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Getting closer to the main event

Liah Cox and Quin Salandy celebrate at the WIADCA carnival kick-off at Brooklyn Borough Hall, Tuesday, Aug. 20. See story on page 3.

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GUYANA AIRLIFT WORRIES

Call for lower air fares

By Bert Wilkinson

Last weekend, a high level team from Trinidad-based Caribbean Airlines sat down for talks with Guyanese authorities regarding the airline's complete monopoly and domination of the Georgetown-New York route and what authorities referred to as the less than acceptable treatment of passengers on the money-losing carrier's most profitable route.

Summer peak fares on the route are being offered sometimes for as much as \$1, 300, nearly twice the price CAL charged passengers before U.S. mega carrier Delta Air-

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THE NEWS FROM BACK HOME

Barbados

There will be no hiring of new workers in the central public service or across all statutory entities for the next financial year, unless approved by Prime Minister Freundel Stuart.

This decision was disclosed by Minister of Finance Chris Sinckler when he delivered the 2013-2014 Financial Statement and Budgetary Proposals yesterday. The move is expected to save Government some \$435.9 million over the adjustment period.

"Government has been careful to design these expenditure adjustments in such a manner as to limit the potential for major job losses

in the public service," he noted, before disclosing that there would be no new hirings.



"Effective immediately there will be a total freeze on all new hiring in the central public service and across all statutory entities.

"Deviation from this policy will only be countenanced in cases of extreme criticalness and will have to be approved by the Prime Minister and Minister of Civil Service before execution." Sinckler said adding that "departments and boards who breach this policy will not receive any resources to cover the salaries of these persons if they cannot be accounted for in the system".

Additionally, the minister said that the policy will also extend to the hiring substitutes, temporary or casual workers as replacements for appointed staff proceeding on leave. Furthermore, he pointed out that there will be an immediate freeze of all non-critical established posts which have not been filled in the last six months and are unlikely to be filled in the near term.

Guyana

Following a ruling handed down recently in which two men accused of killing 11 people were acquitted, the prosecution says it intends to appeal the ruling. Anthony Hyles, 24, and Mark Williams, 28, were

freed of charges stemming from the 2008 massacre that occurred in the farming village of Lusignan.



They were accused of using highpowered rifles and shotguns to kill 11 people, including children, as



Our CARICOM cousins celebrate

One of the many groups performing at the CARIFESTA XI in Suriname. See page 26.

Photo courtesy of CARICOM Secretariat

they slept.

According to reports, the massacre was a revenge for the disappearance of gang leader Rondell "Fineman" Rawlins' girlfriend.

The two defendants said they acted as lookouts during the killings but did not actively participate. A few months later, Rawlins was killed by soldiers.

The authorities said that the massacre was part of a series of murders which appeared to have started with the murder of prison officer Troy Williams during the Mash Day Prison break on February 23, 2003.

Haiti

The United Nations Peacekeeping Mission in Haiti (MINUSTAH) should be held accountable for the outbreak of Cholera that has killed

more than 7,000 people since October 2010, according to a new report released here.



The report by Yale University, titled "Peacekeeping without Accountability," claims there is sufficient scientific evidence to show that UN troops from Neap brought the virus to the French-speaking Caribbean Community (CARICOM)

country.

The UN has in the past indicated that it enjoys legal immunity from such claims and has dismissed an earlier attempt by a US-based human rights group that sought compensation on behalf of a group of Haitians.

The Yale report also indicates that the UN violated obligations under international law by not providing a forum to address the grievances of cholera victims. It said that by failing to hold itself accountable for causing the cholera outbreak, the UN violates the very principles of accountability and respect for law that it promotes worldwide.

Health officials say Haiti's cholera outbreak has since killed more than 7,500 people and sickened another 578,409. The Yale study also notes that the United Nations has promised a standing claims commission under agreements signed with the Haitian government, but has never honored this obligation in Haiti "or anywhere else in the world, despite having entered into 32 such agreements since 1990.

Jamaica

Five police groups opposed to a recent ruling that will give the

Independent Commission for Investigations (INDECOM), the power of arrest, have instructed their lawyers to appeal the decision.

Recently, the court ruled that the Commissioner of INDECOM, Terrance Williams will now be able to arrest and charge members of the police force and the military, without the guidance of the Director of Public Prosecutions (DPP), Paula Llewellyn.

The ruling was handed down in response to a constitutional motion filed by the Police



Federation, and other police bodies on behalf of Corporal Malika Reid who was arrested by INDECOM in 2011, in connection with the killing of Frederick "Mickey" a businessman from the tourist resort town of Negril in western Jamaica.

The arrest of their colleague, led to protests from members of the Police Federation.

The DPP had also argued that she was not consulted by INDE-COM before Reid was arrested and charged. Williams has sought to assure the members of the security forces that there is no need to feel anxious about the declaration of the

powers of INDECOM.

He said remedies are available if his office act improperly, and the DPP still has the authority to intervene in a case at any stage. Regardless of this assurance, Chairman of the Police Federation, Sergeant Raymond Wilson believes the ruling could have serious implications.

St. Kitts

Former St. Kitts and Nevis agriculture minister Cedric Liburd is publicly encouraging Jamaica not to pull out of the Caribbean Community (CARICOM) over trade differences with Trinidad and Tobago.

Liburd is advocating discussions at the appropriate level to iron out the differences between these two leading CARICOM member states.

"No, I don't think that any CARI-COM country should really consider pulling out of Caricom," he said in an interview with

local radio station, WINN FM. "All of us in the



region do have our own concerns in some different way in terms of how Caricom and how we operate in the past and sometimes some of us not

benefiting," the former agriculture minister said, adding that the solution is not abandoning the regional grouping."

What Kingston regards as unfair trade practices benefiting Port-of-Spain has prompted former Prime Minister Andrew Holness and one of his parliamentary Jamaica Labor Party colleagues to advocate a temporary pull-out of CARICOM.

However, Minister of Foreign Affairs, AJ Nicholson said a withdrawal would affect benefits under the CARICOM Single Market and Economy (CSME) that allows for the free movement of goods, skills, services and labor across the community.

St. Lucia

The St. Lucia government has launched a campaign aimed at dealing with the issue of sexual abuse among children.

The Ministry of Health, Wellness, Human Services and Gender Rela-



tions in collaboration with UNICEF, has unveiled its new campaign "Break the Silence," targeting victims and families and empowering them to take action in the preven-

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Caribbean Life's Associate Editor Kevin Williams, Miss World Guyana 2013 Ruqayyah Boyer, Dr. Donald Moore, Deputy Borough President Sandra Chapman, HealthFirst VP George Hulse and Caribbean Life Marketing Director Ralph D'Onofrio at the WIADCA carnival kick-off at Brooklyn Borough Hall, Tuesday, Aug. 20.

Photo by William Farrington

Borough Hall kicks off Caribbean Carnival season

By Tangerine Clarke

The reception area of Brooklyn Borough Hall was thrown into a carnival arena on Tuesday, Aug. 20 when the West Indian American Day Carnival Association (WIAD-CA) kicked off its 46th Carnival Celebration with a carnival mas that gave patrons a sneak-peek of what to expect on Labor Day on Sept. 2.

Revellers in spectacular costumes pranced to the beat of infectious carnival music, setting the tone for what is expected to be an exciting celebration on Eastern Parkway. A steelpan solo, took center stage to entertain the Caribbean nationals who were crammed into the space to welcome another carnival weekend in Brooklyn.

With talk of this year being one of the best ever to hit the parkway, host Marty Markowitz, Borough Presidednt, bellowed his appreciation to the Caribbean people for keeping their culture alive in the Borough of Brooklyn. He stated that the future of New York depended on the Caribbean people who make



From left, WIADCA President Thomas Bailey, Brooklyn Borough President Marty Markowitz and Jean Alexander WIADCA General Secretary. Photo by William Farrington

up a large part of the borough.

Markowitz thanked the now deceased Carlos Lazama for his vision and spirit that created the Carnival, and recalled how the former organizer was always in a trance when he danced along the Parkway to celebrate carnival.

"Carlos was the happiest person I ever met, and who Martowitz said left a lasting legacy that was continued by his daughter Yolanda, and "all of you who make this carnival successful." He applauded president Thomas Bailey, Jean Alexander and the organizers for their tremendous work.

Markowitz, the outgoing Borough president, who has been in office for 35 years, sounded as if he was making his "goodby' speech when he recalled how the Caribbean people voted for him 11 times, despite whomever he was running against. In turn, he said he passed every bill that was put forward by the nationals to better their community.

He went on to say that State Senator Eric Adams, who is the only candidate running for his position, will make a good borough president.

"Believe in yourself Brooklyn," shouted Markowitz, as he concluded his speech.

Congresswoman Yvette Clarke said "Our culture has crossed the seas to become a pillar of strength in this great city." She praised the carnival committee and encouraged its members to continue to "plan this beautiful family reunion, a living legacy that will continue beyoun our time."

Several politicians including Eric Adams, Deputy Borough President Sandra Chapman, Assemblyman Nick Perry, John Burnett, community leaders, Patricia Jordon-Langford, president of the Guyana Tri-State Alliance, Miss Guyana World, Ruyaqqah Boyer, and many others attended the event.

Annual outdoor crusade

NEW YORK, August 12. 2013 - The New York Call, an annual outdoor crusade promoting unity among Christians in the New York tri-state area, will celebrate its 10th year on Saturday, Aug. 24, with a day of fun and fellowship at the Nikon at Jones Beach Theater at Jones Beach State Park in Wantagh, N.Y., located on Long Island's South Shore. The free event will be held from 11:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. and is open to the public.

Founded in 2004 by Pastor Donnie McClurkin, The New York Call is a coalition of Christian pastors, ministries and congregations from New York, New Jersey and Connecticut that seeks to break down barriers to unity among believers; promote oneness and harmony through continual fellowship: and reach out to those who are hurting and lost with the Good News of Jesus Christ.

The participating clergy have diligently sought to fulfill that mandate by bringing their congregations together for prayer, worship and the annual New York Call outdoor celebration in August. A power-packed time of Christian outreach, fellowship and fun for the whole family, the event has drawn between 10, 000 and 20,000 people each year to the grounds of Long Island's Eisenhower Park.

To celebrate momentous milestone of its 10th year, The New York Call will move to a new Long Island location on August 24 – the Nikon at Jones Beach Theater, 1000 Ocean Parkway in Wantagh. The 14,000-seat waterfront amphitheater reopened this spring after a major reconstruction effort to repair extensive damage caused by superstorm Sandy in October 2012.

The day will kick off at 11:00 a.m. in the Pavilion Area, with free activities to inform and empow-

er those in attendance. Offerings will include free glucose, cholesterol and blood pressure screenings. HIV and STD testing, eye exams, dental care services and mammography appointments. Health professionals will be on hand to share valuable information about cancer treatment options and patient caregiver services, as well as information on health, fitness and nutrition for adults and children.

There will be fun games and giveaways for the kids, face painting, refreshments, beauty and grooming product samples.

Representatives from Feed the Children will distribute complimentary boxes of food and personal care items while supplies last. There will be fun games and giveaways for the kids, face painting, refreshments, beauty and grooming product samples and complimentary food sampling provided by Golden Krust Caribbean Bakery & Grill.

This 10th anniversary celebration will fire up the Nikon at Jones Beach Theater with one concert {two stages} at 11 a.m. The Pavilion Plaza Stage and at 3:00 p.m. the Main Stage - music and ministry of award-winning Gospel recording artists Bishop Hezekiah Walker, JJ Hairston, Erica Campbell, Isaac Carree, Tve Tribbett, Uncle Reece, Canton Jones. The New York Call's own Pastor Donnie McClurkin and others. Guest speakers will include local pastors, community leaders, Stephen Baldwin and Lowell Hawthorne, president and CEO of Gold Krust Caribbean Bakery & Grill and a longtime supporter and sponsor of The New York Call.

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New York Jamaicans celebrate a milestone

By Lorraine Muir

Jamaicans home and abroad while still reminiscing of last year's golden jubilee celebrations, reflected on Jamaica's Fifty-First Year of Independence, August 6, 2013. At the heels of such a milestone Jamaicans in New York, though dichotomously existing, shared their love and aspirations for their nation state Jamaica in a series of events in New York.

Thousands gathered for worship at one of Brooklyn's community churches, the Lenox Road Baptist Church, hosted and pastored by the Reverend Dr. Kirkpatrick Cohall for Jamaica's Fifty-First Year of Independence Service of Thanksgiving on Sunday, August 4, 2013.

Reverend Cohall delivered the sermon, while Bishop Cecil G. Riley of Freedom Hall Church of God officiated.Notably, His Execellency, Mr. Courtenay Rattray,



Front Row (L-R): U.S. Rep. Yvette D. Clarke, Brooklyn Deputy Borough President Sandra Chapman and NY State Assemb. Nick Perry, with Jamaica Consul General Herman Lamont (2nd row left) and Bishop Cecil Riley (center,right) with friends at the flag-raising event. Photo by Sharon Bennet.

Photo by Sharon Bennet

Permanent Representative of Jamaica to the United Nations offered scripture readings

along with other members of clergy and community lead-

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Lower air fares

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lines pulled out of the route in early May. This has not only angered tourism and other authorities but also thousands in the North American, Caribbean and European diaspora who wanted to travel during the holiday season.

The Commerce Ministry said after the weekend talks that CAL had agreed to review its pricing structure, flight times, the system of flight connections as well as the mandatory disembarking of an aircraft to New York transiting Trinidad as passengers continue to complain bitterly about it.

But even as the debate is ongoing about the precarious, if not fragile airlift system between Georgetown and New York in particular, the former head of defunct state-owned Guyana Airways has emerged from the shadows to condemn government officials for forcing GAC's closure for political rather than financial or operational reasons.

Fazal Khan, airline general manager at the time, husband of then Health Minister Gail Teixeira and a ranking functionary in the governing People's Progressive Party (PPP) says that he was hounded out of office because he had dared back then to vote against a party move to install then junior Finance Minister Bharrat Jagdeo as the party's vice presidential candidate to Janet Jagan for the 1997 general elections that the PPP had won. Khan was also a veteran jungle and jet captain for Guyana Air.

Janet Jagan back then was proposing to run in the top slot along with Prime Minister Samuel Hinds as her deputy and Jagdeo in the number three spot of what was then called the PPP's "A-Team."

Khan was the only person to vote against it at a special meeting to endorse the team. He remains convinced that this was the beginning of the end for him in the PPP, his stewardship of Guy Air and for the

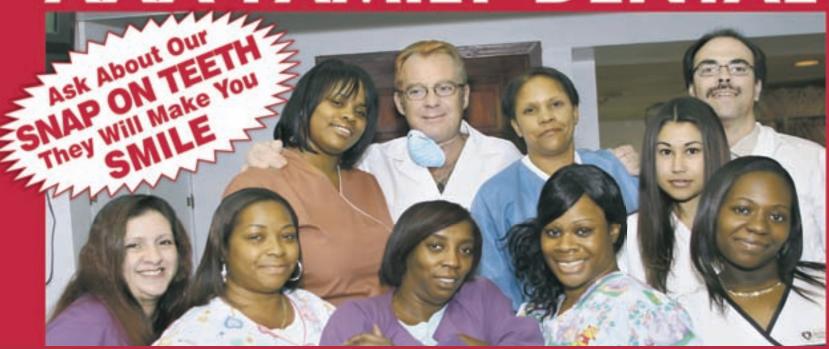
airline in general. Jagdeo would eventually become president in August 1999 after Jagan stepped down for alleged health reasons.

"She and others in the party made it untenable for me to run the airline. It had no major debts. I asked for a mere US\$500,000 to pay off some creditors and that was refused out of spite. I resigned after that and GAC did not last a year after that, so all this talk about CAL is foolishness as we destroyed our own airline; a good thing that we had," Khan said.

As everyone awaits to see what CAL's management will produce, all heads are turned to the imminent emergence of Fly Jamaica (FJ), a joint collaboration between Guyanese and Jamaican investors. FJ is already flying the Jamaica-New York route and intends to begin a service from Georgetown to Toronto in September, even as it awaits FAA approvals for a New York run that would give CAL some competition on the route.

Meantime, fares ranging from \$900 to \$1,300 are the order of the day.





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Students from the University of the West Indies' Cave Hill, Barbados campus gather signatures in Bridgetown, Tuesday for a petition against fee hikes scheduled to go into effect next month.

Photo by George Alleyne

Uneasy calm at the UWI

By George Alleyne

The University of the West Indies Student Guild is gearing up for a Caribbean-wide campus demonstration against the Barbados government's decision to impose tuition fees at the university.

In its 2014 Budget presented to parliament last week, the Barbados Government said it will remove subsidies on tuition fees for UWI students effective next year September, rocketing cost to Barbadians from an average BDS\$900 for registration to between \$5,600 and \$62,250 annually for attending the university.

"We will be seeking regional support that we do not already have. We have our sister campuses standing in solidarity with us. Mona and St Augustine as well as the Open Campus have expressed themselves as supporting the Cave Hill Campus. They have already indicated that they will also rally behind us in their home countries," Guild President Damani Parris said.

Parris said he collected some 1,000 verifiable signatures for a growing petition Sunday at a mass rally called by the political Opposition to protest the budget measures, including imposition of tuition fees.

"The other campuses are extremely perturbed and upset at what they detect to "The other campuses are extremely perturbed and upset at what they detect to be a direct attack on regionalism, especially as it relates to the Barbadian public."

be a direct attack on regionalism, especially as it relates to the Barbadian public furnishing those campuses with students who essentially add to the whole notion of integration of these individual campuses," he said.

UWI has three regular campuses, Cave Hill; St Augustine in Trinidad and Tobago; and Mona in Jamaica; and an open campus spread across the region.

A Barbados Nation newspaper report Tuesday confirmed Parris' claim about a spreading resistance across campuses to the move by government. The paper quoted President of the Guild of Mona Campus, Terron Dewar, saying students there are ready and willing to show support. "We believe the increase is too sharp. It will affect the number of Bajans who come to Mona. I am foreseeing a fall in the number of Bajan

students and all the diversity and positivity it brings".

The Jamaican student leader said he expects a drop in the number of students attending the Barbados campus. "The fall-off may not be a drastic one, but it will be a notable one," he said.

An estimated 7,000 of the 9,000 students enrolled at Cave Hill are Barbadians.

Parris on the other hand told a weekend public forum, held to discuss the budget and its effects, that statistics from UWI admissions department shows that Barbadians account for 84 per cent of the students from working class families at the Cave Hill Campus. He therefore expects a 70 to 80 per cent drop-off in attendance in 2014, "because most of these students will not be able to afford to come to Cave Hill."

For this reason Parris made an apocalyptic forecast for the university's future, if the Barbados Government stays its course, "Many students like me in the [academic] year 2014 will be withdrawing from the campus". He added, "It is the Guild's estimation that the Cave Hill Campus will have to close at the beginning of the [academic] year 2014 because of a severe reduction in student roll".

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Jamaican flag-raising ceremony

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ers. Mr. Lloyd Chung and the Independence Choir, artisans and cultural groups participated in the Service of Thanksgiving.

Reverend Cohall, implored Jamaicans in the Diaspora never to forget their homeland Jamaica, to fervently keep Jamaica in mind, heart and judiciously remembering the dawn of the spiritual journey of Jamaica with God at the helm and the continuum even in "a strange land". Cohall likened the journey of emancipated Jamaica through the dawn of Independence to that of the emancipated children of Israel from Egypt to the promised land, who at times failed to "sing the Lord's song in a strange land."

In addition, Consul General LaMont, brought greetings and message from the Prime Minister of Jamaica on Independence Day, Jamaicans and friends of Jamaica at the Flag-Raising Ceremony at Borough Hall, Brooklyn, Brooklyn Borough Presi-

"As we mark the 51st anniversary, we remain triumphant in spirit and resolve; proud of our rich cultural heritage and history."

dent, Marty Markowitz; and Congresswoman, Yvette D. Clarke (D-Brooklyn) provided remarks.

Through the Consul General, Hon. Herman G. LaMont, the message from The most Honorable Portia Simpson Miller, Prime Minster of Jamaica was conveyed, exhorting Jamaicans to "stir response to duty's call". A call to every member of the Jamaican family both at home and in the Diaspora "to respond to and fervently support Jamaica if we are to ensure Jamaica's development, as we look to fulfilling the mission of economic independence."

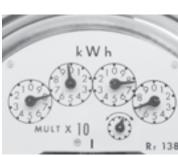
"As we mark the 51st anniversary in the change of our

status from colony to independent nation and reflect on the significant achievements along the journey, and the daunting challenges that lie ahead, we remain triumphant in spirit and resolve; proud of our rich cultural heritage and history, and celebratory of our freedom and enviable democratic tradition" Miller stated.

The Jamaica Independence celebration culminated on Saturday, August 17, 2013 with "Splendor of Jamaica" displayed at Jamaica's 51st Anniversary of Independence Ball at the New York Hilton, through genres of Jamaican music performed by famed Fabulous Five Band, Jamaican cuisine at its best and hosted under the distinct patronage of the Consul General of Jamaica to New York. His Excellency, Professor Stephen C. Vasciannie, Ambassador of Jamaica to the United States of America delivered the keynote address, while noted actress and singer, Sheryl-Lee Ralph, served as the Mistress of Ceremony.









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Good reason to legalize marijuana

By John C. Liu

It's time to recognize that New York City's misguided war on marijuana has failed. Instead of spending millions on low-level drug prosecutions that disproportionately affect minorities, why not instead legalize, regulate, and tax the City's \$1.65 billion marijuana market?

A comprehensive report by my office shows that legalizing, regulating, and taxing marijuana could generate more than \$400 million annually for the City; money that could be used to cut CUNY tuition in half for New York City residents. Instead of sending kids to the courthouse, let's send them to college.

The social arguments for legalizing marijuana are compelling. Minority communities disproportionately bear the consequences of marijuana arrests in New York City, which are directly related to the NYPD's rampant use of Stop and Frisk. Combined, blacks and Hispanics make up 45 percent of marijuana users in New York City, but they account for 86 percent of misdemeanor possession arrests. By contrast, whites and Asians constitute 55 percent of users but only 14 percent of arrests.

That's just not fair.

An arrest for the possession of even a small amount of pot can have serious consequences. More than half of marijuana possession arrests in New York City are of people age 25 and under — a group for whom the negative effects of an arrest or criminal record is

especially acute. Convictions can affect people's eligibility for federal student loans and NYCHA housing, and a history of arrest can bar them from many jobs.

Low-level marijuana arrests have skyrocketed during Mayor Bloomberg's Administration and are directly related to the NYPD's stop-and-frisk strategy.

Bottom line: the City's war on marijuana has been misguided and has damaged far too many lives, especially in minority communities. Like prohibition, it has been a complete failure.

Regulating marijuana would keep thousands of New Yorkers out of the criminal justice system, offer relief to those suffering from a wide range of painful medical conditions, and make our streets safer by sapping the dangerous underground market that targets our children. As if that weren't enough, it would also boost the City's bottom line.

Under my proposal, adults age 21 and over could possess up to one ounce of marijuana, which would be grown, processed, and sold by government-licensed businesses for recreational or medicinal purposes. This change won't happen overnight. We should create an interagency task force to work with the State Senate and Assembly in order to pass the legislation needed to implement the plan. New York needs to legalize marijuana and put an end to modern-day prohibition.

John C. Liu is the New York City Comptroller.

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Labor Day Parade previews Primary Election Day

By Vinette K. Pryce

Although carnival revelry may already be the pervasive topic in some Caribbean circles, for a majority, the Sept. 10 primary is the event to decide key political positions in the city and will be evident on Labor Day when virtually every aspiring candidate walks blocks along Brooklyn's Eastern Parkway to get notice, media attention and endorsement from the millions who will attend the annual WIADCA festivity.

Brooklyn could elect its first Black Borough president. Two of the county's BPs already threw support for assemblyman and former cop Eric Adams. The current president Marty Markowitz declared support for Adams, naming him the candidate he wants to be his successor. And former BP Howard Golden endorsed Adams as the best choice for the county.

The other top position in Kings County pits Ken Thompson against incumbent district attorney John "Joe" Hynes. Thompson, whose mother was a NYPD officer could topple a rule that began in the latter part of the 20th century when Hynes earned the top spot after championing the Howard Beach Murder Case. That controversial racial case decided the guilt of a white mob that chased Trinidad-born Michael Griffith to his death. Griffith along with Guyana-born Cedric Sandifford were allegedly pursued because they were Black and happened into the then-segregated Howard Beach community.

Thompson believes the champ should retire. He has been arguing a case for Hynes' retirement since announcing his bid to be Brooklyn's next DA. Thompson The fact Lopez was allegedly unseated from his upstate assembly job after a scandal could prove a liability for the ambitious Brooklyn politician.

has been pounding the pavement and while he commends Hynes for his role in pacifying the city by securing convictions in the 1980s, he also has been driving home a notion that Hynes has overstayed his purpose. Thompson has been spotted at virtually every cultural and political event and will likely parade along Brooklyn's longest boulevard to shore-up Caribbean votes.

The voice, face and activism of Conrad Tillard are familiar to New Yorkers. Two decades ago, he was known as Conrad Muhammad, the NY messenger placed in Harlem by Muslim Minister Louis Farakhan to lead. Throughout those years, Minister Conrad Muhammad staked a claim to represent youth and amplified a message of community empowerment. Since leaving the Harlem mosque, the Ivy League college graduate and scholar has found faith in Christianity and for a time hosted radio shows on WLIB-AM. On primary day, Tillard will seek a seat in the Democratic Party to represent Brooklyn's 36th Coun-

Antonio Reynosa is determined to derail the possibility of Vito Lopez becoming a New York City Councilman.

Backed by Congresswoman

Diana Reyna and councilmember Nydia Velazuez, the Latino-hopeful promises to deliver "the experience we need and the honesty we deserve."

The fact Lopez was allegedly unseated from his upstate assembly job after a scandal dominated his daily routine could prove a liability for the ambitious Brooklyn politician.

The baggage former Gov. Elliot Spitzer carried after vacating the state house amid a scandal seems to have become less heavy now that he is aspiring to re-enter the political limelight as city comptroller. Will voters forgive, forget or vote Spitzer back into obscurity? Sept. 10 will be d-day for him too.

While there are several offices to contend, the marathon race will feature mayoral candidates eager to win the Democratic nomination in November. The field is vast and varied and could prove historic if it ends with either the first Asian or the first lesbian mayor-elect.

Fully loaded with political veterans the pack includes: former comptroller Bill Thompson, former congressman Anthony Weiner, former councilmember and current comptroller John Liu, former comedian Randy Credico, NYC public advocate Bill deBlasio and City Council speaker Christine Quinn.

Rivals from the Republican conservative and liberal parties include former MTA chairman Joseph Lhota and Gristedes Supermarkets owner John Catsimatidis. Former Bronx Borough president Adolfo Carrion is the independent candidate in this race.



What's on your mind?

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A 'very sick man' trawling for votes

We probably shouldn't be surprised that the whole rotten business of how New York's current mayor will have gotten to serve for 12 years seemed neatly tucked away for most of the third term that shouldn't have been, but has re-surfaced as a hot item again in the highly charged race now on to succeed the incumbent. We'll see in short order whether City Council Speaker Christine Quinn will pay a big price for conspiring with Mayor Michael Bloomberg to bring about the Council vote that made his third term possible. Quinn's fellow contenders to be the Democratic candidate come November seem to be sparing no effort to remind voters of her role in the mayor's blindsiding maneuver that ran roughshod over the city's term limits provision.

Regurgitation of that manhandling of the democratic process in the city reminds us, too, of how close the mayor came, back in 2009, to feeling the full weight of city folks' wrath at the ballot box. The mayor's marginal win over Bill Thompson clearly evidenced that, with a bit of an assist from the then freshly minted White House occupant, Thompson might well have

made a shambles of Bloomberg's third term tactic...notwithstanding hizzoner's wall-to-wall megabucks spree to earn himself that jerry-rigged extension. It remains the oddest of political curiosities (and strongly hinting of behind-the-scenes deal making) that candidate Thompson could elicit from the first black president no more than a half-stepping acknowledgment that Thompson was "in the house" at a big Manhattan dinner.

This time around in the mayoral stakes, the dominant story by far has been the attempt by former Congressman Anthony Weiner to re-assert himself as a political presence after shamefully exiting, stage left, a couple of years ago. But, as we've been seeing in polls for a while now, a recent one by Quinnipiac University puts Weiner in "also ran" territory, with just 10 percent of "likely voters" in the Democratic primary supporting his candidacy. In truth, his being a candidate for office having long since become incidental to the theatrical absurdity he has come to represent. Weiner confounds all known schools of logic and then some with an impish insistence that he wants to be New York's next mayor. Bob Schi-

Viewpoint

By Les Slater

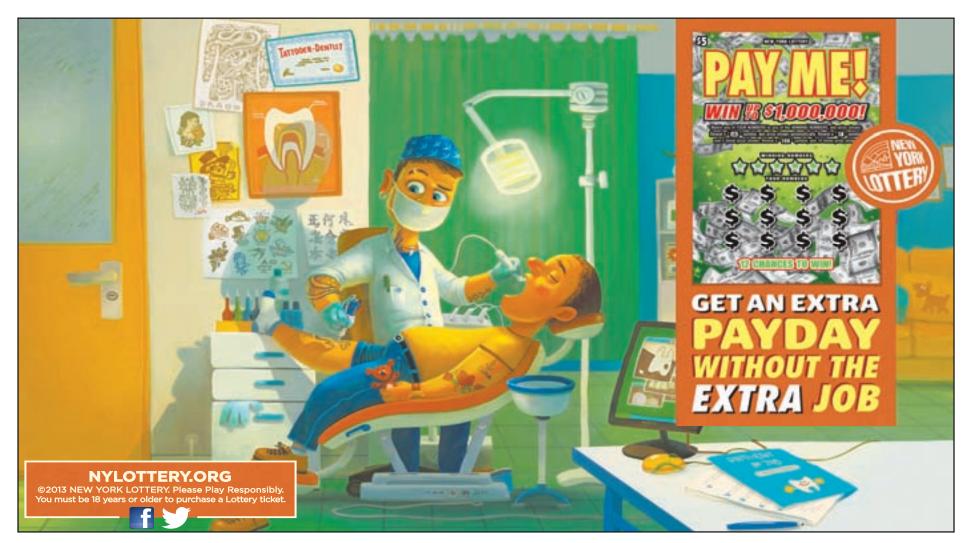
effer of CBS News labeled Weiner "a very sick man" after news broke that he had lied in proclaiming himself "cured" of his obsession with exhibitionism. Schieffer's is the charitable view of what's being telegraphed by Weiner's behavior that one might want to take. The takeaway, alternatively, is that this is one mean-spirited, narcissistic creep who has no business venturing into the public square, daring to be given a leadership nod.

Were we to accept Weiner's read of himself, that he's operating at normal capacity, with all systems fully functional, where do we begin to measure the man's hubris in seeking public office at this point? The fact that he either rejects or is indifferent to hurt he is inflicting in a number of areas lends credence to Schieffer's take on what has driven Weiner to the inscrutably awkward posture he seems determined to maintain. One is intrigued, first of all, by

the outward appearance here of a conclusion other than a situation having been created that likely asks too huge a sacrifice of affected kin. In the matter of Weiner's wife having been a longtime aide to Hillary Clinton, he is obviously being dismissive of any distractions this senseless pursuit of his might cause to whatever political game plan is being hatched on the Clinton drawing board.

But mostly it's Weiner's utter disrespect for the people of New York that engenders concern about how much of a genuine head game could be in process with the guy. When he reappeared, after his forced exile, to offer himself as a contender for mayor, we wondered here whether the relatively short two- year hiatus might not have smacked too much of barefaced arrogance. Apparently, there was a fairly solid slice of the electorate willing to look past any such misgivings. With his deception subsequently coming to light and with it, a stubborn refusal to acknowledge this as a game changer in his relationship with the citizenry, Weiner mystifyingly chose to stand where saner heads absolutely would not. If his campaign manager's resignation didn't speak with a certain clarity to the dead end to which Weiner thought to remain committed, a later development should have given him pause. Eliot Spitzer, himself sullied and seeking the New York electorate's grace, wouldn't take the bait, during an appearance on MSNBC, to name a personal favorite among the mayoral combatants. But he did allow that yes, Weiner's situation was such that he should withdraw from the race.

Weiner is clearly not about to be chosen the Democratic candidate for mayor. Why, then, this dumb farce? Simply because the law affords the opportunity to act the part hardly justifies its prolongation. We don't know at this point if we're witnessing the closing chapter of a political career. But if there's to be another round of redemption down the road, it seems only logical and smart that Weiner and the act of deception that was his deadly misstep would be pulled ASAP from the glare of public scrutiny. So far, we've been given no reason to believe that the candidate may have a magic-bullet resolution to his terrible, self-made dilemma.



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Turn off Egypt's money

By Glenn Mollette

The United States and our President must come together today and stop all money flowing from our hardearned tax dollars to Egypt. Yes, I am talking about your money and your children's money and your grandparent's hard-earned tax dollars flowing into Egypt at the rate of 1.5 billion dollars each year. Since 1948, we have given over 71 billion dollars to Egypt. That is more money than we have given to any nation, except Israel.

Where does this money go? Approximately 1.2 billion goes to support an Egyptian military while the rest goes to sanitation and other humanitarian efforts.

In the United States we have been cutting back on our own military budget. Our government talks of cutting military medical benefits and military retirement benefits while many homeless veterans are sleeping in the streets of America. As our soldiers are expected to

defend us in other countries they are doing it with aging weapons and aging supplies all because of a tightening military budget.

More and more excuses are being found to downsize our soldiers from the military because of a tightening military budget.

Our President wants our military to be lean. Does this mean lean so that we can send billions to Egypt? "Lean"... so that we can send more billions to Iraq, Afghanistan and other nations that hate us? Why should we continue to reward a nation for fighting and being totally dysfunctional? If we had money to hand out then it should be as a reward for bringing about peace and helping other nations to be at peace.

At the forefront of this problem is our empty national checking account. We do not have the money to throw out to other nations so they will try to love us and be good girls and boys. They hate us all the more. In the meantime

our interstates are falling apart, our bridges are crumbling, our national parks are showing neglect, American people are hungry, jobless, homeless and our border security in the south continues to be weak. Thousands of our own military service people cannot afford to fly home to visit family. They cannot afford to buy cars and have to make do with small uniform allowances each year. Average America stands in line to fill out job applications at Walmart and McDonalds in hopes of landing an \$8-anhour job to work 30 hours a week. We shovel our hard earned taxpayer dollars overseas to Egypt while they kill hundreds, burn down Christian churches and shake their fists at America.

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J'a rastas eye reparations

By David McFadden

KINGSTON, Jamaica (AP) - Dozens of Rastafarians gathered in Jamaica on Wednesday to brainstorm ways of pressuring European countries to pay reparations for slavery and talk about other core beliefs of the homegrown faith.

Mostly dreadlocked and colorfully attired followers assembled in lecture halls amid a weeklong conference at the University of the West Indies campus in Jamaica, the tropical island where reggae icons like Bob Marley and Burning Spear brought Rastafari's message to the world in the 1970s.

Rastafarians have long called for slavery reparations, a key tenet of their faith along with repatriation to Africa. A melding of Old Testament teachings and Pan-Africanism, it emerged in colonial-era Jamaica in the 1930s out of anger over the oppression of blacks and evolved into a



Rastafarians drum and chant during a weeklong conference and general assembly at the University of the West Indies in Kingston, Jamaica, Tuesday, Aug. 13, 2013. AP Photo/David McFadden

spiritual movement.

Members have petitioned Queen Elizabeth II for compensation over the years. But the claims were rejected, and the monarchy said the British gov-

ernment could not be held accountable for wrongs in past centuries since slavery wasn't a crime when it was condoned.

About a decade ago, a coalition of Rastafarian

groups estimated European countries formerly involved in the slave trade, especially Britain, needed to pay 72.5 billion British pounds (\$110 billion) to resettle 500,000 Rastafarians in Africa.

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Here's how the newest breakthrough non-surgical back pain and sciatica treatment may end your pain and solve your herniated, bulging or degenerated disc pain problems...

You may be thinking "What IS going to happen to me if I can't find a solution to my back pain or leg pain?" The answer to your question starts out hopeful. I'll just go to my doctor and he will take care of me. He will know what to do. But then something very odd happens to you. You discover your primary care physician is not really well equipped to handle that job. He or she is very busy treating infections, diabetes, heart conditions and the like, which they are very well equipped to handle. This is very apparent with your resulting drug prescription for Soma muscle relaxers and Norco, Neurontin or any other of the various prescribed pain medications. You then take the drugs soon to feel strangely like you're not altogether "there" or you immediately are sick, feel nausea and vomit the drugs as fast as you swallowed them. When you get sick of that (pardon the pun! I couldn't resist), you go back to your doctor looking for another more appealing treatment. This time it's physical therapy. The thing you already can't do!! You already can't bend over, twist, lift things, and now they want you to do more of it with a bunch of other back pain sufferers! Gimme a break. Now, you've really had it. You try the chiropractor and either you feel better for a little while only to have the pain return, or worse nothing happens at all. Or even worse than that, after your treatment you have MORE pain (not because chiropractic does not work..your condition is just too deteriorated or severe). Then you try acupuncture because you read in a magazine it could help pain. You then realize sticking a bunch of needles in you will not magically remove the bulging disc that is smashing your nerve and causing you pain.

You try massage as you read on the internet massage may help alleviate back pain...only to be disappointed. You're now beginning to feel desperate. Back to your primary care doctor to tell him about your adventures hoping he will have a different answer this time. He does.



We can inject pain drugs through a big needle into your spine." You cringe in fear and reluctantly agree at this point. "NOW I will be fixed." Or at least that's what you've been led to believe. You have either no pain relief, some pain relief, a whole lot of pain relief or it makes you have more pain. The second pain shot (oh, yes there will be a second and a third) is usually less effective or not at all and requires another one. You come to the realization that pain shots will not fix the disc bulge or herniation still smashing your delicate nerves causing you pain. Finally, your doctor recommends you see a "Specialist" (Back Surgeon) and he can do risky surgery. If you've read the latest article in the Journal Of American Medical Association*, you will see surgery patients and non surgery patients turned out the same! Why even do the surgery? Risk of paralysis, death, infections, more pain. No thanks. So. Back to the question. What are YOU going to do if you are stuck between serious back pain or leg pain or surgery? Great News! A new extremely effective non surgical new back pain treatment is now available in Brooklyn. If you are suffering from back pain or leg pain,

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CARIBBEAN ROUNDUP

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tion of child sexual abuse.

The authorities said that a workshop held here earlier this week, was aimed at establishing a network of religious leaders for a better response to child abuse in St Lucia.

They said the religious leaders were granted the opportunity to discuss the prevalence and effects of child abuse on individuals and the general society. During the workshop, acting Permanent Secretary in the Ministry of Health, Cointha Thomas, highlighted the importance of the society playing a proactive role in protecting children from sexual abuse and the risk of HIV.

Suriname

Five people were killed and another critically injured, following a vehicular accident recently.

Police said four vehicles, including a passenger bus, were involved in the accident

and the driver of one of the cars had been driving too fast, losing control of the vehicle and causing the accident.



Police spokeswoman Drophatie Ramkhelawan told reporters the driver, whose name was not disclosed, crashed over the separation of the two lane road, flipped several times and was subsequently rammed by the bus and another vehicle, which were approaching from the opposite direction.

The driver and his three passengers. including two women, died on the spot. Another victim from the other car died while receiving emergency medical treatment at hospital.

Their names have not been released. One eyewitness told reporters that several people were thrown out of the vehicles on impact while others were pinned in the wreckage.

Trinidad

The former owner of Island Club Casino

in Grand Bazaar about six miles from Port of Spain has been charged in the United States with three counts of tax evasion and three counts of willfully



failing to file personal tax returns. David Migliore, 50, from New Jersey, USA, surren-

dered to special agents of the Internal Revenue Service's (IRS) Criminal Investigation yesterday, according to media reports.

Reports state according to the indictment, which was unsealed yesterday, from 2009 to 2011, Migliore earned significant income from Island Club Casino, resulting in taxes due totaling more than US\$1

Migliore is accused of taking a series of steps to hide his income and assets from the IRS, including having employees from the casino wire money to New Jersey. He appeared in the U.S. District Court in Newark and was released on US\$1 million bond secured by two properties and ordered to submit to electronic monitoring, according to media reports.

He did not enter a plea and is scheduled to return to court next week.

Migliore was represented by attorney Robert Weir.

Weir said Migliore owned Island Club casino in Trinidad for about 10 years until recently but spent most of his time in New Jersey and had not been to Trinidad in years. Each tax evasion count comes with a maximum potential penalty of five years in prison and a US\$250,000 fine.

Trinidad

Prime Minister Kamla Persad-Bissessar has announced that Finance Minister Larry Howai will present the 2013/2014 budget in Parliament on Sept. 9, 2013 in a media release from the Office of the Prime Min-

Usually the budget date is announced by the prime minister in Parliament. However, although the ceremonial opening of



Parliament was held on Aug. 2, no sittings have been scheduled since then.

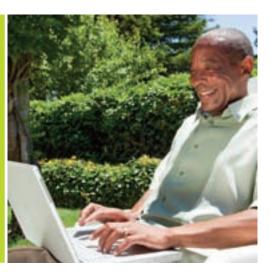
Howai, who will present the fiscal package, has been holding consultations with various stakeholders in preparation for the budget.

Last year's TT\$58.4 billion budget was presented on Oct. 1, put total projected revenue, oil and non-oil revenue at \$50.7 billion, respectively and catered for a fiscal deficit of TT\$7.669 billion or 4.6 percent of Gross Domestic Product (GDP).

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THE CARIBBEAN BUSINESS REPORT

A Caribbean milestone with a difference

By Lin-Jay Harry-Voglezon

During the evening of Aug. 22, 2013, the Brooklyn Borough Hall would be occupied with activities marking the 28th anniversarv of the Caribbean American Chamber of Commerce and Industry, Inc., which was founded by its President and CEO, Dr. Roy A. Hastick (snr.). The scheduled membership and business networking celebration will be hosted by Brooklyn Borough President Marty Markowitz, Deputy Borough President Sandra Chapman and NYC Councilmember Mathieu Eugene.

City Council Speaker and Mayoral Candidate, Christine Quinn, is scheduled to announce additional funding from the NY City Council for the rehabilitation of the Erasmus Hall Academy, a landmark listed in the National Register of Historic Places, which CACCI is converting into its headquarters and the Caribbean American Trade and Culture Center. This means that for the first time, the people of the Caribbean would be having a properly established center in the U.S. for Caribbean trade and business networking. Erasmus was founded in 1786 as a private institution of higher learn-



Caribbean American Trade & Cultural Center at Erasmus H.S.

Photo by Lin-Jay Harry-Voglezon

ing and named after Desiderius Erasmus, a Dutch Renaissance humanist, scholar, and Catholic Christian theologian. It was the first secondary school chartered by the New York State Regents and came under the public school system in 1896. But the building, which for some time had only been used as "a museum exhibiting the school's long and colorful history" has for more than 10 years been closed and unused.

CACCI and major partners will declare their partnership and joint ventures aimed at making the project successful, in addition to promoting small business services, creating jobs and skills development programs for the community.

Dr. Hastick acknowledges that CACCI would have failed without the support of the "board of directors, elected officials, CACCI members and partners,

other supporters and wellwishers" over the years. Specifically he identified, "The Mayor of the City of New York Michael Bloomberg; Chancellor Dennis Walcott; Brooklyn Borough President Marty Markowitz; the NYC Council Speaker Christine Quinn; Councilmember Mathieu Eugene and other members of the NYC Council Brooklyn delegation; Congresswoman Yvette D. Clarke: NYS Senators Hon. John Sampson,

Hon. Kevin Parker and Hon. Eric Adams; NYS Assembly members Hon. Nick Perry, Hon. Karim Camara, Hon. Helen Weinstein, and Hon. Annette Robinson."

CACCI's record includes facilitating more than 700 business development networking seminars and meetings, which attracted thousands of entrepreneurs, in collaboration with the NYC Department Business Services (DSBS) provides access to small business financing and other resources, job development, financial literacy, and MWBE Certification preparation. Over the recent nine years, CACCI is the managing agent for the Flatbush Caton Market, a 9,000 sq. ft. indoor micro enterprise business space with more than 40 vendors who market a variety of Caribbean and African products and services. A weekly Farmers Market is housed in the Court Yard.

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Over the years, the organization has been recognized and applauded for its record of service, and CACCI's president has received countless awards and citations for his unwavering commitment and service to small businesses, and for his efforts to address intractable economic disparity issues while promoting unity among diverse ethnic and cultural groups in New York and in the Caribbean Diaspora.

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Maintaining dental health during pregnancy

(StatePoint) Many moms-to-be receive advice from well-meaning friends and relatives. Yet there seem to be myths about taking care of teeth and gums -- if dental health is even mentioned at all.

While pregnancy comes with many responsibilities, oral hygiene should be a top priority to ensure both mother and child are set up for healthy habits that will last a lifetime.

WHAT TO EXPECT

Hormonal changes can lead to an increased risk of gum disease (gingivitis) throughout pregnancy. Some women may develop "pregnancy tumors," painless bumps on their gums, most often during their second trimester.

In addition to flossing once daily and brushing twice daily, work closely with your dentist throughout pregnancy to flag issues before they become problematic.

"Delaying necessary treatment for dental problems could result in significant risk to you and your baby," said Dr. Maria Lopez Howell, DDS, spokesperson for the American Dental Association (ADA). "It's worth your time to

HEALTH

visit the dentist even if you don't think you have dental problems."

According to national experts in women's health, public health and dental health, a new consensus statement based on scientific evidence reaffirms that preventive oral care, including the use of dental X-rays, pain medication and local anesthesia for dental procedures, is safe throughout pregnancy.

"Don't put dental care on the back burner, as the complications could far outweigh potential risks. Make it part of your health and wellness visits during pregnancy," Dr. Howell said.

Post-pregnancy, maintaining good dental health habits are critical for everyone in the family. Evidence suggests that most infants and young children "catch" the germs that cause cavities from their parents or caregivers. Refrain from sharing utensils or attempting to "clean" a pacifier by putting it in your own mouth, as these types of activities may transfer cavity-causing germs.

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Together with the ADA, the American College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists (ACOG), the National Maternal and Child Oral Health Resource Center at Georgetown University (OHRC) and the Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA), recommend following a few simple steps to help maintain a healthy mouth during pregnancy:

• Get dental health treatment, as recommended by your dentist, before delivery. Schedule an appointment with your dentist if your last dental visit was more than six months ago. The use of dental X-rays, pain medication and local anesthesia for dental procedures is safe throughout

• If you experience "morning sickness," rinse your mouth with a teaspoon of baking soda in a cup of water to prevent stomach acid from harming your teeth.

• Drink water throughout the day that contains the recommended amount of fluoride to help to keep you hydrated and prevent tooth decay.



• Avoid foods that are high in added sugar and drink water or milk instead of juice, fruit-flavored drinks or soda.

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Annual Vincy party was a blast

By Nelson A. King

Organizers of the Second Annual Vincy Unity Picnic at Heckscher State Park on Long Island, NY -- though marred by a brief scufle near the end of the event. "was sucfessful."

A few minutes before he incident, one national who attended the picnic for the very first time, told Caribbean Life that, apart from the "disruption", the "gathering of Vincy people is something we should be proud of," he said. "Vincy Day itself is a great idea," he added.

"This picnic, clearly, depicted unity," added the coordinator of St. Vincent and the Grenadines' participation in the prestigious Penn Relays in Philadelphia. "However, it is imperative that we encourage policies that ensure the conduct of our citizens is at stake."

Chairman of the Vincy Unity Picnic Committee of New York, Consul General Selmon Walters, vowed to



BIG VINCY HUDDLE: Vincentians of all ages and stripes got together for a fun day at a Long Island Park. Photo by Nelon A.Kng

clamp down on trouble makers at future unity picnics.

"It wouldn't happen again," said Walters, referring to the "disturbance." "Some guys, when they drink, can't control themselves. We have to tighten

security.

"We'll do something better next year," he added. "Those who don't follow the rules will be expelled."

Walters agreed that the incident marred an otherwise "very wonderful"

event, adding that it was a "resounding success."

He estimated the gathering to be in the region of 7,000, coming from throughout the United States, Canada and even home.



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Former political prisoner in bid for G'town mayor

By Tangerine Clarke

Mark Benschop, a onetime political prisoner who was pardoned by former president Bharrat Jagdeo after serving five years for treason, a charge that he bluntly denied, has announced his candidacy for Mayor of Georgetown via Face Book, as the leader of the "Independent Party."

The way was cleared for Benschop, a journalist, and online radio host of Benschop Listen Up - to throw his hat in the ring after the Government and the Opposition agreed on local government regulations reform that would allow the ancient city council to hold local elections.

Benschop in the past had called the city council ineffective, and blamed the decades old council for the lack of response to the city's crumbling infrastructure and garbage pileup

that have become a health hazard and evesore in the capital.

If Benschop does indeed succeed in his bid, and wins the Mayoral election, he would be replacing 78-yearold Hamilton Green, who was appointed to office since

However, the vociferous Benschop, a former staff member of New York Mayor, Rudy Giuliani who has led numerous protests rallies on the streets of Georgetown and has captured the attention of a huge fan-base on Face Book, may face an up-hill battle against the year old appointed Deputy Mayor, Patricia Chase Green, who herself had to fight the legal system that had deemed her first appointment to the office. illegal.

Benschop is pressing on with his campaign, mainly via 5000 followers on the social media, calling on Guyanese abroad to encourage their friends and family in Guvana, to support his candidacy, as he continue to battle the government of Guvana.

Under his leadership, Benschop, publisher of the Observer Newspaper promises to uphold the values of honesty, efficiency, reliability and integrity as the Independent Party head, adding that he has a proven track record of fighting for people.

A new beginning for Georgetown - "One City Striving for Excellence" is his motto.

In his most recent post on Face Book, Benschop expressed the view of the Independent Party by saying that the decision to reject the proposal of direct election of the Mayor amounts to a ploy to retain power among the major parties.

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CARICOM Secretary-General, Ambassador Irwin LaRocque enjoys the soothing atmosphere with Mrs. LaRocque at an Amerindian village during CARIFESTA XI in Suriname.

Photo courtesy of CARICOM Secretariat

Great show at Carifesta opening in Suriname

Three hundred and forty Surinamese youth and 10 Chinese Shaolin Monks stole the show at the opening ceremony of CARIFESTA XI in Paramaribo, Suriname on Friday night, Aug. 16.

As if to give living testimony to Surinamese President Desi Bouterse's assertion that culture "strengthens ties of people across borders", the rolling, flying and skipping monks and the intricate, athletic movements of the youths brought resounding cheers from the 10,000-strong crowd packed into and around Independence Square, Paramaribo. With the façade of the Presidential Palace providing the canvas for innovative lighting and images, the stage was illuminated by a dynamic, fast-paced presentation punctuated by three speeches delivered by President Bouterse, the Honourable Ashwin Adhin, Minister of Education and Community Development of Suriname and Ambassador Irwin LaRocque Secretary-General of the Caribbean Community (CARICOM).

In launching the 10-day festival, which is being staged under the theme "Culture for Development,", President Bouterse emphasised that without culture there could be no development in the long term. Culture, he said, united the Region and must be harnessed to deliver economic benefits.

nomic benefits.

It was a theme which had earlier been touched upon by Secretary-General LaRocque. "CARIFESTA is undergoing a transformation to position it as a space where Caribbean culture and the arts can be promoted to help to improve the economic viability of our Member States," he said.

Member States," he said.

The Secretary-General's statement revolved around three critical aspects of culture's role and by extension CARIFESTA'S. These were: "Prosperity as our Mission; Integration as our Visions and Culture as our Passion." He noted that CARIFESTA XI was one of the highlights of celebrations marking the 40th Anniversary of CARICOM and that the Festival was loved by all "because

culture is our passion."

Minister Adhin, in welcoming the more than 30 countries form CARICOM, the rest of the Caribbean, South and Central America and as far afield as Indonesia. India. South Korea and China participating in the festival, pointed out that creativity and cultural expression were driving forces for development. Economic, social and human development could not happen without a cultural engine, he stated.

The festival, which began in 1972 is being held for the second time in Suriname and will feature the visual, performing, literary and culinary arts among others as well as several symposia and workshops. A new feature is the Caribbean Market Place for the Arts which seeks to provide opportunities for young artists from the Region to meet with booking agents, promoters and cultural industry executives to generate business and further their development. CARIFESTA XI ends on Aug. 25.

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BOOK REVIEW

Going south to become Olympians

"Mystical Speed" by Hubert Guscott c.2013, Outskirts Press \$19.95 197 pages

By Terri Schlichenmeyer

Practice, they say, makes perfect.

The more you do something, the better you get at doing it. A thousand times at something could mean a thousand times better.

So how far would you go to become perfect? In the new book "Mystical Speed" by Hubert Guscott, five boys go south. Way south. It had been a dream for as long as they could remember: Leroy, Trini, Joe, Long-Pants, and White-Shoes wanted to become Olympians.

They wanted to learn to run as fast as possible, and to be champions. So when they found a chance to train with the best Jamaica had to offer, the five New York boys seized it and boarded a plane.

Right from the start, their journey was a near-disaster.

They immediately were approached by a con-man but were fortunately rescued by an Olympic champion who saw what was happening. Carolyn was her name, and she took the boys under her wing and introduced them to people who would help them. That was great, but there was a lot to learn the first lesson of which was that language could be a barrier. The second lesson was that "Jamaicans come in all races."

Another kind of race: that was exactly why the

If you long for a taste of the islands in a different way, then look for "Mystical Speed." For runners, or anyone who loves sports, this book may be perfect.

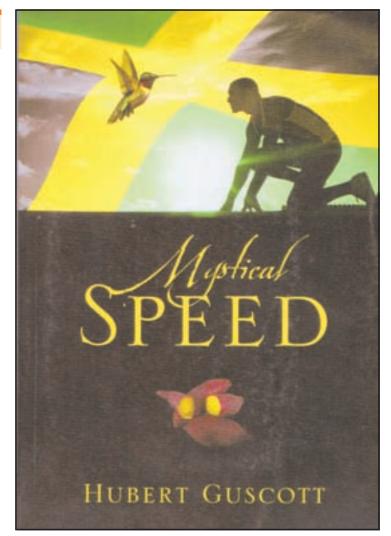
boys were in Jamaica. They quickly started to train and practice, competing at various schools and meets around the island, and meeting others who dreamed of being an Olympic runner.

But the boys had lots of surprises: strange and spiritual things happened in Jamaica, some comforting and some dangerous. Dreams gave them direction, and evil spirits were never far away. Could the boys outrun the bad to reach the good in their journey?

So you've watched the Olympics and you've wondered how those athletes could be so fleet-footed. "Mystical Speed" might give you an otherworldly clue.

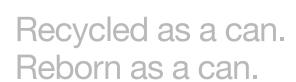
Author Hubert Guscott takes readers on a journey from New York to the hills and cities of Jamaica, on a spiritual trip with five boys who have their eyes set on gold. This is a quick-read that can be enjoyed by teens and young adults as well as grown-ups who remember what it's like to dream.

If you long for a taste of the islands in a different way, then look for "Mystical Speed." For runners, Olympic wanna-be's, or anyone who loves sports, this book may be perfect.



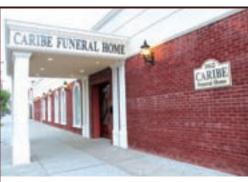






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GEORGETOWN, Guyana (AP) — Authorities in Guyana say smugglers have found yet another way to smuggle cocaine out of the country.

The Customs Anti-Narcotics Unit says a man was caught trying to ship 16 kilograms of the drug to the U.S. in hollowed out James Singh said Thursday it was the first time he has heard of someone trying this with okra, which is known as ochro in Guyana. Singh says on a one-to-ten scale he would give the smuggler a "four for innovation."

Smugglers in Guyana

have attempted to use many products, including skin lotion, frozen fish and hot pepper sauce.

In this case, there was swift justice. Hadrick Cummings was caught at the airport Monday and pleaded guilty Wednesday. The 25-year-old was sentenced to five years in prison.

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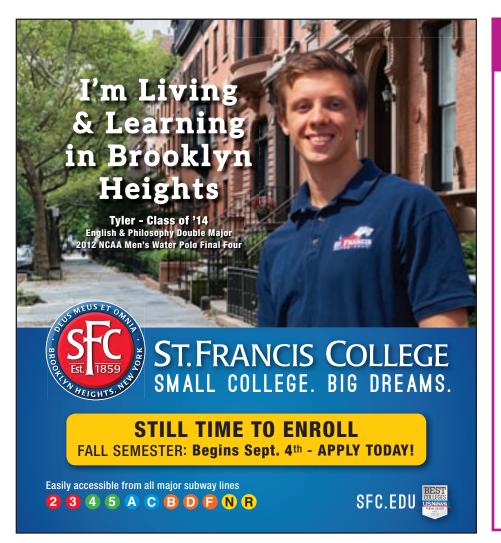
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A Youth Explosion will launch a week of special events leading up to The New York Call. It will take place Tuesday, August 20, through Friday, Aug. 23, at Perfecting Faith Church, 311 N. Main St., in Freeport. Activities will include a live concert featuring Judacamp, Richie Righteous, Jeannie Ortega and the Broken ChainZ Band; Empowerment Day on Thursday, Aug. 22 will provide information on financial management, career planning, job opportunities and home ownership; dance performances; and a live taping of "Real Talk", an issues-oriented, youth-produced talk show with special guests - Kierra Sheard and a performance by the Bahamas National Children's Choir.

The 10th anniversary of The New York Call is sponsored by Amtrak, Camdon Music, Cancer Treatment Centers of America, Castnet Radio, Farmingdale SUNY, Fidelis Care, Golden Krust Caribbean Bakery & Grill, Jesus I.N.C. Clothing, Live Nation, Long Island Hispanic Chamber of Commerce, Nassau County Dental Society, Noticia, Soul Purpose, Stony

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Reggae Splash Festival

Reggae Splash World Music International Festival will take place at Roy Wilkin's Park on Aug. 25, 2013

Promoter Susan Peart put her entrepreneurial prowess on display during her first annual press conference in Queens, New York on Wednesday, Aug. 14. She was assisted by Ms. Kitty of Link up Radio and comedian and entertainer Professor Nuts to present the Reggae Splash World Music International Festival to the media.

Music executives, members of Q96 FM radio station, Whatzup television, Wag Wun of One Giant media group, magazine publishers, bloggers, and many other reggae music supporters attended the event held at the Jamaican restaurant, The Door on Baisely Blvd., Queens.

During the news conference it was announced that artists Junior Reid, Mavado, Assassin, Elephant Man,



Mavado.

Photo by Ajamu Myrie

Spice, Pinchers, Afrocentrix, Rupee, and Blood will be performing for Reggae Splash World Music International Festival for the first time. Ms. Kitty and Professor Nuts will co-host

the festival.

At the news conference, Peart also announced a cooking competition, which will take place during the festival. The winner of the competition

will receive a cash prize of \$3,000. She disclosed that a large portion of the proceeds raised from the first annual RSWMI Festival will be donated to the Cancer Society.

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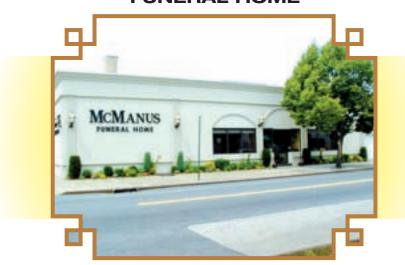
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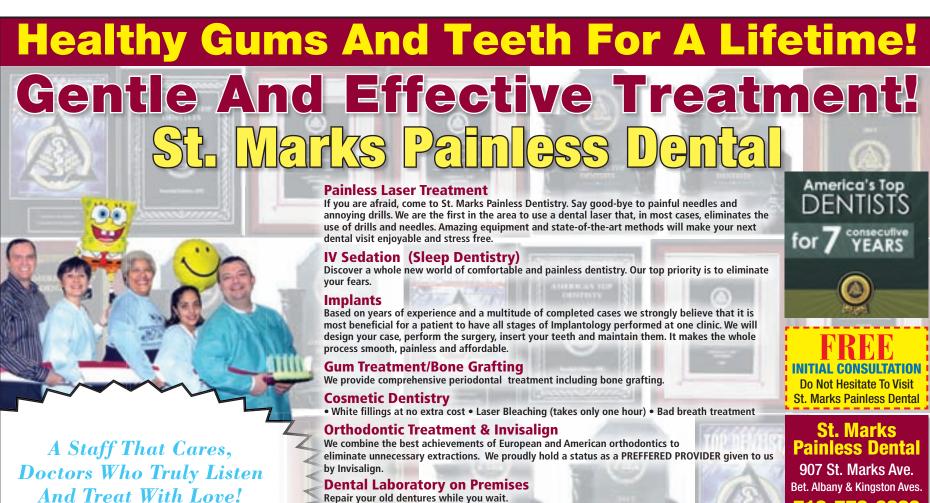
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Gary Byrd appeals for help with son's dilemma

Radio broadcaster Imhotep Gary Byrd recently issued an appeal for help to caring and considerate individuals who are willing to aid him in his quest to pursue alternative treatment for his son whose sight has been declining.

The host of programs aired on three NYC radio stations – WBLS, WLIB and WBAI – acclaimed for being a radio griot made a heartfelt request



to listeners to contribute to Khamit Byrd's health needs by donating to fund stem cell treatment that could reverse the debilitating macular condition.

Throughout 40 years since he started, Byrd host-

ed programs on WWRL-AM and for a period co-helmed a morning Caribbean show aired on WLIB.

Recently he made this appeal:

"Greetings! My name is Imhotep Gary Byrd. Some of you may have heard of me. I host the longest running Black radio program in New York City and in New York State: "The Global Black Experience," AKA "The GBE."

My broadcasts are aired on WLIB-AM, WBLS-FM, and WBAI-FM.

However, I am writing to you today on a personal matter involving my youngest son, Khamit Byrd. Khamit is the engi-

neer of my weekly Sunday night WLIB broadcast: "Imhotep Gary Byrd's GBE Mind Flight."

That is until recently, when he was forced to take a leave of absence from his duties with our show because of a condition called Diabetic Macular Edema (DME). DME affects the eyes and the eyesight of thousands of diabetics across the country.

You see, Khamit has been

a juvenile diabetic / insulin dependent since he was 12. Recently over the course of last year, Khamit was given a drug called Avastin, which ironically, was given to him and other diabetics around the country to "help" them in dealing with the destructive complication of diabetes. Khamit took the drug over a period of five months, given by eye injection, by his doctors at a highly regarded New York City Hospital and was alarmed to find that his eyesight was not improving but began to get worse. Khamit stopped using the drug after five injections (given monthly) and still noticed that there were continual problems developing with his eyesight. In doing further research on Avastin, I discovered that it was a breast cancer drug, which had never been approved for usage in Diabetic Macular Edema (DME). Upon further research, I found that Avastin had caused various levels of damage to the eye and in some cases caused blindness (as reported by the New York Times).

Khamit has had a range of serious problems related to his eyesight since taking the shots. As I mentioned before, he was forced to take a leave of absence because of the loss of "visual acuity."

Khamit's high standard of professional excellence has suffered. Watching him go through this experience has been agonizing. But to see him in the prayer and meditation, which we both do daily, and to see him still smile has given me an even higher level of faith. My own relationship with the Most High is stronger, and so is my con-

viction that "with God all things are possible." With his vision steadily deteriorating, and under the threat of frightening possibilities, we consulted with

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several well respected doctors. They suggested that Khamit's best opportunity for restoring his vision and perhaps preventing possible blindness is for him to receive Stem Cell Transplant Surgery. Stem Cell Transplants are being touted as the most promising possibility for diabetics in Khamit's position (see attachment).

This stem cell surgery, still not available yet in the United States, is available in Mexico at several well respected medical centers, including Integra Medical Center. The center has well-respected physicians who specialize in the transplant surgery needed. However, it is an expensive process and hence my appeal. We simply do not have the financial resources to provide Khamit with what may be the primary opportunity for him to restore his sight and to save his quality of life.

I am personally requesting that any of you who "care" about the emergency that our family is facing, to donate whatever you can to our campaign in order to give Khamit a chance at beating blindness."

A website has been set up with a medical fundraising organization for Khamit at: www.youcaring.com

Those of you who wish to send greetings or leave messages can do by calling 212-592-3279.

Catch You On The Inside!



SuperBlue returns to New York City

Award-winning Austin "SuperBlue" Lyons, a musical Caribbean hero, will perform in New York City for the first time in over a decade at the Caribbean Fever Irie Jamboree Music Festival on Aug. 31 at the Barclays Center in Brooklyn.

In an exclusive interview on Sunday, Aug. 18, with Dahved Levy on his WBLS 107.5 FM radio show, SuperBlue enthusiastically declared that, "Carnival Saturday night on Labor Day weekend, I will be inside the Barclays Center!'

The return of the world's first ever Soca Monarch was met with jubilation and international support by his fans at the 2013 Carnival season in Trinidad and Tobago. Despite an 11-year hiatus. SuperBlue resurrected to glory, to capture the hearts of fans young and mature. Proving that greatness abounds in him, Super-



Austin "SuperBlue"

Blue's triumphant return earned him his historic seventh Soca Monarch crown and an unbeaten ninth Road March title. This year, the 30+ years Soca stuntman overcame tremendous adversity and a highly publicized drug habit, to demonstrate human strength and the power of change.

SuperBlue's musical legacy spans time and continents. Continued on Page 40

Five nights of soca calypso concerts

Brooklyn's Caribbean Carnival, 2013, comes alive at EVERYBODY'S, the Caribbean-American magazine, annual Calypso-Soca Festival & Tent. The five-nights, calypso-soca concerts popularly called a "Tent," are Aug. 27-31 at the Tropical Paradise Ballroom, 1367 Utica Ave., Brooklyn, NY. More than 35 artists from Lord Funny to Calypso Rose and across the region are performing.

"We have a magnificent group of veteran and tal-Continued on Page 40



World Soca Monarch Yankey Boy. Photo by Roland Hyde



Saxophonist Jimmy Heath.

Photo by Amun

Charlie Parker Jazz Fest returns

By Amun

The Charlie Parker Jazz Festival 2013 kicks off on Friday, Aug. 23 at Marcus Garvey Park Amphitheatre at 7:00 p.m. The legendary tenor saxophone master, Jimmy Heath leads his big band in concert premièring a newly updated version of the 2004 commissioned work, "Bird Is the Word," Charlie Parker's historic composition.

Heath has long been recognized as a brilliant saxophonist, magnificent composer and arranger. He has performed with almost all of the greats of the last 50 years, including Charlie Parker himself, Howard McGhee, Dizzy Gillespie, Miles Davis, John Coltrane and Wynton Marsalis. He has written more than 125 compositions and was the recipient of the NEA Jazz Master Award in 2003.

On Saturday, Aug. 24 Kenny Garret leads the line up, again at Marcus Garvey Park Amphitheatre Show time is 3:00 p.m. Kenny Garrett has become the preeminent alto saxophonist of his generation. Included in the afternoon's program will be Cecile McLorin Salvant. She won the coveted Thelonious Monk International Jazz Competition in

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King of soca in the house

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His impressive list of accolades and accomplishments includes being the first calypsonian to win the Soca Monarch title, the first Soca artist to perform at Wembley Convention Centre in the UK and the first to appear on Sesame Street!

Credited with the creation of the "wave" phenomenon in Soca music, the deeply spiritual singer/ songwriter, took the reins from Ras Shorty I and forever changed Soca in 1980 with his timeless classic, "Soca Baptist," which won him the first ever Soca Monarch and Road March crowns. Superblue's musical prowess, lyrical executions and stage showmanship has inspired younger artistes including Iwer George, Kes the Band, Machel Montano, Bunji Garlin and his daughters, Terri Lyons and Fay-Ann Lyons-Alvarez.

Fans attending the Caribbean Fever Irie Jamboree Music Festival's "Carnival Mania" show can expect perennial SuperBlue classics; "Get Something And Wave," "Flag Party," "Bacchanal Time" and "Wine on Something," learn more about his famous women "Rebbeca" and "Ethel"; and get ready to bounce to his 2013 mega hit, "Fantastic Friday."



From left, Bunji Garlin, SuperBlue and Fay Ann Lyons-Alvarez.

"Carnival Mania" will be a family affair for SuperBlue; he will perform alongside his daughter Fay-Ann Lyons and her husband Bunji Garlin, for the first time ever in the United States.

Whether you call him SuperB-lue, Blueboy or the High Priest of

Soca, SuperBlue is the indomitable King of Soca.

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In the tent

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ented young calypso and soca artists. The orchestra, The Sunshine Band, is led by Don Diaz, son of the famed Cyril Diaz," explains Michelle Young, coordinator of the Festival & Tent. "Fans of every age and nationality will enjoy five tantalizing nights of strictly calypso and soca plus celebration of Trinidad & Tobago 51st independence birthday."

Ladies and VIP Nite is Tuesday, Aug. 27, 8:00 p.m. Two persons enter on one ticket. The VIP Reception begins at 6:30 p.m. Several female calypso and soca artists including Singing Diane, Sexy Suzy and Superstar Jermaine will challenge the male calypsonians such as Brown Boy and Poster. Emcees are Susan Kennedy and Fatman George.

Vincy and Nurses Nite is Wednesday, Aug. 28, 8:00 p.m. It is taste of Vincy calypso tent and carnival. Lively, Fabulous T, Cauldric Forbes, three-time Calypso Monarch D-Manage, Becket and Winston Soso are among Vincentian artists showcasing Vincy Calypso-Soca. As a tribute to nurs-



Superstar Jermaine hot from Grenada's Carnival 2013.

Photo by Roland Hyde

es especially Caribbean nurses, all nurses by showing their nurse ID will be admitted for only \$15.

Tickets for all events are available at www.everybodysmag.com, Caribbean outlets in Brooklyn, Queens and Bronx. See ad on page

Jazz festival

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2010. Ms Salvant focuses on theatrical portrayal of Jazz standard and composes music and lyrics, which she also sings in French, her native language as well as Spanish. On the bill is also Kim Thompson, who has played locally in many of New York's prestigious Jazz clubs and well as being a part of Beyonce's all female band. In 2010, Thompson released her debut album, "Like Clockwork," which features 33 songs written and produced by the drummer herself. Rounding out the program is alto saxophonist, Jaleel Shaw. In 2005, Shaw joined the world-renowned drummer. Rov Havnes' Quartet and recorded the Grammy nominated CD, "Whereas," with the group. Shaw received two ASCAP Young Jazz Composer Awards and in March 2013, Shaw released his newest album, "The Soundtrack of Things to Come."

released his newest album, "The Soundtrack of Things to Come." On Sunday, Aug. 25 the festival returns to its original home, Tomkins Square Park. Show

time is 3:00 p.m. The headliner

for this last day of the festival

is alto saxophonist, Lee Konitz, who has enjoyed one of the most creative and prolific careers in modern jazz. Konitz was awarded the NEA Jazz Master Award in 2009, voted Alto Saxophonist of the Year by Downbeat Magazine's Critics Poll in 2010, and will also be recognized with the Germany Jazz Price Award the year, 2013. Lee Konitz is 85 years old and still selling out concerts all around the world. Sheila Jordan, singer and songwriter joins the bill. Jordan's first great influence and mentor was Charlie Parker. Most of her influences have been instrumentalist rather than singers. In 2012, Sheila Jordan was honored with the NEA Jazz Masters Award. She has received several other honors, including the 2008 Mary Lou Williams Award for a Lifetime of Service to Jazz. Added to the list of extremely talented musicians, trumpeter, Christian Scott joins the fray. Scott launched his music career at a very young age and has positioned himself as one of the great innovators of his generation.



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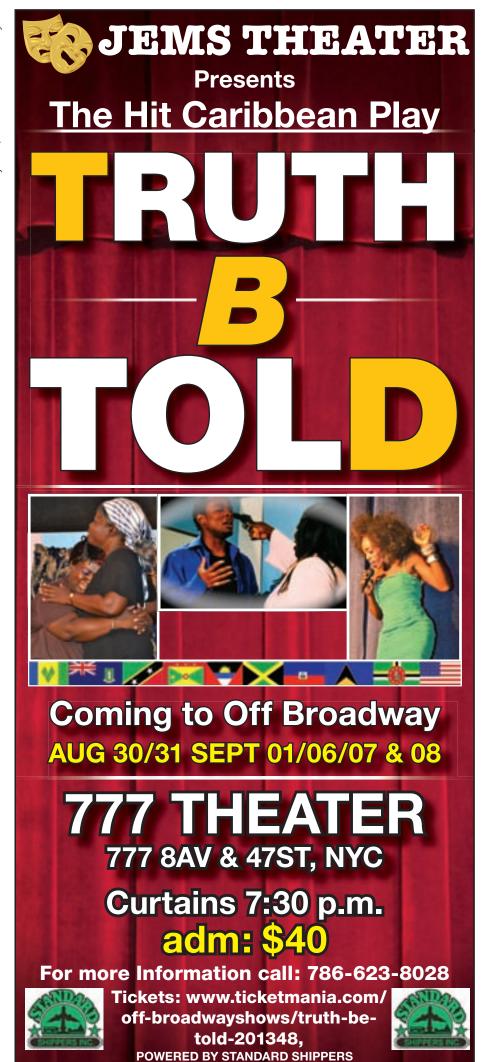


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Splatterflick ups the ante on original's gore

"Kick-Ass 2"
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Pictures

By Kam Williams

It's very rare indeed for a matinee idol to trash his or her own picture prior to its release, no matter how horrible the film is. Instead, they tend to just bite the bullet and participate in the press junket praising it to high heaven. For that reason, audiences should have considered themselves warned when Jim Carrey decided to distance himself from "Kick-Ass 2," going so far as to apologize to his fans for the splatterflick's

shocking "level of violence."

But upping the ante on gratuitous gore is just one of a host of this sorry vigilante sequel's fatal flaws. Another is that the rubberfaced comedian was not only crippled by a script with no funny lines for him but also required to keep his most valuable asset covered with a mask for most of the movie.

Replacement director Jeff Wadlow takes the hit here for miscasting Carrey in a dramatic role. What's wrong with playing to a thespian's strengths, especially when you have at your disposal one of the funniest comics to ever grace the silver screen?

If you remember "Kick-Ass 1, what really made the movie magical was Hit-Girl (Chole Moretz) and Big Daddy's (Nicolas Cage) bizarre but tender father-daughter relationship. Unfortunately, Big Daddy bit the dust in the original, and the title role of Kick-Ass (Aaron Taylor-Johnson) has been expanded this



Hit-Girl (Chloe Grace Moretz) takes to the streets in "Kick-Ass 2."

Photo courtesy of Universal Pictures

go-round, mostly at the expense of Hit-Girl's screen time.

In fact, as the film unfolds, we learn that Hit-Girl has hung up her mask and stretchy pants to focus on her freshman year at Millard Fillmore high school as alter ego Mindy McCready. Senior David Lizewski, however, still moonlights as Kick-Ass and soon joins Justice Forever, a ragtag team of self-proclaimed superheroes led by Colonel Stars and Stripes (Carrey). Their nemesis is The Mother [expletive] (Christopher Mintz-Plasse), the richest kid in all of New York. This spoiled orphan has inherited the bucks to assemble the most diabolical band of villains money can buy.

The ensuing epic battle between good and evil for the fate of the city eventually forces Hit-Girl out of retirement, and just in the nick of time to turn the tide. Too bad the picture's pathetic attempts at humor fall flat, its special f/x are cheesy, its characters never generate any chemistry, its preposterous plot fails to engage, and it features a morally-reprehensible "level of violence," most of it involving teenagers.

Oh, but the ending does set up the franchise's next installment, for folks who get their kicks vicariously, via the observation of explicit vivisection. A relentlesslygruesome bloodfest of no redeeming value that at least Jim Carrey had the decency to 'fess up about.

Independent & Foreign Films



Kam's Kapsules

By Kam Williams

Drinking Buddies (R for pervasive profanity) Joe Swanberg directs this romantic comedy, set in Chicago, about a couple of flirtatious co-workers (Olivia Wilde and Jake Johnson) already in committed relationships who come to question their commitments when they unexpectedly end up alone together for a whole weekend. With Ron Livingston, Ti West and Jake M. Johnson

The Frozen Ground (R for violence, sexuality, nudity, profanity and drug use) Fact-based crime thriller about an Alaska state trooper (Nicolas Cage) who tracks down a serial killer (John Cusack) with the help of a woman (Vanessa Hudgens) who barely escaped the blood-thirsty psychopath's clutches. Support cast includes 50 Cent, Radha Mitchell and Dean Norris.

The Grandmaster (PG-

13 for violence, profanity, smoking and brief drug use) Historical biopic chronicling the life and times of sensei Yip Man (Tony Leung), founder of the karate school attended by the legendary Bruce Lee. With Ziyi Zhang, Hye-kyo Song and Chen Chang.

Paradise: Faith (Unrated) Second installment in the Ulrich Seidl trilogy revolves around a Born Again, door-to-door Christian missionary (Maria Hofstatter) whose life is turned upside-down when her long-lost Muslim husband (Nabil Saleh) returns to Austria from Egypt after a long absence. Featuring Natalya Baranova, Rene Rupnik and Daniel Hoesl.

Savannah (PG-13 for brief sexuality) Jim Caviezel stars in this true tale, unfolding in the post-bellum South, about the son of a plantation owner who forfeited his inheritance in order to live close to nature down by the riverside. With Chiwetel Ejiofor, Bradley Whitford and Jaimie Alexander.

Scenic Route (R for profanity, violence and a scene of sexuality) Survival road saga about two buddies (Josh Duhamel and Dan Fogler) whose lifelong friendship is tested when their dilapidated pickup truck breaks down in the desert. With Miracle Laurie, Christie Burson and Peter Michael Goetz.

Short Term 12 (R for profanity and brief sexuality) Character-driven drama about a social worker (Brie Larson) who, with the help of her co-worker boyfriend (John Gallagher, Jr.), does her best to help

at-risk teens assigned to the foster care facility she supervises. Cast includes Kaitlyn Dever, Rami Malek and Keith Stanfield.

Therese (Unrated) Audrey Tautou plays the title character in this costume drama, set in the Roaring Twenties, about a miserably-married socialite's desperate attempt to escape her gilded cage. With Gilles Lellouche, Anais Demoustier and Catherine Arditi. (In French with subtitles)

The Trials of Muhammad Ali (Unrated) Conscientious objector documentary revisiting disgraced Heavyweight Champ Muhammad Ali's legal battle to overturn his five-year sentence for refusing to serve in Vietnam because "Ain't no Viet Cong ever call me [N-word]."





Dingolay mas band presents:

AVAGES

By Tangerine Clarke

Dingolay Mas Camp, located at 1323 Nostrand Avenue (between Lennox and Clarkson) is festooned with spectacular costumes - all in the color blue, to depict its theme: "Blue Savages."

This year, costume designer and co-bandleader Eddie Trotman says "Dingolay" will take its revelry to a new level when they parade in front of the judges and fans on Eastern Parkway, Monday, Sept 2.

Popularly known for its one-color motif that incorporates modern design into masquerade costumes, team Dingolay prides itself on having a good time when they parade, hence its name. Tobagonian, Eddie Trotman said he was inspired by Shadow's

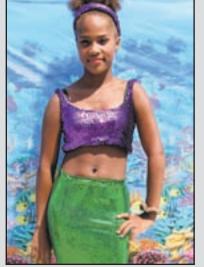


The design duo of Rachel Hall and Eddie Trotman with one of their designs from "Blue Savages."

Photo by Tangerine Clarke

hugely popular song with the same name.

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Touch Radio Kiddies Band goes 'Under De Sea'

By Nelson A. King

Formed just four months ago, Touch Radio Kiddies Band goes 'Under De Sea' for Labor Dav.

"The theme comes from continuous brainstorming amongst the producers, but its true origin comes from the Caribbean people's relationship to the sea," said

Trinidadian bandleader Dwayne Raye, co-producer with compatriot Nikki Cross, in a Caribbean Life interview.

"Without bodies of water that surround us, our life and celebrations of life carnival, playing mas, etc. - would be impossible," he added. "It is an ode to the

sea through our children."

Raye - who, over the years, participated in a number of bands in the West Indian American Day Carnival parade, including Hawks International, Savage, Borokeete and Chocolate City said "Under De Sea" comprises six female and two

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2013 MAS BANDS



ADULT MAS BANDS

Tropical Fete

Mas Band Leader: Alton Aimable Mas Band Address: 638 East 32ND Street Contact #: 646-504 3383 Band Portrayal: The Abyss-Under The Sea

Creative Concepts

Mas Band Leader: Marsha Escayg Co-Band Leader: Wayne Cox Mas Band Address: 5621 Preston Court Contact #: 917-893-2674/347-564-6991 Band Portrayal: What Lies Beneath

Evolution Mas

Mas Band Leader: Shakikki Craig Co- Band Leader: Kurn Dick Mas Band Address: 3 Raleigh Place Contact #: 347-362-1868/347-280-2356 Band Portrayal: Ah Journey Thru De Caribbean

Devine Mas Camp

Mas Band Leader: Phyllis Wyllie James Co- Band Leader: Daniel Wyllie Mas Band Address: 429 Rutland Road Contact #: 718-781-6617 Band Portrayal: From India With Love

Baian Paradise

Mas Band Leader: Paul Griffin Co –Band Leader: Kimberly Simmonds Mas Band Address: 1925 Flatbush Ave Contact #: 917-681-4346 / 347-606-9243 Band Portrayal: I AM SOCA

D'Midas International

Mas Band Leader: Glenn Turnbull Co-Band Leader: Horace Johnson Mas Band Address: 1619 Nostrand Ave Contact #: 718-809-1017 Band Portrayal: East Meet West Indian Fusion

Antoine International

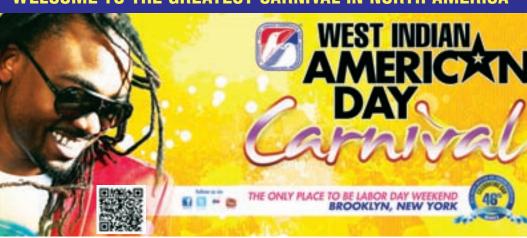
Mas Band Leader: Kenneth Antoine Co-Band Leader: Michelle Russell Mas Band Address: 1619 Nostrand Ave Contact #: 347-303 7857 Band Portrayal: Past To The Present A Cultural

Rhythm Catchers International

Mas Band Leader: Anton Revnolds Co- Band Leader: Brian Douglas Mas Band Address: 3202 Church Ave Contact #: 347-647-1249/ 347-893-3808 Band Portrayal: Vegas Paradise

Detailz Mas Productions

Mas Band Leader: Michael DuBois Co-Band Leader: Kathleen DuBois Mas Band Address: 3202 Church Ave Contact #: 347-969-2110 Band Portraval:



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CARNIVAL COUNTDOWN

'Savages of a Dark Age'

By Tequila Minsky

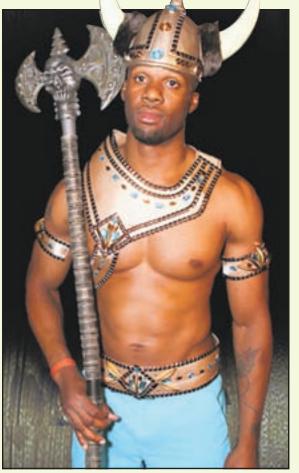
Horns grow from the bejeweled men's helmets. Brown and aqua feathers-matching the women's carnival/jungle-adapted attire—sprout from their headpieces. Of three women's costume styles, the headpieces become more and more elaborate. These are the Vikings and warrior princesses of the Backyard Mas Band.

Bunji Garlin's Soca song "Savage" from this year's Trinidad Carnival, with Viking references, inspired the Backyard Mas theme. The costumed characters portray "Savages of a Dark Age."

In this, the second year for this Queens-based mas camp, the band is diverse but predominantly composed of Trinidadians and Guyanese of Indian descent, similar to the background of Band leaders Shiva and Karma Siewharack. "We're based in Queens-Richmond Hill (central, southern) -where many of those of (East) Indian ancestry live," Shiva informed. With pride, Shiva boasts of the reference that this is the first Mas Band in Queens.

Previously, participants had been in a section in other camps. "We decided to form our own," he said, expecting 150—the small band category—revelers this year. In years' past, Band participants have also played Carnivals in Florida, Miami, Orlando, and Tampa.

At the age of 14, Shiva came to New York from Trinidad. "I grew up playing mas as a kid, was around the mas camps at the parade," he said. "I was always a fan of arts and crafts and that's what these costumes are."



Horns grow from the bejeweled Viking helmet for this reveler ready for Carnival. Photo by Tequila Minsky

Touch Radio

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male sections.

The female sections are: Mother of the Sea, Mermaid, Angel Fish, Jelly Fish, Sea Weed and Scuba Divers. Jelly Fish and Scuba Diver are the only male sections.

With about 100 masqueraders from throughout the Caribbean, Raye expressed confidence about placing high in the Children's Carnival.

"We are confident that we can place high in the eyes of all with vision," he said. "Our goals are to compete in every level with our ground-breaking ideas.

"We compete because of our background and (for) the sake of keeping up with the traditions of the various countries we represent," he added.

He said masqueraders will sway to DJs Aces Unlimited and Dee Lady Fire.

"Masqueraders can look forward to being reminded of their initial inspiration for taking part in a band," Raye said. "The camaraderie, the culture, the history



Ada Cooper portraying & Angel Fish. Photo by Nelson A. King

will all be on display when we take the stage."

The mas camp is located at 4112 Foster Ave., between Albany Avenue and 42nd Street in Brooklyn.

Raye can be reached at (917) 478-3821; or at touchradio93@ gmail.com and touchms2k13@ gmail.com.

Blue savage

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band leader and designer Rachel Hall and Eddie Trotman are revved up to lead 400 masqueraders to vie in the medium-band competition showcasing seven costume sections.

"This year we are definitely aiming to bring home a trophy," said Trotman. He added, "showcasing a band is not only about making money, but to also enjoy the vibes and inspiration that goes into the preparation to grow the band. This will encourage revelers to join us."

The camp that says it provide a quality understanding of the Caribbean culture, and the history of where 'we as Caribbean began," will include the Brooklyn Moko Jumbie Stilt Dancers, that will perform in a choreographed presentation along the Parkway.

Now in its third year of competition, and 10 years in the carnival arena with Miami Carnival under its belt, "Dingolay" has a cult following and has already seen the frontline "Electra Blue" sold out, with the midline, and backline of "Blue Tazmanian," "Hutukara Blue," "Blue Valkyries," "Blue Aztec Warriors," "Atlantis Savage" and "Ah Wicked Jab," also selling quickly.

The outfits are embellished with streamers, feathers, sequins and beads, while the featured headpieces tower above the head to capture the attention of the judges.

"Dingolay" will be accompanied by New Wave Rhythm International sound system.

The Mas Camp opens daily from 11:00 a.m. For more information, contact Eddie Trotman at (347) 228-8952 and Rachel Hall at (347) 423-7918. Email: Newwavessound1@gmail.com Costumes could also be viewed at www.dingolaymasnyc.com.

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T&T Boys

Mas Band Leader: Derick Beckles Co- Band Leader: Michael Reid Mas Band Address: 3411 Church Ave Contact #: 917-731-5775 Band Portrayal: The Future is Now

Borokette U.S.A

Mas Band Leader: Anthony Pollydore Mas Band Address: 368 East 98TH Street Contact #: 347-830-3211 Band Portrayal: Cacabration

Phoenix International

Mas Band Leader: Hayden John Co- Band Leader: Gussy Mas Band Address: 832 St. John Place Contact #: 347-210-6973/ 347-600-8030 Band Portrayal: SavageParadise

Shortknee-500 Strong

Mas Band Leader: Val Adams Co- Band Leader: Denise Romney Adams Mas Band Address: 932 East 45th Street Contact #: 347-262-2893 Band Portrayal: Plantation Portrayal

Messiah International

Mas Band Leader: Chevon Messiah Co- Band Leader: Luceriua Messiah Mas Band Address: 266 East 39th Street Contact #: 718-676-6336/917-202-6426 Band Portrayal: Yaa Ashanti WA (African Mas)

Dingolay Mas

Mas Band Leader: Rachel Hall Co- Band Leader: Eddie Trotman Mas Band Address: 1323 Nostrand Ave Contact #: 347-228-8952/347-423-7918 Band Portrayal: Blue Savages

Polomixx Prezidan

Mas Band Leader: Paul Cadet Co- Band Leader: Danielle Pierre Mas Band Address: 222-11 Linden Blvd Contact #: 914-258-1223/ 347-566-0718 Band Portrayal:

Kaios International Mas Band

Mas Band Leader: Mark McClean Co- Band Leader: Heather Greenidge Mas Band Address: 950 Rutland Road Contact #: 917-327-0458 Band Portrayal: Savage Paradise

Pharm Boyzz

Mas Band Leader: Michael Yearwood Co- Band Leader: Catherine Prentice Mas Band Address: 327 East 28TH Street Contact #: 718-877-6214 Band Portrayal: The Journey

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Mas Band Leader: Susan Leung -Yuen Co- Band Leader: Allyson Lewis Mas Band Address: 327 Marion Ave Contact #: 718-994-3423 Band Portrayal: Ah Journey Down Memory

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After completing an internal administrative restructuring (to include Board of Directors and Advisory Board), WIADCA's new President, Thomas Bailey and his team have been working diligently throughout the year to preserve the WIADCA brand, build and strengthen community &/sponsor relations and improve overall presentation and planning to ensure five days of safe,

secure, fun and festive activities for all.

The new WIADCA team appreciates the continued support of its corporate sponsors, elected leadership, the NYPD, Mas' and Steel bands and loyal fans, without them Brooklyn's Carnival Parade would not be the tourist attraction it is today.

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Brooklyn Museum grounds

PROGRAM

For 2013, WIADCA (www.wiadcacarnival.org) has an impressive line-up of events slated to take place from Thursday, August 29th – Sunday, September 1st on the grounds of Brooklyn Museum (located at 200 Eastern Parkway, Brooklyn, NY).

The celebrations then culminate with the largest Caribbean Carnival Parade in the U.S. on Labor Day Monday, Sept. 2 - when over 40 costumed bands, scores of colorful floats, millions of jubilant spectators and supporters from around the world converge on Eastern Parkway that is fully lined with hundreds of food stalls selling mouth watering cuisine from around the world to satisfy every taste (from Schenectady Ave to Grand Army Plaza) from 11:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. We invite you to come on down, enjoy, dance or take a "wine".

Thursday, Aug. 29 8:00 p.m. - 1:00 a.m. Caribbean Woodstock

This WORLD MUSIC FESTIVAL boasts Caribbean entertainers in a wonderful mix of costume, competition, Steelpan, and musicians performing ZOUK, LATIN, HIP HOP, KOMPA, SOCA and REGGAE!

Friday, Aug. 30 10:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m.

Stay in School Youth Fest -FREE!

WIADCA presents this performance opportunity to encourage youth to pursue education and develop their talents.

8:00 p.m.- 3:00 a.m. Brass Fest

Featuring multi-award-winning Soca artist, Machel Montano HD along with Farmer Nappy and Patrice Roberts. Also performing is Lyrikal, Brooklyn's Willie Villegas Salsa Band, St. Lucia's Teddyson John, & TJ Project, Pumpa and Boodoo Singh Tassa Drummers. Hosted by MC Wassy and Giselle "D" Wassi One.

Saturday, Aug 31 8:00 a.m.- 3:00 p.m. - Junior Carnival Parade & Competition

Thousands of children and families enjoy music and "jump-up" while competing in their own costume parade. Route begins at corner of Kingston Avenue & St. John's Place continues to Franklin Avenue & President Street ending at the Brooklyn Museum grounds. \$2 Admission at Museum gate.

8:00 p.m.- 3:00 a.m. Panorama Steelband Competition

A night of PAN, PAN, PANORAMA! This year for pan lovers, WIADCA presents a special appearance by New York University's NYU Steel Orchestra and competing will be Pan Sonatas, CASYM, Crossfire, Pantonics, Adlib, Metro, Pan Fantasy, D' Radoes, Despers and Eastside Symphony Orchestra.

Sunday, Sept. 1 7:00 p.m.- 1:00 a.m. Dimanche Gras

An encore presentation featuring Panorama and King & Queen costume winners, and live performances by King David Rudder, the legendary Calypso Rose, Swallow, Lima Calbio, and more! Highlights include three of the world's top Steelpan virtuosos appearing for the first time in the US in an on-stage showdown - Robert Greenidge, Andy Narrell and Liam Teague will duel for the "BEST OF THE EAST" title.

Monday, Sept. 2 Eastern Parkway, Brooklyn, NY 11:00 a.m.-6:00 p.m. - West Indian Carnival Day Parade 2013 – Caribbean Pride & Culture

This multi-cultural, Caribbean Carnival extravaganza led by Brooklyn Borough President Marty Markowitz and other Grand Marshals, is the ultimate expression of Caribbean Pride and Culture. Known as NYC's "Greatest Show on Earth". Tickets available online at www. wiadcacarnival.org; WIADCA office 718-467-1797 or at Museum gate.





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ARTHUR ASHE KIDS DAY: The 18th annual event will take place at the USTA Billie Jean King National Tennis Center in Flushing, N.Y., from 9:30 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. The full-day tennis and music festival for both children and adults features interactive games, musical entertainment and tennis activities. Events include obstacle courses, concerts, tennis lessons, a Healthy Living Challenge sponsored by Coca-Cola, among others. Tickets are on sale now through Ticketmaster (1-866-OPEN-TIX), www.usopen.org and at the USTA Billie Jean King National Tennis Center box office.

MONDAY, AUGUST 26

CENSUS FORUM: US Census: How to Get the Best Local Data About Your Community is a free workshop for churches, houses of worship, businesses, faith-based and community organizations on how to analyze and interpret data collected from Census 2010, how to understand the impact of data on nonprofit services, learn how to access, understand, and apply

data to their work and to identify the changing demographics in Central Brooklyn and beyond. 10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. Kings County Hospital Center, "T" Building, 2nd Floor Auditorium, 451 Clarkson Ave., Brooklyn, NY 11203.

FRIDAY, AUGUST 30

CHILDREN'S MUSEUM: Join us for our annual Back to School Jam taking place right before school starts from 11:00 a.m- 2:00 p.m. Youngsters of all ages are invited to a party in their honor – especially those going to school for the first time! Come celebrate this important milestone with an exciting, handson experience complete with crafts, snacks, music, games and more!

SCREENING: Garifuna Health and Education Support Institute (GaHESI), the Commission on Voluntary Services & Action (CVSA) and filmmakers Beth Geglia and Jesse Freeston, invite you to the free screening of the Documentary Revolutionary Medicine - a Story of the First Garífuna Hospital at 6:00 p.m., Auditorium, Lincoln Hospital 234 E 149th St. Bronx, NY10451

SCREENING: Film Showing -- GO PUBLIC: A Day in the Life of an American School District. A select screening of shorts that each profile one day in the life of a person at a public school. The stories of students, teachers, parents, and workers show the human side of a system under attack. Activist led discussion after the film. Films shown at Freedom Hall, 113 W. 128th Street (between Malcolm X/Lenox and 7th Ave, Subways #2 or 3 to 125th St.) Door donation \$5. Snacks available at 7:00 p.m. For information, call (212) 222-0633 or email fsp@nyct.net.

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SATURDAY, AUGUST 24 - THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 5

EXHIBITION: Haitians from the Diaspora: Creativity & Focus will present the works of four photographers living in the U.S. who are capturing images of their fellow Diaspora. Opening Reception: Saturday, Aug. 24, 2013 from 5:00-7:00 p.m, closing reception: Thursday, Sept. 5, 2013 from 6:00-8:00 p.m. and viewing Hours: Thursday - Sunday from 1:00 p.m.-6:00 p.m. or by appointment. Five Myles Gallery, 558 St. Johns Place, Brooklyn, NY 11238.

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Greenz United Mas

Mas Band Leader: Dave Louison Co- Band Leader: Kim Chinlee Mas Band Address: 5902 Ditmas Ave Contact #: 718-781-1366 Email: punisher11@yahoo.com Band Portraval: Ravish

Pieces of a Dream

Mas Band Leader: Noelyn Joesph Co- Band Leader: Tynsley Charles Mas Band Address: 635 East 52nd Street Contact #: 718-664-8051 Band Portrayal: Kaleidoscope

Backyard Mas Inc

Mas Band Leader: Karma Sieharack Co-Band Leader: Shiva Sieharack Mas Band Address: 132-06 Liberty Ave Contact #: 718-772-6328/718-772-6329 Band Portrayal: Savages of A Dark Age

Ayitidous (Sweet Haiti)

Mas Band Leader: Emmanualla Arnaud- Carr Co- Band Leader: Tanaya J. Baptiste Mas Band Address: 2823 Courtelyou Road Contact #: 646-934-0113 Band Portrayal: 1806 Haitian Flag

Ramajay Mas

Mas Band Leader: Reishelle Maynard-Richards Co- Band Leader: Reisha Maynard -Holder Mas Band Address: 1012 East 92ND Street Contact #: 347-744-7952/516-286-1169 Band Portrayal: Reflections of Carnival

Da Set/ Circuit United

Mas Band Leader: Arlene "Mrs. Trini' Cumberbatch Co- Band Leader: Michael "Kapo Da Don" Taylor Mas Band Address: 205 East 96th Street 2nd fl Contact #: 917-568-3636 Band Portrayal: Kaleidoscope of Kolorz

Elegance Maas

Mas Band Leader: Maxine Nurse Mas Band Address: 1850 Flatbush Ave Contact #: (917) 995-5579 Band Portrayal: Sailing into a carnival fairytale

Freaks NY

Mas Band Leader: Rodney Snell Co- Band Leader: Ray Mas Band Address: 549 Nostrand Ave Contact #: (917) 586-5332/ 347-260-6959 Band Portraval: Aguaria

OLE MAS BAND

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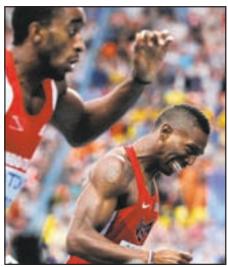
Jones returns to b-ball

By Robert Elkin

ElmCor, a youth and adult center located in Queens, is known to develop beginner basketball players under some well-known coaches, and to host various hoop leagues and classics, including its own ElmCor Summer Outdoor circuit at the PS 127 playground with evening and rained-out games shifting indoors to its Center.

The directors of the Corona based center also bring back the stars of the past, including college all-Americans, high school all-Americans and professional players to its tremendous facility.

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Trinidad and Tobago's Jehue Gordon, left, and United States' Michael Tinsley compete in the men's 400-meter hurdles final at the World Athletics Championships

AP Photo/Alexander Zemlianichenko

Gordon takes gold for T&T

By Azad Ali

Trinidad and Tobago's Jehue Gordon won this country's first gold medal in the world 400-meter hurdles at the 14th IAAF World Championships in Moscow, Russia when he

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Jamaica's Usain Bolt celebrates winning gold in the men's 200-meter final at the World Athletics Championships in the Luzhniki stadium in Moscow, Russia, Saturday, Aug. 17, 2013.

AP Photo/Martin Meissner

Rides to rescue as track's golden savior

By Pat Graham

MOSCOW (AP) — Yes, Usain Bolt dazzled again.

He usually does on the biggest of stages, taking all suspense out of races early and leaving everyone else to compete for medals other than gold.

Unlike Bolt's races, however, these world championships packed plenty of drama. Some of it wasn't so much for race finishes as the finish on the fingernails of two Swedish athletes. To show support for Russian gays and lesbians in the face of an anti-gay law, they went with rainbow nail

polish during competition.

That prompted a complaint from Russian pole vault great Yelena Isinbayeva, who said she supported Russia's law and that Russians have "normal" heterosexual relations.

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Jamaica's Shelly-Ann Fraser-Pryce reacts after winning the women's 4x100-meter relay final at the World Athletics Championships in the Luzhniki stadium in Moscow, Russia, Sunday, Aug. 18, 2013. AP Photo/Ania Niedringhaus

Rainbow of nail-polish at the games

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Isinbayeva later backed off her remarks, saying she may have been misunderstood because she was speaking in English instead of her native language.

On the track, Bolt was the show once more. When is that not the case? He picked up three more titles and is now the most decorated male athlete in world championship history with eight golds and two silvers, moving past Carl Lewis (eight golds, one silver, one bronze).

Fellow Jamaican Shelly-Ann Fraser-Pryce also earned three gold medals as the proud sprinting country swept the men's and women's 100, 200 and 4x100 relays.

Here are five things we learned after nine days of competition at the world championships:

1. BOLT SAVES THE DAY: With all of the doping scandals of late, track needed someone to rescue the sport.

Enter Bolt, even wearing his country's flag as a cape, just like Superman.

Not only did he breeze to wins, he did so in memorable fashion. He won the 100 in a downpour, complete with lightning before and after the race.

For a moment, he helped blow away the dark clouds — Tyson Gay, Asafa Powell, Sherone Simpson and Veronica Campbell-Brown all tested positive for a banned substance and didn't attend the worlds.

"I'm just doing my part by running fast, winning titles and letting the world know you can do it clean," Bolt said.

2. MR. & MRS. EATON: The Eatons skipped a honeymoon to win medals.

First, Olympic champion Ashton Eaton took the decathlon crown. Not to be outdone, his wife, Brianne Theisen Eaton of Canada, captured silver in the heptathlon.

The couple went to the University of Oregon and married July 13. Now, it may be time to relax.

"Go lay on the beach," Theisen Eaton said. "But if we did that, I'd just shut my eyes and in 10 minutes he would go, 'How much longer are we going to lay here? Let's go play volleyball or something.' He can't sit around too long."

3. RAINBOW BRIGHT: Isinbayeva has set 28 world records and won three world titles, including one in front of a boisterous home crowd last week. Only now she may be remembered more for what she voiced in a news conference that what she's vaulted. The two-time Olvmpic champion who will serve as "mayor" of one of the Sochi Games villages spoke out in favor of her country's anti-gay stance.

"If we allow to promote

and do all this stuff on the street, we are very afraid about our nation because we consider ourselves like normal, standard people," Isinbayeva said in English. "We just live with boys with woman, woman with boys.

"We never had any problems, these problems in Russia, and we don't want to have any in the future."

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ElmCor circuit

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Such was the case when after its regular summer league season was completed, Glenn McMillian, who puts on showcases, games and leagues at the Brownsville Recreation Center in Brooklyn. teamed with Greg Coles, summer basketball league director at ElmCor to put together a Philadelphia-New York Classic for men 40 and 50 in two games.

One of the notable stars brought back was former all-city and outstanding player in the nation to play in the 40 contest, Charles Jones, who starred at Bishop Ford High School, Rutgers University and finished his career with Long Island University. But he never made it big time in the National Basketball Association.

In the recent classic competition designed to keep the players in shape for a possible future career on the court, everyone had almost equal playing time on the court.

Jones was not as flashy offensively like he used to be while starring in both high school and college. He said that it was fun and a good experience playing in such a New York-Philadelphia contest. "It's like going to a family reunion," he said after the game.

"My greatest moment at Ford was playing in a classic in San Diego," the 40-year-

old Jones said. "They had some of the top teams and players in the country and eight All-Americans. We made it to the semi-finals. And we played in the Stop DWI tournament in Binghamton."

His greatest moment at Long Island University was taking his team to the NCAA tournament.

"Our conference championship was 'cool,' (all right) and scoring 30 points ware (also) all right," he said. But playing in an NCAA tournament as a junior was great."

He led the nation for NCAA Division I colleges in scoring for two years in a row as a junior and then again as a senior, and finished among the top 10 in assists and steals.

He competed in many basketball games with different teams overseas and travelled extensively.

As for continuing his basketball career, Jones is coaching AAU ball with Nike New York Lightning and is hoping that some college would give him a chance to become a head coach. Of course, he would like to coach a team in the National Basketball Association.

Besides coaching teams, Jones is also training and coaching kids in the tri-state area and in the South. Jones kept in hoopshape during the summer by competing in the Rucker League.

IAAF Champions

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beat American Michael Tinsley by a hundredth of a second in a thrilling finish on Thursday.

It is was T&T's first gold medal in 16 years since Ato Boldon won the 200 meters crown in 1997 in Track and Field. Gordon's storming second 200 meters enabled him to mow down the faststarting Tinsley right on the line, forcing the American to settle for silver again after his second place at last year's Olympics.

Gordon, the world junior champion in 2010, clocked a season-leading 47.69 with Tinsley (47.70) followed home by Siberia's Emir Bekric, who set a national record in 48.05. On July 19, Gordon won on the Diamond League circuit for the very first time, topping the Monaco men's 400-meter hurdles field in 48 seconds flat - the second fastest time in his career. And on Tuesday he

clocked his third fastest, 48.10, to top his semi-final heat at the venue.



Trinidad and Tobago's Jehue Gordon crosses the line to win the gold in the men's 400-meter hurdles final at the World Athletics Championships in the Luzhniki stadium in Moscow, Russia, Thursday, Aug. 15, 2013.

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Aug. 14 at MCU Park

The Cyclones used a three-run eighth inning to stun the Renegades last Thursday.

Gavin Cecchini recorded the only hit for the Cyclones in the opening inning, but the Clones didn't record another hit until late in the game. Meanwhile, Hudson Valley scored on a sacrifice fly that seemed to be the winning margin until the eighth.

In the eighth, Patrick "To Infinity and" Biondi led off with a single and Ismael Tijerina reached first on a fielding error that also moved Biondi to second. Cecchini hit a deep sacrifice fly on two strikes to tie the game.

Alex Sanchez walked before James "Papa" Roche hit a single, loading the bases. A wild pitch allowed Tijerina to score the go-ahead run, and Matt "Bright Eyes" Oberste hit another RBI single to score Sanchez.

Hudson Valley 6 Cyclones 4

Aug. 15 at Hudson Valley

Hudson Valley used a fourrun seventh inning to break open a tied game and the Cyclones came up just short in the loss that dropped the Clones back to .500.

With the game tied in the seventh, Reneagdes' Oscar Hernandez and Granden Goetzman singled and Tyler Young walked to load the bases, paving the way for John Alexander's basesclearing triple. Alexander later scored on a passed ball.

The Cyclones put a dent in the lead in the top of the eighth when Gavin Cecchini hit an infield single and James "Papa" Roche hit his third home run of the year.

The comeback attempt fell short in the ninth, however, when Cyclones' batters went down in order.

Cyclones 6 Vermont 4

Aug. 16 at MCU Park

James "Papa" Roche hit his second home run in as many nights and Johnny Magliozzi



YERRRR OUT!: Clones catcher Eddie Rohan tags out the Yankees' Kale Sumner at home to preserve the win during Monday's first of two games against Staten Island. Photo by Steve Solomonson

pulled the Cyclones out of a late jam to pick up the save over Vermont.

The Clones fell behind early, but Roche quickly tied the game in the second with a dinger over the left field wall.

Brooklyn piled on three more in the third when Anthony Chavez singled and Vermont walked the next three batters to send Chavez home. Jared King and Roche hit consecutive RBI singles to drive in Patrick "To Infinity and" Biondi and Gavin Cecchini for the big cushion.

Vermont cut into the lead and put the Cyclones in a jam in the eighth by getting two runners on base with no outs. But Magliozzi entered and retired all six batters he saw for the save.

Vermont 1 Cyclones 0

Aug. 17 at MCU Park

An RBI single by Vermont's Jaycob Brugman was enough to beat the Cyclones, whose bats were kept silent by Vermont pitching.

Both starting pitchers went deep into the game, keeping most batters off the bases. Clones' starter Miller Diaz pitched six innings, striking out seven batters. The lone run came in the sixth, when Ryan Huck doubled to deep center, made it to third on a flyout, and then Brugman proceeded to hit the RBI single to right field.

The Cyclones got one hit in each of the first five innings, but only one runner could advance past first base.

Gavin Cecchini was perfect from the plate, hitting four singles in as many atbats in the loss. But Cecchini only made it past first base once and the Clones never threatened to score.

Cyclones 6 Vermont 4

Aug. 18 at MCU Park

The Cyclones used six hits to score three runs in a wild eighth inning to come back to beat Vermont on Sunday.

The Cyclones took a 3–1 lead into the eighth inning on RBIs by Anthony Chavez, L.J. "Mini-Maz" Mazzilli and Jared King. Rob "Not-sosilent G" Gsellman pitched all seven innings, striking out five batters.

But as soon as David Wynn took the mound, the Vermont bats exploded with a single and a double, followed by two straight walks, allowing one run to score. A sacrifice fly scored another run, and James "Papa" Roche committed a throwing error, allowing another run to score.

The Clones responded when King, Roche, and Alex Sanchez hit consecutive singles to load the bases, and a wild pitch allowed King to make it home. Matt "Bright Eyes" Oberste and Colton Plaia followed up with consecutive RBIs to take the game back.

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Kumar Sangakkara joins Jamaica Tallawahs

Sri Lankas top batsman Kumar Sangakkara and former captain has joined the Jamaica Tallawahs in the Limacol Caribbean Premier league. He is one of the top batsmen in Test and One-Day International and has scored 33 Test centuries and averages 56:97.

In One-Day International he averages 39.99 and has scored 16 centuries. He is joining his fellow Sri Lankan Muttiah Muralitharan who also plays for the Jamaica Tallawahs. Sangakkara will definitely assist in strengthening in the middle order.

Jamaica's Tallawah's chances in the semifinals are good because in spite of their close lost to Guyana they came back and rebounded well defeating the Trinidad/Tobago Red Steel. Good signs for the Tallawahs with hard-hitting batsman Danza Hyatt in form along with Andre Russell, Jermaine Blackwood and now Kumar Sangakkara.



Eyes on Cricket

By George H. Whyte

JAMAICA TALLAWAHS DEFEAT T&T RED STEEL

In spite of the Tallawahs winning this game from the last ball of their 20 overs, they did the important job of restricting the Red Steel to 133 runs for 8 wickets from their 20 overs. Chris Gayle 2 for 4 from 40 overs and Nikita Miller 4 overs for 26 runs controlled the flow of runs. Darren Bravo 27 from 29 balls, Dwayne Bravo 29 from 16 balls, Kevon Cooper 14 from 14 balls and Ross Taylor 20 from 21 balls.

GAYLE AND WALTON SCORED 66 RUNS IN 6.5 OVERS

After a flying start from Captain Chris Gayle and

Chadwick Walton of 66 runs in 41 balls, it was clear that the Jamaica Tallawahs was confident of reaching their total. Danza Hvattt scored 25 runs from 25 balls as the Tallawahs struggled a bit at the end after losing their in from batsman Andre Russel via run out. Opener Chadwick Walton scored 28 from 35 balls before the Tallawahs gained victory from the last ball ending at 133 for 8 winning by 3 wickets. Tallawahs' captain Chris Gayle was named the Man of the Match, Trinidad and Tobago Red Steel allrounder Kevon Cooper who scored 14 runs from 14 balls and picked up 2 wickets for 14 runs fought hard to the end with his outstanding catching and fielding.

Current standings: Guyana Amazon Warriors, 10;



Sri Lanka's Kumar Sangakkara plays a shot during their first Twenty20 cricket match against South Africa in Colombo, Sri Lanka, Friday, Aug. 2, 2013. South Africa won by 12 runs.

AP Photo/Eranga Jayawardena, file

Jamaica Tallawahs, 10; Trinidad and Tobago Red Steel, 6; Barbados Tridents, 8; Antigua Hawksbills, 4; St. Lucia Zouks, 4.

GUYANA AMAZON WARRIORS MUST LIFT THEIR GAME

 $Guyana\ Amazon\ Warriors$

must improve their game in order to be in the finals of the Limacol Caribbean Premier League. Captain Ramneresh Sarwan must find some type of form with the bat and all the players must perform well, either with bat or ball. Lendl Simmons has been getting a good

season with the Warriors. Sunil Narine and Christopher Barnwell have been outstanding. Batting is key; the higher the total off 20 overs, the more likely the opposition will struggle.

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- 6. Also
- 9. Captain
- 13. Napoleon's stay on St. Helena,
- 14. Aggravate
- 15. It killed the radio star?
- 16. Serving of parsley
- 17. Actress ____ Thompson
- 18. More ill
- 19. Trying experience
- 21. *"Geographia" author
- 23. *Mouth to a river, e.g.
- 24. Call someone
- 25. PC "brain"
- 28. Stupor
- 30. *Gobi or Kalahari, e.g.
- 35. Os in XOXO
- 37. Livens up
- 39. Pang
- 40. *Capri, e.g.
- 41. Anklebone
- 43. Shamu
- 44. Nigerian money
- 46. Dharma teacher
- 47. Chinese restaurant staple, pl.
- 48. Founder of Scholasticism
- 50. Winningest Super Bowl coach
- 52. Marble
- 53. First in baseball, e.g.

- 55. Distress signal
- 57. *Tallest mountain
- 61. *Deepest lake
- 64. Japanese-American
- 65. American Gas Association
- 67. Like unspoken agreement
- 69. Garment enlarger
- 70. Octopus' defense
- 71. Olden day anesthetic
- 72. It shows ownership
- 73. Poe's "The Murders in the ___ Morgue"
- 74. High-pitched

DOWN

- 1. Hi-
- 2. Montreal baseballer
- 3. Ethiopean currency
- 4. Omit or suppress
- 5. *On a map
- 6. Cash cache
- 7. Bonanza find
- 8. Similar to giraffe but smaller
- 9. Tarantino's "
- 10. Not in action
- 11. Believe
- 12. Nemo's forgetful friend
- 15. Shrinking
- 20. To modify a book into a screenplay, e.g.
- 22. Slight amount
- 24. Get off an airplane
- 25. *Most populous country

- 26. South Korean port
- 27. a.k.a. Tangelos
- 29. Eagerness
- 31. "____ me the money!"
- 32. It may get you to first base
- Mountains
- 34. Flirt
- 36. Bone-dry
- 38. Form of wrestling
- 42. Chip dip
- 45. Even though
- 49. No
- 51. Hang around
- 54. Up or down step
- 56. Type of edible ray
- 57. "National Velvet" author **Bagnold**
- 58. *Tropical rainforests contain ninety percent of the world's ___
- 59. "___ quam videri" or "To be, rather than to seem (to be)"
- 60. Instrument type
- 61. To be very hot
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- 63. Told an untruth
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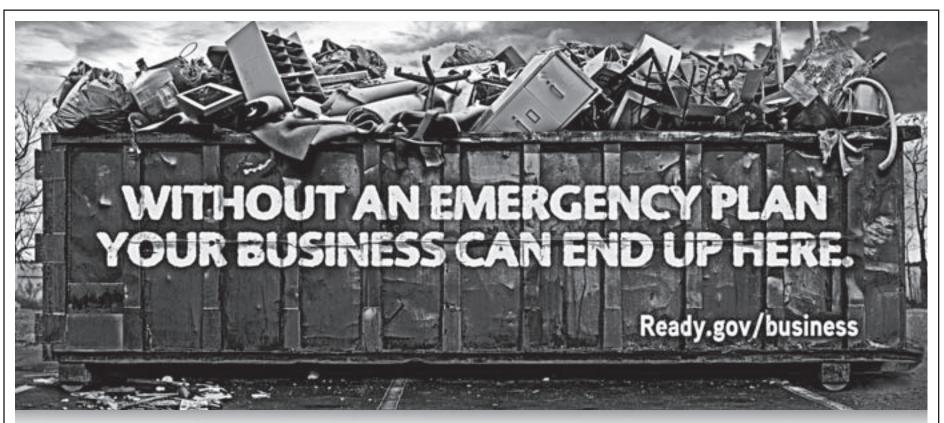
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Jun 22/Jul 22

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Jul 23/Aug 23

There is no easy way out of a tricky situation involving some friends. You will end up in hot water if you take one's side over the other. The best thing to do is remain neutral.



VIRGO

Aug 24/Sept 22

Virgo, this week brings a chance to get rid of old habits that have been keeping you from putting your best foot forward. Take advantage of this opportunity



LIBRA

Sept 23/Oct 23

Libra, you are expected to lead the way for others, even though you do not have all of the answers. Don't worry, you work well under pressure and others will follow your lead.



SCORPIO

Oct 24/Nov 22

Your career could be coming to a crossroads, Scorpio. Start networking now as much as possible so you are in a better position should you need to make a move.



SAGITTARIUS

Nov 23/Dec 21

Sagittarius, jump into something new if you feel like taking chances. Even if your leap of faith doesn't reap any rewards, you will feel better for having tried



CAPRICORN

Dec 22/Jan 20

Capricorn, you may end up getting blamed for something that isn't your fault. Bide your time and the truth will come out. Accept the apologies of those who were quick to blame.



AQUARIUS

Jan 21/Feb 18

Aquarius, try not to overdo things when you are met with a burst of creative energy this week. You may start more projects than you can possibly handle.



PISCES

Feb 19/Mar 20

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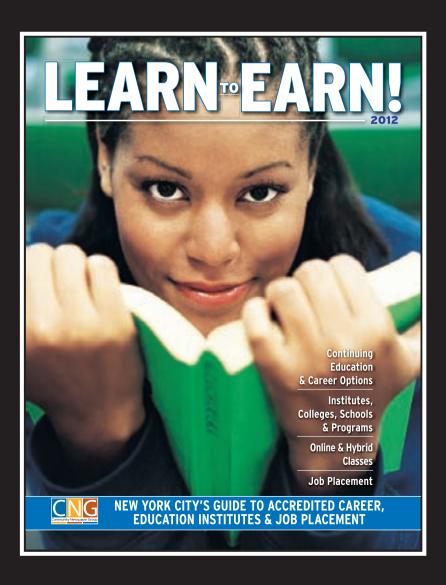
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