Oakland Ignites Furor Over Ebonics

By Cheryl Brown
Black Voice News

The Oakland Unified School District came under fire last week when Ebonics became a household word after non-Black media, including some talk shows, misinterpreted a resulting press statement by last week's Board of Education last week. Black leaders were summoned by that same press to speak out against the resolution, getting caught up in the furor were Rev. Jesse Jackson, NAACP's Kwesi Msimbili, Oakland's Maya Collins and others.

Lillian Harrison, President of the Board told Black Voice News that she was taken aback and could not believe what was in the outcry. "We pass resolutions all the time. What was so surprising, was six months in the making. The board member was the board's liaison to a a non-profit group, parents, teachers, administrators, and business persons. They were all in the evening meeting to help us formulate a proposal to present to the board."

She explained, "Black children have two codes or scores in the district and the task force identified a need for knowledge of Standard English as the subject and went against gathering of the Standard English Program that has been in place for the last 15 years. They are following a federal mandate on having regulations that says children must be taught in Standard English. If eight children or more are in a class and there is a lack of proficiency, the teachers must employ additional resources and audio-equipment to transition them to standard English."

Dr. Charlie Mae Knight, Superintendent of the East Palo Alto School District and President of the National Alliance of Black School Educators, explained that the resolution "is for the first time in our state to recognize that this is a national issue about what she worked in the State Capitol in 1987 and 1988."

She explained what Oakland is doing in terms of teaching standard English. "The Standard English Program was passed in 1989. We must meet the standards of the state. The time to meet the standards is right now. We must meet the standards by the time the children are in their twelfth grade."

"We will not be the district that does not teach children to communicate effectively to engage them in the work place."

The district's objective is to build on the language skills that students have learned in being brought into the classroom without devastating students and their diversity. We have directly communicated to all language proficiency to students and their families.

Jesse Jackson, a former United States Senator, said, "Our students are in trouble. They are not graduating at 80% of students who were suspended. This is causing our African American students to be suspended. They were on the bottom. What ever we do, foreign language is not a problem. It can only help. And the task force found that standard English is needed even in math class."

James, teacher at the Oakland River Unified School District said, "It is about an error in the middle of teaching. They are a "gentic condition. "One language is not used to refer to human beings who are spoken of. It is the question who are to be able to speak English on a daily basis. With our students who are handicapped."

Jesse Jackson defended the Oakland Board of Education. "I am the only one who could blame the new media for misconstruing the message that Oakland is trying to teach."

According to John R. Saporito, President of Stanford University, the board was pressured by the boarded members rather than quality. "If you have a class of students, worse for the African American students who speak this way."

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Eliminating ATM Services in Minority Communities

By Carlos King
Special to Black Voice News

In the African American business community, history has shown that whenever there is a problem, the powers that be are never far away to correct it; they just simply change the question or the topic. Unfortunately, it is the case in South Central Los Angeles where we also ask WHY? When 64% of all students held back are Black somebody ought to ask WHY? When only 71% of the Black males attend school on a regular basis somebody ought to ask WHY? When 86% of all students suspended are Black, somebody ought to ask WHY? When 100% of all students classified as truant are Black somebody ought to ask WHY? When your Black somebody ought to ask WHY? When we live in a neighborhood where many school dropouts are producing dropouts, what do we care? When we live in a neighborhood where many Black somebody ought to ask WHY?

Riverside's Black Press is the oldest Black newspaper in Southern California and has been in publication since 1970.

Geraldina Rivera: "Racial Charges Outrageous"

"I couldn't figure out how I could become the enemy of those with whom I have traditionally been their ally."
The Talk of Las Vegas

Our Bodies

Every year at this date with pages of guilt we recall New Year's resolutions that we did not keep and vow to keep them in the coming year.

Step back and think about where you are in terms of your physical and mental health and where you want to be. I will share with you some suggestions that may help.

1. Watch what and how much you eat. Try to stay slim and near your ideal body weight. Remember, the more you weigh the harder your heart and lungs must work, and the greater strain is on your muscles and bones.

2. The human body was designed to run from the saber tooth tiger and to hunt, not sit around. Do something every day. Do a chore or work and exercise 5 days a week to get yourself in top physical condition. For example, love and help.

3. The 2,000 calories that come from that factory clog your arteries and will end up in your body and those around. Quit smoking, put a stop to killing America's health bill.

4. In the Black community many of our loved ones, friends and relatives die of heart disease and drugs. They smoke, snort and shoot up. Crack is in. This takes up your time and energy and destresses America's health bill.

5. Domestic violence, both physical and mental, affects you, your significant other, your family, and your community. Treat your significant other, children and parents with love and respect.

6. Gang violence is sky rocking. There are more Negro males in jail than in college.

Reach out to the youth. You need their help. The new young citizens of the Black community are in the rise. If you are addicted to drugs do not shoot because you are not with a lifelong partner and you may not be able to use your Left Arm. USE A LEFT ARM. CONDOM.

You should take your breasts to periodic mammograms and every one to yearly PAP tests.

Do not forget your prostate. Get periodic Prostatic Specific Antigen tests and prostate exam done from age 55 on.

Practise the principles of Negro Saba on a daily basis, not only when Kwanza is celebrated.

Dr. Levister welcomes reader contributions. If you have a question, please direct your letters to Dr. Levister in care of Voice News, P. O. Box 1351, Riverside, CA 92506.

ATTENTION TO DETAILS

1. Why did the cat walk across the road?

(For Want of a Battle the Horse Was Lost).

2. Why did the horse walk across the road?

(For Want of a Shoe the Rider Was Lost).

3. Why did the rider walk across the road?

(For Want of a Bird the Bow Was Lost).

4. Why did the bow walk across the road?

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(For Want of a Nail the Shoe Was Lost).

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7. Why did the bow walk across the road?

(For Want of a Horse the Rider Was Lost).

8. Why did the cat walk across the road?

(For Want of a Doll the Bow Was Lost).

9. Why did the doll walk across the road?

(For Want of a Horse the Rider Was Lost).

10. Why didn't you forget your pocketbook?

(For Want of a Propane Tank the Pocketbook Was Lost).
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Power Moves for People of Color

By Tracy L. Minor

Joining the Carol H. Williams Advertising Agency in 1992, Williams brought to the job the knowledge and experience of being involved in the advertising world of marketing to minorities. Williams is the only advertising executive in the nation who specializes in marketing to African-Americans.

Black and brown people need a chance in the marketing world to have their own avenues for advertising.

Executive officers for New York-based Carol H. Williams Advertising Agency, a subsidiary of American Institute of Chicago, met last week in Morro Bay, Calif., to discuss plans for the agency.

"That's how they come, and that's how they go," said oneintégration activist.

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The phrase "like father, like son" was never more true than with the computer specialist team of Charles H. Hollins and his son, Charles G. Hollins. Not only do they both teach in the UCLA Extension Department of Engineering, Information Systems and Technical Management, but they also both hold B.S. degrees from the University of the State of New York in Albany and both work for Los Angeles County's Information Technology Service. Their Extension classes, focusing on networks and the Internet, are so complementary that students can obtain a well-rounded understanding of the Internet by taking all of the courses taught by Hollins and his fils. Their courses, all of which have matured from initial ideas through curriculum development, serve as a versatile time capsule revealing up-to-the-minute issues in Internet programming and management today. Witness the following impressive inventory of their upcoming courses:

During the Winter Quarter, the elder Hollins teaches the new 12-session "Rotors, Gateways, Switches and Network Hardware Analysis," starting January 6, and in the Spring Quarter he leads three new one-day programs: "Network Management Using SNMP" (April 26); "Network Management Using RMON Devices" (May 3); and "Network Management Using HP OpenView" (May 10).

Son Charles G. Hollins leads four one-day programs this Winter: "An Introduction to Java" (January 11), the new "An Introduction to Java Application Programming" (February 1), the new "Internets: Bringing Internet Technology to the Corporation" (February 5), and the new "An Introduction to Client/Server Programming in Java" (March 1). He inaugurates these ambitious 10-session courses this Spring (start dates to be announced): "An Introduction to the Internet and World Wide Web with Business Applications," "Creating the Production Corporate Internet Web Site," and "Creating the Global Internet Web Site." For complete information about courses taught by this dynamic team or about all of UCLA Extension's computer courses, call (310) 825-4100, visit Extension's Web site at http://www.unex.ucla.edu, or write: Department of Engineering, Information Systems and Technical Management, UCLA Extension, 10595 LeConte Ave., Ste. 540, Los Angeles, CA 90024.

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Religion

Should A Christian Celebrate Christmas

By La Verga Lipscomb

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Church Directory Listing

Newly Organized The Living Word Baptist Church
Black Paul Bullock
3431 Mt. Vernon Ave. Riverside, CA 92507
(909) 788-8218

Theme: "Endeavoring to Increase the Population of Heaven"

Schedule of Service
Sunday Praise & Worship: 12:00 p.m.
Wednesday Family Bible Study: 6:30 p.m.
Wednesday Prayer Service: 7:30 p.m.

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Baptist Church
Rev. Charles McLaughlin
4491 Kansas Avenue
San Bernardino, CA 92411
(909) 873-1074

MOROCCO DAY
Rev. Elijah S. Singleterry, Pastor

RIVERSIDE

Sunday Church School
9:30 a.m.
Sunday School
11:00 a.m.
Riverside Christian Church
6504 American Ave
Riverside, CA 92507
(909) 873-1074

Saturday Services
8:00 a.m.
9:30 a.m.
11:00 a.m.

Sunday Services
9:30 a.m.
11:00 a.m.
Worship Service
6:30 p.m.

WEDNESDAY SERVICES

Evening Worship
6:00 p.m.
Bible Study
7:00 p.m.

NEW BEGINNINGS

Community Baptist Church
Services held at Kansas
Avenue S.D.A. Church
4491 Kansas Avenue
Riverside, CA 92507
(909) 653-7775

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Rev. Alvin B. Hill, Pastor

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Baptist Church
Rev. Charles McLaughlin
4491 Kansas Avenue
San Bernardino, CA 92411
(909) 873-1074

Father of Mine, in First Love"

(Branham Church, Riverside, CA 92507
(909) 688-7911

Church School Hour
10:00 a.m.

New Hope Community Baptist Church
Rev. Charles McLaughlin
2454 Barton Rd. Suite 111
Grand Terrace, CA 92313
(909) 825-9999

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Cream Rose to Top, Leaving Memories Galore in 1996


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Entertainment

BVN of the Week

Lou Rawls Parade of Stars

HOLLYWOOD, The "Lou Rawls Parade of Stars," the nation's premier television special to benefit higher education, will air on Jan. 11 as celebrities from music, television and film unite to support educational opportunities at private, historically Black colleges and universities assisted by The College Fund, Inc.

Viewers nationwide can see the 17th annual show in its customary 6 p.m. to 1 a.m. slot on network affiliates, independent and cable stations, and can phone in their pledges at the customary 6 p.m. to 1 a.m. time in support of colleges and universities assisted by The College Fund, Inc.

The Lou Rawls Parade of Stars also helps raise funds, provide program services, and offer technical assistance to support its member colleges and their students. It is the nation's oldest and most successful higher education support organization for minority-oriented institutions.

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The Lou Rawls Parade of Stars $25 million campaign continues to be the single-largest fundraising event for Black higher education.

Lou Rawls, the legendary singer known for his cool, distinctive vocals, has invited a powerhouse of stars to join him and co-hosts across Sheryl Lee Ralph, "Baywatch" star David Hasselhoff, and Grammy-award winning singer Pebby Bryson for the seven-hour special. Local communities, community leaders and scores of volunteers will staff satellite classrooms in cities across the country to make the fund-raising program as accessible as possible.

"We are gearing up for yet another spectacular evening of entertainment," says Rawls, a show business veteran of more than 30 years. "I'm urging everyone to show their support for education by calling in a pledge, because the cost of a college education continues to rise, and the need for students at historically Black colleges is still there."

Approximately 90 percent of the proceeds from the "Lou Rawls Parade of Stars" also help with capital improvements for century-old facilities at UNCF colleges, and provide resources to purchase technical equipment and advanced teaching supplies.

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**Community**

**Perris Singers Take Home the Prize**

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The annual event observing the birthday of slain civil rights leader Rev. Martin Luther King Jr. is open to the public free of charge.

It will begin with a 6 p.m. candlelight vigil at the Bell Tower near the center of the UCR campus. Student and community leaders will reflect on the life and accomplishments of the Rev. King.

The celebration will continue at 7 p.m. in the University Theatre.

**Community Foundation Helps Build Peace**

Program. The PeaceBuilders Program is an effective youth violence prevention program.

Since 1993, the Riverside Community Foundation has adopted a family emphasis on families and children. Grants have included programs involving families in education, the arts, human services and recreational activities.

The PeaceBuilders Program takes a pro-active approach to reducing youth violence. The program is for children during their formative years (elementary school age). For more information contact Riverside Community Foundation at (909) 697-6565.

**MLK, Jr. Parade and Program Set**

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The Arrowhead District of The California Island Empire Council of The Boy Scouts of America and the San Diego Council of The Girl Scouts of the USA are sponsoring the Third Annual Martin Luther King Jr. Parade and Program in San Bernardino on Saturday, January 18, 1997. The parade will step off at 8:00 a.m. from the parking lot of the San Bernardino YWCA at Sixth and Sierra Way, and proceed to Dr. King's Statue near City Hall.

Organizations participating include the Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, Boys and Girls Clubs, and other youth groups. The theme for the parade is "Give Peace A Chance."

For additional information, contact Ted North at the Boy Scouts of America Council Office at (909) 625-0644, Ext. 124, or Robin Kelly at the Girl Scouts Council at (909) 307-6555, or Ellis C. Starwes, Committee Chairman, at (909) 887-9514.

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And the project will be an economic blockbuster, pumping some $3.3 billion into our economy, including an estimated $264 million in the first 20 years for community programs.

But don't take our word for it. See it for yourself—Eagle Mountain on TV. Check the listings below. Watch it, and get the facts.

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**Job Fair for Educators**

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The noon to 3 p.m. event will be held in the university's Student Union Events Center.

"All school districts in attendance have openings and will be seeking teachers, counselors, administrators and other education professionals," explains Patricia Rodgers-Gordon, director of Cal State's Career Development Center. "We have surpassed our expectations (for participants) and are extremely pleased with the response from the school districts."

The fair is free and open to the general public. More information is available at (909) 880-2750.

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