



YES, WE HAD IT GOING ON!!! And, somebody told me to, "MIND MY OWN BUSINESS." Well, I took them seriously, and coordinated the MICRO BUSINESS PROGRAM IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY BOARD! My REAL JOB is to encourage community residents to use their MINDS and CREATE their OWN BUSINESSES! What could be MORE ENTERTAINING then that! I was proud to have over a 150 community residents attend our last weekend's MICRO BUSINESS WORKSHOP! Councilman Frank Hawkins and Mr. James Tyree, Executive Director of The Economic Opportunity Board gave some encouraging words before we began our business classes. Also, Mrs. Shirley Barber, Principal of Mabel Hog-

gard was presented with a Certificate of Appreciation by Mr. James Tyree of the EOB, for servicing the community with her Mabel Hoggard School Facility. Mrs. Barber will be relocating to another community school this year, but she is by far OUR COMMUNITY STAR!!! GATES BAR-B-Q, OR SHOULD I SAY MS. ROBERTSON had the lunch GOING-ON at the workshop. Seriously, GATES-BAR-B-Q had the potato salad and BAR-B-Q HAPPENING!!! THREE SNAPS WITH A POSITIVE ATTITUDE GEORGE!!! Keep on KEEPING ON, BECAUSE YOUR BAR-B-Q IS HUMM, HUMM, GOOD!!! I HOPE YOUR EMPLOYEES WILL TELL YOU THIS ONE!!! Nevertheless, this won't be the last ONE of our MICRO BUSINESS (MIND YOUR OWN BUSINESS) WORKSHOPS this is only the beginning, so call me at 647-

7735 to get on my mailing list, so next time YOU WON'T BE MISSED!!

Now, I have some GOSSIP for you so you won't go BOO-WOO!! SHIEDA GARRETT has been dropped from QUEST RECORDS, and word is that KEITH WASHINGTON has got his EGO on fast FORWARD, but QUEST EXECUTIVES aren't really WIT-IT!! TEDDY RIELY is said to be producing a track on VANILLA ICE'S new album in order to put VANILLA BACK IN THE BLACK! I DON'T THINK SO!! HAMMER and 2-BIG are said to have reconciled their differences, and will be working together again on HAMMER'S new album.

WARNER BROTHER'S EXECUTIVE, BENIMADINA and PRINCE are rumored as not talking to one another. DON'T ASK ME WHY!! CHANTE MOORE'S album is not doing as good as SALAS RECORDS expected. It has been reported that millions of dollars were put into the MOORE PROJECT, but according to the TOP 200 ALBUM CHARTS MOORE'S number can't be found. AARON HALL'S new album is being TALKED ABOUT as being all that!! Also, those FUNKY DIVA'S, ENVOGUE are reported as only having one more con-

tracted album time with producers, FOSTER AND MAC ELROY. Then maybe someone else can GET IT!! If you would

like to know something about your OH-SO-LA-LA CELEBRITY you can write me at 716 So. 6th St., Las Vegas, NV

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I will always be THAT PEARL TO ROCK YOUR ENTERTAINING WORLD!!

## ANHEUSER BUSCH SALUTES STARS OF 25TH ANNUAL NAACP IMAGE AWARDS



Wayman F. Smith III (left), vice president of corporate affairs at Anheuser-Busch Companies, and actress Ella Joyce, co-star of the hit television comedy "Roc," are shown backstage at the 25th Annual NAACP Image Awards congratulating "Roc" star, Charles Dutton, who was selected as the "Outstanding Actor in a Comedy Series." Dutton edged out Kadeem Hardison, Martin Lawrence, Rocky Carroll and Will Smith for the honor. The NAACP Image Awards honors individuals and groups that portray positive images of African-Americans in the entertainment industry. Anheuser-Busch was the first national corporate sponsor of the television special, which was broadcast on the NBC network.

## "MARTIN" PLEDGES ITS SUPPORT TO THE NATIONAL ASSOCIATION FOR SICKLE CELL DISEASE, INC.



MARTIN LAWRENCE

On February 4, 11 and 18, 1993, "MARTIN", FOX's most successful hit of the season, will have a very special three-part story that will benefit the National Association for Sickle Cell Disease, Inc.

The producers of "MARTIN" contacted the organization in January and told them about a special three-part story line that will involve viewers of the show.

Martin and his girlfriend Gina (Tisha Campbell) break up and begin dating other people, with television viewers deciding the final outcome in a special 900 number vote.

The telephone lines will be open from February 11 through 16 so that viewers can vote on who should apologize first: Gina or Martin.

Two different endings will be

filmed, and the poll results will determine which is broadcast for the third episode. Each call will cost 75 cents.

Martin Lawrence has chosen to give a portion of the proceeds from these calls to the National Association for Sickle Cell Disease in support of our efforts to find a cure for Sickle Cell Disease. The National Multiple Sclerosis Society will also share in the proceeds for this national promotion.

We are encouraging our friends, supporters and the general public to watch "MARTIN" which airs on FOX, Thursday, 8:30 - 9:00 p.m. ET/PT. Be sure to watch the three-part show on February 4, 11 and 18 You are in for a real treat, lots of fun viewing and continuous laughter.

The National Association for Sickle Cell Disease, Inc. thanks "MARTIN" for caring about the community and for including our organization in this upcoming promotion. Watch the shows and call in.

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