Local Zetas host Maryland Leadership Conference

KASPER McALLISTER (second from R) receives an award for the Baltimore Rescue Mission from Nathalia E. Roberts, Zeta Maryland State Director (far right). Looking on (from left)

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are Kathryn Malvern, Atlantic Regional Director and Myrtle Faithful, Zeta founder, during the recent Zeta's Maryland State Leadership Conference held at the Baltimore Plaza Hotel.

COMMITTEE MEMBERS for the Leadership Conference are (L to R) Gina Foreman, Mamie B. Williams, Maxine C. Jones, Brenda McKinney, Gloria Garrett, Beatrice H. Hall, E. Fran Johnson, Sandra East, luncheon emcee; Bridgett Morse, Cheryl Woodland, conference coordinator; Mary E. Fields, local chapter basileus; Vivian Bailey and Angie L. McClain.

On Saturday, April 20, Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Inc. held its Maryland State Leadership Conference at the Baltimore Plaza Hotel, with the local Alpha Zeta Chapter as host. Sorors of Gamma Nu Gamma Theta Eta Chapters and the Archonettes also worked diligently to prepare for the success of the conference.

The conference opened with coffee and fellowship and devotion. There were two morning sessions, during which the sorors Amicae and Archonettes were in attendance and an afternoon session.

During these sessions there were addreses by Soror Dr. Kathryn T. Malvern, Atlantic Regional Director, a Protocol Message by Soror Elise Collier and reports by Archonettes, Amicae, and Undergraduates.

There were also workshops, budget information, recommendations and sharing, (with the sharing done by Soror Nathalia M. East-Roberts, Maryland State Director. Workshops were led by Sorors Bernice S. White and Dr. E. Fran Johnson.

Special highlights of the day was the luncheon, featuring performing folklorist Mary Carter Smith, Baltimore Griot. She stressed having pride in our beginnings, spoke of how we have risen from the lowly status of slavery, and the need for continuing black pride, and continuing efforts to improve our lot.

She stated "Let us not be content with what's been done so far. The struggle continues." She challenged Zetas to ask "What have Zetas been doing?" in her verbal thrust for a continuation of the struggle.

She also pointed out Zetas who have accomplished much by stating what various sorors are now doing in such a way that those assembled were able to recognize those she spoke of without her calling their names.

GRIOT MARY CARTER SMITH (R) who was guest speaker for the luncheon is seen with soloist Tonya Little.

Greetings were extended by Kathryn T. Malvern Atlantic Regional Director and Nathalia M.E. Roberts, Maryland State Director.

Soror Mary E. Fields read communications of greetings from both Governor Hughes and President Ronald Reagan.

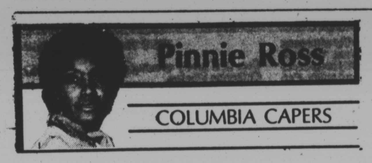
The invocation was given by Etta Williams and the featured guest griot was introducted by D. E. Fran Johnson.

Tony Little entertained everyone with her solo "Everything" and "We Are The World" with the other sorors and guests joining in.

The Community Service Award was presented to Gina Forman and a presentation was made to Kasper McAllister, of the Baltimroe Rescue Mission.

Sandra E. East presided. Sherl Woodland was confernce coordinator. Mary E. Fields is local chapter basileus.

DR. SARA BROWN CORDERY, an outstanding member of Morgan State University's Business Administration Department, will be honored Friday evening during her retirement dinner in McKeldin Center at 6:00 p.m. Call 444-3160 for additional information.



COLUMBIA CAPERS

MID-TERM SALUTE FOR MFUME

The friends of Kweisi Mfume are busy planning a mid-term celebration to salute Mfume Sunday, May 19, from 3 to 7 p.m. This gala affair will be held at the Lawes Center Ballroom, Coppin State College, Baltimore, MD.

Mfume has served the city of Baltimore for two and a half terms, representing the fourth Councilmanic District. Since 1979 Kweisi has been one of the city council's outspoken and independent members, a most articulate member on the Council. He has worked hard to strengthen communities and build pride in the city of Baltimore.

Young Mfume is a faithful and dedicated member of several outstanding committees in Baltimore City, including the Policy and Planning Committee, Taxation and Finance, chairman, Health Subcommittee; Education and vice-chairman, Urban Affairs Committee.

He is also a member of Maryland State Central Commitee 40th Legislative District. He attended the Democratic National Convention in 1980 and 1984. He was one of the leading supporters for Jesse Jackson in his attempt to run for President of the United States.

Mfume is a diligent worker for candidates he believes in and for the betterment of the city of Baltimore.

Baltimore's native son is a Magna Cum Laude graduate of Morgan State University with a B.S. in Urban Studies, and an M.L.A. degree from the Johns Hopkins University.

Nightly, over Morgan's FM station, it's his voice behind the prolific discussion-oriented program, "Two Way Talk," and he serves as co-host of an over the air book review forum entitled "First Tuesday." Mfume is program director of WEAA, Morgan State University Radio Station.

His honesty and integrity as an elected official has a track record that speaks for itself in the city of Baltimore.

He also has a leadership role in the areas of Minority Business Enterprise, Cable TV, Housing, Education, and Health Care.

Kweisi is a man always on the move, but is never too busy to forget his friends, to loan a helping hand whenever he can. He is a faithful member of Brown's Memorial Baptist Church.

In addition to his city committees, he serves on several boards, including Clayburn Children's Home, Ashburton Neighborhood Association, Baltimore Museum of Art, Mental Health Association of Metropolitan Baltimore, and is an advisor to New Era Child Development Center, and an NAACP member.

Our good friend Kweisi is an educator, a Christian gentleman, statesman, a super leader, and a devoted father, but most of all a friend to thousands of people from all walks of life.

In tribute to his work and dedication to the people of Baltimore, please join hundreds of people as they salute him on Sunday, May 19. Donation is $25.

For ticket information, please call Joan Powell (922-3939) or Gwen Mister (462-1868).

Salute chairpersons are George Buntin, chairperson; Levi Watkins and Anethia Williams, co-chairs.

Honorary chairpersons are Melvin Bilal, Lena K. Lee, Rev. Douglass Miles, Jake Oliver, Dr. Uthman Ray, DeWayne Wickham.

Other members of the committee are Dr. Laurence Bell, Carrie Bowie, Rodney Orange, Marion Patterson, Joan Powell, treasurer; Shelia Davenport, Denise LeLeaver, Brenda Pridgen, Carlton Douglass, Shirley Pulliam, Lena Redman, Dr. Willarda Edwards, Pete France, Brenda Ellis and Pinnie L. Ross of Columbia; Belva Scott, Georgia Goslee, Esq.; Ruth Simms, Brenda Gray, Edward Smith, Esq.; William Green, Kit Smithery, Ken Lorick, Carl Swann, Jenny Lymas, Mary Welcome, Gwen Mister, Lisa Williams and Douglass Wilson.

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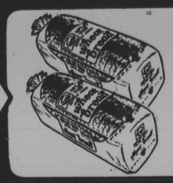

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