

ENTERTAINMENT

Ebony Etchings, etc.

"TOP OF THE ETCHINGS..."

The talk of Tinseltown in the golf communities is the upcoming "Pre-Super Bowl Celebrity/ Amateur Golf Tournament" that will take place on both Brookside Golf courses Wednesday, January 27th, as a fund raiser to benefit the New Revelation Community Outreach Education and Physical Training Center of Pasadena. This event that's endorsed by the Mayor of the City of Pasadena, and supported by various civic, community and business leaders of Pasadena, the city that's hosting this year's Super Bowl, will be co-hosted by a number of popular celebrities from the entertainment, film, television, and sports fields. Lem Barney, former Detroit Lions All Pro Hall of Famer, and BET Football Sportscaster, former NBA All Star and UCLA Basketball Coach Walt Hazzard, Jim Perry, former All Star pitcher for the Minnesota Twins and Cy

Young Award winner, Jim "Mudcat" Grant, former Cy Young Award winning pitcher and sportscaster, are just a few of the sports celebrities already on board, who will be joined by a number of entertainment, film and television celebrities to co-host this fund raising "Pre-super Bowl Golf Tournament" on Wednesday, January 27th, at Brookside Golf Course to benefit the New Revelation Community Outreach Education and Physical Training Center of Pasadena.

On the movie side of things, lovely and talented actress Maria Bryant Ellis who hasn't been seen to much on the silver screen since her co-starring in Alex Haley's "Roots Christmas," will soon be seen playing a starring role in the Juney Smith film, "The Nation." This film that's a story about the Nation of Islam will premier on Monday, October

19th, at the Baldwin Theatre here in Tinseltown, with a Dinner Party immediately following the screening.

Unfortunately the play "The Reverend's Good Wife," written and directed by Felton Perry, that we said in a previous column would play at The Shrine Auditorium here in Los Angeles on October 14th, was postponed because of technical difficulties. However, this postponement just might be a blessing in disguise, because there is a strong possibility that this same play just might become an HBO production property, which should make the cast comprised of Robert DoQui, Sherman Hemsley, Maurice Kitchen, William Knight, Roger E. Mosley, Denise and Freda Payne, Isabel Sanford and Austin Stoker very, very happy!!

"HOW HEAR THIS..."

From last weeks mail bag comes the news that the recently formed National Coalition for Human Justice based in Atlanta, Georgia, has put a call out to a number of African American 'movers and shakers', asking them to join them at a National

Vigil and Conference for an Aids and Drug Free Georgia, set for December 2nd, in Atlanta, at the Omni Convention Center.

The National Coalition for Human Justice (NCHJ) is a professional non-profit, Christian related organization dedicated to assisting health related organizations provide services for the improvement of existing healthcare conditions throughout the community. An impressive group of multi-disciplinary professionals brings expertise in health services administration, public health, mental health, medicine, nutrition, sociology, biostatistics, epidemiology and education to the organization. Staff members collaborate to provide leadership, training, evaluation and research to satisfy NCHJ's main operating objective of providing comprehending health related services to business, industry and the public.

"MUSICALLY SPEAKING..."

Hit song writer and producer Chuck Jackson, who co-wrote and produced all of Natalie Cole's (See *Ebony Etchings*, Page 11)

SENTINEL-VOICE TOP 10 SINGLES

- 1.) SLOW DANCE - R. Kelly
- 2.) REAL LOVE-Mary J Blige
- 3.) GAMES-Chuckii Booker
- 4.) WHAT ABOUT YOUR FRIENDS-TLC
- 5.) AIN'T NOBODY LIKE YOU-Miki Howard
- 6.) JUMP AROUND-House of Pain
- 7.) PEOPLE EVERYDAY-Arrested Development
- 8.) I MISSED THE BUS-Kriss Kross
- 9.) JUS' LIKE COMPTON-DJ Quik
- 10.) TRIPPIN' OUT - Prince Markie D

2 WEEKS @ #1: Slow Dance

PICK HIT OF THE

WEEK: Jus' Like Compton

FURTHERMORE: R.

Kelly holds strong with the #1 song; Mary J. just might slide into the top spot next week; Chuckii, T.L.C, and Miki continue in an upward motion, while House Of Pain and Arrested Development decline; Kriss Kroos and DJ Quik creep up one notch each.

TOP JAZZ CATS FROM THE CAT HIMSELF: 1. B. James & E. Klugh - Cool 2. Boney James - Trust 3. Najee - Just An Illusion 4. Hiroshima - Providence 5. Mr. Fingers - Introduction

ALSO, THE CAT SAYS JAZZ IS BACK: Tune in to FM88 M-F, 10a.m.-noon, and Sun, 4p.m.-5p.m.

GRAND RE-OPENING: 501 CAFE CLUB will be having their "Grand Re-Opening" party this Saturday evening. DJ Create will start the night off at 9:30 p.m., jammin' all his acid/hip-hop/reggae cuts. **Bobby** and **Willie Will**, yes, that's me, will finish off the night playing techno/ alternative and hip-hop/late '70's/early '80's. The club is located at 2585 E. FLAMINGO RD. P-2-THE:E-A-C-E
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R&B STAR KEITH WASHINGTON GUEST STARS, FOX/TV'S "MARTIN"



KEITH WASHINGTON **MARTIN LAWRENCE**

Soul singer Keith Washington will appear in tonight's episode of comedian Martin Lawrence's, "Martin."

Washington will play himself and the former boyfriend of the show's co-star, Tisha Campbell. The two will also perform the Donny Hathaway/Roberta Flack standard, "The Closer I Get To You." The episode airs tonight at 8:30 p.m. (EDT & PDT) on FOX-TV. Washington, an artist signed to Quincy Jones' Qwest Records, rocked the R&B world last year with his gold debut project, *Make Time For Love*.

His hit single, "Kissing You," was chosen as a romantic theme for the daytime drama, "General Hospital." Subsequently, Washington was offered and accepted a recurring role as club singer, "Keith Jasper." Following the success of his debut acting experience on GH, Washington was cast in a featured role in the upcoming feature film "Poetic Justice" the follow-up to director John Singleton's critically acclaimed film, "Boyz 'N The Hood."