

WHAT IS HAPPENING NATIONALLY

ABC/PBS Youth/PLUS (A continuation of Project Literacy U.S.)

One of many PLUS Resources available is First Things First—an award-winning PBS documentary VHS hosted by Phylicia Rashad, which highlights family literacy programs across the country that are working to break the cycle of inter-generational illiteracy. Copies of this and other PLUS programs are available for purchase for educational use. For more information, contact PLUS/WQED, 4802 Fifth Avenue, Pittsburgh, PA 15213, 412-622-1493.

Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity

One important thrust of the Foundation is to attempt to reverse the negative attitudes which many young Blacks have toward education. We must say to them—Stay in School, Claim Your Future. To do this, we propose to bring large numbers of high school students to alternative environments and attempt to inspire and motivate them by the achievements of our college brothers and the wisdom of our alumni membership. For more information please call 312-373-1819.

Conference of Grand Masters Prince Hall Masons

The Conference of Grand Masters Prince Hall Masons is an umbrella organization consisting of the 43 Prince Hall Grand Lodges of the USA, Canada, Bahamas and Africa. Besides providing college scholarships (primarily to Black students), contributions and donations are usually made to community-oriented groups such as the United Negro College Fund, Assault On Illiteracy Program, blood banks, food banks, clothing banks, Aid to Africa, youth training and camping sessions. Information contact: P.G.M. John Howard, P.O. Box 2826, Washington, DC 20013.

Delta Sigma Theta Sorority

We are a private, nonprofit organization whose purpose is to provide services and programs to promote human welfare. Our organization is currently involved in national programs such as Summit II: A Call to Action in Support of Black Single Mothers; Life Development Centers; African Diaspora and International Involvement; Child Development; 'Just Say No' to Drugs; and the national Assault On Illiteracy Program (AOIP). Information contact: 202-483-5480.

Imperial Court Daughters of Isis

Organized in 1910, the Daughters of Isis unite in one common bond of friendship to practice charity and benevolence, to promote general welfare and to inculcate honor and integrity. Information contact: Catherine T. Maxey, Imperial Recordress, 317-283-7230.

Iota Phi Lambda Sorority

Iota Phi Lambda has been actively engaged in the national Assault On Illiteracy Program (AOIP) for several years. We provide youth and adults with information and assistance necessary in preventing alcohol and drug abuse, instilling self-pride and positive images, and in developing solutions to crucial social problems, as well as making correct career choices. Three of our national thrusts are: 1) Tutorial Services; 2) Career Exploration and 3) Teenage Pregnancy programs. Contact Person: Dr. Priscilla D. Thomas, National President, 812-236-0459.

National Association of Black Women Attorneys

We are an organization of women joining together across the country to discuss common problems and assist in the achievement of worthwhile goals, through networking. Each year, scholarship awards are made to deserving female law students who exhibit special promise to the legal profession. These awards are made possible by your finan-

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