

National Membership Report: March 2022

The NMC continues to reconfigure itself as three members desire to cycle off active involvement and reposition themselves on the advisory board. This report will:

- A. Introduce 4 new regional coordinators**
- B. Introduce members of the NMC advisory council**
- C. Report on branch compliance extension of March 17**
- D. Report on the first officers meeting scheduled for March 24**
- E. Share a schedule of future officer meetings**
- F. Report on international subcommittee successes**

Introduce 4 new regional coordinators

To date, four new regional coordinators were identified and are being trained on responsibilities of the NMC and working with branches. They are:

Gaidi Nkrumah – replacing Barbara Dunn
Sharonda Allen – replacing Dorothy Bailey
Victoria Davison – replacing Janet Sims Wood
Ryan Adams – replacing Ida Jones

These members span the country from Texas to New Jersey. They are active members of the Association and will become branch members by the end of March 2022.

Introduce members of the NMC advisory council

The NMC advisory board is open to all Association members. These Association citizens are interested in learning about the inner workings/operations of the Association as well as volunteering within the NMC. Currently they are being offered an opportunity to shadow newly installed regional coordinators. The members are:

Barbara Spencer Dunn, Marcia Henderson, Gwendolyn Blue, Maria Wilder, Marilyn Lockhart, Dorothy Bailey, Janet Sims-Wood

Report on branch compliance extension of March 17

In the February meeting 16 branches were noncompliance regarding their activity and financial report. Regional coordinators reached out to inquire about late submissions the following is their findings.

Missing reports – several branches indicated that their information was submitted, and they have confirmation from the Association. They are being asked to submit their confirmation to identify where/why the information is missing.

ASALH of Tampa Bay
ASALH South Florida, Inc.
Manasota Branch
Paul Laurence Dunbar Branch
Richmond Branch
Organizing Rochester Branch
Organizing Triad NC Branch of ASALH
Organizing Tulsa Branch

Potential probation – these branches were contacted to complete and submit information before the March 17 deadline on Friday March 11.

Chicago Branch potential probation
Philadelphia Heritage Branch potential probation

Completed submissions

Carter G Woodson Branch DC	activity report 2/16	financial report 3/3
Dr. CGW Greater Trenton, Mercer County	activity report 2/17	financial report 2/11
James Weldon Johnson**	activity report 2/16	financial report 2/8
Roland McConnell Branch	activity report 2/22	financial report 3/8
W. Marvin Dulaney Branch	activity report ?	financial report 3/1

** report is dated in early February however the information was not entered into the database until March. Cannot find activity report asking branch officer for report/submission confirmation.

Report on the first officers meeting scheduled for March 24

March 24 at 8p the first Branch officers meeting series will begin. The intended officers are current presidents and vice presidents – potential presidents and vice presidents – and all branch members who desire to learn what and how the Association desires Branch presidents and vice presidents to function. Margo Vickers will be attending this meeting to share aspects of the future branch manual. The loose agenda:

Roll Call Introduction – share a brief history of your branch

Roll Call Introduction of national officers in attendance

What is a branch president? Constitutional responsibilities, branch development and sustainability, compliance, and public relations/membership development.

What is a branch vice president? Constitutional responsibilities, program development, succession planning, public relationships.

Margo Vickers – branch manual overview presentation

Q&A

Closing mentoring and partnering within one's region/finding partners

Share a schedule of future officer meetings

Leadership meetings

presidents and vice presidents March 24

treasurers **June 9**

secretaries and historians **September 8**

auxiliary officers - chaplains, financial/corresponding secretaries **December 8**

Report on international subcommittee successes

The international subcommittee created a slate of great recorded programming during February. The programming all addressed aspects of the national theme. All recordings are docked on ASALH YouTube

As of March 11

BHM in London 2022: White Supremacy in Your Toilet **285 views**

BHM in South Africa: "Indigenous Medicines and Traditional Foods" **193 views**

BHM 2022 Event: The Miseducation of the Negro/Filipino **237 views**

BHM 2022 Event: Racism and Public Health in Scotland **72 views**

Finally, an angel donor is sponsoring institutional memberships for all participants on the international subcommittee.

Respectfully submitted:

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