

100 BLACK MEN OF NORTH METRO, INC. 15th Annual Youth Achievement Luncheon

Press Release

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Atlanta (March 9, 2009) - Since 1992, the 100 Black Men of North Metro, Inc. a local Chapter of the 100 Black Men of America has followed its mission of motivating and enabling youth to achieve intellectual excellence, economic responsibility and self sufficiency as positive contributors to society. The North Metro Chapter specifically serves youth in Gwinnett, Cobb and North Fulton counties. The organization's programs focus primarily on youth, creating mentoring situations and activities that give deserving youth opportunities to succeed. The 100 Black Men of North Metro, Inc. has created programs, which provide an environment where young people are encouraged and motivated to learn and achieve. Each member serves as a strong African American male role model for young men. Our Four for the Future programs are the strategic areas of focus that support the mission of the organization. Subject areas encompass Mentoring, Economic Development, Education and Health & Wellness. Building trust among young Black men with examples of positive relationships is the 100's focus as it delivers programs for African American youth.

The 100 Black Men of North Metro, Inc proudly announces their 2009 Youth Achievement Luncheon . The Luncheon will be held Saturday April 18th at the Georgia Aquarium,(Oceans Ballroom) 225 Baker Street, Atlanta Georgia 30313 . The luncheon will begin promptly at 12 noon . More than 500 students, families, sponsors, and supporters are expected to participate. The Annual Youth Achievement Luncheon is the North Metro Chapter's largest fundraising event of the year. It serves as the culmination ceremony for the class of 2009 and includes scholarship distribution. It is also the venue for recognition of scholars who have excelled in the "Men of Tomorrow" mentoring program in the areas of attendance, participation, academic performance and special recognition.

We are very proud of our students, the staff, and our host of volunteer supporters that continue to work diligently to expose our students to workshops, programs, professionals, and business owners in an effort to promote greatness. This year our featured speaker will be Chris Webber, former NBA professional basketball player and current TNT Sports Announcer and Commentator .

ABOUT 100 BLACK MEN OF NORTH METRO INC.

100 Black Men of North Metro, Inc. is a coalition of some of the Atlanta area's most prominent citizens, whose mission is to provide support and improve the quality of life for African Americans, particularly African American youth in the Cobb, Gwinnett, and North Fulton county communities. The 100 is one of the city's strongest and most self reliant African American volunteer organizations focused on education, enrichment, and empowerment.

For more information please visit their website at www.northmetro100.org .