



*Illinois Secretary of State Jesse White– Photo provided by Apprey PR*

In Honor of Black History Month, Bolingbrook Black History Month Awareness Club will organize its 24th Annual Black History Month Celebration Saturday, February 12, 2022, from 1:00 PM until 5:00 PM at Bolingbrook High School, 65 Raider Way, Bolingbrook, IL 60440.

The "Education is Elevation" theme event will be hosted by Chicago Emmy Award Journalist Art Norman of Chicago NBC 5 News. A college and college Greek fair has been added to the free event. Guests and future college students will have the opportunity to learn more about their options about their education and the historically nine Black fraternities and sororities that make up National Pan-Hellenic Council "Divine-Nine".

There will be a special appearance by Secretary of State Jesse White who will receive the 2022 Hall of Fame Award followed by a special performance by the Jesse White Tumblers. Continuing with this year's theme will be special guest speaker Dr. Cheryl Green, Ph.D., President, Governors State University. Black History Advocate and educator Ernest Crim III will enlighten the audience about Black History. The highly anticipated event that has been connecting the community by providing awareness and understanding of African American Heritage will also include college scholarships that are presented to outstanding high school



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