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Students' Gear Up Day for World AIDS Day

HUN Take a Stand Against HIV/AIDS

BY TAHERIA HAWKINS

Saturday morning, the Tranz'n'zade "Wildcats" music video by hip-hop artist and supporter of Howard University, major Nicholas "Nich90" Johnson, was being played as the latest protest movement against race and student rights.

The video was released in the wake of the recent violence on Howard University's campus, specifically the death of a student who was shot while carrying a gun on campus.

The "Wildcats" music video features a group of people wearing black and orange t-shirts with the words "Wildcats" on them. The video shows scenes of people dancing and singing together, with a focus on the theme of unity and strength.

The video was released as a response to recent protests and violence on the Howard University campus. The video aims to raise awareness about the need for unity and strength in the face of adversity.

"Wildcats" is a musical group that has been active on Howard University's campus for several years. The group's mission is to promote diversity, equality, and social justice through music and art.
World AIDS Day (Dec. 1)
Howard Seeks to Dispel the Myths of the HIV/AIDS Impact on the Black Community

By LAUREN GABRIEL Staff Writer

As World AIDS Day day approaches, many are growing concerned about what resources should be spread to combat the HIV/AIDS epidemic. The question boils down to what we can do to stay aware, and in turn, to prevent the spread of HIV/AIDS.

In the African-American community, some continue to keep a live eye on their natural environment, especially if they are involved in sexual activity. However, there are a number of African Americans and other races around the world that are not informed about the spread of HIV/AIDS.

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Safer Sex Facts, How to Do It

- Where is HIV found?
  HIV is found in many body fluids, including semen, vaginal fluids and breast milk.

- How is HIV transmitted?
  HIV is transmitted through unprotected sexual activity with an infected person, through shared needles and other sharp objects that carry infected blood, or from an infected mother to her child during birth or breastfeeding.

- Can you get HIV from sharing a toothbrush or plate?
  No, HIV is not transmitted by sharing utensils such as toothbrushes and plates, drinking glasses and other household items, hugging, sharing toothbrushes and other personal items, or sitting on a toilet seat.

- How can you protect yourself from HIV?
  The best way to protect yourself from HIV is to avoid behaviors that put you at risk for getting infected.

- What is safer sex?
  Safer sex means being aware of your sexual partners and using condoms during sex.

- In addition to the above, how can you further reduce the risk of HIV transmission?
  Most people who are sexually active and have not been infected with HIV have had only one sexual partner who has not been sexually transmitted infected.

- What is "safer" sex?
  No sexual act is 100 percent safe, whether a person believes that they or their sexual partner(s) have been tested for HIV.

- Is it ever completely safer?
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World AIDS Day Approaches, Students Prepare to Participate

Angels Hit Howard

Continued from FRONT WALK

people have died of AIDS in Africa and more than 11 million Africans have been infected, and Nicholas said he would remember the H.I.V. He said the site of the lesion was the common site of the most frequently recurring. "It makes me think about the quality of life and HIV/AIDS and the fact that more than 1.5 million children have died of AIDS in Africa," Nicholas said.

With numerous HIV/AIDS ads, pamphlets and posters, Nicholas said students learned compassion to the victims, "People get upset and [think] they can't do anything. After a while it's just phasing out, but as black people we are all affected." She said the fact that the pandemic could affect anyone could make students want to take a stand. "It could easily be my friend, my friend or my parent, so it's affect me as well.

Nicholas passed for the H.I.V. strain's target at a young age. She said the disease revealed a lot of her.

"They wouldn't get a present otherwise," she said.

The Wally, a junior biology major, said she was engaged with the issue for three years, and that there was something interesting about being able to act a little Christmasy. She said the act of playing the lead character and watching the film itself is a lot of fun.

Wally said people have pledged to purchase gift cards, which has been a great way to get people to donate a lot of her.

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Campus Org Spreads AIDS Awareness

Continued from FRONT H.RV

"It is a good lesson for people to teach (prevent infection) because with medical evidence, there are actually few living with HIV/AIDS. It is a very important issue that people need to learn about." She also said about students who were new to the university, the creative, and "with just the students who are new to the campus, there has been a lot of interest.

Kerry Hrono, the master of ceremonies, and members of Young Adult Programs at "Helping You, People Living, Inc.," an HIV and AIDS Prevention agency, said she thinks people should be more aware of the disease.

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"Trying to emphasize how serious and dangerous the disease is," he said.

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Students have taken the opportunity to showcase their accessories, handbags, jewelry, among other things in the bottom level of the Blackburn Center.

**BY ALIESE POLK**

Contracting Writer

Everybody could use some extra cash, but how do you make it? For Diane Dallas, the answer was simple.

"I took an addiction and turned it into an operation," said Cowan, Tharp and Thompson, a realization of vintage jewelry and accessories.

Since the junior major started her own business called 4FiNew (Fashion Image With a New Look), the small handbag, necklaces, bracelets, and accessories have seen a tremendous increase in growth.

"Having an entrepreneurial mind set pays. With the help of the School of Business Entrepreneurship Leadership and Innovation (SEL) bolden, members of the Howard community are able to showcase their businesses in the Black Marketplace/"

The SEL bolden helps entrepreneurs (fellow) businesses, by providing them with the knowledge and skills to make their plans a reality.

"I love shopping and I still understand how to make people look good and feel good," Thompson said. "It gives that "oomph" to an outfit."

Where she is not in a Blackburn, she sells out of her room, where she also spends time organizing and styling to educate others on how to display her merchandise.

Zeta Papa, a junior psychology major, is a student of Diane Dallas. While selling in Black when she was a freshman became her hobby, it soon turned into a business.

With the positive response from her friends and customers, she now has a small business.

"She said her love for fashion is a good way to earn money and wear accessories to dress up an outfit," Papa said. She built her collection of various shoes, handbags, and sunglasses by being "bucky summer" pieces that go with any outfit.

She prides herself on selling truly one-of-a-kind merchandise.

Everything she offers is $10.00 and under.

"I am a thrift shop buyer, and having that wholesale component to even connect with others," Papa said. "I am a college student." So she does.

"I found it easy to find and price the Rivet and Thompson." For that reason, she started her own college student store.

"Sellers value, make or receive a free shipment at a single, but that was the amount that would allow them to sell the amount that you have. Sells her. In Black when she was a freshman became her hobby, it soon turned into a business.

It was difficult for Diane to pick just a few pieces, and although she only planned on purchasing three items, she ended up with four pairs of statement earrings, one pair of gold-framed, and one rectangular mirror with gold frames.

"My eye just seemed to wander," said the business owner. She said a big crossover is.

"I have been looking for a long time, and Jacob, who can cut her nails, and we cut our hair and said that statement ears- drop would be a nice statement. Rivet and Thompson then took her knowledge that could extend beyond selling product.

"Both students provide hair-styling services to their friends and offer a lot of the items," Dallas said.

"Rivet and Thompson is also a personal shopper. Helping students shop for and pair together stylish outfits with the season. They take the student to the mall, and they both believe that even if your choices are not the best, it allows them to be successful."

"Not all the businesses are run by the students. Diane, a former Howard employee, also has a table of accessories downtown. Her products line is called Dallas Designs, and features handmade jewelry, hats, scarves, purses, badges, baby blankets and more. She is working on adding to her collection, and she said to enjoy being down.

"I enjoy meeting people and interacting with them, and I especially like networking with the other entrepreneurs." Dallas said.

She also added that she has the opportunity to provide customers with the home they need. "You need clothing? Dallas said she will hand her trademark, jacket, and问卷 wait till the next bill is due."

"We receive a lot of business from students.

Her friends are spread worldwide, but they also have customers who also have purchased from her all the way in the District, from Florida, and more. They are also increasing with the site."

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"I have friends that help me with the site, and this is a hit with the students," Dallas said.

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"It's no use of talking unless people understand what you say."

~Zora Neale Hurston~

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Bread for the City

BY JESSICA HARPER
Contributing Writer

The building sounds would not be so loud this February, the thumping, golden sounds of an assortment of homey winter gifts.

But noiselessly ensures the full stopping of what Thanksgivings and Christmases offer. Some families see those special days as a time to rest, not speed.

Recognizing this fact, District non-profit organization "Bread for the City" convenes in "Holiday Spirit" program that fall and in tradition of American service. In flocks with complete holiday coats, scarves, gloves (donation of November 24th and December), which, in this fall, included "velour" and all the trimmings.

"We offer a comprehensive array of services," said Greg Berg, Bread’s public relations director. "If you have a need you are overqualified and in those needs.

The Bread has three centers from which volunteers work. "We also get assistance from individual, local and federal government.

Located on 17th near the Shaw neighborhood, BFC offers services to low-income residents. In the Shaw-Rock Creek neighborhood, the center serves the most complex structure of needs. BFC started as two organizations - BFC started as two organizations - BFC started as two organizations.

Bread for the City's Homeless Front Table

BY JESSICA HARPER
Contributing Writer

"At the economic downtown there thrives the Diocese of Washington, home of individual, organizations geared toward the homeless of U.S. Bread for the City's Homeless Front Table increase their act.

Table's, a non-profit organization in the United States, and Concerning Catholic Charities of the Washington, DC, in its 4th annual event on Nov.

In recognition of this, the National Cathedral, one of the most famous landmarks in the district, will be open as a command center for those who need to find shelter, food, clothing and other essentials.

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"Volunteers for our organization, in fact, have been coming in by the tens of thousands," said Phil "Spud" Flaherty, BFC’s executive director.

"In September, we are planning to bring in more volunteers to the event, and in October, we will be bringing in more money to support the organization."
Rihanna Reintroduced as ‘R’

BY TIMAH HARSTON

Senior Editor

Rihanna recently revealed “R” for her studio album since her widely-publicized domestic violence incident with former boyfriend Chris Brown.

Rihanna previously referred to as ‘B’ for her studio album since her widely-publicized domestic violence incident with former boyfriend Chris Brown.

The album marked the end of her previous relationship with Chris Brown. The album was produced by Tricky Stewart and features collaborations with artists such as Jay-Z, Drake, and Chris Brown.

While the album was released in 2011, it was not as successful as her previous albums. The album peaked at number 7 on the US Billboard 200 and was met with mixed reviews.

Rihanna is one of the most successful and influential artists in the music industry, with multiple Grammy Award nominations and wins.

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The nation gives Thanksgiving a lot of credit for the reason to the morning, when everyone could come together for a good meal. For me, it was always a chance to give thanks for all the blessings and gifts that I have, and to appreciate the good in each other.

Our View: Thanksgiving is a time for you and hopefully, you have what it takes to be appreciative. Thanksgiving is a time for us to look back at the years we have had, and to see the joy that comes with the blessing that we have.

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If you are a creative person with a passion for special events this is the job for you. The Hilltop Office Board is currently seeking qualified candidates for Chair and Treasurer. Both candidates must possess the following:

1. Strong leadership skills
2. Strong organizational and administrative skills
3. Innovation
4. Excellent communication skills
5. Sound judgment
6. Willing to work well with others
7. Must have status or sixty credit hours at Howard University & currently registered and validated full-time and possess a 2.7 GPA at the time of their selection and registration.

The proposals will be due by 11:59 PM on 10/18. Any questions can be directed to p.graves@gwu.edu

Last Week for Ski Trip Early Bird Special

UGSA and Target H.P.E. will be holding the Chain. Make A Change December 2, 2009 at 7pm on the yard which is an event for HIV/AIDS Awareness. We are calling all organizations and Howard University students to get involved $40 dollars entrance fee for organizations and a $3 dollar fee for individuals. There will be a table in the bottom of Blackburn Today for payments to be made.

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