

Dayton Unit NAACP

2017 Annual Report



Derrick L. Foward, M.C.E.

33rd President

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"Built on Faith...Steadfast and Immovable!"

The Founding of the NAACP

On February 12, 1909 the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People was founded by a multiracial group of activists, who answered "The Call," in New York City, NY. They initially called themselves the National Negro Committee.

FOUNDERS

Ida Wells-Barnett, W.E.B. DuBois, Henry Moscowitz, Mary White Ovington, Oswald Garrison Villiard, William English Walling led the "Call" to renew the struggle for civil and political liberty.

NAACP Vision Statement

The vision of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People is to ensure a society in which all individuals have equal rights and there is no racial hatred or racial discrimination.

NAACP Mission Statement

The mission of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People is to ensure the political, educational, social, and economic equality of rights of all persons and to eliminate racial hatred and racial discrimination.

The Founding of the Dayton Unit NAACP

In 1914, from the 5th Annual Report of the NAACP: Prospective branches, most of the following are to be chartered in the near future:

Albuquerque, NM	Columbus, OH	New Orleans, LA	St. Joseph, MO
Atlantic City, NJ	Dayton, OH	Peoria, IL	Toledo, OH
Baltimore, MD	Des Moines, IA	Springfield, IL	
Cincinnati, OH	Jacksonville, IL	Springfield, OH	

The Dayton Chapter of the NAACP was established on February 9, 1915 at Zion Baptist Church. The Dayton Chapter NAACP was Officially Chartered by the NAACP Board of Directors on May 10, 1915. During that year, the chapter had 75 members. Its primary objective that year was to stop attempt at segregation in Dayton Public Schools. For the year the chapter raised \$96 to further its work.

The First Branch Officers are as follows:

James C. Farrow, President; Moses H. Jones, Vice President; William O. Stokes, Secretary; Miss L.M. Troy, Treasurer; Rev. Robert T. James, Chaplain;

The First Executive Committee Members are as follows:

Charles Price; W. D. Chamberlain; Frederick Rike; Mrs. Charles S. Kumler; E. C. Harley; Rabbi David Lefkowitz; Rev. E. E. Thompson; Mrs. Julia Carnell; Dr. B. A. Rose

Dayton Unit NAACP Vision Statement

The Dayton Unit NAACP *vision* is to fulfill the Dream of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 by capitalizing on the 2nd "A" of the NAACP, which stands for *ADVANCEMENT*. (Copyright © Incorporated 2007 - DLF)

NAACP Founders



Oswald Garrison Villard



Ida Wells-Barnett



William English Walling



Henry Moskowitz

Celebration of the 100th Anniversary of the NAACP is also a celebration of the 60 distinguished pioneers who signed the Lincoln Day Call which led to the founding of the Association, February 12, 1909.

Among the founders, pictured on this page, were: Oswald Garrison Villard, who wrote the Call; Ida Wells-Barnett, a crusader against lynching; William English Walling, whose article on the Springfield, Illinois race riots of August, 1908, stressed the need for a "large and powerful body of citizens" to defend the rights of black people; Henry Moskowitz, a social worker among immigrants; W.E.B. DuBois, the multi-talented founder and first editor of *The Crisis*; Mary White Ovington, a social worker, who conceived the idea for an NAACP; Moorfield Storey, first NAACP president; and John Haynes Holmes, a minister.



W.E.B. DuBois



Mary White Ovington



Moorfield Storey



John Haynes Holmes



Down Through the Years...

Presidents of the Dayton Unit NAACP

1915 – 1916	James C. Farrow 1 st President	1949	Rev. Granville. W. Reed, Jr. 18 th President
1917	John H. Rives 2 nd President	1950	Atty. Morris H. Simmons 19 th President
1918 – 1921	Rev. J.N. Samuels-Bolboder 3 rd President	1951	Rev. J. Inman Dixon 20 th President
1922 – 1923	Atty. J. P. Jetton 4 th President	1952 – 1953	Rev. James I. Davis 21 st President
192 – 1925	Joseph A. Peters 5 th President	1954 – 1957	Charles J. Francis, Sr. 22 nd President
1926 – 1931* 1934 – 1935*	Dr. J. E. Bush 6 th President	1958 – 1959	Atty. James H. McGee 23 rd President
1936	Rev. J.N. Samuels-Bolboder 7 th President	1960 – 1961	Dr. Maceo R. Clarke, Sr. 24 th President
1937 – 1938	Clarence Joseph McLin, Sr. 8 th President	1961 – 1962	Atty. Arthur O. Fisher 25 th President
1938	Viola T. Lewis-Waiters 9 th President	1962 – 1969	Ollie Ashby 26 th President
1939 – 1940	Hazey P. Loritts 10 th President	1970 – 1974	Rev. Marshall Gilmore 27 th President
1941	Irving Williamson 11 th President	1974 – 1976	Clarence E. Bowman, Sr. 28 th President
1941	W. D. McLoud (Acting) 12 th President	1977 – 1984	Atty. Richard Austin 29 th President
1942	Dr. Maceo R. Clarke, Sr. 13 th President	1985 – 2002	Jessie O. Gooding 30 th President
1943 – 1944	Thomas P. Turner 14 th President	2003 – 2004	Floyd B. Johnson 31 st President
1945	Rev. George W. Sherard 15 th President	2005 – 2006	Rev. Dr. Robert E. Baines, Jr. 32 nd President
1946 – 1947	Dr. Maceo R. Clarke, Sr. 16 th President	2007 – Present	Derrick L. Foward, M.C.E. 33 rd President
1948	Atty. Morris H. Simmons 17 th President		

Our Prestigious Leaders

*Unit Inactive 1932 -1933

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Core Goals: Inform, Educate, Empower



Derrick L. Foward, M.C.E.
President

Message From The President:

Dear NAACP Members, Constituents, Church, Community and Business Leaders:

First giving Honor and Praise to our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ who is the head of my life, because without him, we could do nothing.

I want to publicly thank the entire Dayton Unit NAACP Family for the exemplary work you have accomplished, garnering the 2nd Place Thalheimer Award for Outstanding Programs and the 1st Place Thalheimer Award for Outstanding Publications at the NAACP 108th Annual Convention in Baltimore, Maryland. These are the highest awards any Unit can receive from the NAACP. These awards were given to us for our programming and activities in the year of 2016. In fact, this is the sixth year in a row that we have received the coveted Thalheimer Award.

“Teamwork Makes the Dream Work.”

From a proactive standpoint, our Standing Committee Chairs educated more than 930 Dayton residents about issues ranging from, ***“NAACP Impacting Global Community”*** to ***“Drug Dealing in Open-Air-Markets: The Heroin Epidemic,”*** from ***“Job and Career Fair”*** to ***“Candidates Night,”*** we continue to ***Inform, Educate and Empower*** the Citizens of our community.

Our membership continues to grow, up 1.13% versus the previous year. We ended the year of 2017 as the 2nd largest Unit in the State of Ohio, only behind Cleveland. Our online activists have grown to an impressive 5,028 Facebook Fans (***Dayton Unit NAACP***) which is up 3.01% versus previous year. Our goal is to have more than ***10,000 online activists*** by December 31, 2018. ***Become our friend and follow us on Facebook*** so we can keep you updated on the latest advocacy work coming from our office. We conducted 2 TV shows and 4 Monthly Community Meetings, highlighting topics such as ***Living Bi-Racial in 21st Century America; Identifying Mental Health Issues in Today’s Youth...How Can I Help?; Moving Forward to Create a Culture of Schools, Homes and Communities Working Together; Mental Health Services in the Miami Valley Committee;*** and other areas of interest. We investigated 159 cases, down 7.01% versus the previous year.

It was truly a blessing to have all of our youth programs fully functioning and NAACP compliant...Littlejohn Junior NAACP Youth Council, Dayton NAACP Youth Council, Move Forward Thurgood Marshall NAACP Youth Council and the Dayton NAACP ACT-SO Youth Program. I also want to acknowledge Destinee Ra` Walker, President of the Littlejohn Junior NAACP Youth Council for receiving the 2017 Staircase to Excellence Award.

We wish everyone a Blessed, Safe, Prosperous and Happy New Year. I am convinced that if you keep God first, you will receive the desires of your heart. To my Cabinet, I truly appreciate your continued support. Stay Blessed!!!
“Our Success is Influenced by Your Actions (DLF).”

Your community servant,

Derrick L. Foward, M.C.E.
President
Dayton Unit NAACP

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*Derrick L. Foward, M.C.E.
President*

Dayton Unit NAACP 51st Inauguration Ceremony

The Dayton Unit NAACP held its 51st Inauguration Ceremony at the Dayton Cultural and RTA Transit Center on Thursday, January 19, 2017. The *Honorable Judge Mia Wortham Spells* administered the Oath of Office to the following Officers-elect and Executive Committee Members-elect for a 2-Year Term commencing on January 1, 2017 and expiring on December 31, 2018:

Officers

- Derrick L. Foward, M.C.E. – President*
- Rev. Herman E. Branham – 1st Vice President*
- Tom M. Roberts – 2nd Vice President*
- Willie A. Terrell, Jr. – 3rd Vice President*
- Clair Mae Thompson – Secretary*
- Lauretta Williams – Assistant Secretary*
- Cedric L. McGhee – Treasurer*
- Jamie L. Rippey – Assistant Treasurer*



Executive Committee Members

- | | | |
|--------------------------------|----------------------------|--------------------------------|
| <i>Stacey D. Benson-Taylor</i> | <i>Marvene A. Mitchell</i> | <i>Christopher L. Shaw</i> |
| <i>Lu Dale</i> | <i>David L. Montgomery</i> | <i>Deborah A. Smith</i> |
| <i>Eric L. Ellington, Sr.</i> | <i>Dr. Carl E. Moyler</i> | <i>William Thomas Spear</i> |
| <i>Rev. Dr. David I. Fox</i> | <i>Demetrious H. Rush</i> | <i>Dr. Anthony B. Whitmore</i> |
| <i>Arnetta G. Gary</i> | <i>Derrick Scales, Sr.</i> | <i>Dinah M. Williams</i> |

Congratulations to the newly Elected Officers and Executive Committee Members on your successful victory. Welcome to a team filled with energy, passion, loyalty and a commitment to excellence. Please assist us in achieving our 3 powerful core goals, which are to **Inform, Educate, and Empower** the great Citizens of our community, to make better well-informed decisions on this daily journey that we call life. Our vision is to **fulfill** the **Dream** of the **Civil Rights Act of 1964** by **capitalizing** on the 2nd “A” of the NAACP, which stands for **ADVANCEMENT**. We certainly stand on the broad shoulders of those **Pioneers** who came before us.

Dayton Unit NAACP 51st Inauguration Ceremony Con't...



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Proactive Civil Rights Agenda (Educational Community-Based Programs):

January 2017 – Monthly Educational Community Meeting titled, **“Building Membership Capacity in the 21st Century.”** The distinguished guest speakers were **Shawn Dedrick**, CEO, Shaunchu LLC; **Tony Evans**, CEO, T-bone Productions; **Ina Green**, Dayton Unit NAACP Church Captain, Summit Christian Church; and **Joyce Willis**, Former Membership Chair, Dayton Unit NAACP.
(Moderator – Dinah M. Williams, Membership and Life Membership Chair)



February 2017 – Monthly Educational Community Meeting titled, **“NAACP Impacting Global Community.”** The distinguished guest speakers were **Sir Victor Obasuyi**, Regional President, United African States; **Floyd B. Johnson**, 31st President, Dayton Unit NAACP; and **Dr. Anthony B. Whitmore**, Economic Development Committee Chair, Ohio Conference NAACP.
(Moderator – Ayo O. Ogunduyile, International Affairs Chair)



We Are The Dayton Unit NAACP
We Share
Because
We Care



March 2017 – Monthly Educational Community Meeting titled, **“Community and Church Collaboration on Drug Addition.”** The distinguished guests were **Rev. Dr. William E. Harris**, Pastor, Believers Christian Church; **Rev. Dr. David I. Fox**, Criminal Justice Chair, Dayton Unit NAACP; **Jared Grandy**, Community Police Council Coordinator, City of Dayton Human relations Council; and **Rev. Renee Sheppard**, Volunteer, Project Impact.

(Moderator – Rev. Herman E. Branham, 1st Vice President and Religious Affairs Chair)



April 2017 – Monthly Educational Community Workshop titled, **“Drug Dealing in Open-Air-Markets: The Heroin Epidemic.”** The distinguished guest speakers were **Sheriff Phil Plummer**, Montgomery County Sheriff’s Office; **Major Eric A. Henderson**, Dayton Police Department; and **Derrick L. Foward**, President, Dayton Unit NAACP.

(Moderator – Rev. Dr. David I. Fox, Criminal Justice Chair)



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May 2017 – Monthly Educational Community Meeting titled, **“Job and Career Fair.”** The distinguished guest were 23 employers who were looking to hire for entry level and management positions in the areas of Healthcare, Logistics, Manufacturing, and Customer Service.
(Moderator – Marvene A. Mitchell, Community Coordination Committee Chair)



June 2017 – Monthly Educational Community Seminar titled, **“Identifying Mental Health Issues in Today’s Youth: How Can I Help?”** The distinguished guest speakers were **Carol A. Prewitt**, President, Prewitt Consulting, LLC; **Samuel C. Pride**, Ministry Lead, Prairies Chapel – Gospel Service; **Matt Turner, RYT**, Instructor, Dayton Yoga Club; **Muriel Suttles, MSW, LSW**, Mental Health Therapist, Eastway Corporate / Trotwood Middle School; **Dr. Steven Kniffley**, Associate Professor, Wright State University School of Professional Psychology; and **Carol Dokes**, Independent Consultant, Usborne Books & More.
(Moderator – Felicia A. Hill, BSN, Health Chair)



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July 2017 – Monthly Educational Community Seminar titled, “Let’s Get Our Houses In Order.” The distinguished guest speakers were **Chris Ways**, C&C Contracting Services; **Francoise St. Jules**, 360 Degrees Home Improvement; and **David Uzhca**, Affordable Roofing. The meeting also included the awarding of Scholarship Funds.
(Moderator – **Deborah A. Smith**, Housing Chair)



August 2017 – Monthly Educational Community Seminar titled, **“Moving Forward to Create a Culture of Schools, Homes and Communities Working Together.”** The distinguished guest speakers were **Nelson Stone**, Principal, Dayton Boys Preparatory Academy; **Crystal Philips**, Principal, Dunbar Early College High School; **Donetrus Hill**, Principal, Meadowdale High School; **Timothy McKinney**, Assistant Principal, Meadowdale High School; **Debra Corbin**, Assistant Principal, David H. Ponitz Career Technology Center; **Sharon Goins**, Principal, Thurgood Marshall STEM High School; **Dr. Robert C. Walker**, President, Dayton Board of Education; and **Venita Kelley**, Director, Dayton Public Schools Office of Strategic and Community Relations.
(Moderator – Deborah A. Smith, Housing Committee Chair)



September 2017 – Monthly Educational Community Seminar titled, **“Meet The Candidates – Part 1.”**
The distinguished guests were several candidates with opposition for the offices of **School Board in Dayton, Trotwood and Jefferson Township.**
(Moderator – Tom Roberts, 3rd Vice President & Political Action Committee Chair)



October 2017 – Monthly Educational Community Seminar titled, **“Meet The Candidates – Part 2.”** The distinguished guests were several candidates with opposition for the offices of **Township Trustee, City Council, and City Commission in Dayton, Trotwood, Jefferson Township and Harrison Township.**
(Moderator – Tom Roberts, 3rd Vice President & Political Action Committee Chair)



**VOTE YOUR
VALUES**

November 2017 – Monthly Educational Community Seminar titled, “*Miami Valley Equity Regional Profile.*” The distinguished guest speakers were *Brian Martin*, Executive Director, Miami Valley Regional Planning Commission; and *Martin H. Kim*, Director of Regional Planning, Miami Valley Regional Planning Commission.
(Moderator – *Roland Winburn, Economic Development Chair*)



December 2017 – The Annual Meeting was held to include written Year-End Reports from Officers and Standing Committee Chairs. We voted for members to serve on the NAACP National Board of Directors. We had a Christmas Celebration that concluded an enormous year of activities whereas we *Informed* and *Educated* the Citizens throughout the Greater Dayton Metropolitan Area on many issues which will ultimately *Empower* them to make better well-informed decisions on their daily journey that we call life.
(Moderator – *Derrick L. Foward, M.C.E., President*)



Members Listening & Participating In Annual Meeting



Members Receive Awards During Annual Meeting

Picture on Left:

President Derrick L. Foward,
1st Lady Jean A. Foward,
Rev. Dr. David I. Fox,
Arnetta G. Gary and Derrick Scales, Sr.
Receives
“Stellar Attendance Award”
For Attending All
Executive Committee Meetings
And General Membership Meetings
For the Entire Year of 2017



Picture on **Right**:

Eric L. Ellington, Sr. and
Felicia A. Hill, BSN
Receives
“Executive Committee Award”
For Attending All Executive Committee
Meetings for the Entire Year of 2017



Picture on **Left**:

David L. Montgomery, Deborah A.
Smith and Clair Mae Thompson

Not Pictured
Lauretta Williams

Receives
“General Membership Award”
For Attending All General Membership
Meetings for the Entire Year of 2017



Members Enjoying Dinner During Annual Meeting



Andy Adair,
Managing
Partner of
Outback
Steakhouse
On Miller Lane
Caters
Christmas
Dinner
For
Members &
Friends
of the
Dayton Unit
NAACP

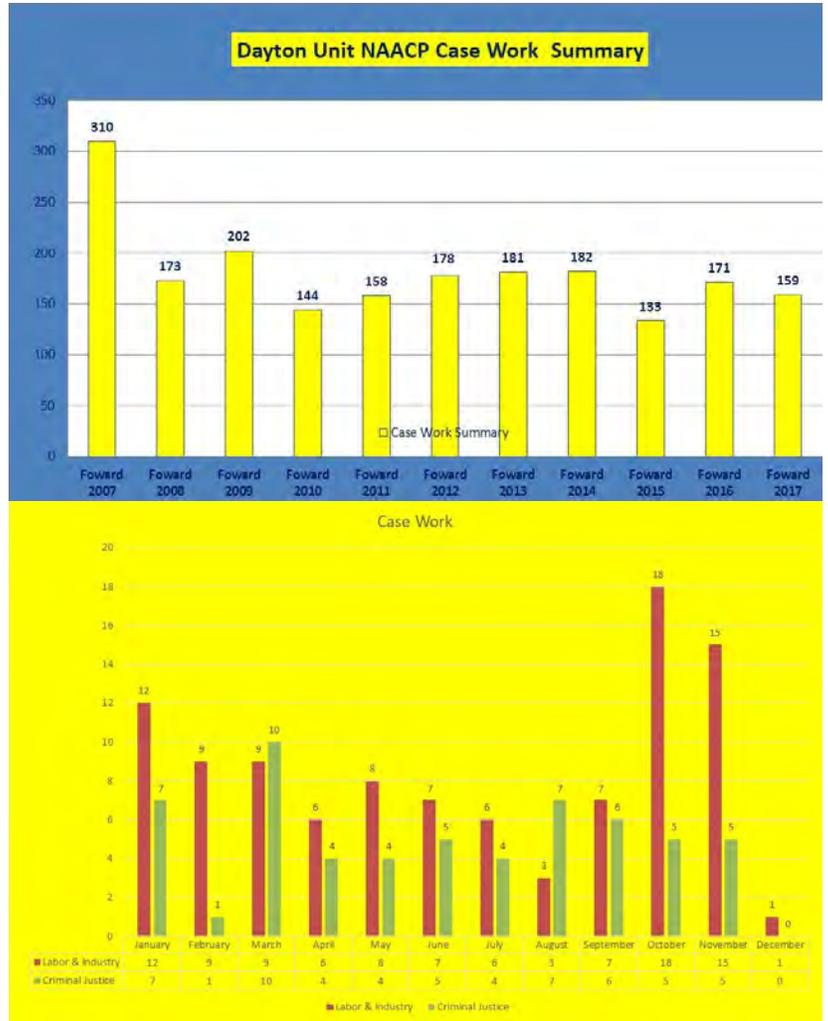


Public Safety and Criminal Justice (21st Century Game Changer):

The NAACP does not provide legal advice but we do offer Non-Lawyer assistance when feasible. Our Labor & Industry Committee (*Chairperson Chris R. Cortner & Paralegal Kathy Parson*) and Criminal Justice Committee (*Chairperson David I. Fox*) have teamed-up to investigate the following cases as of December 31, 2017 YTD:

- Civil Matter – 1
- Civil Rights Violation – 1
- Correction Abuse – 1
- Correction Neglect – 1
- Criminal Damaging – 1
- Custody – 3
- Dereliction of Duty – 2
- Education – 7
- Employment – 85
- Expungement – 1
- Housing – 9
- Jail Issue – 1
- Jail Misconduct – 1
- Jail Neglect – 2
- Neighborhood Dispute – 2
- Other – 1
- Over Charging – 2
- Police Abuse/Brutality – 4
- Police Harassment – 7
- Police Misconduct – 21
- Probation Violation – 1
- Prosecutorial Abuse of Discretion – 1
- Security Mismanagement – 1
- Unruly Child – 1
- Wrongful Charge – 2

Total Cases December 2017 YTD – 159



Our process is as follows: Intake all Complaints Reported to the Unit; Thoroughly Investigate Case; Assess the Validity of the Complaint; Meet with Respondent to Review Entire Case; and Offer Proposed Solutions Based on a Thorough and Complete Investigation. Some cases may result in direct action or withdrawal of economic support if deemed necessary. We will continue to pursue freedom and justice for all Americans on a daily basis.



*Seeking Equality of Rights
For All Americans*



Public Safety and Criminal Justice Con't (21st Century Game Changer):

***Dayton Unit NAACP Host Town Hall
“Drug Dealing in Open-Air-Markets: The Heroin Epidemic”***

The Dayton Unit of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP) hosted a Town Hall titled, ***“Drug Dealing in Open-Air-Markets.”*** The event was held on Monday, April 24, 2017 at 6:30 pm at the Dayton Boys Preparatory Academy located at 1923 W. Third St. The distinguished panelists will be Sheriff Phil Plummer, Montgomery County Sheriff’s Department, President Derrick L. Foward, Dayton Unit NAACP and Major Eric A. Henderson, Dayton Police Department. The moderator will be Rev. Dr. David I. Fox, Chair of the Dayton Unit NAACP Criminal Justice Committee.



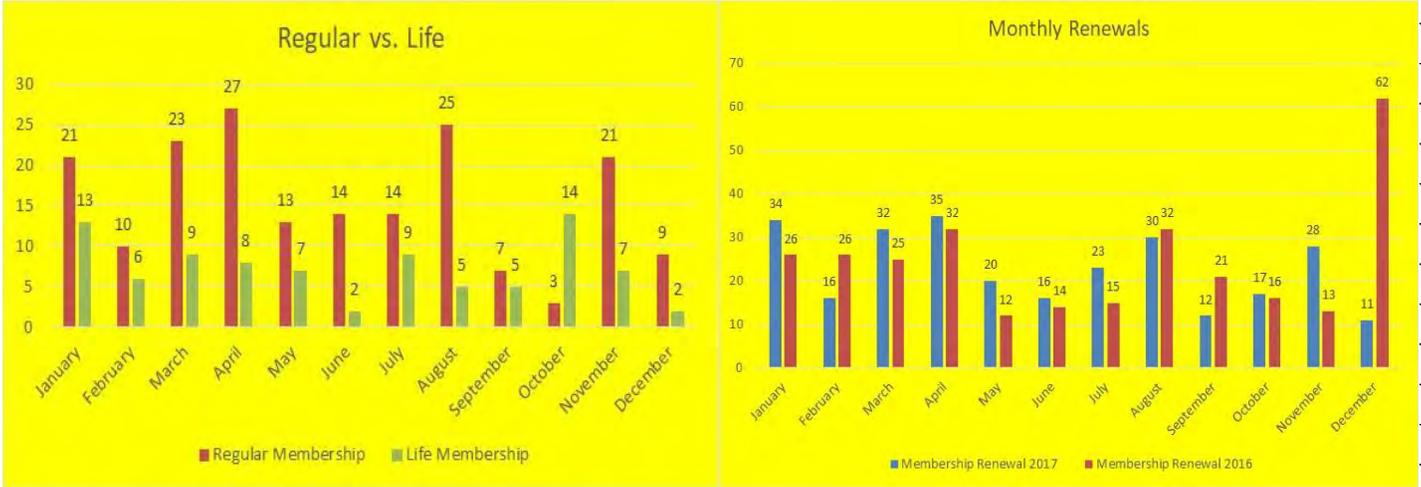
***Dayton Unit NAACP Town Hall
“Community Dialogue on Judicial Reform”***

The Dayton Unit of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP) hosted a Town Halls titled, ***“Community Dialogue on Judicial Reform.”*** The session was held on Tuesday, March 21, 2017 at 6:00 p.m. at Diamond D’s Diner located at 2100 Nicholas Rd. in Dayton, Ohio. The distinguished guest were various local Pastors who has been personally involved with or has keen knowledge of the Judicial System. We explained the impact it has on their parishioners. The moderator was Tom Roberts, 3rd Vice President and Chair of the Dayton Unit NAACP Political Action Committee.



Membership Update:

As of December 31, 2017 YTD, the Dayton Unit NAACP had a **1.13% increase** in financial members versus the previous year. As of December 31, 2017, 21 people became Fully-Paid Life Members. The Dayton Unit NAACP is the 2nd largest Unit in the State of Ohio.



Growing the Dayton Unit NAACP One Member at a Time



Picture on Left:

President Derrick L. Foward, 2nd VP Tom Roberts, 3rd VP Willie A. Terrell, Jr. and Summit Christian Church

Received

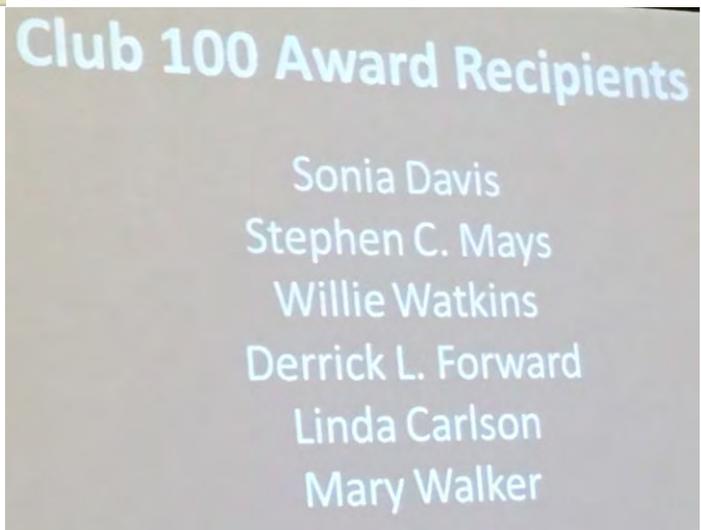
National NAACP Million Dollar Club Awards

Picture on Right:

President Derrick L. Foward

Received

NAACP National Club 100 Award



Membership Update Con't...:

**Dayton Unit NAACP Seminar
“Building Membership Capacity in the 21st Century”**

The Dayton Unit of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP) hosted a seminar titled, “**Building Membership Capacity in the 21st Century**” on Monday, January 23, 2017 at 6:30 pm at the Dayton Boys Preparatory Academy located at 1923 W. Third St. The distinguished panelists were Ina Green, Member of Summit Christian Church; Joyce Willis-Davis, Former Membership Chair of the Dayton Unit NAACP; Tony Evans, CEO for T-bone Productions; and Shawn Dedrick, CEO of Shaunchu LLC. The moderator was Dinah M. Williams, Chair of the Dayton Unit NAACP Membership and Life Membership Committee.



If you are interested in joining the NAACP or hosting a membership drive, please contact us at 937.222.2172.

(Dinah M. Williams, Membership & Life Membership Committee Chair)

Education (21st Century Game Changer):

**Dayton Unit NAACP Providing an Opportunity
for the Community At-Large to Invest in Our Children’s Education**

The Dayton Unit of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP) hosted a Town Hall titled “**Moving Forward to Create a Culture of Schools, Homes, and Communities Working Together.**” The event will be held on Monday, August 28, 2017 at 6:30 at the Dayton Boys Preparatory Academy located at 1923 W. Third St. The distinguished guest panelists were Dr Robert C. Walker, President of the Dayton Board of Education; Sharon Goins, Principal, Thurgood Marshall STEM High School; Debra Corbin, Principal, Ponitz Career Tech Center; Dr. Donetrus Hill, Principal, Meadowdale High School; Karen Chicketti & Timothy McKinney, Assistant Principals, Meadowdale High School; and Crystal Phillips, Principal, Dunbar Early College High School. The moderator was Laurreta Williams, Chair of the Dayton Unit NAACP Education Committee.

State of the Schools

(Laurreta Williams, Education Committee Chair)

We Embody A Caring Spirit!!!

A ***“Citation of Honor Award”*** was developed to recognize Citizens and Organizations for their personal achievements and significant contributions they have made to the community. The distinguished recipients are as follows:

- Natasha R. Williams (Main Anchor at NBC Affiliate KTVE, Monroe, Louisiana)
- Mt. Carmel Missionary Baptist Church (50th Jubilee Church Anniversary)
- Pastor Herman E. Branham (15th Pastoral Anniversary)
- Bethel Missionary Baptist Church (125th Church Anniversary)
- Curtis Brice Sims (2017 Jefferson Township Community Service Award)
- Summit Christian Church “Disciples of Christ” (105th Church Anniversary)



Remembering Members and Friends Who Have Gone On Before Us!!!

A ***“Resolution”*** is given to the family of our deceased members as a way to honor them for their service and dedication to the Dayton Unit NAACP. We also provide a ***“Resolution”*** or ***“Floral Arrangement”*** to members who have had an immediate family member to pass away.

- Mrs. Dorothy Mae Treece (Assistant Secretary)
- Dr. Talbert L. Grooms, Sr. (Education Chair)
- Mr. William G. Clay (Father of Health Chair)
- Mr. Demetrious H. Rush (GOTV Chair)
- Bishop John H. Mathews, Jr. (Executive Committee)
- Jacquelyn T. Reynolds



Expanding Youth and Young Adult Engagement (21st Century Game Changer):



The Littlejohn Junior Youth Council (Ages 1-12), Dayton Youth Council (Ages 13-17), Move Foward Thurgood Marshall NAACP High School Chapter and Wright State University NAACP College Chapter are engaged in community service activities and leadership development. The ACT-SO Youth Group (High School Students) competes in 25 categories of competition to include the sciences, humanities, performing and visual arts, mathematics and entrepreneurship. A few of the highlights are as follows:



Supporting Wright State University NAACP College Chapter Freedom Fund Banquet



Littlejohn Junior Youth Council and Dayton Youth Council Team-Up to Host Youth Civil Rights Panel

Expanding Youth and Young Adult Engagement Con't...(21st Century Game Changer):



Littlejohn Junior NAACP Youth Council & Dayton NAACP Council Presidential Acceptance Speeches



Expanding Youth and Young Adult Engagement Con't...(21st Century Game Changer):



Expanding Youth and Young Adult Engagement Con't...(21st Century Game Changer):



***(Destinee Ra` Walker, President – Littlejohn Junior Youth Council)
(Jean A. Foward, Advisor; Pam Sloan, Co-Advisor – Littlejohn Junior Youth Council)
(Te’Nayia A. Bailey, President – Dayton Youth Council)
(Carolyn Y. Perkins, Advisor – Dayton Youth Council)***

Expanding Youth and Young Adult Engagement Con't...(21st Century Game Changer):



Members of the Move Forward Thurgood NAACP High School Chapter Pose for Picture at the 2017 National NAACP Convention in Baltimore, Maryland



(Quintin Jordan, President – Move Forward Thurgood Marshall NAACP High School Chapter)
(LTC (R) Claudia L. Mason, Advisor – Move Forward Thurgood Marshall NAACP High School Chapter)

Expanding Youth and Young Adult Engagement Con't...(21st Century Game Changer):

The Dayton NAACP ACT-SO Program were able to send two (2) of the five (5) students to compete in the NAACP National ACT-SO Competition. Kennedy Cook, Stivers School for the Arts, competed in the category of Music Vocal Contemporary; Terrance Auster, Jr., Miami Valley CTC, competed in the category of Music Instrumental Contemporary; Corrie Smith, Stivers School for the Arts, was to compete in the category of Music Vocal Classical; Craig Jackson, Stivers School for the Arts, was to compete in the category of Music Composition; and Allyia Nelloms, Stivers School for the Arts, was to compete in the category of Dance Modern. They were accompanied by Cedric McGhee, ACT-SO Committee Chairperson and Sylvan Davis, ACT-SO Committee Media Relations Chairperson.



Dayton NAACP ACT-SO Day of the Stars Local Competition



Expanding Youth and Young Adult Engagement Con't...(21st Century Game Changer):

ACT-SO Impact Statements



- **NAME:** Kennedy Cook
- **CATEGORY:** Music Vocal Contemporary
- **SCHOOL 2017:** Stiver School for the Arts Jr.
- **Current:** Stiver School for the Arts Sr.
- **Years in ACT-SO:** 1
- **National Ceremony:** National Choir Member

“I connected with many new students from across the nation and performed in the choir singing the Negro National Anthem at the National ACT-SO Award ceremony. The rehearsals for this award ceremony were quite an experience within itself. ACT-SO teaches you how to experience new challenges and develop your skills to a higher level. It was fun to experience the cultural aspects from the master classes, workshops, film screening of STEP, and other sightseeing things to do in city of Baltimore. Overall, I enjoyed the moments I shared in ACT-SO and look forward to Year 2018.”

Kennedy Cook
2017 National Competitor – Baltimore

- **NAME:** Terrance Auster Jr.
- **CATEGORY:** Music Instrumental Contemporary Drawing
- **SCHOOL 2017:** Miami Valley CTC
- **Current:** The School of Advertising Art
- **Years in ACT-SO:** 1
- **National Ceremony:** National Band Member



“Through ACT-SO, I learned the value of principles such as goal setting, and strategic planning. I have acquired the confidence, and am honored to compete on the grand stage at Nationals against competition from all over the country. ACT-SO is creating numerous gateways for many young talented African Americans, and I am very blessed to have had the chance to participate in such a program. “

Terrance Auster Jr.
2017 National Competitor – Baltimore

(Cedric L. McGhee, Chair; Dr. Carl E. Moyler, Co-Chair)

Media Relations / Headlines:

- High Youth Turnout at MLK Day March, Closing Banquet (WDTN-TV2)
- MLK Events Tackle Racial Divisions, Strife (DDN)
- MLK Day: Thousands March in Dayton for Unity, Equality (DDN)
- NAACP Officers to Be Sworn In Thursday (DDN)
- NAACP Presents 2017 Officers Installation (DWN)
- Dayton NAACP Holds Inaugural Ceremony (WDTN-TV2)
- Dayton NAACP Has 51 Annual Inaugural Ceremony (ABC 22 / Fox 45)
- Black Community Hit by Homicides (DDN)
- Dayton Unit NAACP Seminar “Building Membership Capacity in the 21st Century” (DWN)
- Dayton Unit NAACP Host Town Hall “NAACP Impacting Global Community” (DWN)
- Derrick Foward, NAACP, Makes Key Cabinet Appointments To Lead The Organization For The Next 2 Years (DWN)
- NAACP Hosting Town Hall Monday (DDN)
- Montgomery County Commission Votes To Establish Justice Committee (WDTN-TV2)
- City Names Members of New Justice Committee (WDTN-TV2)
- Committee Chosen To Oversee County Jail (DDN)
- Justice Committee Members Named (DWN)
- Dayton Unit NAACP Hosts Town Hall Monday (DDN)
- Ex-Funeral Home Owner Dies At 57 (DDN)
- Dr. Talbert Grooms, Educator and Civic Leader Dies at 59 (DWN)
- NAACP To Discuss Drug Dealing at Meeting (DDN)
- Dayton Unit NAACP Host Town Hall “Drug Dealing in Open-Air-Markets: The Heroin Epidemic” (DWN)
- Sheriff: Cameras, More Narcan Needed (DDN)
- First Meeting of Montgomery County’s Justice Committee Scheduled (WDTV-TV2)
- Funeral Service Held For Longtime Commissioner Dean Lovelace (ABC 22 / Fox 45)
- NAACP Urges OHSAA to Reconsider Punishment Against DPS Over Football Scandal (ABC 22 / Fox 45)
- Dayton NAACP Career Job Fair (DDN)
- Dayton Public Schools Reprimand Reworded (DDN)
- NAACP Denies OHSAA Claim (DDN)
- State Implicates DPS’ Baker in Rigged Game (DDN)
- Dayton Unit NAACP Hosts Career Job Fair (DDN)
- Dayton Unit NAACP Host 2nd Annual Career Job Fair (DWN)
- Dayton Link’s Awarded by Local NAACP Unit (DWN)
- St. Benedict the Moor Catholic Church 2017 Cardinal Bernardin Community Service Awards (DWN)
- Dayton Unit NAACP Town Hall “Identifying Mental Health Issues in Today’s Youth...HOW CAN I HELP YOU?” (DWN)
- NAACP Town Hall Will Be Held Monday (DDN)
- Dayton NAACP Wins Awards at National Event (DDN)
- Dayton Unit NAACP Host Town Hall “Let’s Get Our Houses in Order (DWN)
- NAACP Vice Chair Speaks at Antioch College (DDN)
- Dayton Unit NAACP Remembers Demetrious Rush (DWN)
- NAACP Hosting Town Hall Tonight (DDN)
- Dayton Funeral Fight ‘Unacceptable’ (DDN)
- Powell Regains Head Coaching Job at Dunbar (DDN)
- Mrs. Charline McIntosh, Widow of Civil Rights Advocate W.S. McIntosh Celebrates 100 Years (DWN)
- Dayton Unit NAACP Celebrates 102nd Anniversary May 10, 1915 – May 10, 2017 (DWN)
- NAACP to Host Town Hall on Improving Education (DDN)

Media Relations / Headlines Con't...:

- Dayton Unit NAACP Providing an Opportunity for the Community At-Large to Invest in Our Children’s education (DWN)
- Dayton Unit NAACP Wins Again! Proven Leadership Year After Year After Year (DWN)
- Confederacy Still Honored in Ohio Through Monuments (The Toledo Blade)
- Dayton Unit NAACP Humbled by Election Results at NAACP State Convention (DWN)
- Criticized Franklin Twp. Firefighter Submits Resignation (DDN)
- NAACP Candidates Forum Monday (DDN)
- School Board Candidates to be at NAACP Forum (DDN)
- Ohio NAACP Names President (DDN)
- Middletown NAACP Calls For Firing (DDN)
- NAACP Leader on Franklin Twp. Firefighter: ‘I Hope He Learned From This’ (DDN)
- Dayton NAACP President Calls for Franklin Twp. Firefighter’s Firing (DDN)
- Bethel Baptist Church Celebrates Their 125th Anniversary Gala (DWN)
- Dayton Unit NAACP to Host “Meet the Candidates” Forum (DWN)
- NAACP to Host Candidates Forum (DDN)
- Why The NAACP Wants Dayton Voters To Decide on Traffic Cameras (DDN)
- Vote May Decide Fate of Cameras (DDN)
- Dayton Unit of the NAACP Takes A Stance on Issue 2 (ABC 22 / Fox 45)
- Three Akron Residents Elected to Ohio Conference NAACP Leadership (Akron Beacon Journal)
- Former Sheriff May Join Jail Advisory Committee (DDN)
- Dayton Unit NAACP 66th Annual Freedom Fund Banquet (DWN)
- NAACP Annual Meeting, Dinner Monday (DDN)
- Dayton Unit NAACP Announces 2017 Annual Meeting and Christmas Celebration (DWN)
- Overall Crime Rate Declines Most in a Decade (DDN)



(Elona Beans – Communications, Press & Publicity Committee Chair)

Training & Development:

Various members of the leadership team of the Dayton Unit NAACP participated in the following training sessions:

1. *NAACP Annual Meeting*
2. *NAACP National Board Meeting*
3. *Ohio Conference NAACP Quarterly Trainings*
4. *NAACP 108th Annual Convention*
5. *Ohio Conference NAACP 86th Annual State Convention*
6. *Dayton Unit NAACP Annual Meeting*



Educating the General Public Through TV Media (DATV)

*Living B-Racial in 21st Century America
“Baby Sophie”*



Voting Rights and Political Representation (21st Century Game Changer):



President Foward, 2nd VP & Political Action Chair Roberts and Sr. Vice President and Director of the NAACP Washington Bureau Hillary O. Shelton Prepare lobby Members of Congress.



Voting Rights and Political Representation Con't...(21st Century Game Changer) :



Meetings with Congresswoman Joyce Beatty and Congressman Mike



Voting Rights and Political Representation Con't...(21st Century Game Changer):



Meetings with Congresswoman Joyce Beatty and Congressman Mike Turner



Voting Rights and Political Representation Con't...(21st Century Game Changer):

**Dayton Unit NAACP Host
“Meet the Candidates” Forum**

The Dayton Unit of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP) hosted a “Meet The Candidates” forum on Monday, September 25, 2017 at 6:30 pm at the Dayton Boys Preparatory Academy located at 1923 W. Third St. The distinguished guests were several candidates with opposition for the offices of School Board in the Dayton, Trotwood and Jefferson School Districts. The moderator was Tom Roberts, 2nd Vice President and Chair of the Dayton Unit NAACP Political Action Committee.



“This will be an excellent opportunity to hear first-hand from the candidates that are running for office, said Roberts. Every election is critically important. The candidates elected this November will make decisions at the Local level that will affect our lives on a daily basis, said Roberts.”

The Dayton Unit NAACP is a nonpartisan organization and does not make decisions based upon political preference. “We **“Do Not Endorse”** candidates however, we are an issues driven organization and reserve the right to publicize if a candidate does not support our issues, said Derrick L. Foward, President of the Dayton Unit NAACP. We look forward to hearing about how the candidates plan to address the needs of the people and deliver upon the promises they make to the Citizens for the office they are seeking. When African Americans **“VOTE,”** we make a powerful difference in the outcome of elections. The candidates we support collectively as a people, **“WIN”** elections. Candidates know this to be true, that’s why they court our **“VOTE,”** at the church house, at liquid beverage establishments and in private meetings, said Foward.” Everyday Citizens have heard the terminology, **“Swing States,”** however candidates know and also understand the power of **“Swing Votes,”** said Foward. Let’s make every election a difference maker by the sovereignty of our **“VOTE.”** When Middle-Class Caucasians and College Students as well as Hispanics and Latinos join the African American community in the **“VOTING PROCESS,”** it creates an environment of change. We will continue to work with our brothers and sisters to ensure that all voices are heard, said Foward.”

Voting Rights and Political Representation Con't...(21st Century Game Changer):

***Dayton Unit NAACP Host
“Meet the Candidates” Forum***

The Dayton Unit of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP) hosted a “Meet The Candidates” forum on Monday, October 23, 2017 at 6:30 pm at the Dayton Boys Preparatory Academy located at 1923 W. Third St. The distinguished guests were several candidates with opposition for the offices of Trustee, City Council and City Commission in the City of Dayton, City of Trotwood, Jefferson Township and Harrison Township. The moderator was Tom Roberts, 2nd Vice President and Chair of the Dayton Unit NAACP Political Action Committee.



***(Tom Roberts, 3rd VP & Political Action Committee Chair)
(Demetrious H. Rush, GOTV Committee Chair)***

Health (21st Century Game Changer):

Dayton Unit NAACP Town Hall

“Identifying Mental Health Issues in Today’s Youth...HOW CAN I HELP?”

DAYTON, OHIO - JUNE 19, 2017 - The Dayton Unit of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP) will host a Town Hall titled, ***“Identifying Mental Health Issues in Today’s Youth...HOW CAN I HELP?”*** The event will be held on Monday, June 26, 2017 at 6:30pm at the Dayton Boys Preparatory Academy located at 1923 W. Third St. The distinguished panelist will be Carol A. Prewitt, President of Prewitt Consulting, LLC, Matt Turner, RYT, Instructor at Dayton Yoga Club and Murel Suttles, MSW, LS, Eastway Corporation / Trotwood Middle School. The moderator will be Felicia A. Hill, BSN, RN, Chair of the Dayton Unit NAACP Health Committee.

“The life of a young adult is like riding “The Beast” rollercoaster at Kings Island for more than an hour, said Derrick L. Foward, President of the Dayton Unit NAACP. The emotional ups and downs, followed by twist and turns, can have a lasting impact on our Nation’s most venerable Citizens. Depression, anxiety, eating disorders and attention deficit hyperactivity disorder (ADHD) are all common signs of mental health disorders. When attempting to assist young adults through their adolescence years, let’s be mindful of these symptoms,” said Foward. “To heal our families, communities, nation and world, we must heal our mental health,” said Hill. Mental Health Matters!



(Felicia A. Hill, BSN – Health Committee Chair)

International Affairs:

***Dayton Unit NAACP Host Town Hall
“NAACP Impacting Global Community”***

The Dayton Unit of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP) held a Town Hall titled, ***“NAACP Impacting Global Community.”*** The event was held on Monday, February 27, 2017 at 6:30 pm at the Dayton Boys Preparatory Academy located at 1923 W. Third St. The distinguished panelists will be Sir Victor Obasuyi, President of United African States; Floyd B. Johnson, 31st President of the Dayton Unit NAACP; and Dr. Anthony B. Whitmore, Economic Development Chair of the Ohio Conference NAACP. The moderator was Ayo Ogunduyile, Chair of the Dayton Unit NAACP International Affairs Committee.



(Ayo O. Ogunduyile – International Affairs Committee Chair)

Economic Sustainability (21st Century Game Changer):

**Dayton Unit NAACP Host
“2nd Annual Career Job Fair”**

The Dayton Unit of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP) hosted its “2nd Annual Career Job Fair.” The event was held on Monday, May 22, 2017 from 6:30 pm to 8:30 pm at the Dayton Boys Preparatory Academy located at 1923 W. Third St. We had a commitment from 20 employers who were looking to hire for entry level and management positions in the areas of Healthcare, Logistics, Manufacturing, and Customer Service. Candidates applied for jobs on-site, had resumes reviewed and/or had a one-on-one interview if they so desired. The welcome was given by a Montgomery County Commissioner, National Pan-Hellenic Council and Derrick L. Foward, President of the Dayton Unit NAACP. The moderator was Marvene Mitchell, Chair of the Dayton Unit NAACP Community Coordination Committee.



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We Share
Because
We Care**

Economic Sustainability Con't...(21st Century Game Changer):

*Dayton Unit NAACP Host
“2nd Annual Career Job Fair”*



(Marvene A. Mitchell, Community Coordination Committee Chair)

Economic Sustainability Con't...(21st Century Game Changer):

**Dayton Unit NAACP Town Hall
"Miami Valley Equity Regional Profile"**

The Dayton Unit of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP) hosted a Town Hall titled "**Miami Valley Equity Regional Profile.**" The event was held on Monday, November 27, 2017 at 6:30pm at the Dayton Boys Preparatory Academy located at 1923 W. Third St. The distinguished guest speakers were Brian Martin, Executive Director of the Miami Valley Regional Planning Commission and Martin H. Kim, Director of Regional Planning for the Miami Valley Regional Planning Commission. The moderator was Roland Winburn, Chair of the Dayton Unit NAACP Economic Development Committee.



(Roland Winburn, Economic Development Committee Chair)

**Dayton Unit NAACP Host Town Hall
"Let's Get Our Houses In Order"**

DAYTON, OHIO – July 14, 2017 - The Dayton Unit of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP) will host a Town Hall titled, "**Let's Get Our Houses In Order.**" The event will be held on Monday, July 17, 2017 at 6:30 pm at the Dayton Boys Preparatory Academy located at 1923 W. Third St. The distinguished guest speakers will be representatives from Affordable Roofing, C&C Contactor Services, Gray's Tree Service, Sam and Sons Services, LLC and 360 Degrees Home Improvement. The moderator will be Deborah A. Smith, Chair of the Dayton Unit NAACP Housing Committee.

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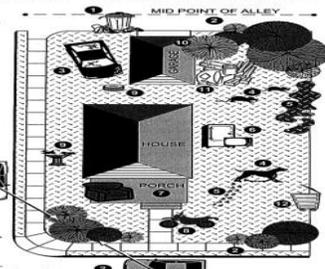
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1. Trash, debris and broken glass not picked up on the premises (includes to the midpoint of the alley). Waste for City removal placed for pick up earlier than one day before scheduled pick up date.
2. Bushes, hedges, vines, weeds and/or trees growing into right of way or obstructing view of traffic.
3. Inoperative / junked and (or) unlicensed vehicle stored outside or vehicle parked on the lawn. No auto parts or outdoor storage of other inappropriate materials.
4. Rodents in the yard -- call Rodent Control Services at 333-3977 for free outdoor baiting. Dog/animal feces not picked up daily. Pet food left out provides food for rodents.
5. Overgrown grass -- not neatly cut and trimmed (muck) or compost after cutting. City will not remove grass. Ground cover required throughout yard and dog run area.
6. Bulk items (stoves, refrigerators, TV's, furniture and other items for special pick up) are not to be placed for pick up earlier than day before scheduled pick up date. Schedule pick up date by calling 333-4800.
7. Over stuffed / indoor furniture stored or used outdoors.
8. Motor vehicle (including motorcycles) parked on lawn or yard walk.
9. Containers holding stagnant water provide mosquito breeding habitat. Remove or treat with larvicide.
10. Trim trees away from house and garage. Remove/trim dead limbs from trees. Remove dead trees from yard.
11. Commercial and business equipment stored on residential property, no trucks rated over one ton.
12. Waste container stored where offensive to occupants of adjacent properties, and/or offensive waste in container.



PLEASE NOTE: Unsanitary Neighborhood Yard Standards violations may result in a Motor Vehicle/Trailer Citation (costing \$135.00 or more) and/or legal notice being issued.

(Deborah A. Smith, Housing Committee Chair)

Ohio Conference NAACP Highlights:

The Dayton Delegation

Members of the Dayton Unit NAACP, Littlejohn Junior Youth Council, Dayton Youth Council, Dayton ACT-SO Youth Program and the Move Foward Thurgood Marshall High School Chapter Participates in Ohio Conference NAACP Quarterly Meetings & State Convention



2nd Vice President Tom Roberts Elected as President of the Ohio Conference NAACP



Ohio Conference NAACP Highlights Con't....:



Dayton Unit NAACP Visible At The NAACP 108th Annual Convention:

The Dayton Unit NAACP Delegates represented the Dayton community very well at the NAACP 108th Annual Convention and were elected to serve in the following leadership positions:

- President Derrick L. Foward, M.C.E. – Chairman of the Credentials Committee for the NAACP 107th Annual Convention
- Dayton NAACP Youth Council President Te’Nayia A. Bailey – Member of the Credentials Committee for the NAACP 107th Annual Convention
- Dayton NAACP Youth Council Secretary Dinell Buford – Region III Y&C Division Secretary for the NAACP 107th Annual Convention



Dayton Unit NAACP Visible At The NAACP 108th Annual Convention Con't:



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Award Recognitions

- ***Derrick L. Foward, M.C.E., 33rd President of the Dayton Unit NAACP*** – On behalf of the Dayton Unit NAACP, 2nd Place Thalheimer Award for Outstanding Programs from the National NAACP
- ***Derrick L. Foward, M.C.E., 33rd President of the Dayton Unit NAACP*** – On behalf of the Dayton Unit NAACP, 1st Place Thalheimer Award for Outstanding Publications from the National NAACP



Award Recognitions Con't:

- ***Lu Dale, Freedom Fund Committee Chair*** – The St. Benedict The Moor Catholic Church 2017 Cardinal Joseph Louis Bernardin Community Service Award



- ***Willie A. Terrell, 3rd Vice President and Scholarship Committee Chair*** – Dayton & Montgomery County Black Elected Officials Legacy Award



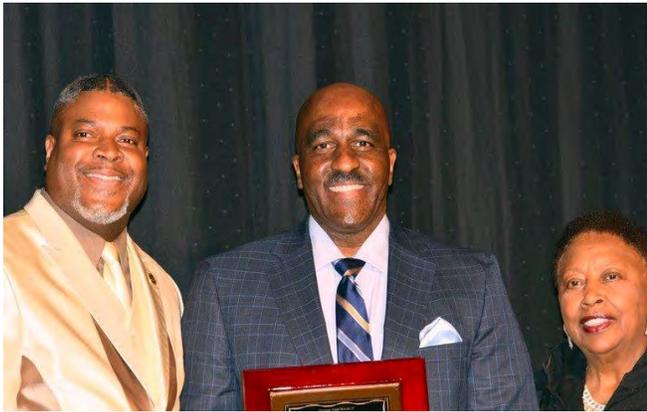
Freedom Fund Highlights:



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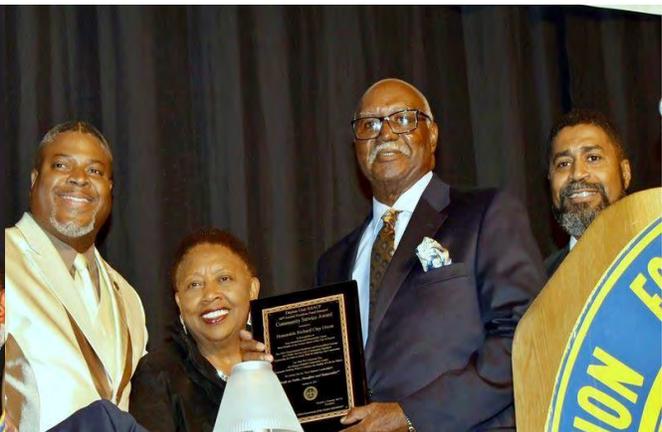
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Honorable Dixie J. Allen
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Lennie Allen Received on Behalf of his Mother



Honorable Richard Clay Dixon
Community Service Award Recipient

Freedom Fund Highlights Con't:



Rev. Dr. Frederick Douglass Haynes, III
 Senior Pastor, Friendship-West Baptist Church
 Keynote Speaker



Rev. Dr. Frederick Douglass Haynes, III
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 Keynote Speaker Award



President Derrick L. Foward
 Keeping It Real
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Maya Dunson, Jordan R. Sanson, Justin O. Allen
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 Scholarship Recipients



Rhonda C. Moore
 Mistress of Ceremony Award
 Reporter
 WKEF-TV ABC 22 / WRGT-TV Fox 45



Terrance Auster, Kennedy Cook
Carrie Smith, Craig Jackson, Allyia Nelloms
 Local Gold Medal ACT-SO Award Recipients

Freedom Fund Highlights Con't:

New Life Members of the Dayton Unit NAACP



Freedom Fund Highlights Con't:

Thank You **Dr. Jamison Hunter**, Senior Pastor, Macedonia Missionary Baptist Church for your Leadership, Influence and Assistance With Bringing Rev. Dr. Frederick Douglass Haynes, III to Dayton



Destinee Ra' Walker, Ze'Niah S. Howell, Te'Nayia A. Bailey, Dinell Buford & Dorian Buford
Dayton NAACP Youth Council Award Recipients



Largest Sit-Down Dinner of Any Organization In Montgomery County

Freedom Fund Highlights Con't:



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Freedom Fund Highlights Con't:

Rev. Dr. Frederick Douglass Haynes, III Receives Labor Award



Freedom Fund Highlights Con't:

President's Reception



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***On Behalf of the Dayton Unit NAACP
President Derrick L. Foward & 1st Lady Jean A. Foward
Say's "Thank You" for an Outstanding 102nd Anniversary Celebration
May God Bless You!, May God Bless the NAACP! and May God Bless These United States of America!***

Pictorial Reflections:

Agent William Thomas Spear
Volunteer of the Year Award



Marvene A. Mitchell
Committee Chair of the Year Award



Pictorial Reflections Con't...:

1st Lady Jean A. Foward Birthday Celebration



Pictorial Reflections Con't...:

Tom Roberts, Demetrious H. Rush & Fred Strahorn Birthday Celebration



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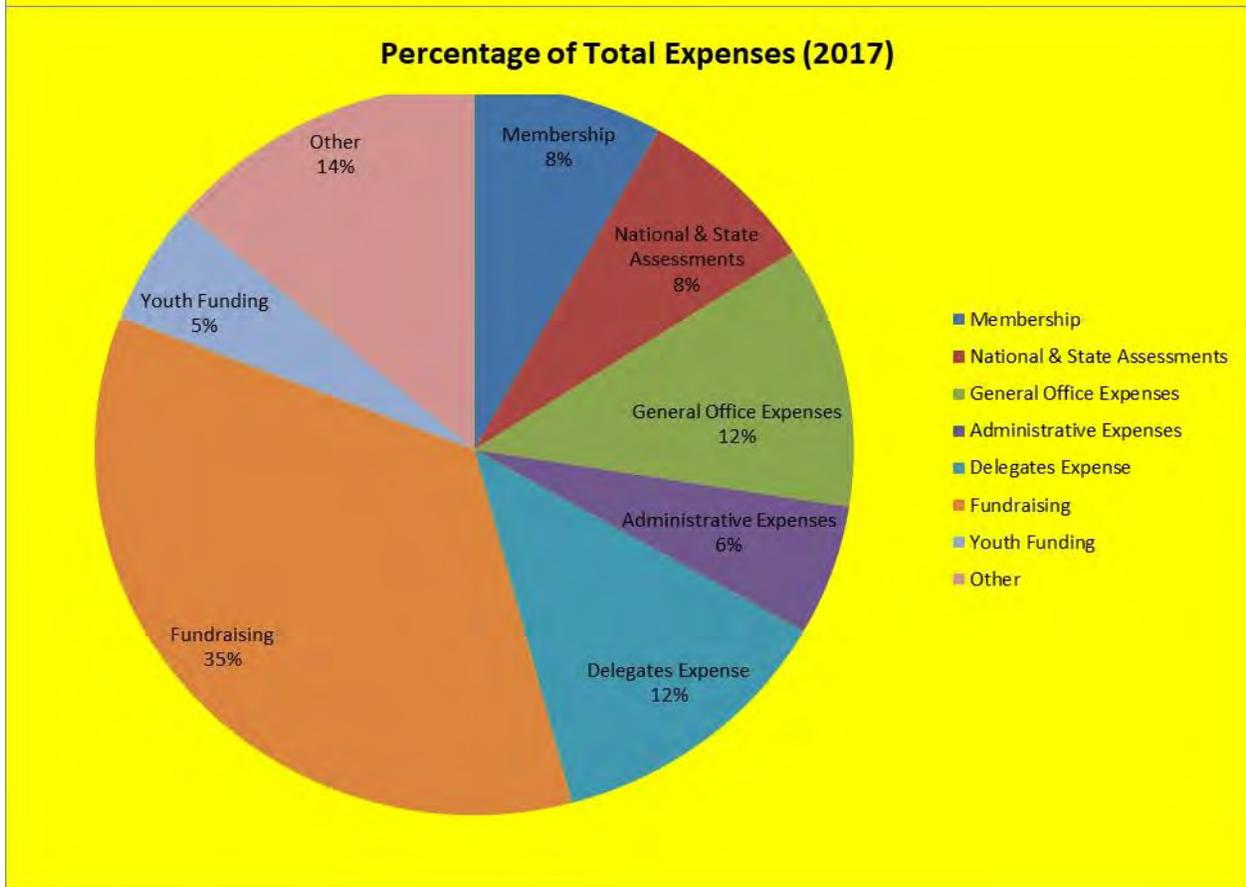
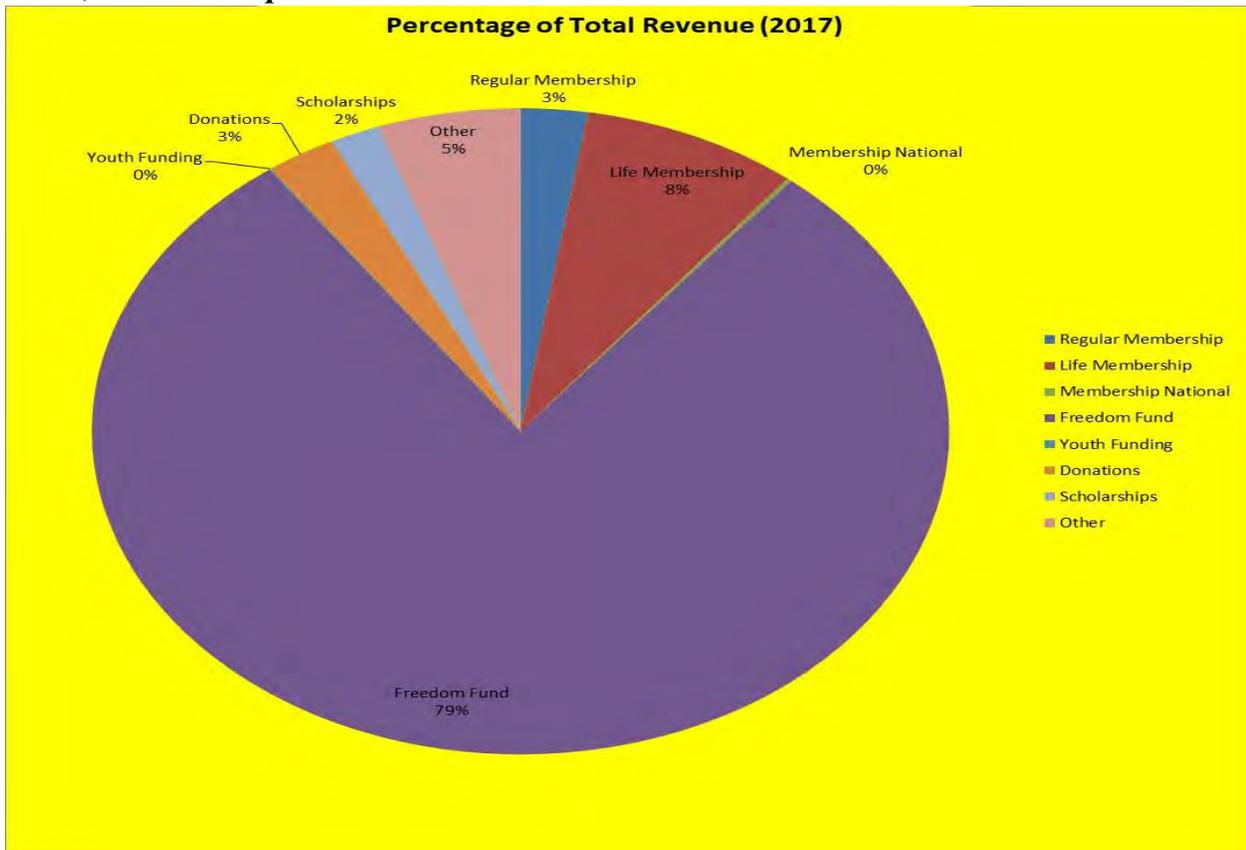
Pictorial Reflections Con't...:

*In Loving Memory of our GOTV Chairman
Demetrious H. Rush
(2007-2017)*



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Next Scheduled Calendar Event:

Dayton Unit NAACP General Membership Meeting / Monthly Community Meeting
Dayton Boys Preparatory Academy
January 22, 2018 @ 6:00 p.m.
See You There!!!

Until We Meet Again, Have A Great Year!!!

“Built on Faith...Steadfast and Immovable!”