The
Arts
of
BLACK
Chicago

a directory

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From the Editor...

The Arts of BLACK Chicago is a reference guide to bring greater visibility to the culture and arts of the Black community. There are about 1.5 million Black people in Chicago, including several thousands active cultural workers and artists.

The ABC Directory is necessary because there is no general guide to the creative cultural arts of the Black community.

This directory is an expression of the self-determination of the Black community.. We hope that it helps guide more people to patronize Black cultural programs.

The Arts of BLACK Chicago is a directory of the cultural resources that currently exist.

These are mainly groups that were founded in the 1960's or later, although there are key institutions with long standing records of cultural and artistic excellence.

We have included a Latino section because there is an important and necessary connection between these cultures. There are Black people throughout the Americas, and virtually all art forms, especially music and dance, reflect African roots. This is not only true of Brazil and Cuba, but includes Puerto Rico, Mexico, Central America, and the Caribbean.

Our purpose is to increase the patronage of the cultural organizations included in this directory and in this way help to sustain and further develop the arts activity of the Black community.

thank you

African American Arts
Alliance of Chicago
Mitchell Caton
Larry Crowe
Geraldine De Haas
George Gilmer
Vanessa Greene
Deborah Gunn
James Hollis
David Johnson
Dwayne Johnson
Lawrence Kinison
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Nilaqa Nyonu
Sterling Plump
Jon Pounds
Norma Ramirez
Jean Rankin
Jim Taylor
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VIVIAN HARSH COLLECTION

This is the home of the Vivian Harsh Collection, the major special archive of Afro American resources in Chicago. Vivian Harsh was a leading Black librarian who built a major collection at the famous Hall branch of The Chicago Public Library.

THE NEW REGAL THEATRE

This is the rebirth of a major institution founded in the 1920's. The New Regal Theatre is the major independent Black institution for pop culture, especially nationally known performers. The leading force behind The New Regal Theatre is Ed Gardner.

THE CHICAGO DEFENDER

A major Black newspaper that has helped shape public opinion in the Black community for over 50 years. This is one of the major Black newspapers in the U.S.A. The Defender was founded by Robert Abbott, and is now run by his nephew, John Sengstacke.

21st CENTURY BOOKS AND PUBLICATIONS

Founded in August 1988, this bookstore, community information center specializes in radical Black and third world publications, with lots of imports. A full inventory of books on the Black experience is featured along with films, book reviews, author receptions, and literacy classes.

THE WOODSHOP GALLERY

One of the oldest art galleries specializing in Black art, including a full scale facility for custom framing. A warm unique community art store.

Summer 1988
Music

Blues

BRADY’S LIQUORS & LOUNGE
525 E. 47th St.
tel. 536-6326

MR. BURNSIDE COCKTAIL LOUNGE
9348 S. Cottage Grove.
tel. 224-0744
TH. LIVE ENTERTAINMENT

NEW CHECKERBOARD LOUNGE
423 E. 43rd St.
tel. 624-3240

CUDDLE INN
5317 S. Ashland Ave.
tel. 778-1999
FRI., SAT. LIVE ENTERTAINMENT

EAST OF THE RYAN
914 E. 79th St.
tel. 874-1500

Jazz

MR. A’S LOUNGE
643 E. 47th St.
tel. 373-9454

CLOSE UP PIANO BAR
537 S. Dearborn St.
tel. 663-0439

GOOCHIE
15200 Dixie Hwy.
Harvey, IL.
tel. 596-1454
TH. LIVE ENTERTAINMENT

JAZZ SHOWCASE @ BLACKSTONE
636 S. Michigan Ave.
tel. 427-4300

THE LIVING ROOM
744 E. 83rd St
tel. 846-4160

GERRI’S PALM TAVERN
446 E. 47th St.
tel. 373-6292

JUST US LOUNGE
624 E. 47th St.
tel. 536-2868
TH. LIVE ENTERTAINMENT

MAXWELL STREET MARKET
14th & Halsted Streets
Sunday 8am - 3pm

MICHELLE’S LOUNGE
5453 W. Madison Ave.
tel. 261-9440
TH.-SU. LIVE ENTERTAINMENT

NEW RAVEN LOUNGE
8822 S. Stony Island Ave.
tel. 374-6010

VERIE’S
4310 S. Prairie Ave.
tel. 624-2902

MR. NAILS
15652 Dixie Hwy.
Harvey, IL.
tel. 331-8832
MON., WED. LIVE ENTERTAINMENT

MY FRIENDS PLACE
10815 S. Michigan Ave.
tel. 264-6336
MON. LIVE ENTERTAINMENT

NEW APARTMENT LOUNGE
504 E. 75th St.
tel. 483-7728

NEW ENTERPRISE LOUNGE
639 E. 75th St.
tel. 483-2600
SUN. LIVE ENTERTAINMENT

THE OTHER PLACE
377 E. 75th St.
tel. 874-5476

VALENTINOS
14647 Dixie Hwy.
Harvey, IL.
tel. 385-1171
SUN. LIVE ENTERTAINMENT
**Pop**

**CHICRICK HOUSE**
2512 S. Michigan Ave.
tel. 326-1515

**COTTON CLUB**
1710 S. Michigan Ave.
tel. 341-9787

**HEROES SPORTS BAR & GRILL**
2347 S. Michigan Ave.
tel. 326-3201

**TASTE ENTERTAINMENT CENTER**
6331 S. Lowe St.
tel. 873-6700

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**Jazz & Blues on Radio**

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**AKA**
6259 N. Broadway Ave.
tel. 274-6657

**CARIBBEAN VILLAGE**
1706 E. 75th St.
tel. 363-3065

**CONQUERING LION RECORD STORE**
849 E. 79th St.
tel. 873-0680

**EXEDUS**
3477 N. Clark St.
tel. 348-3998

**GREAT NIGHTS CLUB**
6641 N. Clark St.
tel. 973-2008

**NEGRIL**
6232 N. Broadway Ave.
tel. 761-4133

**WILD HARE SINGING ARMADILLO FROG SANCTUARY**
3530 N. Clark St.
tel. 327-0800

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**Reggae & Calypso**

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ALPARA FILM & VIDEO PRODUCTIONS  
7401 N. Damen Ave.  
tel. 338-7006

BLACKLIGHT FILM FESTIVAL  
53 W. Jackson Blvd.  
tel. 922-7771

COMMUNITY FILM WORKSHOP  
1130 S. Wabash Ave.  
tel. 427-1245

LAKESHORE FILM & T.V. PRODUCTIONS  
P.O. Box 2764  
Homewood, IL. 60430  
tel. 206-1513

MERCHANT/JOHNSON-COCHRAN FILM GROUP  
553 N. Glenwood Ave.  
tel. 275-4207

WOODSON FILM, INC.  
700 N. Green St.  
tel. 226-1425

CENTRAL CITY PRODUCTIONS  
435 N. Michigan Ave., #1120  
tel. 222-9012

HARPO PRODUCTIONS  
35 E. Wacker Dr., #1782  
tel. 580-1950

BEVERLY PRICE COMPANY  
230 N. Michigan Ave., #1100  
tel. 443-1103

AFRO SCHOLAR NEWSLETTER  
21st Century Books & Publications  
P.O. Box 80335  
tel. 538-2188

BLACK PRESS INSTITUTE  
7917 S. Exchange Ave.  
tel. 375-8200

BLACKSTAGE  
AAAC NEWSLETTER  
7558 S. South Chicago Ave  
tel. 285-5100

CHICAGO METRO NEWS  
2600 S. Michigan Ave.  
tel. 842-5950

THE CHICAGO DEFENDER  
2400 S. Michigan Ave  
tel. 225-2400

DOLLARS AND SENSE  
7853 S. Stony Island Ave.  
tel. 375-6800

FINAL CALL  
P.O. Box 20083  
tel. 881-8172

JAM SESSIONS PUBLICATIONS INTERNATIONAL, LTD.  
P.O. Box 158274  
tel. 536-0786

JAZZ AND BLUES NEWS  
520 N. Michigan Ave., #615  
tel. 943-0008

MUHAMMAD NEWS  
P.O. Box 3791  
tel. 667-3468

THE NKRUMAIST  
P.O. Box 4746  
tel. 334-7894

PAN AFRICAN ROOTS  
334 E. 37th St.  
tel. 373-2644

The Arts of BLACK Chicago
Galleries

GALLERIE AMERICANA
770 N. LaSalle St.
tel. 337-2670

HOLSUM ROC CAFE
2360 N. Clybourn Ave.
tel. 883-8746

ISOBEL NEAL GALLERY LTD.
200 W. Superior St., #200
tel. 744-1575

NICOLE GALLERY
734 N. Wells St.
tel. 787-7716

SOUTH SHORE BANK GALLERY
7054 S. Jeffery Blvd.
tel. 288-1000

SOUTHSIDE COMMUNITY ART CENTER
3831 S. Michigan Ave.
tel. 373-1026

SPECIAL THINGS GALLERY, INC.
1405 Greenleaf Ave.
Evanston, IL 60202
tel. 869-8887

WINDOW TO AFRICA
5210 S. Harper Ave.
tel. 955-7742

THE WOODSHOP GALLERY
441 E. 75th St.
tel. 994-6666

Literary Arts

AFRO AM PUBLISHING CO.
819 S. Wabash Ave.
tel. 922-1147

AFRICAN AMERICAN IMAGES
9204 S. Commercial Ave.
tel. 375-9682

JOHNSON PUBLISHING CO.
820 S. Michigan Ave.
tel. 322-9200

KEMETIC INSTITUTE
700 E. Oakwood Blvd.
tel. 268-7500

ORGANIZATION OF BLACK AMERICAN CULTURE
700 E. Oakwood Blvd.
tel. 268-7500 ext. 157

PATH PRESS
53 W. Jackson Blvd.
tel. 663-0167

SABYAT
5441 S. Kenwood Ave.
tel. 667-2227

THIRD WORLD PRESS
7524 S. Cottage Grove
tel. 651-0700

21st CENTURY BOOKS AND PUBLICATIONS
P.O. Box 803351
tel. 538-2188

URBAN RESEARCH INSTITUTE
840 E. 87th St.
tel. 994-7200

Video Productions

JO VIDEO, INC.
650 Hinman Ave., #3A
Evanston, IL.
tel. 328-5852

LORGENE PRODUCTIONS
612 N. Michigan Ave., #409
tel. 664-4287

BOOKSTORES

AFRICAN AMERICAN BOOK CENTER
7524 S. Cottage Grove Ave.
tel. 651-0700

21st CENTURY BOOKS
607 E. Muddy Waters Dr.
(43rd St.)
tel. 538-2188

Summer 1988
The culture of African American people is a profound contribution to world culture. The cauldron for this culture is Africa's confrontation with Europe, structured by urbanization, and industrialization, as well as the constant revolution of science and technology. The diversity of this culture ranges from "low down" on Saturday night to "on high" Sunday morning. And yet, there are universal cultural codes such as rhythm, improvisation, and the color red. As Black culture has spread it has helped all Americans have a more honest self-understanding.

Ultimately, cultural meaning goes beyond reason to how you feel about life. Black peoples' greatest cultural asset is the honest passion of their expression. There is a specific ethos of getting to the point in love or war, a dynamic affirmation of human sexuality and political ideology. This is the experience of an oppressed people sustaining themselves through a culture that affirms life.

Music is the art/cultural form that has had the continuity and mass participation to attain the highest level of expression, from Gospel to the Blues. And yet all art forms flourish when cultural workers and patrons of community productions cooperate and support each other. Black arts activity are also enjoying a high level of professional excellence after years of experimentation and discovery.

Chicago

Art has been produced at a high level in Black Chicago. During the 20th century key figures have spear headed stylist innovation. There have been many: Thomas Dorsey redefined Gospel music, Muddy Waters led a whole generation of Blues musicians, Walter Dyett taught several generations of Jazz musicians at DuSable High School, Marion Perkins set high standards as a master sculptor, and Hoyt Fuller nurtured a generation of writers. Black women have made outstanding contributions, especially veterans such as Margaret Burroughs and Gwendolyn Brooks.

The two overall cultural high points have been in the 1940's and the 1960's during which entire schools of cultural style, philosophy, and community organization emerged. The first was around the literary and political views of Richard Wright. The Harlem Renaissance was in the 1920's, while Black Chicago had one in the 1940's: Coming out of the social struggles of the depression and World War II, Wright led other writers and artists to boldly attack the problems facing Black people, to use cultural expression to probe the deeper meanings of life, and to prod community forces toward change.

During the 1960's, there was a cultural explosion in Chicago. The music had been stimulated by the experimentation of the genius Sun Ra, and placed on a unique organizational basis by musicians such as Muhal Richard Abrams, Phil Cohran, and Curtis Ellis. The visual arts were greatly stimulated by the collective effort to create the first great mural of this period, "The Mighty Wall of Respect". OBAC led the literary forces, and Oscar Brown, Jr. was one of several outstanding voices in the theatre.
ETA CREATIVE ARTS FOUNDATION

Since 1979, the ETA Creative Arts Foundation has been transforming this building into a major cultural facility. Led by Abena Joan Brown, ETA is a unique theatre because they specialize in original productions.

INSTITUTE OF POSITIVE EDUCATION

This is a multi-faceted cultural facility that includes an independent private Black school, a publishing company, and a bookstore. Led by Haki Mahubuthi, IPE has been a major cultural institution for over 20 years.

SOUTHSIDE COMMUNITY ART CENTER

This is the only remaining institution originally funded by the W.P.A. The last 5 generations of Black Artists in Chicago have been nurtured here. The current chairperson is Atty. Lawrence Kinnon.

JOHNSON PUBLISHING COMPANY

This is the corporate headquarters of the largest Black cultural corporation in the U.S.A. In this building are the editorial offices of several publications including Jet and Ebony. Public tours are available by appointment.

THE DU SABLE MUSEUM OF AFRICAN AMERICAN HISTORY

This is a major center for exhibits and a variety of cultural program, including films, speakers, gala fests, and children's programs. Named after the Black founder of the city of Chicago, this museum has the most extensive collection of historical materials on Black people in Chicago.
Theatre

ALARINJO THEATRE
P.O. Box 491
Maywood, IL.
tel. 681-3518

BLACK ENSEMBLE THEATRE
4520 N. Beacon
tel. 334-7167

CHICAGO THEATRE COMPANY
500 E. 67th St.
tel. 493-1305

CHOCOLATE CHIPS CO.
Kennedy King College, #369E
6800 S. Wentworth Ave.
tel. 375-2826

CREATIVE IMAGES PUPPET THEATRE
10126 S. 84th Terrace
Palos Hills, IL.
tel. 599-2824

ETA CREATIVE ARTS FOUNDATION
7558 S. South Chicago Ave.
tel. 752-3955

IN GOOD COMPANY
7000 S. South Shore Dr.
tel. 752-5104

KUUMBA THEATRE CO.
Office: 343 S. Dearborn St.
tel. 461-9000
Theatre: Malcolm X College
1900 W. Van Buren St.
tel. 461-9000

LAMONT ZENO THEATRE
1512 S. Pulaski Rd.
tel. 277-9582

Dance

ALYO CHILDREN'S DANCE THEATRE
C/o Shore Nuff Dance Studio
6746 S. Stony Island Ave.
tel. 723-7752

DARLENE BLACKBURN DANCERS
7148 S. Green St.
tel. 488-2504

DJALAAL & THE WOMEN OF THE VEIL
6823 S. Michigan Ave.
tel. 472-6550

JOEL HALL DANCERS
3340 N. Clark St.
tel. 880-1002

JOSEPH HOLMES DANCE THEATRE
735 W. Sheridan Rd.
tel. 724-1089, 975-3505

KOFI JANTUAH DANCERS
7144 S. Green St.
tel. 651-8784

N. AFRICAN DANCE EXPERIENCE
5306 S. Cornell Ave.
tel. 346-0572

MUNTU DANCE THEATRE
706 E. 51st St.
tel. 285-1721

NAJWA DANCE CORPS.
414 W. Goethe
tel. 664-7943

JIMMY PAYNE & COMPANY
C/o Boulevard Arts Center
1824 W. Garfield Blvd.
tel. 476-4900

JULIAN SWAIN DANCE THEATRE
813 Sunnyside Dr.
tel. 488-1713

WATO SETA DANCE CO.
P.O. Box 37-7966
tel. 288-2059

WEST INDIAN FOLK DANCE CO.
6938 S. Paxton Ave.
tel. 331-9177

The Arts of BLACK Chicago
Public Art

ANOTHERS TIMES VOICE REMEMBERS MY PASSIONS HUMANITY, 1979
Mitchell Caton, Calvin Jones
39th St. & Michigan Ave.

A TIME TO UNITE, 1976
Mitchell Caton, Calvin Jones, Justin DeVan
41st St. & Drexel Blvd.

BLACK WOMEN EMERGING, 1977
Justin DeVan
4120 S. Cottage Grove Ave.

BROTHERHOOD, 1954
Weiner
St Joseph Hospital
Diversy Pkwy & Sheridan Rd.

BUILDERS OF THE CULTURAL PRESENT, 1982
Mitchell Caton, Calvin Jones
71st St. & Jeffery Blvd.

CHILDHOOD IS WITHOUT PREJUDICE, 1977
William Walker
56th St. & Stony Island Ave.

FOUR GENERATIONS, 1987
Mitchell Caton
Frederick Douglas Branch
Chicago Public Library

FOX BOX HYBRID, 1979
Richard Hunt
900-910 N. Lake Shore Dr.

FROM HERE TO THERE, 1975
Richard Hunt
MLK Community Service Center
43rd St. & Cottage Grove

THE HISTORY OF HARVEY, IL., 1985
Mitchell Caton, & Youth Workshop
154th St. & Center Ave.

GOLD COAST, 1954
Bernard (Tony) Rosenthal
1000 N. Lake Shore Dr.

GRAFFITI, 1981
William Walker
55th St. & Indiana Ave.

HISTORY OF THE PACKINGHOUSE WORKER, 1974
William Walker
4859 S. Wabash Ave.

I HAVE A DREAM, 1978
Abbott Pattison
Chicago State University
9500 S. M.L.King, Jr. Dr.

IN DEFENSE OF IGNORANCE, 1977
Mitchell Caton, Calvin Jones
82nd St. & Ashland Ave.

JACOB'S LADDER, 1977
Richard Hunt
Carter G. Woodson Regional Library
9525 S. Halsted St.

MY BONDAGE, MY FREEDOM, 1985
Mitchell Caton
Frederick Douglas Branch
Chicago Public Library

ORISHA WALL, 1987
Muneer Bahauddeen
55th St. & Lake Park Ave.

OUR KING, DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR., 1973
Geraldine McCullough
MLK Apartments
W. Madison Ave. @ Kedzie Ave.

OUR WAY OF LIFE, 1984
Mitchell Caton & Youth Workshop
155th St.
Harvey, IL.

REAGONOMICS, 1982
William Walker
47th St. & Champlain Ave.

SHADOWS THAT LIVE, 1985
Mitchell Caton, Nii Oti Zambezi
24th St. & Michigan Ave.

STARS OF THE SUNBURNT WEST, 1975
University of Il., Chicago
801 S. Morgan St.

VICTORY, WW I BLACK SOLDIER'S MEMORIAL, 1927,1936
Leonard Crunelle
35th St. & M.L.King, Jr.Dr.

THE WALL OF DAYDREAMING & MAN'S INHUMANITY TO MEN, 1975
Mitchell Caton, William Walker, Santi Isrowuthakul
47th St. & Calumet

THE WALL OF LOVE, 1971
William Walker
South Side Community Art Center
3831 S. Michigan Ave.
June

SUMMER '88 JUNE

3-JULY 2

NICOLE GALLERY
Melbourne Gunn, oil paintings Haitian artists, multi-media
734 N. Wells St.
tel. 787-7716

5-JULY 1

GALLERIE AMERICANA
Richard Hunt, Christobal, Louise Juste
770 N. LaSalle St.
tel. 723-1762

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DANCE NIGHT
African American Arts Alliance
Katherine Dunham Theatre
Kennedy King College
6800 S. Wentworth Ave.
tel. 288-5100

10-12

BLUES FESTIVAL
Grant Park
Patillo Music Shell
Jackson Blvd. & Cannon Dr.
tel. 744-3315

10-JULY 18

ISOBEL NEAL GALLERY LTD.
Emma Amos, paintings
Munier Bahaudiiden, sculpture
200 W. Superior St., #200
944-1570

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PUERTO RICAN PARADE
Clark St., Wacker Dr to Congress Blvd.
tel. 292-1414

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THEATRE NIGHT
African American Arts Alliance
Black Ensemble Co.
4520 N. Beacon St.
tel. 288-5100

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MUSIC NIGHT
African American Arts Alliance
ETA Creative Arts Foundation
7658 S. South Chicago Ave.
tel. 288-6100

July

JULY

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PROMONTORY POINT JAZZ FESTIVAL
55th St. and Lake Michigan
tel. 324-6178

4-JULY 28

GALLERIE AMERICANA
St. Soleil Group of Haiti,
Diego Rivera, Rufino Tamayo,
Wilfredo Lam
770 N. LaSalle St.
tel. 723-1762

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W. 79TH ST. STREET FAIR
Liberty Temple Parking Lot
2233 W. 79th St.
tel. 778-3112, 778-3000

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WHEN GOOD NEIGHBORS GET TOGETHER
South Shore Cultural Center
71st St. & S. Shore Dr.
tel. 684-4610

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TASTE OF GARFIELD
Kildare Ave. & Washington
tel. 722-8334

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CULTURE MIX INNER CITY ETHNIC NEIGHBORHOOD FESTIVAL
South Shore Cultural Center
71st St. & S. Shore Dr.
tel. 752-0512

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EVANSTON ETHNIC ARTS FESTIVAL
Daw's Park
Sheridan Rd. & Church St.
Evanston, IL.
tel. 491-0266

22-24

VIVA MEXICO FESTIVAL
Navy Pier
600 E. Grand Ave.
tel. 772-2244

August

AUGUST

5-7

FIESTA DEL SOL
Blue Island Ave.
18th & 21st Sts.
tel. 566-2633

26-27

MORGAN PARK ROOTS 12TH ANNUAL HOMECOMING FESTIVAL
ADA PARK
11250 S. Ada St.
tel. 239-0358

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OLD TIMERS OF LILYDALE ANNUAL FESTIVAL & PICNIC
Abbott Park
49 E. 95th St.

EL FIESTA BORICUA
Roberto Clemente High School Park
1147 N. Western Ave.
tel. 489-4533

6-7

JAZZ UNITES '88
South Shore Cultural Center
71st St. & South Shore Dr.
tel. 667-2707

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NORTH LAWNDALE COMMUNITY REUNION
Douglas Park
Sacramento & 14th St.
tel. 826-8150

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BUD BILLIEN DAY PARADE
Martin Luther King Dr.
39th St. to Washington Park
tel. 225-2400

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MIDWEST COMMUNITY COUNCIL NEIGHBORHOOD TOGETHERNESS FESTIVAL
Garfield Park Gazebo Area
Central Park Ave. & Madison
tel. 826-2244

PUBLIC ART/LANDMARKS continued

WALL OF BLACK SAINTS, 1972
Louis Boyd
Holy Angels School
545 E. Oakwood Blvd.

WALL OF INFLUENCES, 1971
William Walker & Youth
Florence Price School
43rd St. & Drexel Blvd.

UNTITLED, 1980
William Walker
Dorothy Gautreax School
132nd St. & Ellis Ave.

LANDMARKS

PAUL QUINN CHAPEL
2401 S. Wabash Ave.
1892 designated 8/31/77
SITE OF UNDERGROUND RAILROAD

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The Arts of BLACK Chicago
LITERATURE NIGHT
African American Arts Alliance
Center for Inner City Studies
700 E. Oakwood Blvd.
tel. 288-5100

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GOSPEL FESTIVAL
Grant Park
Petillo Band Shell
Columbus & Jackson Drs.
tel. 744-3315

LAKE MEADOWS ART FAIR
Lake Meadows Shopping Center
31st & 82nd L.King, Jr. Dr.
tel. 787-8848

ST. BERNARD’S CARNIVAL
St. Bernard Catholic Church
340 W. 66th St.
tel. 873-4464

CHILDREN’S DAY FESTIVAL
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