### "What They See Is What They'll Be"

News from the 100 Black Men of Madison, Inc.

March 2013

### MMSD School Board Candidates to Attend 16 March General Membership Meeting









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March's General Membership Meeting will be held on Saturday, 16 March 2013, at Johnny's Italian Steakhouse, Greenway Station, 8390 Market Street, Middleton, WI 53562.

Candidates running for the Madison Metropolitan School District (MMSD) Board of Education have been invited and are confirmed to present their visions for the MMSD and their solutions to issues facing the District, such as the achievement gap, proposed voucher program, sustainable school funding, etc.

Prior to the breakfast meeting, members are encouraged to forward questions for the candidates to <a href="mailto:president@100blackmenmadison.com">president@100blackmenmadison.com</a>.

## Robert Steele Recognized for Achievements at DePaul University Law Alumni Awards Dinner

Robert Steele, 100 Black Men of Madison Mentorship Committee Chair, received the prestigious Outstanding Service to the Profession Award at the DePaul University Law Alumni Awards Dinner, 7 March, at Sofitel Chicago Water Tower, Chicago, IL.



Aside from being a long-standing member of the 100 Black Men of Madison, Mr. Steele is the Chief Legal Counsel of Kraft General Foods, Inc.

### **Area Students Prepare for Upcoming 100 BMM**

#### **Calendar of Events**

<u>CLICK HERE</u> to view the entire 100 BMM Calendar of Events.

#### 2013

### **16 March** 100 Black Men of Madison General Membership Meeting

### 2 April Spring ⊟ection

# 11 April 100 Black Men of Madison Board of Directors Meeting

# 13 April African American History Challenge Bow I

### **25 April**Madison Youth Congress

#### **MISSION**

The Mission of the 100 Black Men of Madison, Inc. is to improve the quality of life within our communities and enhance educational and economic opportunities for all African Americans.

#### **VISION**

100 Black Men of Madison, Inc. seeks to serve as a beacon of leadership by utilizing our diverse talents to create environments w here our children are motivated to achieve, and to empower our people to become self-sufficient shareholders in the economic and social fabric of

### **African American History Challenge Bowl**

13 April 2013 - MMSD Doyle Administration Building - Madison, WI



The 2013 African American
History Challenge Bowl
(AAHCB) will be conducted
9:00 a.m., Saturday, 13 April,
at the Doyle Administration
Building of the Madison
Metropolitan School District.
The chief authority for this
year's competition is "Life Upon
These Shores: Looking at

African-American History, 1513-2008" by Henry Louis Gates, Jr.

The 100 Black Men of Madison African American History Challenge Bowl is an educational program designed to enhance the study of African-American history. The Challenge Bowl is open to all Madisonarea middle school students with the goal to encourage pride, selfworth and an appreciation of the African-American legacy and culture. It also is a challenging and fun way for students to expand their knowledge of African-American History in highly competitive local and national competitions.

Last year, students representing Hamilton Middle School (pictured above) won the local AND National competition.

### **Greater Madison Youth Congress**

25 April 2013 - Sun Prairie High School Performing Arts Center



The Madison Youth Congress (MYC) is an innovative approach to educate high-school aged students about pressing social and educational issues that affect their generation, while also providing them a forum to voice their opinions and suggest solutions.

This year's event will be held Thursday, 25 April, from 9:00-11:30 a.m. at Sun Prairie High School's Performing Arts Center and high school students throughout the Madison, Verona, Middleton and Sun Prairie school districts are encouraged to participate.

The focus of the 2012 MYC is "The Achievement Gap," and students of all ethnic and racial backgrounds are welcome.

For more information, visit <a href="https://www.facebook.com/MadisonYouthCongress">https://www.facebook.com/MadisonYouthCongress</a> or <a href="https://twitter.com/MadisonYouthCon">https://twitter.com/MadisonYouthCon</a>.

the communities we serve.

#### **VALUES**

100 Black Men of Madison, Inc. is committed to the intellectual development of youth and the economic empow erment of the African American community based on the following precepts: respect for family, spirituality, justice, and integrity.

### CONTACT INFORMATION

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### 100 Black Men of Madison, Inc. Annual Golf Outing

29 July 2013 - The Legend at Bergamont - Oregon, WI

The 100 Black Men of Madison cordially invite everyone to join us for a

wonderful day of golf on Monday, 29 July 2013, at The Legend at Bergamont in Oregon, Wisconsin.

Gather your friends, family and coworkers and join us for a fun day of golf to support the 100 Black Men of Madison as we strive to provide mentorship to











our youth in Madison and Dane County!

The format is a four-person, best-ball scramble. Prizes and awards will be given for low-gross teams, longest drive, closest to the pin, hole-in-one, \$10,000 putting contest, and more! Individuals and teams are welcome, and non-golfers also are invited to attend and support this event at the Awards Dinner.

This golf outing is one of our signature events! This fundraising event helps support all of the 100 Black Men of Madison's endeavors, such as our Youth Mentoring Programs, Backpacks for Success event, scholarship campaigns, and more!

For event information and registration, please visit <a href="http://100bmmgolfouting2013.eventbrite.com/">http://100bmmgolfouting2013.eventbrite.com/</a>.

<u>Click here</u> for sponsorship opportunities.

### Now Accepting Articles & Photos

We are currently accepting stories and photographs for future issues of "What They See Is What They Will Be." Please submit your stories and event photos for consideration. Submission does not guarantee placement in this publication.

Stories should be 200 words or less and electronic photos should be 300 DPI or better in .JPG format (NO SCANNED PHOTOS). Include captions for each photo (who, what, when, and where). Photos without captions WILL NOT be considered.

Submit your stories and photos (with captions) to president@100blackmenmadison.com.

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