

2025 Calendar

January 20 –MLK Celebration
Fayetteville, GA

January 26 – Meeting

February 01 – Black History
Celebration & Block Party at
11 AM @ Bennetts Mill

February 23 - Meeting

March 23 – **Annual Meeting**
In-Person Elections

April 26 – Economic
Empowerment Workshop

Fayette County Public
Library or other Location

May 18– In-Person Health &
Safety Prevention Meeting
@ 3 PM

June 19 – Juneteenth Celebration

July 12 – 16th – NAACP Nat’l
Convention - Charlotte, NC

July 27 – In-person Meeting

August 17 – Planning Meeting
August 23 - JuvenileJustice
Forum @ 11 AM – 2:30 PM
Fayette County Public Library

September 28 – Meeting

October 9 - 11 – Georgia State
Conference Convention –
College Park, GA

October 26 - Meeting
Pre-Thanksgiving Activity

November 23 -Meeting 3pm

***December 2025 - No Meeting**
Christmas Holidays Observance

Advisors, Officers **& Executive** **Committees**

Mrs. Alice M. Jones - Advisor
Mr. Bernie Coston - Co-Advisor
Andrea Ferguson – Co-Advisor

Officers

Gabrielle Wooden - President
Titan McLeod-Jones– V President
Ziyad Austin – 2nd Vice President
Gabrielle Ferguson – Secretary
Ethan Mooring – Treasurer

Committee Chairs

Michael Hampton -Membership
Isaiah Hampton - Education
Christian Lee - Juvenile Justice
Lauryn Ferguson -Communications
Payton Myree-Adams - Health
TBD -Economic Empowerment
Ziyad Austin – Political Action
& Voter Empowerment

Junior Youth Councils

Ages: 8 - 13

Youth Councils

Ages: 14 – 25

College Chapters

College Enrollees under Age 25

NAACP

Fayette County, GA **Youth Council**

Calendar of Events

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Current Facts

Youth & College Division **Purpose & Mission**

The purpose of Youth Units is to inform teens of their Rights as Citizens, advance their economic, educational, social, and political status. To achieve equity, political rights, and social inclusion by advancing policies and practices that expand human and civil rights, eliminate discrimination, and accelerate the well-being, education and economic security of Black people and all persons of color.

Meeting Location

***All Meetings are held**
Virtually via Zoom
Unless Change
w/Notification

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Facebook: Fayette County NAACP
Youth Council

Instagram: Fayette_naacp_yc

Twitter: FayetteNAACP_YC

Website:

www.fcgaacp.org/Youth

Youth & College Division History

During the NAACP 1935 National Convention, several young people challenged the organization to provide young persons with an opportunity to address Civil Rights issues facing the nation's youth.

The NAACP National Board of Directors passed a resolution formally creating the Youth and College Division in March of 1936.

At the historical first youth meeting held in Baltimore, Maryland, June 29 – July 4, 1936, 217 youth delegates held a national conference to address four major areas: Equal educational opportunities, equal economic opportunities, civil rights and physical security against lynching.

The Youth and College Chapters were formed around the nation through various colleges and universities holding numerous student sit-ins, protests for job opportunities, to be served in restaurants and to stop the lynching of African Americans.

The NAACP Youth and College Division currently comprise over 2,000 Units, representing young people across the United States and other countries.

Youth Programs & Services



ACT-SO is an acronym for Afro-Academic, Cultural, Technological and Scientific Olympics

It is a yearlong enrichment program that culminates in a local and national competition where students compete for awards and scholarships. Students ages 14 through 18 can participate in the program.

**NAACP National ACT-SO Competition
(Virtual Competition (TBA))**

Tutorials Offered

**Year-round tutoring offered by
Professional Educators at
Minimum Fee for Youth Council
Members**

Professional Tutors

Ms. Jefferson 404-368-2978

SAT/ ACT

Mrs. Wilson – 678-610-3486

Math

Mr. Wade Hampton 404-790-9922

Math Tutorials

Ms. Zulna L. Heriscar – Owner/
Director

Mathnasium Learning Center

678-990-6284

Mathnasium.com/Fayetteville, GA

Early Education Matters & Recommendations

For students to become proficient in basic skills, mastery of skills must be reinforced in grades First through 3rd to remedy and end the school-to-prison pipeline.

Resources for these grade levels are imperative - small class sizes, quality teachers and additional staff. Provide support targeted to the learning needs of those students retained.

There must be active involvement of local leaders, retired educators, NAACP Units and parent participation for instructional support and input into school governance.

Expectations must be established for enhancement of students' learning behaviors to include active communication with teachers to parents and the administration.

Teachers must be adept to modifying instructional materials and strategies in response to students' learning styles and needs. Incentives, reinforcement, and rewards must be provided to enhance student learning, motivation and to acknowledge achievements. School environments must be safe, orderly, and disciplined, not rigid. Students' intent should be carefully examined by school administrators in determining use of Zero-Tolerance Policy.