

DC Branch Committees

ACT-SO

An enrichment program encouraging high academic and cultural achievement among African-American high school students

Ruby Lewis, Secretary, Chair
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ECONOMIC EMPOWERMENT

To accelerate economic growth in our communities and eliminate existing racial and ethnic economic disparities

Rebecca Thompson, Chair
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EDUCATION

To ensure that students have access equal and high-quality public education by eliminating

Gloria Jefferson, Education Chair
joshjr@hotmail.com

FUNDRAISING

Plan events to provide the financial support necessary to sustain the fight for freedom

Hazel Kennedy, Fundraiser Chair
hikennedy@comcast.net

HEALTH

To develop health education initiatives, expand community outreach, and collaborative with health organizations

Shavon Arline, Health Chair
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LEGAL REDRESS

To eliminate disparate treatment of blacks in all aspects of law enforcement and criminal justice systems

E. Ned Sloan, Legal Redress Chair
enedsloan@verizon.net

MEMBERSHIP

Conduct membership drives to support our mission of racial equality and equal justice
Elnora Fitzgerald, Adult Membership Chair
Ernestine Brown, Life Membership Chair
ernestinegeneva@yahoo.com

POLITICAL ACTION

To ensure voter empowerment through providing voter training, registration, education, and election protection
Eugene Dewitt Kinlow, Political Action Chair
kinlow@aol.com

VETERAN AFFAIRS

Ensure fair and just services are available to Armed Services and Veteran members of the minority community
Joe Wynn, Veteran Affairs Chair
JoeWynn@vetsgroup.org

YOUNG ADULTS

Implement programs and initiatives to educate, stimulate and mobilize young adult professionals in the fight for social justice in Washington, DC
Akosua Tyus, Assistant Secretary
Akosua.tyus@gmail.com

YOUTH WORKS

To support the development of future leaders through actively involving youth in the fight for civil rights
Dr. E. Gail Anderson-Holness, Youth Works Chair
egah@msn.com

To Join the NAACP:

Adult Membership \$30.00
(Age 21 and Up)

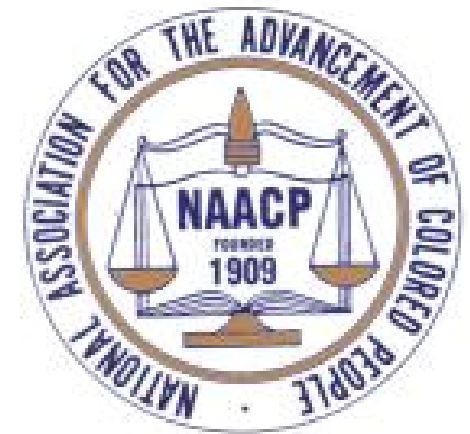
Youth Membership \$15.00
(Age 20 and Under)

Silver Life Membership \$750.00
(Available for Ages 21 and up,
with 10 payments of \$75.00)

NAACP

DC Branch

National Association for the Advancement of Colored People



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Mission

The mission of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People is to ensure the political, educational, social, and economic equality of rights of all persons and to eliminate racial hatred and racial discrimination.

Objectives

- *To ensure the political, educational, social, and economic equality of all citizens*
- *To achieve equality of rights and eliminate race prejudice among the citizens of the United States*
- *To remove all barriers of racial discrimination through democratic processes*
- *To seek enactment and enforcement of federal, state, and local laws securing civil rights*
- *To inform the public of the adverse effects of racial discrimination and to seek its elimination*
- *To educate persons as to their constitutional rights and to take all lawful action to secure their rights*

Vision

The vision of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP) is to ensure a society in which all individuals have equal rights and there is no racial hatred or racial discrimination.



NAACP Centennial

February 12, 2009

The NAACP is the nation's oldest civil rights organization. Founded on February 12, 1909, the NAACP has been in existence for nearly a century securing victories in the struggle for justice and equality in America. The NAACP continues to be at the forefront of issues paramount to our communities. Our efforts have led to launching new initiatives aimed at eliminating disparities in economic development, healthcare, education, and technology. The NAACP DC Branch has developed a strategic agenda leading into the NAACP 2009 centennial.

DC Branch Centennial

Strategic Agenda

- *“One Day 100,000” Voter Registration*
- *Centennial Freedom Fund Event*
- *“Heart & Head” HIV Awareness Event*
- *Gun Violence Awareness Initiative*
- *DCPS Blue Ribbon Committee*
- *Preserve the Carter G. Woodson home*



DC Branch Executive Committee

Officers

President, Lorraine Miller
1st Vice President, Rev. Morris Shearin
2nd Vice President, E. Ned Sloan
3rd Vice President, Joe Wynn
Secretary, Ruby Lewis
Assistant Secretary, Akosua Tyus
Treasurer, Angela Wood
Assistant Treasurer, Joshua Jefferson
Chaplain, Rev. James Coleman

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Beverly Briggs-Gurley, UDC Advisor
Theresa Johnson
Doris Mack
Ruth Turner Johnson
Lacy Streater
Ardell Woodland
Brittney Autry, HU Chapter, President
Alessandra Brown, GU Chapter, President
PeTrina Paxton, DC Youth Council, President
Sean White, GWU Chapter, President
Victoria Everett, AU Chapter, President
Razzi Cleveland Cooper, UDC Chapter, President