

ABOUT US

Black History Month is the perfect time to celebrate the art, poetry, music, inventions, intellectual contributions, political accomplishments and more of African Americans.

The Harlem Renaissance (1917-1935) was a huge turning point in African American culture. There was an explosion of art, music, and literature in this New York City neighborhood. Creative African Americans came from all over to participate in the environment of free expression and to assert their political views and exercise their civil rights.

Today, you'll get to experience some of those monumental moments at our Taste of Soul in the Desert: A Celebration of Black History! Please be sure to visit as many of our events as possible. Don't forget to check out the free music, photo booth, and games in the commons.



"SUCCESS IS TO BE MEASURED NOT SO MUCH BY THE POSITION THAT ONE HAS REACHED IN LIFE AS BY THE OBSTACLES WHICH HE HAS OVERCOME WHILE TRYING TO SUCCEED."

THE EVENT

Welcome - 5:30 - 6:00pm in the Theatre

Honorees:

Dr. Judy White, Riverside County Superintendent of School
LaSonya Pitts, Director of HR Classified

Theatre Performance: 6-8pm

Intermission

6:00 - 6:15

1st Performance

6:15 - 7:00

Intermission

7:00 - 7:15

2nd/Final Performance

7:15 - 8:00

Event Ends

Special Recognition

We would like to take this opportunity to give all of our student-performers and student-volunteers special recognition. We appreciate all the hard work you have put into this event. We would also like to thank all of the teachers who have volunteered their time in order to make this event a huge success. And a very special thanks to Ms. Paula Clark, Ms. Ruth Perez, and Ms. Erica Watson for all they did to put this event together.

SPECIAL THANKS

- Donovan's Food Shack
- Gigante's Fried Food
- JMacc Shack
- Wright Way BBQ
- Mobile Natural Healing
- McGee African Dance
- Aneka Clothing
- Fashion Dollhouse Boutique
- DJ John Paul
- DIGICOM
- Emergency Preparedness
- PSHS Black Student Union
- PHMS PTA
- DHSHS Public Safety Academy (PSA)
- DHSHS ROTC
- DHSHS USB
- DHSHS Soccer
- DHSHS Jazz Band
- DHS City Library

OUR PRINCIPALS

- Ms. Lisa Arseo - Bella Vista Elementary School
- Ms. Omar Tinoco - Bubbling Wells Elementary School
- Ms. Amber Gascoigne - Cabot Yerxa Elementary School
- Ms. Joseph Scudder - Two Bunch Palms Elementary School
- Ms. Jessica Simpson - Julius Corsini Elementary School
- Dr. Kiela Snider - Desert Springs MS
- Dr. Michael J. Grainger - Painted Hills MS
- Mr. Brad Seiple - Edward Wenzlaff
- Ms. Caroline Cota - Desert Hot Springs HS



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information

4TH ANNUAL TASTE OF SOUL

PRESENTS: THE SOUNDS OF
BLACK AMERICA

A CELEBRATION OF BLACK
HISTORY!
February 22, 2019 | 5:30 - 8:00 p.m.

