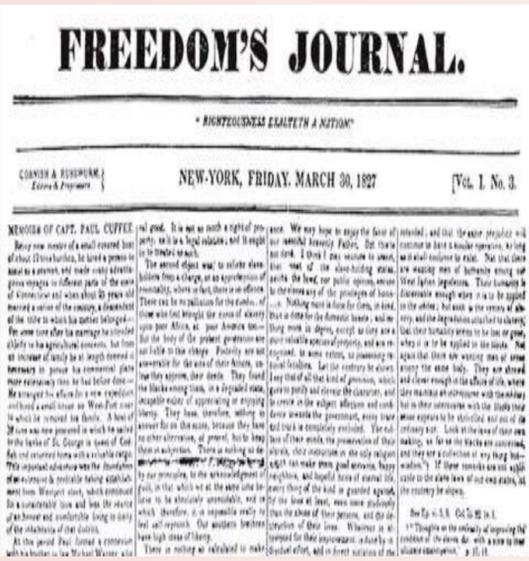
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FREEDOM'S JOURNAL: THE 1ST AFRICAN AMERICAN NEWSPAPER



Founded on March 16, 1827 as a four-page, four-column standard-sized weekly, Freedom's Journal was the first black-owned and operated newspaper in the United States, and was established the same year that slavery was abolished in New York State. Begun by a group of free black men in New York City, the paper served to counter racist commentary published in the mainstream press. Samuel E. Cornish and John B. Russwurm served, respectively, as its senior and junior editors.

Russwurm became sole editor of Freedom's Journal following the resignation of Cornish in September 1827, and began to promote the colonization movement. The majority of the newspaper's readers did not support the paper's radical shift in support of colonization, and in March 1829, Freedom's Journal ceased publication. Soon after, Russwurm emigrated to the American Colonization Society of Liberia, and became governor of the Maryland Colony. Cornish returned and attempted to revive the newspaper in May 1829 under the new name "The Rights of All," but the paper folded after less than a year. Freedom's Journal's two-year existence, however, helped spawn other papers. By the start of the Civil War over 40 black-owned and operated papers had been established throughout the United States.

United We Stand... Divided We Fall!!!

(This media has called for unity and togetherness for the last decade, hoping to reach the goal of a better society.)

At this time in history, it is imperative that Hispanics, Blacks, Whites and all races work together to accomplish a sense of unity. For several years, this media has called for the togetherness of all people -- white, black, brown, red, etc.

As members of a civilized society, our mission must be to motivate, educate and elevate all people. Whites, Blacks, Hispanics, Native Americans and other minorities can no longer afford to be divided. All must equally be given an opportunity to elevate themselves. Therefore, the cry is neither Black nor White; rather, it is for the right. Studies have revealed that it is not the Black race that dominates the welfare rolls, nor is it the Blacks with the highest percentage of social diseases. Let us not fall prey to the propaganda that Blacks alone are in need of rising from the ashes of despair. All races must improve their social and educational status.

Facing the complexities of the Twenty-First Century, our beloved country can no longer be about seclusion, separation and segregation. This country was founded on the right to be free in speech, assembly, education and religion, and on that premise, the United States of America emerged into a strong country, but the country is now threatened from within because of the spirit of division. With the percentage of Blacks and other minorities projected to dominate the workforce during the next decade, we need to start now to prepare people who can compete. If that potential workforce is denied access to education and the mainstream, how then can we expect to keep America secure, prosperous and stable? Too much is at stake. We can no longer afford to be divided. The economic, education and social pie must be shared -- not only as a matter of justice, but of necessity.

While there is no strength in the division of a country, there is a mighty fortress in a country united. Does it not make good sense to strive to live together in harmony for the safety and success of us all? Our national security demands it. United we will stand, but divided, we shall ultimately fall.

Beauty of the Week

Mrs. Jacklyn D. Stocker

The Dallas Post Tribune has chosen Mrs. Jacklyn D. Stocker as beauty of the week. Mrs. Stocker is a proud member of the Inspiring Body of Christ Church. She loves to encourage and inspire others in the Word of God. Mrs. Stocker attended Linden-Kildare ISD in Linden, Texas. She graduated from AstroDome Dental School in Houston, Texas and is a registered cosmetic dental assistant for a private practice in Highland Park. Mrs. Stocker is the mother of two, Lauren and Reginald both currently serving in the United States Air Force, of whom she is very proud of. She is the daughter of Mrs. Luevenia and Mr. Bennie Butler of Kildare, Texas. Mrs. Stocker is truly grateful to God for all the success in her life.

Super Bowl XLVI

New York Giants vs. New England Patriots

Sunday, February 5, 2012
5:25 p.m on NBC

News You Ought To Know

(AP)-Etta James was remembered at a service Saturday, January 28, 2012, attended by hundreds of friends, family and fans as a woman who triumphed against all odds to break down cultural and musical barriers in a style that was unflinchingly honest. The Rev. Al Sharpton eulogized James in a rousing speech, describing her remarkable rise from poverty and pain to become a woman whose music became an enduring anthem for weddings and commercials.

(AP) - The head of the FBI's Dallas field office is planning to retire from the agency after five years in command, an agency spokeswoman said Monday. Robert E. Casey will leave the bureau April 30 to take a job in the private sector, FBI spokeswoman Lydia Maese said. She declined to say where Casey was going.

Timbuktu, also spelled TOMBOUCTOU, is a city in the West African nation of Mali. It is historically important as a post on the trans-Saharan caravan route. It is located on the southern edge of the Sahara, about 8 mi (13km) north of the Niger River. Timbuktu is the most remote and isolated part of the world. But 500 years ago, Timbuktu was the legendary city of gold. It was a transit point and a financial and trading center for trade across the Sahara. It dominated the gold trade. It was a place of mystery and faraway riches.

On January 2, 2012, Soledad O'Brien's new program aired on CNN entitled, "Starting Point." Her new show fills in the 7-9AM slot left after the demise of the American Morning Block. CNN has referred to the shows as being a "conversational ensemble" with O'Brien at the center.

Texas has poured \$169 million in taxpayers' money into high-tech commercial ventures since 2006, and those firms have created 820 jobs in Texas, according to a report Gov. Rick Perry's office released Monday, January 30, 2012. That is \$206,097 per job.

A Southern heritage group that has lost two battles to get the state to sell as Confederate flag license play is taking the fight to court again. African American leaders have been vocal about their opposition of the plate and remain convinced that Texas will beat the Confederate group in court.

WHY CELEBRATE BLACK HISTORY MONTH?

Americans have recognized black history annually since 1926, first as "Negro History Week" and later as "Black History Month". What you might not know is that black history had barely begun to be studied or even documented when the tradition originated. Although blacks have been in America at least as far back as colonial times, it was not until the 20th century that they gained a respectable presence in the history books.

We owe the celebration of Black History Month, and more importantly, the study of black history, to Dr. Carter G. Woodson. Born to parents who were former slaves, he spent his childhood working in the Kentucky coalmines and enrolled in high school at age twenty. He graduated within two years and later went on to earn a Ph.D. from Harvard. The scholar was disturbed to find in his studies that history books largely ignored the black American population-and when blacks did figure into the picture, it was generally in ways that reflected the inferior social position they were assigned at the time.

Woodson taught at Howard University but left after he recognized the need for a mass approach to the study of history. Always one to act on his ambitions, he decided to take on the challenge of writing black Americans into the nation's history. He is the author of "The Miseducation of the Negro", published during the height of the Great Depression in 1933.

He established the Association for the Study of Negro Life and History (now called the Association for the Study of Afro-American Life and History) in 1915, and a year later founded the widely respected "Journal of Negro History". In 1926, he launched Negro History Week as an initiative to bring national attention to the contributions of black people throughout American history. Woodson chose the second week of February for Negro History Week because it marks the birthdays of two men who greatly influenced the black American population, Frederick Douglass and Abraham Lincoln. Black History Month was established in 1976, fifty years after the first celebration, by Afro-Americans for the Study of Afro-American Life and History.

Today, it is celebrated annually in the United States and Canada in the month of February, while in the UK it is held in the month of October. Several great Canadian cities such as Halifax, Toronto, Calgary and Vancouver emphasize Black History Month. The relentless work of Carter G. Woodson has therefore not been in vain. Dr. Carter G. Woodson died on April 3 1950 in Washington. Due to his everlasting contribution to destroying historical racial stereotypes and to reestablishing human dignity to people of African descent, he has earned the well-deserved title of the "Father of Black History".

The Father of Black History

Dr. Carter G. Woodson

Credit for the evolving awareness of the true place of Blacks in history can, in large part, be bestowed on one man, Dr. Carter G. Woodson. And, his brainchild the Association for the Study of African American Life and History, Inc. is continuing Woodson's tradition of disseminating information about Black life, history and culture to the global community.

Known as the "Father of Black History," Woodson (1875-1950) was the son of former slaves, and understood how important gaining a proper education is when striving to secure and make the most out of one's divine right of freedom. Although he did not begin his formal education until he was 20 years old, his dedication to study enabled him to earn a high school diploma in West Virginia and bachelor and master's degrees from the University of Chicago in just a few years.

In 1912, Woodson became the second African American to earn a PhD at Harvard University.

Source: The Association for the Study of African American Life and History About ASALH: Established on September 9, 1915 by Dr. Carter G. Woodson, ASALH continues Dr. Woodson's legacy of speaking a fundamental truth to the world-that Africans and peoples of African descent are makers of history and co-workers in what W.E.B. Du Bois called "The Kingdom of Culture."



YOUTH TODAY



Dallas ISD Proud



Name: Lilliana Chavez
School: Middle College High School
Class of: 2013
Activities: Dallas ISD Teen Board Secretary, Junior Class President, Ambassador, Phi Theta Kappa
Role Model(s): My parents, teachers, coaches (Vent, Chadbourne)
Favorite movie or book: "Water for Elephants" by Sara Gruen
Plans after high school: Attend Midwestern State University or join the U.S. Army
Why I am proud of my school: My school makes me proud for several reasons. I have wonderful, enthusiastic teachers who teach me the skills I need to know to expand my learning as well as peers who encourage me and assist me. I am fortunate to belong to such a wonderful school that will provide me with an Associate's Degree in Science before I graduate high school. Not many other students get that opportunity, so I'm really proud of that. My education will help me reach my goals and obtain a better future.

Name: Albert Mata
School: Moises E. Molina High School
Class of: 2012
Activities: Dallas ISD Teen Board, Senior Class President, Academic Decathlon Team, football
Role Model(s): My mom and my football coach
Favorite movie or book: "The Great Gatsby" by F. Scott Fitzgerald
Plans after high school: Attend Rice University
Why I'm proud of my school: I am proud to be a student at Molina High School because it is a place where all different kinds of people can be together and interact without stereotypes getting in the way. It is a place where athletes, glee club members, top students, and students of all races can sit at lunch together and enjoy each other's company.

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National Hispanic Caucus of State Legislators Announce 2012-2013 Newly Elected Leadership

National Hispanic Caucus of State Legislators anuncia nuevas autoridades electas 2012-2013

At the National Hispanic Caucus of State Legislators (NHCSL) Ninth National Summit held in Fajardo, Puerto Rico; the Nominations Committee announced the newly-elected officers of the NHCSL Executive Committee for 2012-2013. NHCSL members present at the 2011 Annual Meeting held in Puerto Rico on November 19th, 2011, elected the candidates to represent the organization's leadership

Hispanic Caucus of State Legislators (Caucus Nacional Hispano de Legisladores Estatales; NHCSL, según sus siglas en inglés), celebrada en Fajardo (Puerto Rico), el Comité de Nominaciones anunció los funcionarios del Comité Ejecutivo del NHCSL recientemente electos para el período 2012-2013. Los miembros del NHCSL presentes en la Asamblea Anual 2011 que se celebró en Puerto Rico el 19 de noviembre de 2011 eligieron a los siguientes candidatos como representantes de la dirección de la organización.

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En la Novena Cumbre Nacional del National

EDITORIAL PAGE

LETTER TO THE EDITOR:

Dear Editor:
New Texas law, don't use cell-

phones in school zones.
(This includes talking or texting)

Slow down in school zones and be on the lookout for kids. The pedestrian always has the right of way. Wear your seat belt. If you do get a ticket, take a defensive driving class for that ticket. Defensive driving can now be taken in person or online. LubbockClass.com (With the courts permission) Thank You Billy Durham Easy Defensive Driving (On Facebook)

Sincerely,
Billy Durham

A Little Bit of Faith: Be A Finisher



By Colleen White

"I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith" (2 Timothy 4:7). When Paul was coming toward

the end of his life, he had no regrets. This is why he says that he has "fought the good fight" in 2 Timothy 4:7. Paul had finished what he believed he had to do for Christ. Paul was able to reflect upon his life as a Christian and know that what he had done in the name of Jesus Christ was important and relevant.

All of us who call ourselves Christians should be like Paul. We should know what it is that God desires us to do and we should have the fortitude and strength of character to finish the

good work that the Father wants us to do. In your life, have you been a finisher or do you put things off until another time? I believe our Heavenly Father wants us to be finishers. I believe He desires us to seek out what He wants us to do for His kingdom, and His people, and be willing to complete the task. I don't believe that Christ would want us to start and stop thousands of different things we were not really sure He wanted us to do. Often, we try to do things for Christ because it seems like the right

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Rev. John Calvin Smith

In the Old and New Testament, the writers did not endeavor to prove the existence of God. It was a fact taken for granted. A God that needed to be verified is simply not awesome at all! Our God is grand and awesome because He is a God who is self-existent (Exodus 3:14) and really the essence of all life (John 5:26). There are several Naturalistic Theories advanced to verify the existence of God. We will consider, and I do mean consider, only two of them. The first theory is the Cosmological Theory, and this theory argues from cause to effect. For instance, in the creation of this vast universe, the argument purports that the universe is marvelous and has effect: there-

fore, there is only one sufficient cause; and the only sufficient cause is Almighty God. Another line of argument is the Teleological argument. This argument says that every design must have a designer; the universe has design; therefore, God is the only sufficient designer. Whereas, these are good arguments for the establishment of the existence of God, they are very limited. Along with those arguments, there are two lines of revelation by which God has chosen to reveal Himself. Thank God that He took the initiative to reveal Himself to frail and mortal man! Through "general revelation," we come to understand that God gave birth to this magnificent universe. This universe reveals that God is a God of remarkable wisdom and power; yet as a form of revelation, it is limited, for it does not reveal the limitless and extent of God's love. Another form of revelation is "special

"A SURVEY OF THE BOOK OF ROMANS"

ROMANS 8:1 Our Great God

revelation." God has communicated Himself through the scriptures? We have come to understand truths about God through the very bible in which we read from. God is described by His various names, which are called attributes. Attributes are essential characteristics of a person or thing in essence, those essential qualities or features by which you describe a person or thing. There are three basic names for our "Great God in the O.T. The first name is "Yahweh." The name of God is seen in connection with the God of creation (Genesis 2:4). Its meaning is made plain when I view Exodus 3:13-14. In those verses, God is seen as - "I AM THAT I AM", that is the "self-existent One, the Eternal God." The second fundamental name for God is "Elohim." This name for God is used most often in the O.T. and is used for the first time in Genesis 1:1 - for the name carries the idea of the "strong

one." It is the plural word for God and includes all members of the God-head (Genesis 3:22, Genesis 1:26, Genesis 11:4). The third name for God is "Adonai," which means "Master or Lord, as used in Genesis 15:2. Through other names of God derived from these primary names, we discover our "Great, Great God was revealed to finite man through His attributes. Many theologians divide these qualities of God into two categories: The Natural attributes of God would include, "His": omniscience, omnipotence, omnipresence, and eternity. The Moral attributes of God would include, "His": Holiness, righteousness, faithfulness, Mercy, Loving-kindness and love. As I conclude this article, I am glad that God has self disclosed Himself to us.

May God Bless!

Sensible Sue's Rhetoric - When it Comes to Respect you get what you Give

Source: Westside Gazette
Sometimes when I think about some of us as a people, I just have to shake my head and wonder to myself, where in the world did we go wrong? I mean, what has happened to us? Black people are some of the heartiest, most intellectual, ingenious, creative, and inspiring people on the planet Earth. We hail from royalty, and many of our people have left footprints so deeply embedded into the faces of mankind and humanity, that they will never be rivaled by any other human.

Being that we as a people have such a rich history and are a people blessed with so much potential, I just cannot understand why it is that some of us insist on showing the rest of the world just how ignorant, lazy, and ghetto we can be. I just don't get the attitudes of some of us.

A recent visit to a local Wal-Mart left me bewildered, angry, and with a migraine so powerful, that I am almost positive I could compare it to labor pains.

First of all, I was absolutely appalled and beyond disgusted as I walked through the store, because every item that I went there to buy could not be found on the shelves. Now if this had been something that I had experienced just that one time at this particular store, I could have over looked the situation

at hand, but the thing is, not being able to find the items listed in advertisements had become a constant in this store. And if that didn't beat all, while standing in line, I was indirectly, but verbally accosted never the less, by a cashier who apparently was more than ready to take her break, but I was standing in the way of her and her few, and obviously much needed moments of solitude.

Instead of the cashier telling me that she was about to go on her break and asking me to step over to another line, she began to argue with the customer in front of me about whether or not I had entered her line before she flipped her light off. The cashier never once addressed me. To avoid a verbal confrontation, because at that point, I was a woman on the edge, I just moved to another line, and commented that I was standing in the most ghetto Wal-Mart on the planet, and I was given an amen from a few other customers, who also had complaints.

The thing that is the most infuriating is the fact that there is another Wal-Mart in the area that I frequent as well, and when I shop there, the items that I go there to find, can always be found on the shelves, and the people that work there act as though they actually care about their jobs, as well as their customers. The very noticeable difference

between the two stores... one store caters to and is frequented by minorities, and the other is not.

Now one might think that in this day and age that folks living in the good old United States of America would be beyond all of that, but we aren't and there is a reason for that. The way that stores choose to stock their shelves and the environments that they create, has everything to do with us, our behaviors, and how we choose to present ourselves. Going to stores with rollers in your hair, while dragging your feet in some tired old house shoes, wearing pants so tight that if they were your skin color one might mistake that you were naked. Yelling Ebonics all over the place as you shop, are the types of things that lead the decision makers of major retailers to make some of the decisions that they make regarding stores located in certain areas. If you present yourself to be an ignorant, loud mouthed, I just don't care about anything or anybody beast of burden, then retailers will base their marketing strategies and goals on the consumers that they serve.

When the folks who frequent certain stores act as though they couldn't give a care about anything, why is it then that any of us should expect that the folks who are charged with serving us should give a damn either. We

have to learn that presentation is everything, and we have got to learn to do better, and we should want to do and be better.

Many of us are always preaching about respect, but the reality of it is when it comes to respect, you get what you give, and ultimately what you deserve. We cannot demand that the stores that we spend our money in do any better in regards to reasonably meeting the demands of supply and demand when we, the customers act and look as though we just came off of a street corner located in one of the most thuggish areas of town. We should not expect them to hire cashiers who greet us, offer up any pleasantries, or act as though they want to be there.

As for me, I am not so inclined to spend my money in places that don't respect me enough to stock the shelves, and who hire people who if they were to develop a personality of a rock would actually be improved. Listen we have to do better in regards to how we behave, and then we will have a better foundation to stand on in regards to holding the retailers accountable who misuse and abuse us.

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By Marc Morial
NNPA Columnist

No nation can long continue to flourish or to find its way to a better society while it allows any one of its citizens...to be denied the right to participate in the most fundamental of all privileges of democracy - the right to vote." Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.

On Monday, January 16th, America celebrated what would have been the 83rd birthday of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. The day will be marked from coast-to-coast with parades, speeches, and pilgrimages to the new King Memorial on the National Mall. But in the midst of this outpouring of praise,

Dr. King's Voting Rights Legacy Under Attack

there is a sinister movement afoot to undo one of Dr. King's hardest fought victories - the removal of discriminatory barriers to voting and the passage of the Voting Rights Act signed into law by President Lyndon Johnson in 1965.

In Dr. King's day, billy clubs, cattle prods and guns kept African Americans away from the polls. Today, new voter restriction laws on the books or in the works in at least 34 states could deny the right to vote to more than 5 million Americans this year. These laws include new photo ID requirements, elimination of early voting, bans on voting by out-of-state college students, and roll-backs of voting rights for ex-felons who have paid their debts to society. Florida has even eliminated voting on the Sunday before Election Day which has traditionally been a day when African American churches organized "souls to the polls" drives for their congregations.

The mostly conservative proponents of these new laws claim they are meant to pre-

vent widespread fraud - the casting of ballots by people who are not legally eligible to vote. But both the Bush and Obama Justice Departments have looked and not found significant voter fraud in American elections. So let's be clear - the real reason behind this spate of new laws is to suppress the votes of people likely to support progressive candidates and issues - African Americans, Latinos, young people, the elderly and people with disabilities. This is unconscionable. It is un-American. And it dishonors the sacrifices of generations of Americans who have fought and died to extend the right to vote to every citizen.

Fortunately, a growing number of Americans are fighting back. On December 10th, the National Urban League joined the NAACP and a coalition of civil rights groups at a "Stand for Freedom" march and rally at the United Nations to protest this blatant attack on voting rights. Attorney General Eric Holder has also expressed concern about the legality of some of these new

laws. Recently, the Justice Department struck down a voter ID law in South Carolina and Holder promises to continue to monitor these attempts and stop them when they violate the law. But beating back these efforts will require citizen vigilance and action.

In a recent speech at the LBJ Library and Museum in Austin, Texas, Holder urged Americans to "Speak out. Raise awareness about what's at stake. Call on our political parties to resist the temptation to suppress certain votes in the hope of attaining electoral success and...urge policymakers at every level to reevaluate our election systems - and to reform them in ways that encourage, not limit, participation."

We agree. We must not let the hard-won voting rights secured by Dr. King, John Lewis, LBJ and so many others slip away.

Marc H. Morial is President and CEO of the National Urban League



BY ESTER DAVIS, EDTV

Major General James L. Williams, USMC, worked in the White House as a Marine military aide during the Ronald Reagan administration. He was there when President Reagan was shot. The commander of the 4th Marine Division, is one of the largest military units on the globe. His unit was activated for Desert Storm and split up into three groups. Now after thirty(30)years he is retired and resides in Dallas. His message at the recent veteran recognition program was pow-

erful and still resonates with the attendees.

At the Texas African American Veterans Recognition Program we had a record number of commissioned officers including Major General Williams, and two(2)other highly decorated United States Generals. (Pictures and names in last week's paper). The three(3)United States Generals totaled more than one hundred years of service to our country, in the same room with one hundred Junior ROTC cadets from DISD schools, one hundred veterans from across the State of Texas, pastors who served in the military and community royalty.

The VIP Reception was held in the Presidential Suite, while Lt. Colonel Bob Davis, DISD Administrator, escorted students cadets to their assigned tables.

Each table had an equal number of cadets and veterans, which everyone recognized as such an excellent idea. Carefully orchestrated, each veteran was adorned with an engraved medallion upon arrival and a special recognition from the City of Dallas. Our acknowledgment of other high ranking officers included two lieutenant colonels, three majors, a master sergeant and more.

This event was especially significant because it was one hundred percent supported by community royalty. Many special thanks to Fred Waheed, Waheed Historical Photography Museum, who created a memory lane showcase of all photos. Special thanks to the print press for coverage, our internet, business and television partners.



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February 2 - 8

ARIES
A happy week is in store for sociable you. Lots of friends and a party or two or three will keep your energy bright. Use caution while driving and watch for a pleasant surprise or two this week. **Soul Affirmation:** Trust gives me a deep sense of peace and joy. **Lucky Numbers:** 18, 21, 37

TAURUS
Lots of creative energy available this week, and you can use this in many creative ways. Whatever your heart tells you to focus on, focus on that. Maintain emotional balance by taking periodic breaks from your work. **Soul Affirmation:** True friendship is a mirror into which I look to see the beauty of my inner self. **Lucky Numbers:** 9, 13, 30

GEMINI
Your sense of self is feeling unusually well-defined. And it's causing you to look confident. People will notice your regal bearing and noble outlook this week. **Soul Affirmation:** My emotions provide me a pathway into the sunshine of my being. **Lucky Numbers:** 17, 29, 45

CANCER
Love gets you back on an even keel, and you feel balance and much appreciation for all of the blessings in your life. Your creativity is soaring; let some of your wilder ideas free and watch them fly. **Soul Affirmation:** Being true to others is the way to be true to myself. **Lucky Numbers:** 13, 29, 40

LEO
Who is your spiritual family? Celebrate your life with these people this week. Offer praise and grace-filled vibrations, and share your blessings. Things on the mundane level are clearing up and working out perfectly. **Soul Affirmation:** I enjoy discovering new territory this week. **Lucky Numbers:** 12, 14, 29

VIRGO
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LIBRA
Your sense of self is feeling unusually well-defined. And it's causing you to look confident. People will notice your regal bearing and noble outlook this week. **Soul Affirmation:** My emotions provide me a pathway into the sunshine of my being. **Lucky Numbers:** 17, 29, 45

SCORPIO
The week may start off cloudy but will soon turn bright if you keep your outlook positive and your thoughts on higher, more optimistic ideas. Be thankful for your wise and generous heart. You have a shining spirit. **Soul Affirmation:** Jewelry reflects the beauty of my feelings about myself. **Lucky Numbers:** 8, 45, 51

SAGITTARIUS
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CAPRICORN
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AQUARIUS
Sometimes, a path down the middle is better than taking sides in an issue that may lead to discomposure of your emotional harmony. Your challenge this week is to double-check arrangements or tasks that others say they have done. Be discreet, but if it involves your schedule or needs, do check twice. **Soul Affirmation:** I enjoy learning new things about myself this week. **Lucky Numbers:** 22, 38, 42

PISCES
Your mind is sending bubbles to the top of your consciousness, signaling the imminent arrival of a couple of brilliant ideas. These ideas may even come as you are in your bubble bath or asleep in your comfy bed, so keep a notepad and pen nearby at all times to capture those impressions as they make themselves known to you. **Soul Affirmation:** I master fear by knowing that all is well. **Lucky Numbers:** 1, 33, 35

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

FEBRUARY 2012

TOP LADIES OF DISTINCTION, INC.

Top Ladies of Distinction, Inc., Dallas Chapter in partnership with the African American Repertory Theater presents the blockbuster play (Free Man of Color) by Charles Smith. The play takes place at, The Corner Theater, 211 East Pleasant Run, DeSoto, TX 75115. Tickets are \$15 each for the Matinee @ 2:30 p.m. on Sunday, February 12, 2012. For tickets, please contact: Caritha Smith - (214) 573-8264 day, or (214) 908-8048 evenings also Evelyn Ramsey - (469) 360-5452.

BLOOD PRESSURE MONITORING EDUCATION BY VNA FEBRUARY 15

Vivienne Armstrong, a registered nurse with the Visiting Nurse Association, will be presenting information on blood pressure monitoring at home February 15 at 10:30 a.m. at the DeSoto Senior Activity Center on

204 Lion Street in DeSoto. The program is free and open to individuals 60 years of age or older. For additional information contact Vivienne Armstrong, R.N., health promotion program coordinator with the Visiting Nurse Association, at 214-689-2230 or armstrongv@vnatexas.org.

URBAN LEAGUE OF GREATER DALLAS

Tuesday, February 7, 2012
Mark your calendars and set the day, the Urban League of Greater Dallas will offer HIV/AIDS testing in conjunction with National Black HIV/AIDS Awareness Day at its headquarters, 4315 S. Lancaster Road from 9 am to 3 pm. There will be a panel discussion on HIV/AIDS in Our Community with leading health professionals from 11 am to 1 pm. Prostate screenings will also be available.

Tuesday, February 7, 2012
The Methodist Health System Mobile Mammography Unit will provide mammograms at the

Urban League of Greater Dallas Headquarters, 4315 S. Lancaster Road from 9 am to 3 pm. To qualify for a mammogram you must be 39 years or older with no breast implants and have no current breast problems. Call (214) 915-4624 to schedule your appointment. Most insurance plans are accepted including Medicare Part B and Medicaid. Financial assistance will be available for those who qualify but you must schedule your appointment.

Mentors Needed

If you want to make a difference in the lives of our youth be a mentor. The Urban League of Greater Dallas Junior Academy program is in need of mentors to promote academic excellence and support positive behaviors. If you or anyone you know has a sincere desire to see the genius in our youth, 9th through 11th grades, please call the Urban League Education Department at (214) 915-4600.

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Dallas ISD School Board Votes to Close and Consolidate Schools



Last Thursday, the Dallas Independent School Board voted to close and consolidate 11 schools, mostly in the southern sector of Dallas. The consolidations will reduce \$11.5 million in the DISD operating budget. The consolidation proposal created a loud response in local communities to keep the various schools open.

Nine of the schools are elementary schools, two are middle school campuses. The schools to be consolidated with other campuses include: City Park Elementary School, Julia C. Frazier Elementary School; Phyllis Wheatley Elementary School; N. W. Harlee Elementary School, Arlington Park Elementary School, James B. Bonham Elementary School; Oran M. Roberts Elementary School; D. A. Haley Middle School; H. S. Thompson Elementary School; and during the 2013-2014 school year, Pearl C. Anderson Middle School.

The Board Room was full to capacity as well as overflow in other rooms with parents, students, and local activists in attendance to voice their opinion. There were 57 speak-

ers present asking the School Board not to close the various schools. During the presentation, five of the Board members left the auditorium completely ignoring the speakers. Community activist Joyce Foreman demanded the Trustees come back to the auditorium and listen to the speakers. She shouted, "No Justice, No Peace" which the audience joined in. Ms. Foreman stated to the Post Tribune, "As a concerned taxpayer, I have the right to be heard by elected officials. I do not apologize for demanding that they listen to the concerns of the citizens."

When the absent Trustees did return, Board Chairman Lew Blackburn instructed DISD Security to remove Ms. Foreman from the room. This action caused the people in the auditorium to "boo" the Trustees and chant louder "No Justice, No Peace." Then all Trustees, except Board member Carla Ranger, left the auditorium, moved to a smaller Board meeting room, and conducted the meeting there. People in the larger auditorium could view the meeting on large television screens. Many

attendants expressed their dismay and disapproval of the Board.

After the Board voted on a long list of agenda items, finally the vote to Consider and Take Action to Approve the Recommended School Consolidations was discussed. After the discussion, the vote was 6-2. Voting yes were Board members Eric Cowan, Nancy Bingham, Bruce Parrott, Bernadette Nutall, Mike Morath and Edwin Flores. Lew Blackburn and Adam Medrano voted against it. Carla Ranger did not vote because she remained in the auditorium.

Thus, 10 of the schools will close in time for the 2012-2013 school year. The other will close during the 2013-2014 school year. Students will be absorbed into other schools. The consolidation will eliminate 177 jobs, but board member say most teachers will be assigned to new schools.

The DISD Board also voted to extend the work day for teachers by 45 minutes, also effective next school year.

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SPORTS PAGE

Brandon Marshall leads AFC to Pro Bowl win against NFC 59-41



(AP) - At the annual Pro Bowl, the AFC topped the NFC 59-41 after Brandon Marshall caught a record four touchdown passes. One hundred points were scored in the Pro Bowl on Sunday night, but there was only one play that really mattered and it sure wasn't made by a defensive player.

Miami Dolphins receiver Brandon Marshall caught six passes for 176 yards and a Pro Bowl-record four touchdowns and the AFC used a second-half surge to beat the NFC 59-41 Sunday. (January 30)

The best moment in the AFC's 59-41 victory? Brandon Marshall's deflected 47-yard touchdown pass from Andy Dalton in the third quarter in Aloha Stadium in Honolulu. The TD - the third of Marshall's fourth in the game - gave the AFC a 38-35 lead.

"It was the most unathletic highlight I ever had," Marshall said. "Andy put it up there for me to make a play. I saw the ball, got nervous, fell, saw the ball, kicked it up and it just fell in my hands."

That pretty much sums it up. Marshall, the game's MVP with six receptions for 176 yards, may have had something of an advantage over the game's other receivers. With the Miami Dolphins this season, he had to get used to a bunch of QBs and used his NBC platform Sunday to point out what a difference a marquee quarterback (*cough* Peyton Manning*cough* or perhaps Matt Flynn or Robert Griffin III) can make. (This is a guy who grows wistful talking about Jay Cutler...)

"Down in Miami, getting a feel for different quarterbacks, had three or four of them

throughout my two years there," Marshall said in a sideline interview. Quarterbacks make it easier for me. These guys are putting it in the right places and I'm making plays. It's easy right now."

The Dolphins' new head coach, Joe Philbin, formerly was the Green Bay Packers' offensive coordinator, so there's a natural connection with Flynn, who is likely to become a free agent. Marshall has reached out to Flynn and expects to do so with Manning, assuming he 1) can play and 2) is released by Indianapolis.

For some players the Pro Bowl does not hold the same importance as a regular season game. But MVP Brandon Marshall said after the game that he played at 100 percent and was honored to be added to the list of Pro Bowl MVPs.

Texas Rangers Manager Ron Washington contract has been extended through 2014



(AP)-Ron Washington thought he was the right man for the job when the Texas Rangers hired him as their manager in 2006, despite his inexperience in that role and the rebuilding effort that was just getting started.

"I knew that through time, things would fall into place," Washington said Monday after getting another two-year contract extension.

"And things have certainly done that." Washington's latest extension through the 2014 season came after he led the Rangers to the World Series for the second consecutive season. The franchise had not won a postseason series in its half-century history before winning the past two American League pennants under Washington, who has a 427-383 record over five seasons with Texas. He is the first manager in major-league history to increase his team's win total in four consecutive seasons after his initial year with a club.

"He's become a great manager and a good personal friend and partner in all that we do," general manager Jon Daniels said. "And obviously, a huge part of our success, in my mind, is his ability to set the tone in that

clubhouse to continue to teach the game to guys at the big-league level and to demand a lot from our players."

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New England Patriots & New York Giants Will Meet AT Super Bowl XLVI

Super Bowl TV Schedule & Kickoff

On TV, football fans worldwide will watch the battle as Super Bowl XLVI is played out live nationwide beginning at 6 pm ET on the NBC television network on Super Bowl Sunday.

Kick-off time is approximately 6:25 pm on the East Coast; 5:25 pm Central; 4:25 pm Mountain; and 3:25 pm Pacific.

NATIONAL SIGNING DAY CEREMONY PLANNED

Dallas ISD will hold its annual National Signing Day ceremony at noon, Wednesday, Feb. 1, at John Kincaide Stadium, 9191 South Polk St.

The Meet the Signees ceremony will introduce and recognize all Dallas ISD senior athletes who have signed college scholarships for the upcoming 2012-2013 school year.

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Vince Carter & Delonte West lead The Dallas Mavericks Past The Phoenix Suns

(AP) - Vince Carter scored 21 points against a Phoenix team that's still paying him, helping the Dallas Mavericks to a 122-99 rout of the Steve Nash-less Suns on Monday night.

Delonte West scored a season-high 25 on 9 of 12 shooting, including 5 of 6 3-pointers, in the Mavericks' eighth straight win over Phoenix.

If you have some sports information that you would like placed in the DALLAS POST TRIBUNE Sports Section contact us at: posttrib@airmail.net

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Celebrating Black History Month

Sir Sidney Poitier

First Black to Win an Academy Award for Best Actor

Sir Sidney Poitier, born February 20, 1927 is a Bahamian American actor, film director, author, and diplomat.

In 1963, Poitier became the first black person to win an Academy Award for Best Actor for his role in *Lilies of the Field*. The significance of this achievement was later bolstered in 1967 when he starred in three well-received films *To Sir, with Love*; *In the Heat of the Night*; and *Guess Who's Coming to Dinner*, making him the top box office star of that year. In 1999, the American Film Institute named Poitier among the Greatest Male Stars of All Time, ranking 22nd on the list of 25.

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Mary Frances Berry (born 1938) is a groundbreaking African American woman. She was the first black woman to head a major research university, was appointed Assistant Secretary of Education by President Jimmy Carter in 1977, and became commissioner and vice chairman of the United States Commission on Civil Rights in 1980. She is a professor at the University of Pennsylvania and remains active in a variety of social and political issues.

Celebrating Black History Month

Isaac Burns Murphy

Greatest Jockeys of All Time

Isaac Burns Murphy (April 16, 1861 - February 12, 1896) was an African-American Hall of Fame jockey, who is considered one of the greatest riders in American Thoroughbred horse racing history. Murphy won three Kentucky Derbies. His father served in the Union army in the Civil War, until his death at Camp Nelson as a prisoner of war. After his father's death Burns' family moved to Lexington, where they lived with Burns' grandfather Green Murphy. When he became a jockey at age 14, he changed his last name to Murphy in honor of his grandfather.

Dr. Mary E. Beck

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Richard Theodore Greener

First African-American Graduate of Harvard College and Dean of the Howard University School of Law

Richard Theodore Greener (30 January 1844 - 2 May 1922) was the first African-American graduate of Harvard College and dean of the Howard University School of Law. Richard Greener was born in Philadelphia in 1844 and moved with his mother to Boston when he was about nine years old. He quit school in his mid-teens to earn money for his family, but one of his employers helped him to enroll in preparatory school at Oberlin College. He studied at Phillips Academy and graduated in 1865. After three years at Oberlin, Greener transferred to Harvard College and earned a bachelor's degree in 1870. After teaching for two years at the Institute for Colored Youth in Philadelphia and then serving as principal at the Preparatory School for Colored Children in Washington, D.C., Greener accepted the professorship of mental and moral philosophy at the University of South Carolina in October 1873, where he was the university's first Africa-American faculty member.

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Celebrating Black History Month

Madam C.J. Walker

First Self-Made African-American Millionaire

Madam C.J. Walker (December 23, 1867 - May 25, 1919), born Sarah Breedlove. Her parents and elder siblings were slaves on Madison Parish plantation owned by Robert W. Burney. Her mother died, possibly from cholera, in 1872. Her father remarried and died shortly afterward. Madam C. J. Walker moved in with her older sister, and brother-in-law, Willie Powell. At the age of 14, she married Moses McWilliams to escape Powell's abuse. Three years later her daughter, Lelia McWilliams (A'Lelia Walker) was born. Madam C.J. Walker was an African-American businesswoman, hair care entrepreneur and philanthropist. She made her fortune by developing and marketing a hugely successful line of beauty and hair products for black women under the company she founded, Madam C.J. Walker Manufacturing Company. While according to Walker's New York Times obituary, "she said herself two years ago [in 1917] that she was not yet a millionaire, but hoped to be some time," the Guinness Book of Records cites Walker as the first woman to become a millionaire by her own achievements.

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Celebrating Black History Month Thomas L. Jennings First African American to be Granted a U.S. Patent

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Celebrating Black History Month Juanita Hall

First Black to Win a Tony Award



Juanita Hall (November 6, 1901 – February 28, 1968) was an American musical theatre and film actress. She is remembered for her roles in the original stage and screen versions of the Rodgers and Hammerstein musicals *South Pacific* as *Bloody Mary* and *Flower Drum Song* as *Auntie Liang*. In 1950, she became the first African-American to win a Tony Award for Best Supporting Actress for her role as *Bloody Mary* in *South Pacific*. She also starred in the 1954 Broadway musical *House of Flowers* in which she sang and danced *Harold Arlen's Slide Boy Slide*.



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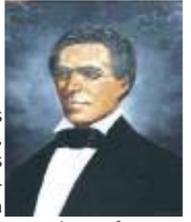


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Celebrating Black History Month John Russwurm

First African American College Graduate

John Brown Russwurm (1799–1851) was an American abolitionist from Jamaica, known for his newspaper, *Freedom's Journal*. Russwurm became first African-American to graduate from Bowdoin College and third African-American to graduate from an American college. He moved from the United States to govern the Maryland section of an African American colony in Liberia, dying there in 1851.



Celebrating Black History Month Henry L. Marsh, III

First Black Mayor of Richmond, VA

Henry L. Marsh III (born December 10, 1933) is an American civil rights lawyer and politician. A Democrat, in 1977 Marsh was elected by the city council as the first African-American mayor of Richmond. He was elected to the Senate of Virginia in 1991, and has been re-elected. He currently represents the 16th district, consisting of the city of Petersburg, Dinwiddie County, and parts of the city of Richmond, and Chesterfield and Prince George counties.



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Celebrating Black History Month Arthur Ashe, Jr.

First African American to Win the Men's Singles Title at Both US Open and Wimbledon

Arthur Robert Ashe, Jr. (July 10, 1943 – February 6, 1993) was a professional tennis player, born and raised in Richmond, Virginia. During his career, he won three Grand Slam titles, putting him among the best ever from the United States. Ashe, an African American, was the first black player ever selected to the United States Davis Cup team and the only black man to ever win the singles title at Wimbledon, the US Open, or Australian Open. He is also remembered for his efforts to further social causes.



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Celebrating Black History Month Ernest "Ernie" Davis

First African American to Win the Heisman Trophy

Ernest "Ernie" Davis (December 14, 1939 – May 18, 1963) was an American football running back and the first African-American athlete to win the Heisman Trophy. Wearing number 44, Davis competed collegiately for Syracuse University before being drafted by the Washington Redskins, then almost immediately traded to the Cleveland Browns in December 1961. However, he would never play a professional game, as he was diagnosed with leukemia in 1962.



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