

# ASSOCIATION NEWS: Columbus Metropolitan Club

Wednesday, February 27

## New view of the Crew

In a herculean effort that included a grass-roots effort and top leaders, the Columbus community rallied to save the Crew, MLS' inaugural team. Be on hand to hear from new Co-Owners **Peter Edwards, Jr., M.D.** and **Dee Haslam**, as well as **Alex Fischer** (president and CEO of the Columbus Partnership), about what's in store for the team, the stadium and the Columbus community in the future.

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Peter Edwards



Dee Haslam



Alex Fischer

## CMC is seeking board nominations

Mo Wright, chair of the CMC Nominating Committee, is opening nominations for the Board of Trustees of the Columbus Metropolitan Club. If you are interested in serving, or would like to

nominate someone, please email CMC President Jane Scott ([janescott@columbusmetroclub.org](mailto:janescott@columbusmetroclub.org)) to obtain a nomination form. Nominations are due by March 31.

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## Africentric Education, It's About All of US

Our panel discussion featured Simone Drake, Ph.D. (Hazel C. Youngberg Trustees Distinguished Professor and chair of the Department of African American and African Studies at The Ohio State University), Todd Walker, Ph.D. (Director of Columbus Afrocentric Early College), Robyn Lyons-Robinson, Ph.D. (Chair of the English Department at Columbus State Community College), and was moderated by Marshall Shorts (Founder of Artfluential).

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CMC President Jane Scott, CMC Board Member Laquore Meadows (The Ohio State University Extension, Franklin County), speakers Todd Walker, Ph.D. (Columbus Africentric Early College), Simone Drake, Ph.D. (The Ohio State University), Robyn Lyons-Robinson, Ph.D. (Columbus State Community College), and Marshall Shorts (Artfluential), and sponsor Scott Varner (Columbus City Schools).



Cassandra Holloway, Julialynne Walker, and Ann Walker



Bruce Warner, Judy Box, and Cornell Bradberry



Gayle Warren and Leslie Laufman



James Pearson, Valerie Pearson, and Kemba Nzinga



Todd Walker and Jennifer Faison (Hodge)



Rick Studer and sponsor Scott Varner



Sylvia Garrett and Roger Madison



Kai Landis, Deborah Aubert Thomas, and Barbara Fant

## – Calendar of Events – Upcoming



Robert Crane



Judith Groner



Micah Berman



Thomas P. Houston

Wednesday, March 6

### Our Healthy Community: The Vaping Epidemic CMC and OhioHealth Presents Our Healthy Community

Featuring **Robert Crane, M.D.** (Clinical Professor of Family Medicine at The Ohio State University and President of Preventing Tobacco Addiction Foundation), **Judith Groner, M.D.**, (Physician at Nationwide Children's Hospital and American Academy of Pediatrics Tobacco Consortium Member), **Micah Berman, J.D.** (Associate Professor of Public Health and Law at The Ohio State University's College of Public Health and Michael E. Moritz College of Law), and **Thomas P. Houston, M.D.** (Clinical Professor of Family Medicine at OSU and Steering Committee Member of the National Lung Cancer Roundtable).

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Beryl Love



Alan D. Miller



Christopher Quinn



Mike Curtin

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### The State of News

Featuring **Beryl Love** (Editor and Vice President of News at The Cincinnati Enquirer and Regional Editor for the USA TODAY Network), **Alan D. Miller** (Editor of The Columbus Dispatch), **Christopher Quinn**, (President and Editor, Advance Ohio/Cleveland.com), and host **Mike Curtin** (retired journalist).

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CMC forums are held at the Boat House at Confluence Park, 679 West Spring Street, Columbus, OH 43215, where there is free and accessible parking.

Check-in for forums is at 11:30 a.m. with lunch served at noon. The program concludes at 1:15 p.m. and guests are encouraged to continue the conversation with coffee and cookies.

All are welcome to our forums! Guest tickets are \$45.

For CMC members are \$25 (\$22 if you register by the Friday before) and \$35 for guests of members. Pre-paid reservations are required.

Reservations can be made online at [www.columbusmetroclub.org](http://www.columbusmetroclub.org) or by calling (614) 464-3220 ext. 1.

Anyone requesting additional information may contact Jane Scott, President and CEO, or Lanie Cuthbert, Vice President of Member and Sponsor Relations.



Dorothy Wilson and Stephanie Meredith



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