



*Our vision is a university community that consistently and enthusiastically fosters, supports and celebrates the achievement of Black employees at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill.*

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## OUR EVENTS

**It's the end of the academic year – Let's Celebrate! Congratulations to all the parents of graduating students.**

- **“Spring Social” - Friday, May 13, 2011 at 5:00 p.m. Frank Porter Graham Student Union**



**We look forward to gathering for our end-of-year event to fellowship and celebrate achievements. Members of the Bull City Sliders will be with us to help get the party started. 😊 We will also say goodbye to Herb Davis a true Carolina gem for our community. The food menu is delicious and the Line Dancing (Beginner's Welcome!) will certainly generate smiles and laughter. Note: The event is after-hours so look for signage to gain entrance to the Union's Cabaret Room. Guests are encouraged to join us so pass the word!**

- **Orange County Habitat for Humanity – Saturday, May 14 – Two Build shifts: 8:14 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. or 12:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m. If interested, send a note to [shandra\\_jones@unc.edu](mailto:shandra_jones@unc.edu) by this Thursday at noon.**

YOU NEED TO KNOW...

- Visit Carolina Black Caucus website! <http://www.unc.edu/cbc> You may submit events (UNC and local community activities) on the calendar! Stay informed.
- ***There are no Membership Meetings over the summer. We will reconvene in August with the “Welcome Back” event. However, special CBC committee meetings or the Task Force on Athletics activities may be scheduled. E-Newsletters will be distributed, as necessary.***



- The Caucus continues to gain awareness! Wear your Caucus hat with pride. Hats will be available at the Spring Social. \$5 members and \$10 non-members.
- The documentation of the history of the CBC is critical to our future. Representatives from the Library’s Archivists and Center of the Study of the American South met with the Caucus chair to begin planning on the formal process. Thanks to Holly Smith for her leadership! If you are interested in serving on this important project please send a note to [cbcinfo@unc.edu](mailto:cbcinfo@unc.edu)
- The Caucus would like to be the central aggregator of all Black-related events and programs. So if you are aware of events, please add them to the Caucus calendar. [http://www.unc.edu/cbc/submit\\_event.html](http://www.unc.edu/cbc/submit_event.html)
- Caucus Cares (Athletics) – Many Black varsity student athletes will be on campus this summer. Caucus members interested in participating in this outreach, please contact [cbcchair@unc.edu](mailto:cbcchair@unc.edu) to receive updates and information.
- Interested in Gender Equity at UNC? The Committee on Gender Equity is comprised of leaders of the Faculty Council Committee on the Status of Women, the Association of Women Faculty and Professionals, the Association of Women in the Medical School, Diversity and Multicultural Affairs, the Women’s Affairs subcommittee of Student Government, and representatives from the Graduate and Student Professional

Association and the Employee Forum. If you are interested in serving, please send a note to [cbcchair@unc.edu](mailto:cbcchair@unc.edu).

#### NON-CBC EVENTS

**1. Jazz in Chapel Hill!!!** aLive Tuesdays is a FREE, ALL AGES night of jazz, Hip Hop and soul EVERY 2nd & 4th Tuesday at 9:00 p.m. at Jack Sprat (161 Franklin Street) hosted by THE BEAST. The food is always great at Sprat too. This month's line-up is awesome:

May 10 | Tim Smith - Effortless on the sax and flute, and has a beautiful voice to match. Leader of the Tim Smith Band, he puts on an incredible live show, which will include a touch of jazz, reggae and soul.

May 24 | Shirlette Ammons - Poet, emcee, bassist and activist. Leader of the hip hop/rock band Mosadi Music, her latest project is a collaborative venture with Chapel Hill's Dynamite Brothers. Her infectious energy and stage presence is not to be missed.

<http://www.facebook.com/event.php?eid=164447583615436>

**2. "30 Americans" – NC Museum of Art** - March 19–September 4, 2011

East Building, Meymandi Exhibition Gallery - 2110 Blue Ridge Road Raleigh – 919.839.6262

30 Americans presents more than 70 works of art by many of the leading contemporary African American artists. Organized by the Rubell Family Collection, an internationally renowned collection of contemporary art, the exhibition features painting, drawing, photography, video, sculpture, and mixed-media installations. 30 Americans brings together established and emerging artists whose work explores issues of race, gender, identity, history, and popular culture. By featuring seminal figures such as Jean-Michael Basquiat and David Hammons alongside rising stars such as Nick Cave and Kehinde Wiley, 30 Americans also highlights artistic legacy and influence, and illustrates how a previous generation of African American artists has influenced artists working today.



**3. Stay tuned!** The 2011 Carolina Diversity Summit is sponsored by the Diversity Education Team (DET) and will be held on the campus of the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill in November, 2011. This day-long summit will feature a keynote speaker and concurrent breakout sessions in the morning and afternoon and will include a networking lunch. RFPs are now being solicited. Click here or point your web browser to [www.unc.edu/diversity/2011diversitySummitRFP.pdf](http://www.unc.edu/diversity/2011diversitySummitRFP.pdf) to access an RFP form. Please submit RFPs electronically to Dr. Cookie Newsom via email at [newsom@email.unc.edu](mailto:newsom@email.unc.edu) by September 1, 2011.

**4. Blue Ribbon Mentor-Advocate Program** needs mentors and advocates! Mentors work actively and directly with students, but they also help their mentees succeed by becoming advocates. A successful advocate makes sure that their mentee is receiving the services they need in school, and helps the student take advantage of other supports in the community. Kudos to Blue Ribbon Mentor-Advocate as they won a 2011 University Diversity Award!



**5. DPAC** - <http://www.dpacnc.com/>

- June 3 – BB King
- June 19 – Martin Lawrence



## ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Kudos to Herb Davis! Herb has served the university tirelessly and made a difference for our community as the Associate Director of Undergraduate Admissions. He retires on May 31 after 35 years of service. We will miss his leadership and inspirational service to the Caucus and the university community! Stay tuned for our salute to our “Gentle Giant”!



- Congratulations to Dr. Eunice Sahle who received the 2011 Student Undergraduate Teaching Award! Sahle is an associate professor with a joint appointment in African and Afro-American Studies and Global Studies. She teaches courses on human rights and ethics in the context of a globalizing world, Development theories and practices, international political economy and social movements in Africa and the African Diaspora. studies.
- Spotlight! William "Bus" Hubbard's first day on the job at UNC was in March 1953 – and even now, at the age of 76, he is not quite ready to consider when his last day might be. Mr. Hubbard is featured on the UNC homepage - [http://www.unc.edu/spotlight/bus\\_hubbard](http://www.unc.edu/spotlight/bus_hubbard)



- Community News – Please send your organization’s events and activity information to [cbcinfo@unc.edu](mailto:cbcinfo@unc.edu). We want to collect and share information (e.g., retirements, anniversaries, milestones, accomplishments, etc.) concerning Black employees.



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***“In every community, there is work to be done. In every nation, there are wounds to heal.***

***In every heart, there is the power to do it.” M. Williamson***