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PREVIEW EVENTS

PREVIEW CONCERT AND CONVERSATION



Tuesday, June 17 6:30pm

Preview featuring performances and a conversation with industry luminaries:

Warryn Campbell CEO, My Block Inc.

Kierra Sheard National Gospel Recording Artist, Karew Records

John J. Thompson Creative Director, Capitol CMG Publishing

In partnership with The Recording Academy.

Limited seating available, RSVP by June 10 to chicago@grammy.com

Chicago Cultural Center Claudia Cassidy Theater 78 E. Washington St.

THE CHICAGO GOSPEL 5K RUN & WALK POST-RACE EVENT

Saturday, June 21 9am

Featuring performances and family activities.

Post-race activities are free and open to the public.

For more information visit gospelrun.com

Jackson Park 6401 S. Stony Island Ave.

JUBILEE SHOWCASE

Tuesday, June 24 6pm

Film features rare performances from the local Emmy award-winning Chicago gospel music television show that aired from 1963-1984.

Discussion with Director/Producer Steven Ordover will follow.

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CHICAGO CULTURAL CENTER

78 E. WASHINGTON STREET

FRIDAY JUNE 27 PRESTON BRADLEY HALL

- 11am Tiff Joy
- 11:30am Lorie Smith
- Noon Ami Rushes
- 12:30pm Keshia McFarland
- 1pm The Cast of Motown The Musical
- 1:30pm James Hudson
- 2pm Chaun Pritchett and Right Spirit Ministries
- 2:30pm Witness
- 3pm GREGG and F.R.I.E.N.D.S
- 3:30pm Adrian B. King and Company

FOOD TRUCKS

Chicago Cultural Center food & beverages will be available for sale from:



PORKCHOP

AT THE EVENT IN ELLIS PARK

A HISTORIC TOUR OF BRONZEVILLE

On Saturday, June 28 join us for a **FREE** historic tour of Bronzeville. This narrated 60-minute tour highlights the rich history of this south side community and its role in the birth of Gospel Music – through Ebenezer Baptist Church, First Church of Deliverance and Pilgrim Baptist, plus information on the Great Migration, “Black Belt” and the community’s connection to the Civil War and Civil Rights Movement.

Trolleys depart and return from the festival site every half hour, starting at 12:30pm. The final trolley will depart at 3:30pm.

**Boarding will begin 15 minutes prior to departure.

(Space is limited and seats will be filed on a first come, first served basis.)

ELLIS PARK

37TH & COTTAGE GROVE

Festival opens at 11am

SATURDAY JUNE 28 DAY STAGE

- Noon Tyrone Block & LSD
- 12:30pm Lady LaVarna Hubbard the Duchess of Gospel
- 1pm Verbal Kwest
- 1:30pm “Chicago’s Next” featuring Corey Barksdale, Jason Miller & Change Ministry, and Tone Ross & Inspired
- 2:10pm Pastor Daniel Smith & NSMIC
- 2:40pm Kevin Vasser
- 3:10pm Byrant Jones & Chosen
- 3:40pm Tobbi & Tommi
- 4:15pm Kevin Lemons & Higher Calling

MAIN STAGE

- 5pm McDonald’s presents INSPIRATION CELEBRATION GOSPEL TOUR featuring Erica Campbell, Kurt Carr, Mississippi Mass Choir, Anthony Brown & Group TherAPy, Uncle Reece, Moses Tyson, Jr. and Jonathan Slocumb

SUNDAY JUNE 29 DAY STAGE

- Noon Andre Crittenden & The L.A.W.
- 12:30pm Souls of Salvation
- 1pm Jewell & Converted
- 1:30pm Jamel Michael Lewis
- 2pm DeWayne Woods
- 2:30pm Terrell Edwards & Empowered
- 3pm Tasha Page Lockhart
- 3:30pm A Celebration of Gospel, Spanning Generations featuring the Lowe, Robinson and Thurston Families
- 4:25pm Reuben Burton & The Victory Travelers

MAIN STAGE

- 5pm Tribute to Dr. Charles G. Hayes featuring Pastor Derail Smith & the Dr. Charles G. Hayes Reunion Choir and Elder DeAndre Patterson
- 5:45pm Karen Clark Sheard
- 6:45pm VaShawn Mitchell & Tasha Cobbs
- 7:45pm Tye Tribbett

*Schedule is subject to change.



TYRONE BLOCK & LSD

KIDS ACTIVITY ZONE 11am-6pm

Activities include arts & crafts, roaming entertainment, inflatable bounce houses and more! Appearances by McDonald’s characters.

HEALTH & WELLNESS OASIS 11am-5pm

Participants will be able to receive FREE health screenings including diabetes, blood pressure and body mass index; gather health information on asthma, sarcoidosis, and nutrition; enroll in free classes for smoking cessation, heart failure and diabetes. For qualified residents, navigators will be there to enroll Participants in County Care which has more than 200 participating private and County site locations. In partnership with the Cook County Health and Hospitals System, the health oasis will also act as a first aid station. All visiting participants will receive FREE health life style giveaways.

ART FAIR & MARKETPLACE 11am-8pm

Shop with vendors offering a wide array of products including jewelry, crafts, natural handcrafted bath & body products, and more.

COMMUNITY PARTNERS 11am-6pm

Visit with community partners - individuals, faith communities, businesses, schools and organizations - that are committed to helping to enhance the quality of life for the residents of Chicago.

FOOD & BEVERAGE 11am-8pm

Ellis Park food & beverages will be available for sale from:



Saturday Food Trucks:



Sunday Food Trucks:



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Take CTA to Ellis Park via bus routes #3 King Drive, #4 Cottage Grove and #35 - 31st/35th or ride the Green or Red Line trains to 35th and walk or take the #35 east to the park.

For travel information and CTA, Metra and Pace schedules, call the RTA Travel Information Center at 312.836.7000 or visit rtachicago.com



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