ASSOCIATION NEWS: Columbus Metropolitan Club

CMC and Cardinal Health Proudly Present **Conversation 2020!**

Wednesday, August 26, NOON, lunch forum (includes museum tour) Black History 101 Mobile Museum, with Keynote by Founder and Curator, Dr. Khalid el-Hakim

> In its FIRST visit to Columbus -The Black History 101 Mobile Museum opens to the public August 26, 2:00 – 5:00 p.m. and Thursday, 10:00 – 5:00 p.m.

REGISTRATION is required for each one-hour time. Tickets are \$10 for adults and free for children under 12. Facemasks, physical distancing, and other precautions are required.



After returning from the historic 1995 Million Man March in Washington, D.C., el-Hakim became inspired to take his private collection of then 500 artifacts on the road. He started displaying the items around Detroit at various community meetings. His goal? Bring folks up to speed on the history that's often

omitted from textbooks.

When visitors come face to face with the artifacts, el-Hakim says he hopes they will walk away inspired to conduct some of their own research. He leaves them with one question: What side of history do you want to be on?" (Ebony February 28, 2017)

Join CMC on a journey of

education and enlightenment through the Mobile Museum and a keynote from Dr. el-Hakim for this very special Conversation 2020. Visit the Museum website at: https:// www.blackhistoryMobilemuseum.com/

For this SPECIAL EVENT on August 26th, limited in-house audience seating is available

and registration includes a tour of the speaker's Mobile Museum onsite before the forum!

Conversation 2020 is CMC's only annual fundraiser! Paid registrations for the in-house audience are required by Monday, August 24th. We cannot accept walk-

Welcome to the Black History 101 Mobile Museum!

Founded by Dr. Khalid el-Hakim, the Black History 101 Mobile Museum is an awardwinning collection of over 7,000 original artifacts of Black memorabilia dating from the trans-Atlantic slave trade era to hip-hop culture. Dr. el-Hakim has been

called the "Schomburg of the Hip-Hop generation" because of his passionate commitment to carry on the rich tradition of the Black Museum Movement. As the nation's premiere Black history traveling exhibit, the Black History 101 Mobile Museum has visited

40 states sharing "ourstory" at over 500 institutions reaching tens of thousands of visitors in diverse spaces including colleges, K-12 schools, corporations, conferences, libraries, museums, festivals, religious institutions, and cultural events.





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CMC Healthcare Committee Discuss Topics

CMC's Healthcare Committee met via Zoom on Aug. 14 with many topics on the agenda for discussion. Made up of public health experts and representatives from the community's health providers, the committee identifies and discusses health related topics to be presented at CMC

The umbrella theme for the current healthcare topics is "Optimal Health," which encompasses areas of the physical environment, social determinants, genes and biology, behavior and mental health, clinical research

and industry and public policy.

"The healthcare topics are so important for our community and therefore CMC's programming," says Andy Campbell, vice president of programming for CMC, "but it's so vast and complex that we rely on the expertise and experience represented in this committee to determine what topics to present and how to approach them.

Serving on the committee are Greg Moody, interim director of professional development, OSU John Glenn College of Public Affairs; Shawna

Davis, system vice president, community and government relations, OhioHealth; Beth NeCamp, chief communications officer, Associate VP, Health Services, OSU Wexner Medical Center; Teresa Long, OSU College of Public Health; Jeff Klinger, president and CEO, Central Ohio Hospital Council; Scott Milburn, senior director, corporate communication, Nationwide Children's Hospital and Melissa Lander, regional director, communications and media relations, Mount Carmel Health Systems.

Wednesday, August 12 recap In-house audience and Livestreaming - YouTube

Fighting Voter Suppression while Guaranteeing Fair Elections

Frank LaRose, secretary of state, Ohio; Jen Miller, executive director, League of Women Voters, Ohio; Andre' Washington, Midwest

regional representative and Ohio state president, A Philip Randolph Institute, with host Curtis Jackson, anchor, Spectrum News 1.



Photos by Rick Buchanan



Cheryl Roller, League of Women Voters asked a question.

- Calendar of Events -

Believe that you are bigger than our difficulties, for you are, indeed. August 24, Positive Thinking Every Day, Norman Vincent Peale

Upcoming Forums

CMC welcomes in-house audiences, and, Livestreaming viewers! Paid registration for in-house seating is required by the

Monday before and we cannot accept walk-ins. We will continue **livestreaming the forums at noon on Wednesday** and the popular **Encore Forums** recommended with currently relevant content now available anytime on YouTube.

The Livestreaming forums are FREE to view but we encourage you to register to submit questions and to support CMC by purchasing a virtual seat! To show our appreciation, CMC invites people who purchase a virtual seat to a Zoom session to "Continue Meaningful Conversation" with a qualified discussion leader following the forum at 1:00 p.m. WATCH your email for additions and updates.



Wednesday, August 26, NOON - DOORS OPEN AT 11:00 for Museum, lunch served at 11:45 Limited in-house audiences and Livestreaming Conversation 2020

Black History 101 Khalid el-Hakim, Founder and Curator, Black **History 101 Mobile Museum**

With host Ann Fisher, All Sides with Ann Fisher, WOSU Public Media

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American Chamber of Commerce With Support from the Boat House at Confluence Park, Hilton Columbus Downtown Livestreaming Partners: PNC & The Columbus Dispatch, WOSU

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Wednesday, September 2, NOON -1:00 p.m. In-house audiences and Livestreaming

Back to School Toolkit for Everyone

CMC, OSU Wexner Medical Center, and Nationwide Children's Hospital Present the Optimal Health Series Livestreaming available on our

YouTube channel
Greg Moody, Interim Director of
Professional Development, OSU
John Glenn College of Public

Additional panelists to be announced

Affairs

Series Presenting Sponsors: OSU
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Recommended Archived Forums Available anytime at your convenience on YouTube

Police Chief Talks Safety During Corona" "Africentric Education: It's About All of US" "Harlem Renaissance"

"Conversation 2019: Senator Sherrod Brown and Councilwoman Elizabeth Brown"

REMEMBER:

Renew or Join in August to receive two free months!

Anyone requesting additional information may contact the CMC staff at staff@columbusmetroclub. org or visit www.columbusmetroclub.org.

The CMC offices have moved! Please be sure to update our address to 1041 Dublin Road, Suite 103

Columbus, Ohio 43215



Attendees comment on how safe they feel attending forums at the Boat House with the room set up to accommodate physical distancing, stringent sanitary standards and all in attendance wearing masks.



Secretary of State Frank LaRose (right) elbow bumps panel moderator Curtis Jackson while Dara Pizzuti looks on.

Front, moderator Curtis Jackson, CMC Chair Steven Marks, CMC President & CEO Jane Scott. Back, panelists Frank LaRose, Jen Miller and Andre Washington.