

Maryland State Conference of NAACP 76th Annual Convention

Schedule of Activities

***** FRIDAY, OCTOBER 28, 2016 *****

- 7:30 A.M. – 4:00 P.M. Registration**
- 7:30 A.M. – 10:00 P.M. Vendors**
- 8:00 A.M. – 5:00 P.M. MSC Program Resource Room**
- 9:00 A.M. – 10:00 A.M. Open Plenary Session**
Presiding: *President Gerald Stansbury, Maryland State NAACP*
- 10:15 A.M. – 12:00 P.M. Education Panel Discussion**
“School Discipline and Impact on African American Students: Stopping the School to Prison Pipeline”
The panel will discuss the role of race and disability among other factors and the negative impact on African American students and explore the problems inherent in disciplinary policy and practices that lead to disproportionate consequence.
Moderator: Dr. Barbara Dezmon, Chair, MSC Education Committee
Panel: Nicole Joseph, Attorney, Disability Rights Maryland
Victor Goode, NAACP National Education Director
- 11:00 A.M. – 12:00 P.M. Economic Development Workshop**
“Discussion of the Major Economic Issues Facing Our Communities and How to Make a Difference”
An interactive discussion of several Economic/Financial Issues.
Moderator: Edsel Brown
Panel: David Steele, Howard County Branch President
Honorable Charles Sydnor, III, MD House of Delegates
Dedrick Muhannad, Director, Racial Wealth Divide, CFED
Dawn Chase, Manager, NAACP National Economic Development Dept.



12:30 P.M. – 2:00 P.M.

Labor Luncheon

Keynote Speaker: *Fred D. Mason, Jr.*

President, Maryland & District of Columbia AFL-CIO

◆◆◆ **FRIDAY, OCTOBER 28, 2016** ◆◆◆

2:00 P.M. – 5:00 P.M.

Criminal Justice Panel Discussion

“Pathways to Police Reform”

The panelists will focus on three key areas of reform: accountability measures; changes in police practices and training; and increasing community engagement.

Moderator: Dawn Person, Chair, MSC Criminal Justice Committee

Panel: Timothy D. Mygatt, U.S. Department of Justice (Invited)

Ngozi Ndulue, Senior Director, NAACP Criminal Justice Department

Kevin Davis, Police Commissioner, Baltimore City Police Department

Honorable Angela Alsobrooks, State's Attorney, Prince George's County



7:00 P.M. – 11:00 P.M.

Annual Awards Banquet

Keynote Speaker: *Christopher Haley*

Research Director, History of Slavery in Maryland

◆◆◆ **SATURDAY, OCTOBER 29, 2016** ◆◆◆

7:30 A.M. – 4:00 P.M.

Registration

7:30 A.M. – 5:00 P.M.

Vendors

7:30 A.M. – 8:45 A.M.

WIN Breakfast

Keynote Speaker: *Honorable Donna Edwards*

Congresswoman, U. S. House of Representatives

8:00 A.M. – 4:00 P.M.

MSC Program Resource Room

9:00 A.M. – 10:30 A.M.

Plenary Session

Presiding: *President Gerald Stansbury, Maryland State NAACP*

10:30 A.M. 12:00 P.M.

Legislative Panel Discussion

“From Connection to Collaboration to Correction: How Can The NAACP MSC and State Lawmakers Improve the Most Critical Needs in the Minority Community”

Moderator: Senator C. Anthony Muse, Prince George's County

Panel: Hilary Shelton, Senior VP, NAACP Washington Bureau.

Delegate Cheryl D. Glenn, Baltimore City

10:30 A.M. 12:00 P.M. Youth Breakout

11:00 A.M. 12:00 P.M. Health Workshop
"Promising Practices to Improve Health in Communities of Color"
Moderator: Isazetta Spikes, Chair, MSC Health Committee
Panel: Vinny DeMarco, President, Maryland Health Care for All
Akil Patterson, Deputy Director, Sugar Free Kids Maryland
Rose Blackburne, MD, MBA, Executive Medical Director,
Pharmaceutical Products Development, LLC

◆◆◆ SATURDAY, OCTOBER 29, 2016 ◆◆◆

12:00 P.M. – 2:00 P.M. YOUTH LUNCHEON
Keynote Speaker: *Dr. Lonise P. Bias*
CEO/President, BSpeaks International, Inc.



2:00 P.M. – 5:00 P.M. Youth Breakout

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2:00 P.M. – 5:00 P.M. MSC Legislative Conference
The MSC will host a Legislative Conference where our community partners – organizations, legislators and advocates will have an opportunity to present their proposed legislation to the NAACP Leadership. We will use this vehicle to determine the legislation the MSC will advocate for during the 2016 Legislative Session

5:00 P.M. – 6:00 P.M. Closing Business Session

Embassy Suites Hotel by Hilton Baltimore at BWI Airport
1300 Concourse Drive
Linthicum, Maryland

