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RICHARD J. DALEY COLLEGE
African American History Month

THE CHANCELLOR

REPORTS The Daley College Black History Month Committee organized many cultural activities throughout the month of February, starting with an Arts and Crafts Day which included a Window Painting Contest and an African Mask Making component on Thursday February 1, 2007.

On Monday February 5, 2007 the Opening Ceremony featured Dr. Margaret Burroughs as the keynote speaker, followed by the Annual Taste of Soul Luncheon. Dr. Burroughs is an artist, educator and institution builder. She made the first-known contribution to African American posterity in 1961 when she and her husband founded the DuSable Museum of African American History.

Other activities planned for this month includes: The Spoken Word Performance, 1st Annual Health Awareness Day, Know Your Heritage Contest, Know Your Heritage Scavenger Hunt, Student/Teacher Basketball Game, Vendors Day, Financial Investment Seminar, and ending the month with Caribbean Night where students will experience the many foods of the Diaspora. During the month of February, movies will be shown in our cafeteria to accent the history of African Americans.

Congratulations to the African American History Month Committee for their hard work in coordinating all these wonderful events for the students, faculty and staff of Richard J. Daley College.

Respectfully submitted,

Wayne D. Watson
Chancellor

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