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DMV Black History Museum, PGAAMCC Turns 10!

Celebrate a decade of Black Excellence in Prince George's County with Ice Cream, Cake & Community

North Brentwood, MD (July 30, 2019)– Prince George's African American Museum and Cultural Center (PGAAMCC)

Come celebrate with us! Toast to our 10-year birthday on Saturday August 17th 2019, from 12 – 5pm with Ice Cream, Cake & Community. Join us at PGAAMCC 4519 Rhode Island Avenue, North Brentwood MD 20722.

Birthday Festivities: New Exhibit Opening: Deeply Embedded by Prince George's County artist, Tawny Chatmon, Meet + Greet with our new Artist in Residence + Cultural Ambassador in Residence. Mural unveiling and artmaking, Community Treasure Chest oral history collections, PGAAMCC Annual Recap and more.

Over the 10 years we have accomplished major milestones such as,

- For the past 6 years of our Culture Keepers program, serves 5000+ youth in Prince George's County Public Schools annually with black history and cultural enrichment arts education programs.
- We have established a student exchange passport program to Cuba, and over 20 new community partnerships in 2019.
- In our decade of existence, we have showcased 25+ black history and contemporary art exhibits presenting dynamic artwork that reflects the creative talents of Black artists from the DMV.
- We have hosted some of the biggest festivals in the county with attendance in the thousands: Rated PG: Black Arts Festival, Juneteenth Festival and #TeamNatural black hair and beauty festival.

We are proud to be your local cultural center celebrating 10 years serving our community in Prince George's County and beyond. You help to shape our vision to fit the needs of the entire Prince Georges community and beyond. These are exciting times of transformation coming during our 10th Anniversary kickoff that you won't want to miss. Visit www.pgaamcc.org/TheStoryContinues for updates on our 10th anniversary

Prince George's African American Museum and Cultural Center (PGAAMCC) stands at the intersection of possibilities, realities and transformation as we kick off our 10th anniversary, championing community uplift and conscious raising around the black experience. Our 10th Anniversary Theme 'The Story Continues...' amplifies our vision to be recognized as a national and international model for innovative documentation, interpretation, presentation, and preservation of Black history, art, social justice and culture across the diaspora. We are on a mission is to celebrate and inspire the community through the cultivation, preservation, and presentation of the cultural and artistic contributions of African Americans in Prince George's County, Maryland and beyond. 'We are A Home for Black Excellence!' Visit us in person Tuesday - Saturday from 10am - 5pm, and online at www.pgaamcc.org

