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Diane Ragdsdale, former Dallas City Councilwoman and visionary leader of ICDC- Inncercity Community Development Corporation, will be honored for her many years of community activism, leadership and service on Saturday, September 26, 2015, 12 noon, at TBAAL - The Black Academy of Arts and Letters. Tickets are \$10 with all proceeds going to ICDC, a community based non-profit serving the South Dallas/Fair Park community. For nearly 30 years ICDC has been "Building Lives and Revitalizing Neighborhoods" through its Affordable Home Ownership, Business Incubator and Community Education programs. Rev. Frederick Douglas Haynes, III, Rev. Zan Wesley Holmes, Jr. and the Kirkwood Temple CME Church will lead tributes from the community. Musical guests feature the famed SNCC Freedom Singers, Texas College Concert Choir, the Lincoln Alumni Concert Choir and TBAAL'S Young, Gifted and Black Artists.

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## NNPA Honors Black Leaders



NNPA president and CEO, Benjamin F. Chavis (left) and NNPA chair Denise Rolark Barnes (right) present Roland Martin with a 2015 NNPA Leadership Award. (Roy Lewis/Washington Informer)

At the 2015 NNPA Leadership Awards reception, Baltimore Mayor Stephanie Rawlings-Blake thanks the Black Press for its fair coverage of the Baltimore protests. (Roy Lewis/The Washington Informer)

By Jazelle Hunt  
NNPA Washington Correspondent

At a reception during the 45th Congressional Black Caucus Foundation (CBCF) Annual Legislative Conference, the National Newspaper Publishers Association honored five Black luminaries with its Leadership Awards.

The awards are given to those who have demonstrated leadership in the Black community and support of the Black Press. Held at the Washington Marriott Marquis, which is partially Black-owned, the reception drew a large crowd of conference attendees and Black Press supporters.

Misty Copland, Roland Martin, Congresswoman Donna F. Edwards (D-Md.), Rahiel Tesfamariam, and A. Shuanise Washington were the awardees for 2015, the NNPA's 75th anniversary year.

Denise Rolark Barnes, chair of the NNPA and publisher of The Washington Informer, along with Benjamin F. Chavis, Jr., president and CEO of the NNPA, emceed the event.

Roland Martin was recognized for his work in broadcast media and dedication to Black news, and was the first honoree of the night to address the audience.

"For folks who don't know, I've actually run three Black papers. I've always made it clear that the first dollar I earned in media was from a Black newspaper. My first television dollar was from a company that was Black-owned," he said. "When I'm sitting in the White House with the president, I'm sitting representing Black media, not mainstream media. I have never allowed White media to validate my skill set."

Each of the honorees

thanked the NNPA for its support and its dedication to keeping Black communities empowered and informed.

"When I came into Congress, I said we were going to do something different. I said that we were going to make our paper of record our Black newspapers," said Congresswoman Edwards. "When we reach out in my office...we reach out to our papers of record. When I decided I was going to embark on this journey to the U.S. Senate, our paper of record on that decision was The Afro and The Washington Informer."

Rahiel Tesfamariam, writer, activist, speaker, and founder of digital media platform, Urban Cusp, spoke on the Black press' role in social justice movements.

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## ARE YOU REGISTERED TO VOTE?

November 3, 2015, is Election Day, and North Texas will be voting on issues that will have a major impact on our community. Your vote DOES matter. The more people who vote, the bigger impact we have on the quality of life in our region. But you can't vote unless you're registered and your registration is up to date.

Here are a few resources to help you register to vote by the October 5 deadline.

- Check to see whether you're already registered at the Texas Secretary of State's website.
- Attend one of the DRC's upcoming events\*, and one of the DRC's deputized registrars can register you to vote.

Leads Over Lunch - Sept. 30  
Seasons 52 (8687 N. Central Expressway, Ste. B307)

Noon - 1:15 PM  
**Legislative Power Hour - Sept. 30**  
Dallas Regional Chamber (500 N. Akard St., Ste. 2600)  
4:00 - 5:30 PM  
**Chamber Live! - Oct. 1 (DRC members-only event)**  
Dallas Regional Chamber (500 N. Akard St., Ste. 2600)  
8:30 - 9:30 AM

\*If you can't attend the event, but still want to register to vote, please feel free to stop by the event location before the event starts to register to vote.

• Request that one of the DRC's deputized registrars comes to your office to register your employees to vote by filling out this form. Spots are filling up quickly, so we will schedule on a first-come, first-served basis and as space allows. (Available to DRC members only as a benefit of membership.)

**REMEMBER: If you don't vote, no one is hearing your voice. And you can't vote if you're not registered.**

## Cowboys Swap 2017 Draft Picks With Buffalo To Acquire QB Matt Cassel



For the second straight week, the Cowboys addressed a major injury with a Tuesday trade, as they swapped 2017 draft picks with the

Buffalo Bills for quarterback Matt Cassel.

The move came just hours after the team sent Tony Romo to the short-term injured reserve while he recuperates from his broken left collarbone. It will be an eight-week wait for Romo to return to the active roster, so the need for quarterback depth was obvious.

Cassel has made 72 career starts with four different teams during an 11-year career, giving the Cowboys an experienced option behind Brandon Weeden. The team had worked out four veteran quarterbacks earlier on Tuesday afternoon, but ultimately decided acquiring Cassel was the better route.

The USC product earned notoriety in 2008, when he filled in for the Patriots after Tom Brady tore his ACL in the season opener. Cassel completed 63.4 percent for 3,693 yards and 21 touchdowns in 15 starts that year, guiding New England to an 11-5 record - though ultimately missing the playoffs.

For his career, he's completed 59 percent of his passes for 15,727 yards with 96 touchdowns and 70 interceptions.

Cassel obviously has veteran status, but it seems like a safe bet the Cowboys will stick with Weeden as their starter for the time being. Weeden, the former first-round pick, has been in the Cowboys' system since spring 2014 and helped Dallas close out Sunday's 20-10 win in Philadelphia after Romo was injured.

It'll be a short turnaround for Cassel to learn a new offense in time for Sunday's game against Atlanta. To that end, it wouldn't be a surprise to see the Cowboys promote Kellen Moore from their practice squad to back up Weeden this week. Moore has been with the team for two weeks, and he worked with offensive coordinator Scott Linehan for a year with the Detroit Lions.

As of Tuesday afternoon Moore said he hadn't been told anything about his roster status, but he'll be prepared if he is called upon.

## POPE FRANCIS FIRST VISIT OF HIS LIFE TO THE UNITED STATES



First lady Michelle Obama, and President Barack Obama, greet Pope Francis upon his arrival at Andrews Air Force Base. (AP Photo/Andrew Hamik)

(AP) - Pope Francis arrived Tuesday on the first visit of his life to the United States, bringing his "church of the poor" to the world's wealthiest superpower and a country polarized over issues closest to his heart: immigration, social justice and economic inequality.

According a rare honor to the pontiff, President Barack Obama and his wife and daughters welcomed Francis at the bottom of the stairs on the red-

carpeted tarmac at Andrews Air Force Base in Maryland after the pope's chartered plane touched down from Cuba. Presidents usually make important visitors come to them at the White House.

Emerging from the plane to boisterous cheers from a crowd of hundreds, the smiling 78-year-old pontiff removed his skullcap in the windy weather and made his way down the steps in his white robes.

He was met by a military honor guard, chanting schoolchildren, politicians, and Roman Catholic clergymen in black robes and brightly colored sashes of scarlet and purple. Joe Biden, the nation's first Catholic vice president, and his wife were among those who welcomed him.

During his six-day, three-city visit to the U.S., the pope will meet with the president, address Congress, speak at the United Nations in New York and take part in a Vatican-sponsored conference on the family in Philadelphia.

The Argentine known as the "slum pope" for ministering to the downtrodden in his native Buenos Aires is expected to urge America to take better care of the environment and the poor and return to its founding ideals of religious liberty and open arms toward immigrants.

He is the fourth pope ever to visit the United States.

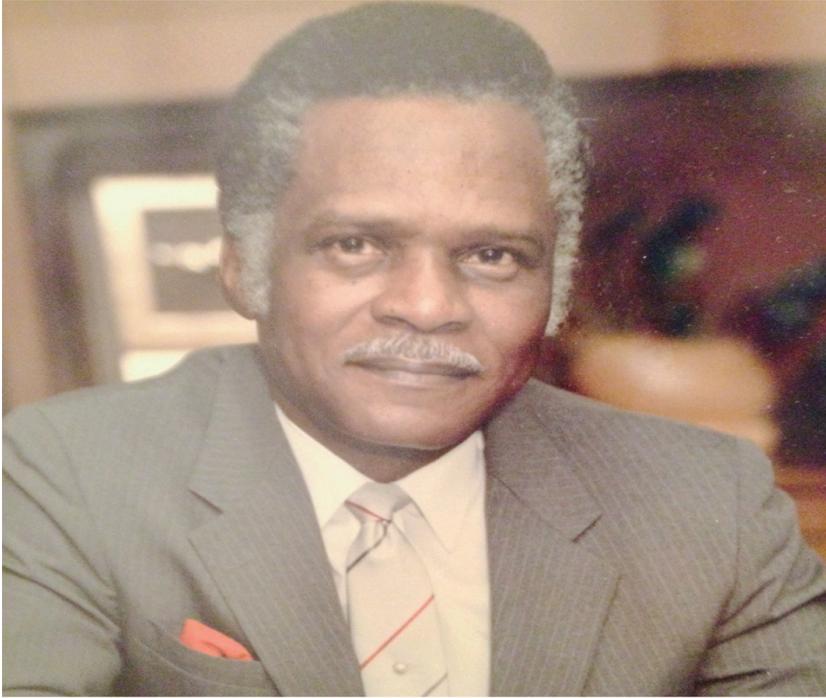
Francis' enormous popularity, propensity for wading into crowds and insistence on using an open-sided Jeep rather than a bulletproof popemobile have complicated things for U.S. law enforcement, which has mounted one of the biggest security operations in American history to keep him safe.



# Dallas: Too Busy Growing To Hate!



# Leaders Of The Week



**MR. JOHN E. KINCAIDE**

John E. Kincaide was born November 21 1932, he graduated from Douglas High School in Memphis, Tennessee in 1951 and from Wiley College in Marshall, Texas in 1955 with a Bachelor of Science Degree, and from the University of North Texas State University (now UNT) Denton, Texas with a Master of Education Degree. Mr. Kincaide married Eula M. Kincaide.

Mr. Kincaide served at Paul Quinn College as Athletic Director in 1995, 2002-2003, Vice President of Institutional Advancement, and Assistant to the President and as Chief of Staff.

Mr. Kincaide was employed with the DISD as teacher at Joseph J. Rhodes Elem School from 1955-57, at Booker T. Washington High School from 1957-65, and served as teacher and Coach at Booker T. Washington High School from 1965-69, as teacher and Coach at J.N. Ervin High School 1969-70, Coordinator Federal Programs-Title I 1970-72, served as Assistant Principal, at D.A. Hulcy Middle School from 1972-74, Served as Principal at John Neely Bryan Elem School from 1974-75, served as Principal-Director High School of Health Professions 1975-76, and served as Athletic Director district wide, assigned 42 schools.

Mr. Kincaide introduced "All City Academic Team" concept for athletes in Dallas ISD, received High School for Health Professions "Lion Award" Dr. Pepper Bottling Co. Dedicated the 46th Annual Dr. Pepper Basketball Tournament in his honor in 1985. He received Commission on Civil Rights Education Award, from National Phi Delta Kappa Sorority, Inc. Alpha Rho Chapter. He received the Dallas Coaches Association "Leadership Award". He served as president of Anthropos, National Sorority, Phi Delta Kappa, Inc., Alpha Rho Chapter. Awarded Anthropos of the year honors by Alpha Rho Chapter of the National Sorority of Phi Delta Kappa, Inc. received award from the Committee of 100 for contributions in athletics inducted into the Ex- Prairie View interscholastic League Hall of Fame. KKDA Radio Station's award for outstanding performance as Dallas ISD Executive Director of Athletics. Recognition by the City of Dallas for leadership in administration and athletics

Inducted in "Texas Black Sports Hall of Fame", Raised \$90,000 Plus for Paul Quinn College athletic program in 2003, Dallas ISD Athletic Stadium name "John E. Kincaide Stadium" in his honor.

Mr. Kincaide served as Director of "ACT IV" Active Christine Training program for youth at the Singing Hills Baptist Church. He served as President of Christine Men's Fellowship Warren Ave Christine Church and awarded Man of the Year" honor, Warren Ave Christine Church.

Served on Circle Ten Exploring membership Committee Boy Scouts of America. Received Volunteer with a Heart" award from Maria Morgan Branch YWCA. Served as Vice President on Board of Directors for " PAL" Police Athletic League. Served on Science Placc Development Committee for Science of Sports" planned exposition and exhibition. Receiver the Omega Psi Phi, Theta Chapter, "Man of the Year" award. Serve as Announcement Clerk at the Exciting Singing Hills Baptist Church



**CHIEF LOUIE BRIGHT, III**

After serving as interim chief. Chief Louie Bright III was named Chief of the Dallas Fire-Rescue Department. Bright joined the Department in 1981, and is a native of Dallas. He worked as a fire-fighter, a paramedic, a captain in emergency response, assistant chief of emergency medical services, and assistant chief in the training and support service bureau. He has served as interim chief twice. In his acceptance letter to City Manager Mary Suhm, Chief Bright wrote that his goal has always been to "exert maximum effort to ensure the citizens and visitors of this city receive the service they deserve."

Chief Louie has been married for nearly three decades, with two adult children and one grandchild.

He Graduated from Roosevelt High School and Earned an associate's degree from Cedar Valley College.

## NNPA Honors Black Leaders

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"The Black Press is a tool of liberation, is it not?" she asked the audience after accepting her award. "Before I sit down, I want to ensure that we understand the power that we hold as Black press. Because at the end of the day, the power of words is the power of life and death, and that is the power of the Black Press."

A. Shuanise Washington, president and CEO of the CBCF Inc., and Misty Copeland were unable to attend the reception. CBCF vice president of communications and marketing,

Shrita Sterlin-Hernandez accepted the award on Washington's behalf, and Copeland sent her gratitude via video.

Several notables were also in attendance, including Congressmen Al Green (D-Texas) and Bobby Scott (D-Va.), Newport News, Va. Mayor McKinley Price, Sir Hillary McDonald Beckles, vice-chancellor of the University of the West Indies in Jamaica; Diane Watson former U.S. ambassador and former Congressional representative, and many more. Melanie Campbell, president and CEO of the National Coalition on Black Civic Participation,

and Baltimore Mayor Stephanie Rawlings-Blake were also present and took a few moments to address and thank the crowd.

"I am here really to echo the comments that Roland [Martin] made, and to thank Black media for how you treated Baltimore during the unrest," Rawlings-Blake said. "I can say that Black media was particularly supportive in so many ways to make sure that...the riots wasn't the whole story of Baltimore. Thank you for making sure the whole story continues to be told in our communities."

## Happy 104th Birthday To Arnett Cain Miller



Arnett Cain Miller was born on September 20, 1911 in Slocum, Texas to the union of Johnny and Idell Clewis Cain. She attended school and Church at St. James Baptist in Slocum. She later married Brady Miller of Palestine and in the early 60's moved to the Fort Worth Dallas area. She is surrounded by her 8 children Lee Clewis, Joyce Arnick, Patsy Gibson, Joe Tucker, Lena Miller, and Lois Harris, 2 sons, A.W. Whitehead and John Tucker in her everyday memories 29 grandchildren, 42 great grandchildren and 24 great great grandchildren .Mrs. Miller is the mother of her church New Soloman Church of the living word where she has been a member since 1971.



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<b>Sept. 24</b> 6:30 p.m. Samuell-Grand Recreation Center 6200 E. Grand (214) 670-1383	<b>Sept. 28</b> 6 p.m. Thurgood Marshall Recreation Center 5150 Mark Trail Way (214) 670-1928	

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# EDITORIAL PAGE

## Obama Recognizes Women, Pushes for Criminal Reform

By LaTrina Antoine  
 Special to the NNPA News  
 Wire from the AFRO

President Obama presented a very "pro-women" message during the Congressional Black Caucus Foundation (CBCF)'s Phoenix Awards Dinner on Sept. 19. He stressed the importance of female strength, education and health, while also advocating for more positive opportunities for the youth.

"I'm focusing on women tonight because I want them to know how much we appreciate them, how much we admire them, how much we love them," Obama said during the event that capped the 45th Annual Legislative Conference.

"Because all of us are beneficiaries of a long line of strong Black women who helped carry this country forward. Their work to expand civil rights opened the doors of opportunity, not just for African Americans but for all women, for all of us - Black and White, Latino and Asian, LGBT and straight, for our first Americans and our newest Americans. And their contributions in every field - as scientists and entrepreneurs, educators, explorers - all made us stronger."

The president spoke of holding civil rights leader Amelia Boynton Robinson's hand

when they walked across the Edmund Pettus Bridge on the anniversary of Bloody Sunday, the seminal march on March 7, 1965, when Alabama State troopers attacked Blacks who were protesting for their right to vote.

"Like every parent, I can't help to see the world increasingly through my daughters' eyes," Obama said. "And on that day, when we were celebrating that incredible march in Selma, I had Ms. Amelia's hand in one of my hands, but Michelle had Sasha's hand, and my mother-in-law had Malia's hand, and it was a chain across generations. ... And that tells me that if we follow their example, we're going to cross more bridges in the future. If we keep moving forward, hand in hand, God willing, my daughters' children will be able to cross that bridge in an America that's more free, and more just, and more prosperous than the one that we inherited."

Robinson was posthumously presented one of the five Phoenix awards along with the Rev. Dr. William Barber II, who was instrumental in the release of the Wilmington Ten; Fred Gray, civil rights attorney for Rosa Parks and Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.; civil right's activist Juanita Abernathy, who helped organize and lead the historic Montgomery Bus Boycott in Alabama (1965-1966) and Alpha Phi Alpha

Fraternity.

According to a press release from the CBCF, the fraternity received the award for its diligence in cementing Dr. King's legacy with a memorial on the National Mall in Washington, D.C.

In addition to awarding the honorees, tributes were also given for Julian Bond and Congressman Louis Stokes. Both men died early this year, Aug. 15 and Aug. 18, respectively.

The honorees "remind us of the courage and sacrifices, the work that they've done - and not just at the national level, but in local communities all across the country," Obama said. "We couldn't be prouder of them. The heroes of the Civil Rights Movement whom we lost last month remind us of the work that remains to be done."

Obama also reflected on the need for criminal justice reform. "There is no contradiction between us caring about our law enforcement officers and also making sure that our laws are applied fairly," he said. "We need to make sure the laws are applied evenly. This is not a new problem. It's just that in recent months, in recent years, suddenly folks have videos and body cameras, and social media, and so it's opened our eyes to these incidents. ... But we can't avoid these tough conversations alto-

gether. That's not going to help our police officers, the vast majority who do the right thing every day, by just pretending that these things aren't happening. That's not going to help build trust between them and the communities in which they serve."

The dinner also put a spotlight on youth development and progression, highlighting the CBCF's internships and fellowship programs on Capitol Hill, the need for more entrepreneurship opportunities, and a greater push for the Black community to be involved in the science, technology, engineering and math (STEM) fields.

Obama said he would work with Congress and many in the CBC to try to make progress on legislation that addresses unjust sentencing laws and encourages prevention to influence youth to take different paths while also helping offenders.

Special guests attending the dinner included presidential candidate Hillary Clinton, Democratic Whip Rep. Steny Hoyer (Md.), Rev. Al Sharpton, Judge Greg Mathis and several other Congress members. Actors Larenz Tate and Nia Long emceed the event. Denise Ward, a senior at Boston University, sang the national anthem.

## Black Homeownership Matters



By Benjamin F. Chavis, Jr.  
 NNPA Columnist

housing opportunities regardless of race, creed or color. We all are aware, however, that there still remains a present-day reality of systematic racial discrimination in America when it comes to equal and fair housing issues.

There is more need for a professional trade organization such as NAREB today than in the 1940s. Black wealth in the U.S. in losing ground at a time when there should be advances and increases in Black American homeownership. According to Nielsen's latest research on consumerism within Black America, we spend in excess of \$1.2 trillion annually. With that kind of spending power, why should there be a decline in Black American homeownership?

The issue is not about having the money to purchase a home. The real issue here is a persistent and deliberate pattern of racial discrimination in the housing marketplace. Since the enactment of the Fair Housing Act of 1968, it has been illegal to discriminate in the U.S. housing market on the basis of race, color, religion, national origin, sex, disability, or family status.

The National Fair Housing Alliance recently filed a federal complaint against one of the leading national real estate

companies, RE/MAX Alliance/Lee Garland and Rita Jensen Team, located in Jackson, Miss. After months of investigations, the National Fair Housing Alliance documented racial discrimination against Black Americans seeking homeownership.

But that kind of racism was not limited to the deep South. The National Fair Housing Alliance also found racial discrimination prevented Black American homeownership in New York, Pennsylvania, Michigan, Texas and in Illinois. It is a national problem that requires a national solution.

According to Princeton University scholars Douglas Massey and Jonathan Tannen, racial discrimination in housing leads to the perpetuation of "hypersegregation" that sustains "high levels of social isolation from mainstream society, but also high concentration of poverty and disadvantage." An effective strategy, therefore, to overcome poverty in Black America is to increase homeownership and to transform and to prevent racial hypersegregation.

In speaking to NAREB's President Ron Cooper about a "solution" to help Black America to regain and to retain its wealth, it was important to know that NAREB announced

at this year's Congressional Black Caucus Annual Legislative Conference that it is committed to a national goal of "Two million new Black American homeownerships over the next five years." Attaining this goal would go a long way toward increasing Black wealth and helping to overcome poverty in our communities.

Achieving NAREB's goal of increasing Black American homeownership across the nation will require a dedicated effort and coalition building to ensure greater access to mortgage capital, down payment assistance, increased housing inventory, and investment inclusion. We all should strive to support this effort also by raising public awareness about this important national campaign: "Black Homeownership Matters." Print and social media should use the hashtag: #BlackHomeownershipMatters

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### A Little Bit of Faith: Your Life Has a Purpose



By Colleen White

have hope and a future. If we are able to encounter God, it will change our lives. It happened to Paul, it happened to Moses, and it happened to Noah. All of these individuals had life changing situations and experiences to occur in their lives.

Their situations helped to change the direction of their lives. They were never the same. They learned to trust and believe in God and walk in faith with Him. This is why when the Bible says that God has "...thoughts of peace and not of evil, to give you a future and a hope," this is God's will for our lives (Jeremiah 29:11).

God's desire is for us to walk as one with Him and to believe that He has a purpose for our lives. If we are able to stay focused on Him, then He will direct our paths and lead us toward a better place than we could have ever imagined. All we have to do is follow Him. Are you willing to believe and follow Him? I know I will. Amen.

God doesn't want us to worry about our situations or circumstances. He wants us to give our cares to Him. He knows what the outcome is going to be before we do. God wants us to

## Blacks Missing from Political Circus

By James Clingman  
 NNPA Columnist

Here is something to think about as we watch the political circus that is currently dominating the news: Black people are nowhere to be found in the real action, nowhere to be found in determining the candidates from which we will eventually choose to compete for the presidency, and nowhere to be found in the debate questions or answers. We are merely watching from the balcony, as we had to do back in the 1950s in segregated theaters and churches that relegated Black people to the rear of the building. We were also told to be quiet, especially in the churches, way back when.

All Black folks are doing right now is watching. Yeah, we talk a lot, from our vantage point in the peanut gallery, but we have absolutely zero skin in the political game at this point, which means we lack self-determination in the political process. Yes, we have the individual choice to vote, but that's about it, y'all, and even in that act, we will only be choosing between the decisions that others have made.

Have you ever wondered why two small states, Iowa and New Hampshire, have so much impact on the national election? Is it simply because they are the first two states to conduct caucuses and primaries

every presidential election year? Is it because they have such a large number of electoral votes? Even though some candidates who win those states do not always get their party's nomination, these two states are held up as the political "trend-makers" and benchmarks for a candidate's success. That's why they all flock to those two little states long before the election really begins.

For all of you critical thinkers out there, try these stats on for size: Iowa is 91 percent White and 2 percent Black; it has six electoral votes. New Hampshire is 93 percent White and 1 percent Black, with four electoral votes. There are 538 electoral votes among the states, 270 of which are needed to win the presidency of the United States. I ask again, why are Iowa and New Hampshire so important in the scheme of things?

And I reemphasize that Black folks, comprising a grand total of 3 percent of the total population of these two small states, have absolutely no influence, not to mention power, in what is taking place right now in the political arena. We are relegated to being spectators if we care to watch this current show; it is a rerun, so many of us are not interested anyway.

By the time you read this article the séance for Ronald Reagan, known as the Republican debate, will have

taken place at the Presidential Library in Simi Valley, Calif. You remember that famous city, right? It's the place where the White cops beat Rodney King within inches of his life were declared not guilty. Of the 500 there, I saw just five Black people in the seats at the CNN debate. Another insult to Black voters, or another indication of political impotence?

We are just spectators, brothers and sisters, watching the Dems and Repubs race toward the finish line in November 2016. They will put on a great show for us though, as they invoke Rosa Parks' name and cite the sanctity of the Black vote. Each party will try to convince us that it can and will "take care of us" because God knows we can't take care of ourselves. Then, in January 2017, Black people will settle in, once again relegated to their plantation of "choice" for four more years, without having gotten one ounce of quo for our quid.

My article, "Black Political Dilemma" (2014), posed the possibility of Ben Carson running against Hillary Clinton for president. Some folks responded by saying, "That will never happen," "You're crazy, Jim," and "Carson will never be nominated." Some folks even laughed at the question, "What will Black people do if that happens?" Well, you may want to stay tuned.

Black people have dug our

self a deep political hole, and now we must figure out how to get out of it. It really doesn't matter who wins the highest office in the land, Blacks will be in the same relative position as we have been under a Black President for the last seven years. In other words, we ain't got nothin' comin'. Only we can save us, not Hillary, Carson, Sanders, or Trump.

Because we have tried to play politics without having a strong economic base, we have become impotent and irrelevant. Reflect on the words of T. Thomas Fortune, journalist and co-founder of the National Negro Business League: "No people ever became great and prosperous by devoting their infant energies to politics. We were literally born into political responsibility before we had mastered the economic conditions which underlie these duties."

Jim Clingman, founder of the Greater Cincinnati African American Chamber of Commerce, is the nation's most prolific writer on economic empowerment for Black people. He can be reached through his website, [blackonomics.com](http://blackonomics.com). He is the author of "Black Dollars Matter: Teach Your Dollars How to Make More Sense, which is available through his website; professionalpublishinghouse.com and Amazon Kindle eBooks.

# CALENDAR OF EVENTS

## SEPTEMBER & OCTOBER

The Dallas County Community College District is celebrating Hispanic Heritage Month in September and October, featuring speakers, a luncheon, a spoken-word performance and readings to honor the rich tradition, history, culture and contributions made by Hispanics.

### RICHLAND COLLEGE

Mon., Sept. 28 - A presentation titled "The Importance of Youth in Civic Engagement" is scheduled with Sandra Tovar, Dallas-area coordinator for Mi Familia Voca, a national nonprofit, non-partisan organization. The program will be presented twice, first at 11 a.m. and then at 2 p.m.; both sessions will be held in room 118 of Sabine Hall.

Thurs., Oct. 8 - Richland College and the City of Dallas' Office of Intercultural Affairs will present an interactive performance titled "Mitotiliztli Yaoyollohtli - Mexican Mitote" from 10:30 a.m. to noon in the East Breezeway, located near the library. Mexican Mitote is the Aztec language; the program will feature tribal dancing, drumming and a brief look at the Mexihca-Nahuatl philosophy.

Tues., Oct. 13 - Guest artist and poet Dr. Octavio Quintanilla will speak and read from 12:30 to 2 p.m. in Lago Vista. His poetry has been published in a number of outlets. Quintanilla is a CantoMundo Fellow; he earned his doctorate from the University of North Texas, and he serves as the South Texas editor for Texas Books in Review. He teaches literature and creative writing for the master of fine arts program at Our Lady of the Lake University in San Antonio.

### CEDAR VALLEY COLLEGE

Thurs., Oct. 15, Student Cultural Presentations will take place from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. in the courtyard.

For more information, contact Henry Martinez, director of marketing and public relations, by phone at 972-860-8142 or by email [ahmartinez@dccc.edu](mailto:ahmartinez@dccc.edu).

### BROOKHAVEN COLLEGE

Wed., Sept. 30 - Students, staff and community members are invited to participate in a Hispanic Heritage Month Trivia Game at the college from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. in the Student Service Center lobby.

Wed., Oct. 14 - Brookhaven College will host its Hispanic Heritage Festival from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. in the Student Service Center lobby.

### EASTFIELD COLLEGE

Now through Nov. 2 --

Eastfield is extending its Hispanic Heritage Month celebration through Nov. 2 with an exhibit at the library titled "Special Dia de los Muertos" or "Day of the Dead."

Mon., Oct. 12 - Anita Martinez Ballet Folklorico will perform at 11:30 a.m. in the Lower Courtyard.

Wed., Oct. 14 - Renowned Cuban/salsa/tropical band Havana NRG will perform at 12:30 p.m. in C-237A (C Building). The Hispanic Heritage Festival begins at 12:30 p.m. in the Performance Hall.

Wed., Oct. 21 - The Different Tastes of Salsa will be presented at 11:15 a.m. in C-135 (C Building) by Chef Lydia Gonzalez.

Tues., Oct. 27 - Joaquin Zihuatanejo, a National Poetry Slam finalist and Grand Slam Spoken Word champion, performs at 11 a.m. in C-135 (C Building). The Dallas-based poet also has appeared on HBO's "Def Poet."

Mon., Nov. 2 - Eastfield's Hispanic Heritage Month Knowledge Bowl begins at 10:10 a.m. in the Pit.

Hispanic Heritage Month was launched in 1968 and is celebrated annually at DCCCD. Hispanics make up the largest minority in Texas and is on target to become the largest group in the next few years.

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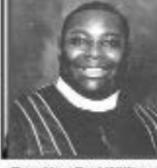


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## PARKLAND EXPERT OFFERS TIPS FOR HEALTHY AGING

Even though the calendar may say you're getting older, experts with Parkland Health & Hospital System's geriatrics program often remind seniors that age is often a state of mind.

"Just because you're getting more candles on your cake doesn't mean you have to act and feel older," said Jane Hunley, MSSW, LMSW, Director of Parkland's Geriatric Services. "Now is as good a time as ever to begin new projects, start exercising or become the active person you always knew you wanted to be."

And, Hunley says, September's Healthy Aging Month can be just the impetus to begin those lifestyle changes. They can be as easy as setting a goal of walking a block or two every day to major ambitions like training for a marathon. Not only will you get out of your house, but it will give you an opportunity to greet the neighbors. Have a

dog? You'll be amazed how your dog can be a conversation starter. If not, maybe you'd like to volunteer at your local animal shelter?

Hunley also recommended seniors enroll in computer classes so they can stay connected with family and friends who have moved to distance cities. Often classes are offered at libraries, recreation centers, community colleges or other local agencies that are free or at a reduced cost for older adults.

Aging can also be a lonely time for seniors. By getting out of your comfort zone and visiting a neighborhood senior center you'll not only have activities to keep you busy throughout the day but you'll meet others who may share your same interests. Or volunteer at a hospital, a public school or an after-school program. Even if it's been 40 years since you've been in school, register for a cooking class or a book group. You'll be surprised at

the new friends you will meet and the rewards you'll reap.

"And do your best to improve your outlook on life," Hunley added. "Don't get caught up in the negative. Put a smile on your face and even though it may be cliché, it really does increase your 'face value' and give you a better outlook on life."

In addition, use this time to schedule regular check-ups - and actually go to the appointments. If you're no longer driving, call a friend or paratransit for the trip to the doctor. Additional transportation options may be available by calling 2-1-1 or your social worker. Knowing what is or isn't wrong with you physically can calm a frayed nerve and start you on your journey to reinventing yourself so you can enjoy life more, whatever your age.

For more information on Parkland's Geriatric Services, please call 214.590.2869 or visit [www.parklandhospital.com](http://www.parklandhospital.com)

## Preparing for a scientific future



By Congresswoman Eddie Bernice Johnson

Recently in the nation's capital during the Congressional Black Caucus Foundation's Annual Legislative Conference, my colleagues and I met with some of the finest minds in the fields that comprise the "global language" of the future: science, technology, engineering and math, colloquially referred to as STEM.

During the Annual Legislative Conference, I served as the honorary host of the 23rd Annual Science & Technology Braintrust. The Braintrust centered on the theme of "Pushing the

Limits: The Future of Consumer Electronics & the Journey to Mars and Beyond."

Founded more than two decades ago under my leadership, the Braintrust, as it has for many years, brought together STEM professionals, educators, entrepreneurs, and students from around the country. One of the Braintrust's major objectives was to create a dialogue and share strategies to broaden participation in the sciences among minority students, and to inspire them to pursue STEM-based careers. Historically, the Braintrust has brought together professionals, community leaders and mentors to achieve this very important goal.

During the course of the Legislative Conference some of the best minds in consumer electronics, commercial space travel and space exploration discussed topics such as increasing diversity in tech companies, the effects of climate change, dismantling the school to prison pipeline,

women in business, opportunities in cyber-security, closing the skills gap and many others.

During the remainder of this year and the coming year, I will continue to share with residents of North Texas the dynamic information that came out of the Legislative Conference. I will continue to work educators, policy experts and our corporate partners to identify resources to supplement science discovery and exploration in our local classrooms. Information is powerful, and it is crucial to our collective growth and development.

At the close of conference, I walked away even more committed to expanding STEM outreach in minority communities, and I am looking forward to continuing to work with the constituents of District 30 to ensure that we are preparing our students with the skills necessary to compete in a global economy that is driven by technology, science and research.

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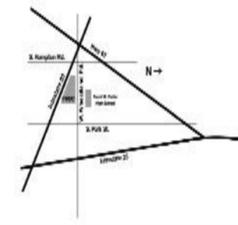
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## 2015 Schedule

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3	SUN SEP 27	12:00 PM CDT	FOX	FALCONS
4	SUN OCT 04	7:30 PM CDT	NBC	AT SAINTS
5	SUN OCT 11	3:25 PM CDT	CBS	PATRIOTS
7	SUN OCT 25	3:25 PM CDT	FOX	AT NY GIANTS
8	SUN NOV 01	3:25 PM CST	FOX	SEAHAWKS
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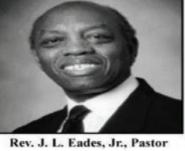


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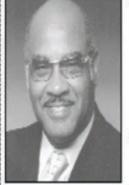


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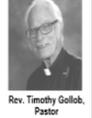


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By Dr. J. Ester Davis

This series of articles is about 'parents-in-America'. This is a series about good "parenting". It is an urgent motivational propeller for anyone with a 'three-year-old' child. As mentioned in last week's column, President Obama and Dr. Carson have a lot in common. . . as boys they had mandatory reading and manners. Their home life had real homework assignments from their parents, more specifically, their mothers. These mothers established disciplines very early in life. They took the time, ignored the circumstances, because of its potential everlasting results.

connection between incarceration numbers and literacy skills? Is illiteracy a poor man's disease? What is the common thread that 80% of inmates have? I will start with the last one first. The color of the thread is these Americans cannot read. Believe it or not, when you mention why so many prisons are being erected, there are at least two dozen (twenty-four) different answers. The most ridiculous answer is 'this is crap'. . . to . . . 'untrue'. . . and my favorite, 'a loaded statement-to-ruffle feathers'. (Of Note: I am sure this reminds you of the same controversy about global warming.)

Innocently many, many years ago, I mentioned my maiden name on television. We started receiving calls, asking if I was related to a "Captain Sadler", who was over a large prison guard unit at the time in Texas. Our marvelous family circle make up is largely educators, law enforcement officers and musicians. Of course, we have our prorate share of law breakers, career criminals and sympathizers. Several of our family gatherings have required empires and referrers. But, my cousin (Captain Paul Gene Sadler), who was always a serious leader, told us stories centered around the education/understanding of prison life. Even then,

the one thing that came out of these spirited discussions, was we knew who these potential beds in the prison system would be occupied by. And today, we know who these potential beds in the prison system will be occupied by. Bottom line, we know who these kids are. Are we fearful of ruffling feathers? Your creator did not give us the spirit of fear.

Statistics consistently tell us that 85% of all juveniles who come into contact with the system, are functionally illiterate. This is evident by the number of criminals who perform "dumb crimes". For example, stealing an ATM machine. Can I remove it from the premises? Can I haul it off? What is it made of? Can I open it? How do I dispose of it? Is it serially controlled with a tracking clip embedded? All relative questions that a respect for reading would answer.

Please parents, teach your three-year-at-home at home. The secret is to start early. Not at thirteen. It's as simple as that.

Series Final: Raising Potential

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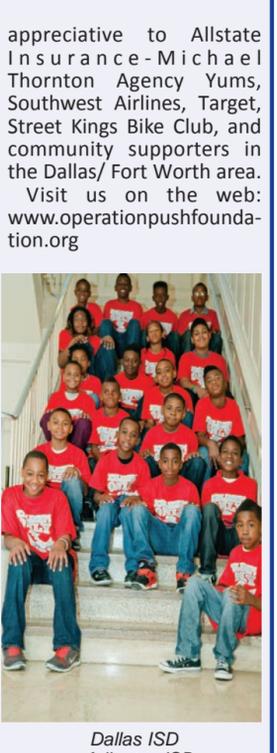
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**Congratulations Mr. Daiquari M. Wilson**  
President and Founder of Operation Push

On September 25 2015, students from the Dallas/Fort Worth Area will go to Boston, Massachusetts for a tour of Harvard University with Operation Push Foundation under the dynamic leadership of Mr. Daiquari M. Wilson. Established in 2013, Operation Push Foundation is a 501(c) (3) none - profit organization Targeting young men between the ages of 10-14 created to encourage an early start on collegiate preparation and entrepreneurial development. To do this, we will transparently invest, encourage, and build up every child no matter their circumstance or upbringing. We want our young men to understand the importance of early college preparation, setting goals, and taking tangible strategic steps to achieve those goals. We desire to foster an

entrepreneurial spirit in our young men that will place them on a path of career success. We will help them understand that they are not limited to a career in athletics or entertainment, and are in no way limited by their neighborhoods or their circumstances. Our young men will understand that preparation + discipline will push them towards a successful career and life. We will encourage our participants to pursue their career goal in whatever field they desire, we want to also expand their minds to a wide variety of career opportunities available to them through preparation and discipline. We will not only help our young men develop a primary plan for their lives, but we will also equip them to always be prepared with a Plan B for any adversity they may face. We want them to understand that if they have no option other than their first option, they will be limited in what they can achieve. Our mission is to expose at-risk young men in the Dallas/Fort Worth area, who have demonstrated a willingness to learn and academic achievement, to institutions of higher learning and corporate organizations across the nation. This exposure will help our young men to understand the importance of early college preparation, and will expand their minds to the wide variety of career opportunities available to them in life. The goal of OPF is to break the cycle of male imprisonment, high school dropouts, and mentality that inner-city youth are limited to careers in sports and entertainment. Our goal is to set our young men on a path of career success through preparation and discipline. To make this trip possible to Harvard University, I am

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## PRAIRIE VIEW A&M VS. GRAMBLING STATE

SEPTEMBER 26, 2015 | COTTON BOWL | DALLAS, TX | 4:00PM KICK-OFF

### HBCU RIVALRY OPENS 2016 STATE FAIR



*By Joshua C. Johnson*  
The Texas-Oklahoma game is usually the centerpiece of the Texas State Fair, but there's another game that draws just as many fans and just as much attention to Dallas' Cotton Bowl Stadium. The State Fair Classic game between Grambling State

University and Prairie View A&M is easily one of mostly highly anticipated games of the season. The two Historically Black [Colleges and] Universities have a long standing rivalry between them.

Even during winless seasons the teams draw record crowds to the State Fair of Texas. The contest between the bands is just as intense as the play on the field. In fact, the halftime show for this game is actually longer to allow both bands to perform elaborate and highly entertaining routines.

More often than not, fans show up for the first half and leave after the band performances conclude so that they enjoy the Midway fare and attempt to beat the traffic and attend the myriad of events following the game.

But don't let that sour you on the game. Historically black colleges rarely get a platform like this, so the

game itself -- regardless of the records -- is a big deal for the members of the Grambling and Prairie View communities.

This State Fair Classic, which has actually been in existence since 1925, but has featured Prairie View A&M and Grambling since 1985, is usually a one-sided affair. Grambling, which has won 14 SWAC championships and 23 Black College titles, has only lost five times to Prairie View -- and these games are rarely close.

Since 2009 Prairie View has four of the last six matchups and looks to keep going strong against the Tigers. In their season opener PV under new Head Coach Willie Simmons started off on the right foot as the Prairie View A&M Panthers rolled up nearly 500 yards of total offense combined with a stingy defensive effort as they reclaimed the Labor Day Classic trophy after a 38-11

win over Texas Southern at BBVA Compass Stadium.

Prairie View A&M finished with 457 yards (290 Rushing, 167 Passing) on 76 offensive plays while allowing 291 yards defensively. Green combined for three touchdowns as he rushed for 81 yards and two touchdowns on 18 carries while throwing for 167 yards and a touchdown on 13-of-27 passing. In his first game in two seasons, Brown led PVAMU with 88 yards on nine carries followed by 55 yards and a touchdown from Hebert and 50 yards and a touchdown from Anderson.

Jalan Coleman led the defense with nine tackles and sack while Barton finished with 2.5 tackles for loss and two sacks. After his performance against Texas State Coleman was named SWAC Newcomer of the Week after a 10-tackle performance at Texas State this past Saturday.

Coleman has led PVAMU in tackles for two consecutive

games as he finished with nine tackles and a sack last week at Texas Southern. The Daphne, Ala. native currently leads the team with 21 tackles and two tackles for loss and is also tied for second in the SWAC in tackles.

On the other side of the ball the Tigers enter with a 1-2 record.

Tigers QB Johnathan Williams completed 21 of 38 passes for 296 yards as the GMen defeated Alabama State University at ASU Stadium 34-10 Saturday night.

"I think our kids played well," said head coach Broderick Fobbs, "and we ran the ball well, which is good because it keeps the defense off the field."

While ASU gave up 34 points, the G-Men's defense held ASU to only 3 points until less than 3 minutes left in the game when the Hornets scored their only touchdown.



Grambling State played a strong defensive game against ASU, and PV's Courtney Brown will test the GSU defense. As the Panthers were trailing in the fourth quarter against Alabama A&M, he ran two consecutive fourth-quarter scores to push his team on to a win.

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## IMAGINE CLEAN STORMWATER



#### Fact: Yard Waste Matters

Leaves and grass washed down the city's storm drainage system is a form of water pollution. Annually, it accounts for One Fifth of all garbage generated in the U.S.

Yard waste decomposes in local creeks, ponds, lakes and the Trinity River causing algae to grow. Large algae blooms deplete water of life giving oxygen. And, without oxygen in the water, aquatic animals and plant life can suffocate.

Sweeping or blowing yard waste into storm drains can result in a \$2,000 fine.

#### Yard Work Tips:

- Never sweep or blow yard waste into the street or down storm drains.
- Sweep or blow grass clippings from your sidewalk, driveway and street back onto your yard because they will act as fertilizer.
- Fallen leaves can be mulched and left on the lawn.
- Leaves can be bagged and stored until bulk waste collection day in your neighborhood.
- Or compost your leaves and grass clippings turning them into wonderful natural fertilizer.

Contact City of Dallas Stormwater Management at [Stormwater@DallasCityHall.com](mailto:Stormwater@DallasCityHall.com) or 214-948-4022 to learn more or to request a presentation for your organization, school or business.

