

SMOOTH JAZZ AND R&B MUSIC FESTIVAL AT THE BELMONT IN DOWNTOWN AUSTIN

By Glynnis Woolridge & Naomi Richard

AUSTIN, TX - Indie Saxophonist and International sensation C. Murphy (Charmin Murphy) will bring her captivating sound to the Smooth Jazz and R&B Music Festival on Friday, June 22, 2018 at The Belmont, located at 305 West 6th Street in downtown Austin, Texas. Doors open at 8:00pm, and the show begins at 8:30pm. Tickets to the Smooth Jazz and R&B Music Festival start at \$30.00 and are available now at www.cmurphysax.com or at The Belmont on the night of the event.

C. Murphy will perform music from her recently-released project, *Eminence*, featuring vocalist extraordinaire Nikki Ross; Smooth Jazz Bassist, Julian Vaughn; and critically acclaimed singer, Doobie Powell. These artists will join C. Murphy at the festival, treating listeners to the first live performance of music from *Eminence*.



“Get ready, Austin – the Smooth Jazz and R&B Music Festival will be fire! Each artist’s performance will stir your soul and have you on your feet from beginning to end,” said Murphy. “I’ve been blessed to travel the world and perform alongside some of the music industry’s most talented artists, but nothing beats performing in my home

state!” Performing since the age of 12, Houston native C. Murphy has worked with top artists in the genres of Pop, R&B, Gospel and Jazz. She has shared the stage and opened for notable Jazz musicians Norman Brown and Richard Elliot. She also opened for R&B greats Howard Hewitt, Carl Thomas, Tank and LeToya

Lockett.

Nikki L. Ross is a native Houstonian and a creative genius who not only has the gift of song, but also writes and arranges music for artists, performances and theatrical productions. Doobie Powell is a recording artist, producer, singer, songwriter, composer and multi-faceted musician credited for recording three critically acclaimed albums.

Dynamic bass player Julian Vaughn tops the Billboard Jazz charts. Vaughn tours across the U.S. and abroad in Dubai, Nairobi, Italy and Germany.

This year’s Smooth Jazz and R&B Music Festival artists bring a versatility to the stage that is equally soulful and sensual, guaranteed to please anyone who loves great music. As a bonus, tickets to the Smooth Jazz and R&B Music Festival at The Belmont include entrance to the official festival afterparty, starting at 11:00pm.

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Building Sisterly Bonds on the Path to 2020

The Alpha Kappa Zeta Chapter of Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Incorporated, will host the 89th Southern Region Executive Board Meeting and Youth Retreat June 7 – 9, 2018. The theme of the event is “Building Sisterly Bonds on the Path to 2020” which highlights the sorority’s principle of SISTERHOOD and the growing excitement as the organization approaches its 100 year Centennial Celebration. The Executive Board Meeting will be held at the Hilton Airport and the primary activities for the Youth Retreat will be located on the cam-



Mary B. Wright – 24th International President of Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Incorporated

Wesley UMC to host 42nd Ushers’ Annual

By Arlene L. Youngblood | VILLAGER Contributor

On Sunday, June 10, 2018 at 3:30 p.m., the Wesley United Methodist Church Usher Board will host its 42nd Ushers’ Annual in the Main Sanctuary at 1164 San Bernard. Featured guest speaker is Dr. Rev. B. W. McClendon, Sr., pastor of St. James Missionary Baptist Church – Austin, Texas. This year’s theme is “We Serve by God’s Grace” with 1 Peter 4:10 as supportive scripture. Sister Pamela Sherman is President of the Wesley Usher Board and the Rev. Sylvester E. Chase, Jr. is Senior Pastor of Wesley UMC. Please come worship with us on this special occasion. The



Dr. B. W. McClendon, Sr. Pastor of St. James Missionary Baptist Church – Austin, Texas

public is invited. For more information, contact the church office by calling 512/478-7007, email thesdeskofwesley@sbcglobal.net or go to <http://wesleyunited.org>.

pus of Huston-Tillotson University. Members of Zeta Phi Beta Sorority from Texas and Louisiana will attend workshops, business sessions, an awards luncheon and a rededication ceremony. The youth will participate in oratorical contests, mock elections, robotics competitions and a talent show. The public is invited to attend a reception on Friday, June 8, 2018 at 8 p.m. in the ballroom of the Hilton Airport. The theme is “Celebrating the Wright Administration” in honor of the International President, Mrs. Mary Breaux Wright, and the Sisterhood Awards Public Program highlighting the achievements of women in our community. The Regional Director is Kay Jones Rosebure of Houston, Texas, and the president of the local graduate chapter is LaTanya Tatum Logan.

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