

WELCOME TO OUR WORLD!

Empowered Girls of North Carolina Newsletter

Jan/Feb 2016



Welcome Back!!

A new year has begun. Parents have gone back to work. Students have gone back to school and Empowered Girls are bringing back #GirlsNightOut for our #PowerGirlsNC !!!!! So come out to unwind and mingle with other empowered girls!!! Volunteers welcomed.

In the meantime check out our new issue and see how we finished the year and see some awesome Black women featured for Black History Month!

February is also Heart Awareness Month, so tell a loved one you care about them and their heart health. Oh, and Happy Valentines Day!



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2016 CELEBRATING BLACK HISTORY MONTH

LOVELY BLACK
WOMEN WHO
DID IT FIRST

We Salute You



SUPPORT #POWERGIRLS

Happy Birthday to these wonderful women during Black History Month!!



Rosa Parks

Birthdate: February 4th

Civil Rights Activist

Best Known for not giving up her seat and being the "Mother" of the modern day Civil Rights Movement.

May you forever rest in paradise!



Alice Walker

Birthdate: February 9th

Pulitzer Prize Winning Author

Best Known for "The Color Purple"



Leotyne Price

Birthdate: February 10th

Award Winning Operatic Soprano

Best Known for the title role of Verdi's "Aida"



Toni Morrison

Birthdate: February 18th

Nobel and Pulitzer Prize Winning Author

Best Known works include "Songs of Solomon", "The Bluest Eye" and "Beloved"



Nina Simone

Birthdate: February 21st

Iconic (Jazz) singer, songwriter, pianist, arranger and civil rights activist



Marian Anderson

Birthdate: February 27th

First African American to perform with the New York Metropolitan Opera in 1955.

2015 November & December Photo Recap

Are you ready
for the
next
Girls Night
Out ?

Feb 19th

Every 3rd Friday

Time: 7—10pm

Parents be sure to
RSVP your girls for
Girl's Night Out !

Fun, food, games, raffle!

RSVP Here on evite
<http://evite.me/ja19xWz1ct>

@ Creative Center, 900
Sixteenth Street,
Greensboro, NC 27405

#GNO



Top photo: Our #PowerGirls donated to our Thanksgiving food drive to feed the less fortunate
Bottom right: On Nov 6th #PowerGirl Kazual was honored as a Senior and band member at Ben L Smith High School. #PowerGirl Geneva performed in the band. Also ran into #PowerGirl Angelica supporting her fellow PowerGirls

Bottom-left: Special shout out to #PowerGirl volunteer Michelle Lewis for her Walgreens toy donation.

Volunteers Needed for Girls' Night Out and Saturday Workshops

Empowered Girls of North Carolina enhances the lives of girls by providing programming that builds integrity, respect and self-worth.

Volunteer Training Sessions

Training dates:

February 13, 2016 - 10:00 to 11:30 am

The Creative Center

900 Sixteenth Street (near Church Street)
Greensboro, NC 27405

Empowered Girls volunteer training sessions will cover:

1. Empowered Girls Mission and Vision
2. Characteristics of programming Staff for a girl's organization
3. Characteristics of Programming Processes of a girls' organization
4. Characteristics of a girls program Environment
5. Overview of developmental stages of girls

Refreshments served .

Please Register Online on the events page

www.empoweredgirlsnc.org

Call 336.790.2763

Or email info@empoweredgirlsnc.org



#PowerGirlsNC Highlight:

Name: Ashley Miner

Hometown: Milwaukee, WI

What makes you a #PowerGirl?

Being connected to this wonderful organization makes me a #PowerGirl. What adds to it, is my resilience. I refuse to give up on the things that I want. No matter how many times I stop, or how hard things get, I always come back to finish what I start!



You can Always Donate to #EGNCScholarshipfund

Donations are always welcomed and much needed! We are a community organization who deeply appreciates the support, emotional, spiritual and charitable, of our community. Won't you help us to achieve our mission of enhancing the quality of girls' lives by providing programming that builds integrity, respect and self-worth? If you feel able please donate to help support a girl. We have college sponsor programs, are always in need of supplies for our girls, need money to continue programming and other needs.

You can donate quickly with PayPal!

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