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Dear Exposition Visitor,

Welcome to Downtown Baltimore, Maryland and to AFRAM Expo '76. Enjoy a leisurely stroll through the two Plazas and admire the works of local Artists and Craftsmen. Take time to view the various exhibits depicting the accomplishments and contributions of Blacks to our American culture.

Our three-day Festival begins on Friday, with a kick-off Press Luncheon followed by two days of continuous activity within the Charles and Hopkins Plazas.

On Saturday and Sunday, Gospel music and Church services of all denominations will be on-going in the old Camp Town setting under the canopy in Charles Plaza. And, of course, there is entertainment! Two full days of superb entertainment performed on three stages. So, be prepared to stay with us for a while. You must, to see the variety of events we have planned for you. See our film series relating to Black musical history or take a guided tour and view famous Black landmarks. If you get hungry, enjoy a delicious snack prepared by one or several of our food merchants. We even have crab and clam pickers from the Eastern Shore area who will show you the process from the shell to the plate.

We are sure that your visit with AFRAM Expo '76 will be an educational as well as an entertaining experience.

Steering Committee
AFRAM Expo '76

Friday, August 6, 1976

12 Noon

Press Luncheon
Holiday Inn
301 W. Lombard Street

Saturday, August 7, 1976

Hopkins Plaza

- 12:00 Official Opening of AFRAM Expo '76
- 12:40 Urban Philharmonic Orchestra Darrold
Hunt, Conducting
- 1:40 Pamoja Experience
- 2:30 Frankie and the Spindles
- 3:30 Bicentennial Observance, A Fashion Review
Travis Winkey Model Studio
- 4:25 Olu African Dancers
- 5:00 Mother Scott and Children
- 5:25 Honorable Julian Bond (D, Georgia State Senate)
- 6:30 Billy Taylor Quintet

Charles Plaza

Canopy (Religious Services)

- 12:30 Black Muslim - Nation of Islam
- 1:30 Reverend Naomi Durant
- 2:30 Gospel Youth Review - featuring,
Southern Baptist Choir
Jimmy Smith Singers
Dynamics
Gospel Leaders
The Praises
St. Bernadine's Choir
- 3:40 Katy Jackson, A-Jones Singers

- 5:00 Earl Omara
- 5:20 Majestic Choral Ensemble
- 5:45 Alice McGill
- 6:15 Big Gospel Jubilee

Small Stage

- 12:30 Herb Scott and Eddie
- 12:55 Clefs of Joy
- 1:25 Exoteric Male Ensemble
- 1:45 Bert and Ray
- 2:25 Goldfinger and International Magic Dove
- 2:50 Arena Players
- 3:30 B. W. Specials
- 3:50 Vanessa Taylor
- 4:15 The Thorne Trio
- 4:35 School 91 Band
- 4:55 John Taylor Dancers
- 5:25 Baltimore Dance Theatre
- 5:30 Fuzzy Kane, More of Everything

Sunday, August 8, 1976

Hopkins Plaza

- 12:00 Opening Ceremony
- 12:15 Frankie and the Spindles
- 12:50 Laini Mataka
- 1:30 Liberian Folk Dancers
- 2:40 Trinidad Steel Band
- 3:20 Afro-American Fashion Show
Infinity Fashions- Januwa Moja
- 4:00 Gil Scott - Heron
- 5:10 Billy Taylor Quintet and the Jazzmobile
- 6:40 Lou Rawls

Charles Plaza

Canopy

- 3:30 Ecumenical Interdenominational
Ministerial Alliance
- 4:40 Pentecostal Apostolic Church
- 6:10 United Missionary Baptist Conference
of Baltimore

Small Stage

12:10 Coppin State Jazz Ensemble
12:35 New World
12:55 Imperial Funk
1:35 Mansfield
1:55
2:15 Outer Limits
2:35 Total Reaction
3:00 Rain
3:20 Mary Carter Smith
4:00 Mary Brown

Saturday and Sunday, August 7 and 8, 1976

Historical and Educational Exhibits

Charles Plaza

Title: Black Presence in Maryland 1815 - 1915
Contributor: The Citizens for Black History Exhibits

Title: Maryland Spiritual Heritage
Contributor: Commission on Afro-American History and Culture

Title: Maryland Women, Past and Present
Contributor: Commission on Afro-American History and Culture

Title: Black Contributions to Maryland History
Contributor: Mr. Caleb Smith

Title: NAACP, Strength and Unity
Contributor: National Association for the Advancement of Colored People

Title: Black Administrators in Education
Contributor: Baltimore City Public Schools

Title: Reviving Orchard Street Church
Contributor: Orchard Street Church Committee

Title: Sister Cities International
Contributor: Mayor's Office, Baltimore City

Title: Arts in Neighborhoods
Contributor: Mayor's Ball Committee

Title: Freedom to be ... Power to Move
Contributor: Young Women's Christian Association

Title: Women of Vision, Daring to Venture
Contributor: Baltimore Alumnae Chapter, Delta Sigma
Theta, Inc.

Art Colony - Hopkins Plaza

Art/Crafts

Maxwell Anderson
Harry Bowser
Melvin Cooper
MacFarland Dailey
Aizchimela Debela
Bessie Yvonne Everett
Richard Givens
Ray Harris
Lawrence Hurst
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Gary Jones
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Jerry Prettyman
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Joyce Scott
Oliver Scott
Lorraine Smith
Thomas Stockett
Nelson Taylor
Gabriel Tanaka
Duane Thigpen
Robert Torrence
Julius Williams
Beverly Wilson
Van Woodson

THINGS TO SEE IN:

Charles Plaza

African Head Rap
African Jewelry Making
African Plants and Flowers
African String Design
African Village
Boy Scouts
Church Services
Constant Care Health Center
Coke and Corn-on-Cob Shop
Crab and Clam Pickers
Historical and Educational Exhibits
Lost and Found
Mobile Vision Unit
NAACP
National Beer
Natural Food Shop
Orchard Street Church
Rest Rooms
"Soul" Food
Sweet Shop
Toy Man
Urban League
WEBB -- Radio -- Live Broadcast
Urban Services Agency -- Teen Center
Young Student Artists
Delta Sigma Theta, Inc.

Hopkins Plaza

Art Colony
Bay College
Black Moslems (Food)
Brown's Supermarket Booth
Coke and 7-Up Shop
Community Relations Commission

Young Student Art -- Charles Plaza

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Flute Maker
Girl Scouts
Glass Blower
Hot Dog and Hamburger Vendor
Information Booth
Italian Food Vendor
Main Stage
National Beer
Open Pit Bar-B-Que
Project Survival Basketball League
Tie Dyeing
Toy Table
Watermelon Vendor and Lemon Sticks
WSID -- Live Broadcast

* First Aid Station: Service Drive on Baltimore Street

Federal Building

Black Musical Film Festival.

Two day series of films relating to black musical history. Stuart Hudgins, film archivist and program coordinator will present more than fifteen films featuring America's most creative musicians, composers and entertainers. A rare insight into the years where far reaching musical development set the tone and style for most of today's popular music.

Five Half-hour showings beginning at 12:45 p.m. daily. Hours to be announced.

TOURS

Tour famous Black landmarks!

There will be three tours daily at 11:00 a.m., 1:00 p.m., and 3:00 p.m. Buses will leave from Hopkins Plaza. For exact location, inquire at Information Booth. Cost: \$1.00

Route

Advance Federal Savings and Loan Association
Afro-American Newspapers
Anna Marie Hunter, Home for the Blind
Arena Playhouse
Ashburton Community
Bethel AME Church
Coppin State College
Frederick Douglas Senior High School
Paul Lawrence Dunbar Community High School
Faith Baptist Church
Ideal Building and Loan Association
Lake Clifton Senior High School
Madison Avenue YWCA
Morgan State University
Mount Mariah Baptist Church
The Old Town Mall
Orchard Street Church
Prince Hall Masonic Temple
Provident Hospital

SPECIAL THANKS AND APPRECIATION

Baltimore City Agencies

Baltimore City Public Schools
Community Relations Commission
Downtown Coordinating Committee
Health Department
Legal Aid Bureau
Mayor's Office
Mayor's Advisory Committee on Art and Culture
Department of Parks
Department of Planning
Police Department
Department of Public Works
Department of Transit and Traffic
Urban Services Agency

also,

Afro-American Newspapers
Baltimore Alumnae Chapter, Delta-Sigma Theta, Inc.
Brown's Supermarkets
Carolton Douglass Funeral Home
Carling National Breweries, Incorporated
Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Company
Sunpapers
First National Bank
Mr. Richard Glascoe
Hecht Company
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Mr. George Horn
Mr. Lawrence Hurst
Inner City Federation of Credit Unions
Maryland Commission on Afro-American History
Maryland National Bank
News American
Beauty Beat Magazine
American Red Cross

Radion Stations

WANN
WBJC
WCAO
WBAL

WEBB
WHUR
WSID
WTOW
WWIN

Mrs. Elizabeth Randall
Mr. John Robbins
Mr. Gerald Simpson
Taylor's House of Flowers

Television Stations

WBAL
WBFF
WJZ
WMAR

LIFT EVERY VOICE AND SING

Lift every voice and sing
Till earth and heaven ring;
Ring with the harmonies of Liberty;
Let our rejoicing rise
High as the list'ning skies
Let it resound loud as the rolling seas;
Sing a song full of the faith that the dark
past has taught us,
Sing a song full of the hope that the present
has brought us;
Facing the rising sun
Of a new day begun,
Let us march on till victory is won.

God of our weary years,
God of our silent tears,
Thou who hast brought us thus far on the way;
Thou who has by Thy might
Led us into the light,
Keep us forever in the path we pray,
Lest our feet stray from the places, our God,
where we met Thee.
Lest, our hearts drunk with the wine of the
world, we forget Thee,
Shadowed beneath Thy hand,
May we forever stand,
True to our God, true to our Native land.