Top Ladies of Distinction, Inc.



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INVESTING LEADERSHIP AND PROGRAMMING WORKSHOP DESCRIPTIONS

The Awards Process: Moving into the 21st Century

The Awards process will be discussed from A-Z. Questions will be addressed such as "Why was my submittal disqualified? What exactly are the judges looking for? What can I do better next time?" With the advent of technology, some of the current processes may seem archaic. Suggestions will be solicited to insure that the Awards process will become more user friendly to the younger generation and still remain fair and viable to those who want to continue to see scrapbooks.

The Nominating Process: Dotting the I's and Crossing the T's

The Nominating process is much more than just filling out a form and submitting it. It is all about timing, making sure that there are qualified members for each office, following the local, area and national by-laws, putting some thought into the process, following correct parliamentary procedures and following proper protocols for nominations from the floor and credentialing the candidates. The nominating process will be explained step-by-step from the local, area and national levels.

UNCF: Everything You Want to Know about UNCF

A representative from UNCF will make a presentation on scholarships, the National Pre-Alumni Council (NPAC), and the UNCF Walk, as well as provide other information. (A shorter version of this will be presented to the National TTA Executive Board on Saturday after the luncheon.)

Keep America Beautiful: Taking Pride in Your Community

A representative from KAB will make a presentation regarding what TLOD can do to insure a cleaner, greener environment while making our communities beautiful places to live. This workshop will cover recycling, litter, community gardens, graffiti, and educating the next generation of community stewards.

N.O.B.L.E. (National Organization of Black Law Enforcement Executives): Keeping our Communities Safe

N.O.B.L.E.'s mission is to ensure equity in the administration of justice in the provision of public service to all communities, and to serve as the conscience of law enforcement by being committed to justice by action. Come listen to and take part in a town hall meeting with the Atlanta Chapter of N.O.B.L.E. as they inform us of actions we can take in our communities to be safe, actions we can take to protect our home and our children, and what actions are being taken legislatively.

AARP: Prepare to Care - Resource Information

A representative from AARP will make a presentation on how to have vital conversations with older family members, organize important documents, assess your loved one's needs and locate important resources. You will be provided with tips on how to have the hard conversations, how to engage other family members, where to find additional resources, how to deal with stress and financial issues. All you need to know to start on your caregiving journey will be outlined here.