White Soul Sister Past Experiences

WASHINGTON, D.C. — In June 1967, Grace Halsell, a white woman who had been in the business of Prescription drug addiction and had been for 20 years, entered treatment at St. Martin Luther King, Jr.

White Soul Sister pipe line to the community. It will mark a time when we can use our resources and skills to make a difference in the world.

The Riverside Jazz Festival Draws 7,000

The Riverside Jazz and Art Festival held at the University of California, Riverside September 28 and 29 attracted at least 7,000 jazz lovers and was, by all accounts, an incredible success.

Not bad for the first year's appearance of what will become an annual musical and fine arts event.

"We had more people than we could have imagined," said Monroe Valley artist Charles Bibbs, of Art Institute, who was one of the event's producers. "After expenses, we've been able to make a racer's environment for young people. Naturally, we were very pleased with our results and we intend to come back next year with an even bigger line-up!"

Bibbs and Rich Sherman of Operations Productions in Newport Beach, put together the weekend festival — which featured such jazz heavy weights as Art of Sow, Gerald Alphonse, and Keiko Matsui — as a means to raise monies for their non-profit arts organization, the Riverside Island Music & Art Foundation.

The money we made is going to go young people "in the arts," Bibbs said. "Our young people need help and encouragement in pursuing their dreams. Who knows? Perhaps one day one of the kids who benefit from the Foundation will be a headline artist!"

The festival, held on the grassy knolls of the UCR campus, also featured fine art, work by local and regional artists, as well as food and beverage samples from area restaurants.

"We don't necessarily want to get bigger — too many music festivals are too big, losing any connection between performer and audience," Bibbs said. "We want to maintain a smaller and intimate and held here, in one of the least crowded places even for a music festival."
What’s On Your Mind?

I feel that the NAACP, Urban League, Congressional Black Caucus, and other organizations should come together and investigate the impact of the Black and Brown vote on the presidential election of 2004. It is felt that Blacks for Obama running to order to solve their problems. We have the resources and the power to bring about a difference in our neighborhoods. Living in Cleveland, Ohio, there is a Black church on almost every street corner, and we always rise to the occasion of our communities. If we want, we can start to empower ourselves to start to control the Flax in our communities and on our streets.

Eric Richardson

When I’m sure many people would hope that such a vote is won, we speculated for years that such a thing is possible and probably exist.

Even our classes add humor with this ridiculous idea that we should have the means to bring such large volumes of drugs into our own communities. Again, I reiterate the obvious, how many of the so-called drugs and instruments we do own that brings drugs into our communities. We always have a “basis” of the largest shipments in history found on boats, ships, buses, trucks, etc., and over 90% of which we do not own. If illegal business is not capable of winning, (from a religious perspective let’s say it that) then God would have someone reasonably conclude that we (African-Americans) are pre-disposed to drug use. If that were true, then what influence our White brothers/sisters to problems of the drug use that so many of us will never own?

Carey is often cramp while in the high places, their executives have had pure cocaine that started the drug like a church, and it is generally shared in the confines of high society, not the public interest. We are very interested and hope that people’s facts will not affect us in this house and understand that we are as powerful as we are to high power organizations, be they corporate entities, banks, or any other organizations.

Martin Cormack

It is not to surprise me that CIA personnel participated in the devastation of our neighborhoods. The CIA had the availability of “cheep” drugs. One arm or another was directly or covertly or covered participated in the demoralization of American Indian, Hispanic, Black, and Asian communities around the whole country. We know before American government became an entity that there is a direct involvement of American Indians about deplorability, reservations, and alcohol. Ask a member of the Guy community about the scholarly documentary, The Strengthener Monument, concerning the Indian reservations and the spread of the HIV virus. Contrast the social services initiatives started after World War II and the Viet Nam War, creating specifically the intended recipients and the method of implementation.

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If you live long enough you will develop benign prostatic hyperplasia (BPH). 50% of males between the age of 31 and 60 will develop BPH. By age 80, 80% of males will develop it. Like gray hair, BPH comes with aging.

At puberty this tiny gland begins to grow rapidly, stimulated by testosterone. By age 20 it is the size of a walnut.

The rate of growth then slows down and tends to remain stable with continued growth of glandular and smooth muscle tissue.

As the prostate increases in size and weight two types of symptoms occur: 1) irritative - frequent urination to empty an overactive bladder and the need to go quickly and the inability to hold it. 2) Obstruction - hesitation in starting. The urge or a need to strain to get it going, standing and stopping frequently with dribbling at the end, decreased force and the lagging sensation that urine is still in the bladder. There are other causes of irritant or obstructive symptoms which can be evaluated by history, physical exam and diagnostic testing.

One hundred years ago the surgical approach was to enter the above the pubic bone (surgical prostatectomy) and remove part of the gland. Currently 75% of prostatetectomies (partial removal of the prostate) are by a transurethral resection (TUR - a mini robot rooter).

All of the gland is not removed and continued growth occurs with the potential for a prostate cancer. About 65 years later, yes, part of the tube that connects the bladder to the outside world is cut out along with prostatic tissue but the tube itself is segmentary. There are complications with the greatest concern being impotence (the inability to have an erection) and an urge to ejaculate occurring in 75% of the males, though sexual enjoyment remains.

Another approach is balloon dilatation, which buys time. On the horizon are heat treatments which destroy prostatic cancer, lasers, prostatectomy and high energy focused ultrasound which also destroys prostatic tissue.

Non-surgical approaches are available to the musculature which has increased in 5 to 11 mm and causes the prostate tissue clamps down like a fist to obstruct the urine. Drugs such as Hytrin will relax the muscle and open the fist and relieve the obstruction as long as you take the medication. The gland, though, continues to grow.

There are drugs that stop the prostatic growth by interferes with hormones that stimulate the growth. All methods have pros and cons to include complications of surgery and side effects of medication. The enlarged prostate itself has complications which include dilatation of the bladder and weakening of the bladder muscle. You can have dilatation of the tube which carries urine from the kidneys emptying into the bladder as well as enlargement of the prostate gland itself. The tube to one of kidney tissue. This is a also a problem which cannot be ignored.

All males as they age and their must meet deal with this. How do you discuss your problems with your personal physician and avoid embarrassment.

Read us next week as we discuss cancer of the prostate.

Dr. Levister welcomes read letters but regrets that he is unable to answer individual questions. Your letters will be incorporated into the columns as space permits. Write to: Dr. Levister in care of the Voice News, P.O. Box 1, Riverside, CA 92502.

NOTE: Address changes to: 399 E. Highland Avenue, Suite 501, San Bernardino, CA 92408. 1-800-3-13-1861, (909) 884-5519 FAX: (909) 884-8059.

White Woman Walks In A Black Person's Shoes

House, Halsell had overheard of the 'soul sister' around the world, to include Europe, the Middle East, Africa, the Orient, and the Americas.

"If I darkened my skin today," Halsell writes, "I could very well live just as well as any white person down at the White Church on Sunday. Fifty years ago we were a race of free people. We remain two nations, black and white, and divided and unequal. The time is over when we can be anything but segregated institutions in a society that is divided.

On returning to Mississippi and the race of Southern blacks, Halsell commented, "As an educated black woman in the south, I would find job opportunities and make an ample income. However, socially, the same barriers are still present. African Americans have made significant gains, but here in the South there is still a consciousness of race which discrimination based on race is present.

A life-long journalist and writer, Halsell has also written over 200 columns which reached every Navajo Indian and an illegal alien nation. In the 1970's she lived after living on a Southwest desert farm, for a year. Halsell, dressed in the clothes of a Navajo friend, Bessee Yellowhair, traveled to California and worked as a Navajo nanny for a white Mexican woman. Halsell, according to author and literary critic Gore Vidal, "has led the most interesting and courageous life—or lives—of any American of our time."

"I sought to live more lives than one, to risk hardships and no gain understanding of others," said Halsell. "Becoming someone other than myself—while remaining myself—were experiences within my lifelong goal: attempting to live free from barriers of gender, color, and creed."

Halsell, who lives in Washington, D.C., is "thinking seriously" of updating "Soul Sister" by a new series of experiences, possibly in the northern city.

Universal Lifeline Telephone Service Gives You The Power To Be Connected!

I'm a guy with a lot of friends. Some are unemployed, some are in the military, some are disabled—like me. And all of us have to budget our money. Sometimes you have to cut out some of the things you’re used to having, but some things are too important to go without—like having a telephone. That’s why we were happy to find out about the Universal Lifeline Telephone Service. ULTS from GTE! With GTE’s ULTS, Jon can tell his mom where he’ll be on leave from the Air Force, and Bobby can call on the jobs he sees in the newspaper. For me, it’s just important to know that if there are any emergencies, help is just a phone call away. GTE’s ULTS gave us the power to be connected. Now we can stay in touch for as long as we need to.

It’s easy. If your annual household income is $16,500 or less, you may qualify for ULTS. There’s no deposit, just a $10 installation fee, and $5.62 a month covers your basic telephone service. Just call 1-800-846-8611 and ask about it.

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Don’t Just Do It, Do It Right! Riverside’s premier personal training and fitness center.

RIVERSIDE — For the majority of people, the only wake-up hours are spent on the job. Though the demands of each profession vary greatly, productivity standards across the employment spectrum continue to rise. Employers want more for their dollar. Employees have bargained to work with a personal mentality to make an extra buck. Regardless of size, both physical and psychological stressors have increased throughout the ranks of workers across the country. The result: plethora of preventable work-related injuries that end up costing businesses millions of dollars in worker compensation fees, medical bills, higher insurance premiums, and sometimes, dreaded anxiety fees.

Steve Newton is the founder and director of PerformaX, a full-service physical therapy clinic servicing the Inland Empire. Established in 1993, Newton initially developed PerformaX to meet outpatient industrial rehabilitation needs. PerformaX has since expanded and presently specializes in the management of sport and spine injuries, electromyography, ergonomic and work capacity consulting, home health care, sports nutrition and executive fitness.

"The most common workplace injuries include spinal (back and neck), and those involving repetitive motion," said Newton. He added that not so common are the chemical and visual injuries that can occur on the job.

In addition, Newton states, "most people become burned out when going to the gym for 3-4 even 6 weeks and do not see any results from their work. So, it results, they stack off and do not go as often as they had. What PerformaX does is give them an evaluation and customizes a training program that would best fit their needs and one in which results will be seen."

Newton has proved himself as an expert resource in his field, designing various safety training programs for employees focusing on injury prevention and specificity of training for optimize performance. He is recognized for developing comprehensive training programs for national search and rescue teams preparing them for a wide range of natural disasters.

Prior to establishing PerformaX, Newton worked as a physical therapist at Loma Linda University Medical Center and the Sport and Spine Orthopedic Clinic of San Bernardino. His medical background also includes pediatrics, gynecics, in-patient acute care and outpatient orthopedics. He is now a full-time Assistant Professor at Loma Linda University where he shares his enthusiasm for physical therapy by teaching anatomy and physiology, orthopedics, therapeutic exercise, and clinical electrophysiology.

Newton sponsors various special events for charity, including the 1996, 12-stop PerformaX Challenge Honot Youth Earth Tour, the once small grass volleyball tournament started by Newton in 1994 as the PerformaX Challenge, now the largest in the Inland Empire. Other PerformaX sponsored events include The Riverside Golf Classic, the UCR Spring Ping Volleyball Tournament, CSUSB’s “Diggin’ for Dollars” volleyball tournament, two Volleyball tournaments and the PerformaX Challenge I and II.

Newton has a B.S. in physical Therapy from Loma Linda University, CA and an M.R.A. from the University of Rolland, CA. He is a member of the American Physical Therapy Association and is a licensed Physical Therapist in both California and New Jersey. PerformaX Physical Therapy and Wellness Center is located at 15600 Magnolita Avenue, Suite J, Riverside, CA.

Come in and see you say read about it in the Black Voice News and receive a free evaluation.

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KPRO Radio's 40th Anniversary Celebration

Celebration Features An Evening of Gospel Singing!

RIVERSIDE — KPRO, 1570 AM, in Riverside, CA will celebrate 40 years of broadcasting with a free gospel music celebration on Saturday, Nov. 9, 1996 at 6 p.m. at the Park Avenue Missionary Baptist Church, 1910 Martin Luther King Blvd., in Riverside. The Reverend L.E. Campbell is host pastor.

Gospel Play Set at Stages

"God, I Thought You Knew Me," an inspirational and thought-provoking comedy-drama comes to the Stages Theater at 720 N. "E" Street, San Bernardino for one night only on Saturday, October 26th at 8:00 p.m.

"God, I Thought You Knew Me," takes some familiar homilies, but always practical and deeply impactful look at some of the issues which affect featured artists from across the Inland Empire and Los Angeles area with most of them being national recording artists will include the James Cleveland Southern California Community Choir, the Los Angeles Voices of Community Angel Choir, Treniere Parker and the Los Angeles Cathedral Choir, and Mary Foad, Tom "Bishop" Brown and the Miracle Mass Choir of Pomona. Recording artists such as The Real Truth, Kenneth Wells and the Riverside Musical Chorale, Dr. H. Hubbard and the Community Baptist Radio Choir and the Community Male Chorale, Dolly and the Annointed Gospel Singers will perform. Other artists will include Wheelchair Elites Gospel Singers, Robert and Ethel Boudlen and Michael and Vanessa Colbert.

For ticket locations and information, call (909) 424-2922.

Celebrating Rev. Garrett-Egson

Spirit in a manner that is awe-inspiring to all that come and hear her. Allen Chapel A.M.E. invites the public to their Pastor's 5th Appreciation celebration to be held on Sunday, October 27, 1996 at 3:30 p.m. The guest preacher will be Rev. Lee Norris May, Pastor of A.M.E. Pasadena, along with his choir and congregation. For more information about this event, please contact the church offices at (909) 684-9429.

Allen Chapel A.M.E. is located at 4009 Locust Street, Riverside, CA 92509.

Hallelujah Carnival Scheduled

Come and join Life Changing Ministries safe alternative to Halloween at their annual Hallelujah Carnival to be held on October 31st at 5:30 p.m. There will be live animals, baking and refreshment stand and much more. Come dressed in your costume, bring your friends and neighbors and have a great time.

Life Changing Ministries is located at 5395 North "F" Street in San Bernardino or call (909) 682-3277 for more information.

Holy Innocents' Rummage Sale

The senior citizens of Holy Innocents Church will hold their fifth annual Rummage and Bake Sale on Saturday, October 26, 1996 from 7:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. and Sunday 7:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. The sale will be held more. Come dressed in your costume, bring your friends and neighbors and have a great time.

The sale will be held at the Regius Education Center at 15376 Tamarack Rd., Victorville, between Park Avenue and Amargosa Road. For further information, call Marie Aldridge at (619) 953-7354.

Singles Celebration Dinner/Dance

The Loveland Single Ministry presents the 6th Annual Singles Celebration, 5:30 p.m. Saturday, November 9, 1996 at the beautiful Panama Hillslope Hotel, 3101 North Temple Avenue, Pomona, CA. The Singles Celebration will feature, a gospel concert w/ a sincere, refreshing stand and much more. Come dressed in your costume, bring your friends and neighbors and have a great time.

The sale will be held at the Agape Life Center, 303 W. Elsworth St., San Bernardino or call (909) 369-8742 for more information.

KPRO 1570 AM

KPRO radio's 40th Anniversary celebration

Rev. Shermella Garrett-Egson

A spiritual lightning hit Allen this event, please contact the community at (909) 686-4824.

Rev. Shermella Garrett-Egson is executive. KPRO's format is southern gospel, adult inspirational teaching as well as current and contemporary and Black gospel music.

Holy Ghost Revival

Beginning November 4th through November 8th, Holy Spirit Deliverance Ministries will be in an old fashioned Holy Ghost Revival with Pastor Rogers Duncan of Pasadena. This revival will begin at 7:30 p.m nightly. The Inland Empire is invited to come out and hear this man of God.

The church is located at 786 E. Foothill Blvd, Rialto.

CATHEDRAL OF PRAISE
2591 Ridgeway Boulevard
Riverside, CA 92506
(909) 369-8742
Craig W. Johnson Pastor

SCHEDULE OF SERVICES
Sunday

Midday Praise Service 12 p.m.
Afternoon Praise Service 4 p.m.
Sunday School 10 a.m.

BLESSED ASSURANCE
"God is in the Blessing Business"

The Life Church Of God In Christ
3394 Ridgeway Boulevard
Riverside, CA 92509
(909) 684-LIFE

WEEKLY SERVICES
Sunday

Midmorning Worship Service 8:30 a.m.
Early Morning Worship 9:30 a.m.
Sunday School 10:45 a.m.
Afternoon Worship Service 2:30 p.m.

Wednesday

Praise Night 7:00 p.m.
Early Morning Worship 9:30 a.m.
Afternoon Worship Service 2:30 p.m.

Friday

Evangelistic Service 7:30 p.m.

Monday

Evangelistic Service 7:30 p.m.

BETHEL A.M.E CHURCH

Fontana, CA 92335
(909) 150-9450

WEEKLY SERVICES
Sunday

Morning Service 11:00 a.m.
Gospel Singing Service 7:00 p.m.
Evangelistic Service 8:30 p.m.

Bethel A.M.E. is located at 4009 Locust Street, Riverside, CA.

Pastor Bobby B. Davis

REFRESHING SPRING TEMPLE

Church of God in Christ
2853 Mission Inn Avenue
Riverside, CA 92507
(714) 754-0550

WEEKLY SERVICES
Sunday

Morning Service 9:00 a.m.
Afternoon Praise Service 3:00 p.m.
Sunday School 10:45 a.m.
Afternoon Worship Service 2:30 p.m.

Evangelistic Service 7:30 p.m.

Pastor Ronald W. Davis

ST. PAUL AFRICAN METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH
35594 Washington Ave
Palmdale, CA 93551
(661) 945-6675
Rev. Craig W. Johnson

WEEKLY SERVICES
Sunday

Morning Worship 9:30 a.m.
Afternoon Worship 1:30 p.m.

Wednesday

Evangelistic Service 7:30 p.m.

Blessings of Praise

Sunday Night Service 7:00 p.m.

Rev. Morris Buchanan

Lily Of The Valley Church
Of God In Christ
300 Casa Drive
Palm Desert, CA 92262
(760) 347-7178

WEEKLY SERVICES
Sunday

Morning Worship 9:30 a.m.
Evening Worship 6:30 p.m.

Wednesday

Evangelistic Service 7:30 p.m.

Rev. Charles Brooks

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Pastor Jerry E. Johnson

Our Mission
LOV is life, shows up better than LOV spoken.
NEW BEGINNINGS COMMUNITY BAPTIST CHURCH
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Is Birth Control Okay?

Who is this? Is it wrong to use birth control? It is a woolly wedge to do to preachment.

Wisdom also dictates us not to do something that is dangerous to our bodies. You should speak with your doctor concerning what is best for your body. Once you have asked God to help you make the right decision, you believe in your heart by faith and don’t consult man any further.

If you have a question that you feel it asked by yourself, write: Dr. Reginald L. Woods, Life Changing Ministries, P.O. Box 9778, San Bernardino, CA 92437-9778

Visit a Church of your choice. Tell them you saw them in Black Voice News

SECOND BAPTIST CHURCH
501 Ninth St.
Riverside, CA 92502
(909) 644-7352

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SUNDAY SERVICES

Sunday Service
5:30 p.m.

Bible Study
6:00 p.m.

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Raiders getting back on track following win over Chargers

In tough Monday Nite game, San Diego loses game and quarterback Humphries to shoulder injury.

BY LELAND STEIN III  BVN Sports Editor

SAN DIEGO, Oct. 22 - If there is any such thing as a must win at this point in the NFL wars, well, the San Diego Chargers (4-3) and the Oakland Raiders (4-4) found themselves locked in an AFC West Division battle that would go a long way in determining playoff players' first dreams.

Before us, as usual, ran 62,350 Charger fans and a national Monday Night viewership, the contest between what is probably one of the most spirited rivalries in the NFL produced another hard hitting take no prisoners type affair, with the Raiders coming away victorious this time: 23-14.

"This is a tough rivalry, plus when you come into their place and get a win, it's always good," said Charger Coach Mike White, noting played one of his best games ever.

The AFC West Division is not done yet; it's one game at a time for us right now. I think it (the West) is one of the toughest in the NFL," added the NFL statisticians agree with McGlockton. The AFC West has the best overall record (20-14, .588) among the six divisions coming into this Monday Night affair.

Following the Raiders' victory over the always tough Chargers, they were feeling pretty good about themselves and the possibilities for continued improvement.

"I've always had a good feeling about this team from the first day of training camp," said White in the post game interview. "Even when we were 1-4 they stuck together throughout. I'm so happy for this team's improvement and, of course, getting the win in the division was special, too."

After the Raiders opened with a solid offensive push on the first possession; it culminated in a Napoleon Kaufman 12-yard run around right end for the game's first touchdown. Both teams pretty much held serve after first down. It was the Chargers' push. The two teams went into halftime locked into a physical defensive struggle with Gang Tackle: Raiders Tony McDaniell (930) and Charger right end Shannon Mitchell.

The score 10-7 Raiders. The main occurrence of the half was a first quarter injury to Charger quarterback Stan Humphries. But, as is the case in so many instances, when a starter goes down the team somehow picks up and rallies around the backup. Second-string quarterback Sean Salisbury was the benefactor of the fired-up Chargers. He put together a solid game in relief and kept San Diego in prime position to squeak out a late victory. He completed 22 of 35 passes for 252 yards and two touchdowns. Good numbers when you consider the Chargers could only gain 29 total yards rushing.

Despite the injuries we put ourselves in position to win this game," Salisbury said. "We hung in there and continued to battle and I'm proud of the job the guys did up front for me, but, we didn't win and that's all that really matters."

Well, what really matters to the Raiders are they appear to be rising off their prolonged sleep and are track as contenders, and, maybe even playoff hopefuls.

"I'm not ready to talk playoffs yet," said Raiders linebacker Rob Friedinckson. "It always feels good to beat a division rival. I think we have always been right in the games we've lost, we just couldn't get it done. Still, we never lost sight of our goals. That's a good testament to the character of this team."

The Raiders had a chance to put a nail in the coffin leading 20-14 with 8 minutes remaining in the fourth quarter, but Cole Ford's 43-yard field goal was nullified because of a Raiders' penalty. It didn't matter because two possessions later the AFC's leading punt returner, Darren Gordon, fumbled a punt in traffic on his own 19. The muffed punt led to a Ford field goal at 2:11 and a 23-14 lead Raider lead and a solemn Charger locker room.

"Any loss is a tough loss. .. We thought this was a team we could beat," said Charger offensive lineman Eric Monzon. "You can never make excuses because of injuries. Players get hurt, but this team is full of football players and anyone of them should be able to stop us and get the job done. We just didn't make the plays we needed to win this game."

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Be Healthy and Drug-Free - Red Ribbon Week

SAN BERNARDINO—"Be Healthy and Drug-Free" is the theme for this year’s Red Ribbon Week celebration, which runs October 23-31. The week-long campaign facilitates education and prevention/intervention programs aimed at preventing a drug-free environment.

Locally, the San Bernardino County Superintendent of Schools (SBCSS), together with a multitude of agencies throughout the county including San Bernardino Community Against Drugs, City of San Bernardino, San Bernardino County Department of Public Health, San Bernardino County Sheriff, Department, and San Bernardino County Office of Alcohol and Drug Programs, are sponsoring a slate of activities for the nationally recognized drug awareness campaign.

According to Karen Fosdick, SBCES Comprehensive Health Unit curriculum coordinator, the types of programs coordinated through Red Ribbon Week do benefit those students who abstain from using drugs and those who use drugs occasionally, as well as routinely.

"The issue of drug awareness needs to be addressed all year long—we all know it can’t just be for this one week," commented Fosdick. "But it’s exciting to see this awareness and celebration grow. It brings the issue into focus and benefits the kids.

Countywide Red Ribbon Week activities include a Red Ribbon Week kick-off parade and breakfasts; individual achievement awards for on-campus law enforcement and outstanding contributions. The field of drug awareness; and grocery bag design, poster, essay, song, and quilt contests.

The public is invited to attend both the parade and breakfasts.

Celebrity marshal Paul Bonelles, who won the USA first gold medal in boxing ever at the 1984 Olympics, will host the parade October 19. The parade begins at 10 a.m. at the corner of Highland and Arrowhead avenues. The parade proceeds down Highland Avenue to Valencia Avenue and turns into Peoria Hill Park where the San Bernardino Celebration. Care floats, hands, drill teams, and contingency groups march.

The field service award may recognize a paid staff member, volunteer, medical practitioner, clergy, lawyer, or any other individual working toward reducing addiction and environmental risks which contribute to drug-related problems. Awards are presented in the categories of prevention, education, treatment, and community service.

Individuals eligible for the achievement award for on-campus law enforcement include DARE officers, CHOICES officers, resource officer, or any law enforcement officer on a school campus who works with a group of students. Nominations for this award are submitted by a class or campus group.

The grocery bag design, poster, essay, song, and quilt contest give students the opportunity to express their anti-drug commitment in a variety of mediums. Entries must incorporate the theme, "Be Healthy and Drug-Free.

Women who receive trophies and certificates. Winners of all of the Red Ribbon Week activities will be announced during the Red Ribbon Week Recognition Program November 13 from 6:30-8 p.m. at Pacific High School’s Gibbs Auditorium, 1620 Pacific Street, San Bernardino.

For more information on Red Ribbon Week activities contact the SBCES Comprehensive Health Unit at (909) 387-4600.

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Universal Media Group UMG is expanding its ethnic advertising service marketing company.

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Rose Cerda, Marketing Director says that the United States is a robust vegetable soup comprised of many individual ingredients with distinct tastes. Although mainstream advertising has proved to be quite successful to most consumers, it is important to focus more attention on what forms of communication motivates specific or blended ethnic groups to purchase.

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For more information call the San Gorgonio Branch president Marlene Williams at (909)874-0592, or write to: AAUW AAW, 909 12th Street, 514, Sacramento, California 95814

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Cost of the event is $200. For additional information call (909) 520-8136 or (909) 824-6851.

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Promoting the benefit and on-air campaign, and giving away are just a few of the activities that will be held for the concert an enjoyable and memorable success.

All proceeds from the benefit will be presented to the NAACP in aid of the churches that have been damaged by fire in recent months.

"If I could get through to some of these young guys and show them that gang-banging, jackin' and sellin' drugs will only lead to imprisonment and death, and that education and getting a job will lead to a better life, I will have made a great accomplishment," Keley adds. "I can turn my life around, anyone can. You can do anything you want to do in life if you just get your mind right. I'm living proof of that."

"I want our kids to slowly gain momentum as a single and it will be complimented by a video that will go on-air in late October.

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The Best Man & Groomsmen
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Hardy Brown II & the former Sonietta Martin were married on September 14th, 1996, in San Bernardino, California. This Blessed event took place at Shandon Hills Country club at 5pm. Sonietta, the daughter of Paul and Sandra Martin is a graduate of California State University, San Bernardino. She is a Sales manager, in Southern California for Bank of America. Hardy the son of Hardy and Cheryl Brown, is a 1993 graduate of Wilberforce University, Co-owner of HD Consultants -

The Bridesmaids & Flower Girls.

Motivational Speaking team, also an active member of Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity Inc. They are active members at Life C.O.G.I.C. as well as their community. They honeymooned in Florida/Bahamas.

The wedding party included the Maid of Honor, MaeDel Martin and Best Man Wayne Brown. The Bridal Party was made up of five bridesmaids: Tiyunna Delk, LaTisha Johnson, Kees Washington, NaTasha Webb-Tamara Younger; and five grooms men Dion Chillies, LaDrado Guilford, DeMont Jefferson, Paul Martin II, Ronald McCall; two flower girls: Jasmin & Janessa Brown; train Attendants, Chantis Fields & Payton Fields; Ring Bearers: Joshua Martin & Alexander Hinds. Pastor Ron M. Gibson officiated the ceremony.

Pastor Ron Gibson with Bride & Groom.

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