



Blue Notes



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Bachelor Auction Update



Ladies, the men have stepped up to the plate and **over 35 bachelors have volunteered to participate** in our 3rd annual auction. Your bid at the Thurgood Marshall Auction on **Wednesday, August 12th** will mean that more young people will have an opportunity for higher education. You'll also **win a fabulous date!** Everyone can help by buying a **\$5.00 raffle ticket** to win a free cruise on Festival at Sea 2010. If 2800 people buy one ticket each we could raise **\$14,000.00**. You can bring an item to donate to our Silent Auction which will start on Wednesday. Together we can make a difference.

FUEL SURCHARGE REFUND ON BOARD THE VICTORY

Currently it appears that the \$63.00 per person fuel surcharge on-board the **Victory will be returned to you in full.** However, per our contract with Carnival, we will not know the exact refund until July 9th which is after this publication date. We'll let you know in our FAS FACTS final Newsletter about the details of the refund which will be issued as an on board credit.



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Michelle's Glory



African Connection

A Toast to Festival at Sea 2009 Cruisers!

The Entertainment is set, the DJ's are ready and Festival at Sea 2009 is only about one month away. **Over 2800 people from all over the United States and even as far away as England** are getting ready for this celebration of African American Culture. This is a tradition that began 18 years ago and has gotten bigger and better every year. Once again, **we'd like to thank everyone for making this another sold out year.** Festival at Sea is a unique cruise and the Blue World Staff and Festival at Sea committee have planned all kinds of activities to insure we have another outstanding sailing. The Carnival Cruise Staff is also ready to make sure everything is perfect. You'll never go hungry because there is **breakfast** in the dining room as well as an endless buffet with made to order omelets on the Lido Deck. **Lunch** on Lido

Deck is an incredible display of dining areas where you can get everything from Burgers, Chinese Food, Hot Deli Sandwiches, carved meats, pastas, salads, pizza and much more. You can also have lunch in the dining room on Sea Days. **Dinner** is a full 5 course menu that will dazzle your taste buds. If you are somehow still hungry, there is always the late night buffets, and the 24 hour pizza and room service. Finally, in honor of our historic election of Barack Obama, **Carnival Bar Manager Anthony Layne** has created three special cocktails as a tribute. The Obamatina, Michelle's Glory and the African Connection will be available onboard. Of course, you can always order an **Island Ike!** So here's a toast to welcome you to Festival at Sea 2009! See you onboard!



Passport Requirement Update

On June 1, 2009, the Western Hemisphere Travel Initiative issued a ruling allowing leniency for U.S. and Canadian citizens taking "closed-loop" cruises i.e. sailings that both originate and terminate in the same U.S. port. Passengers will not be required to have a passport but will need proof of citizenship such as an original or certified birth certificate, as well as a government-issued photo ID. Children will be required to carry a birth certificate and those over the age of 15 must also have a photo ID. Although a passport is not required for "closed loop" cruises, we strongly recommend all guests travel with a passport (valid for at least six months beyond completion of travel). **Having a passport will enable guests to fly from the U.S. to a foreign port in the event they miss their scheduled embarkation** or to fly back to the U.S. if you need to disembark the ship mid-cruise due to an emergency. **ALL guests need valid proof of citizenship in order to travel and failure to present valid documents at check in will result in denied boarding and no refund will be issued.**

ASK IKE: FAS 101



Regina Goins from Washington DC wants to know!

Which airport should we fly into? You should fly into the San Juan airport. Airport code is SJU. The cost to fly into San Juan is different from various cities. You can call our office and one of our agents will be glad to book your flights. Our fee is \$35.00 to book an airline ticket.

How far is the cruise from the airport? The

cruise port is about 15-20 minutes from the airport depending on traffic.

What is the cost? Is there a shuttle bus?

The taxi cost is about \$23.00 for a taxi to the pier plus \$1.00 per piece of luggage. It is customary to tip the taxi driver a few dollars also. You really don't need a shuttle bus since two people can split a taxi for about \$11.50 per person.

What time can we start getting on the ship?

You can officially begin boarding the ship at 1pm, however, sometimes they are able to let you on as early as 12:00 noon.

Is there a meeting point before getting on the cruise? There is not a meeting point before getting on the cruise, however, some people are taking the pre cruise package and we do have a party at the Marriott on Saturday night. **Is there a cost to get on the ship?**

There is no cost to get on the ship, however, when you take the taxi to the ship you will need to get a porter at the pier who will take your luggage from the sidewalk to the pier. (not far but you will still need the porter) You will need to tip your porter \$1.00 to \$1.50 per piece of luggage.

Is there a cost for getting off the cruise? There is no cost to get off of the ship, however, when you identify

your luggage in the pier area after the cruise you will need to get a porter to take your luggage to the taxi area. You will then tip him \$1.00 to \$1.50 per piece of luggage. After you get to the airport, the taxi driver will drop you off and there will be an agriculture inspection scanner that each piece of luggage will go through. If you get a porter at the airport who takes you through this area and then into the airport to check your luggage, they will expect \$1.50 to \$2.00 per piece of luggage. So all of the porter tips add up but at least you will know in advance to have \$5.00 to \$10.00 in one dollar bills to take care of these costs.

Remembering Michael Jackson

Many of you have requested that we do something to honor the life and music of Michael Jackson. So we're working on dedicating Tuesday Night in the clubs to Michael and his music. We'll have Michael Jackson Dance Contests in all clubs so wear your white or glitter glove and white sox and show us if you are "BAD"!

Gospel Sing with Freda*

As a tradition, we always have a gospel sing on the last afternoon of the cruise. This year we are proud to welcome Freda* (**Lady Alfred Lyons-Campbell**) who serves as Music Minister of the Berkeley Mount Zion Missionary Baptist Church in Berkeley California. Freda* **has ministered and sung in various venues all over the United**

States. She also can be heard on a variety of CDs for various artists. She is gifted in the Word of God and speaks to various organizations and Women's Groups, as well as Music Ministries.

Freda* wants our Festival at Sea passengers to know that she is "looking forward to this cruise and to being a blessing to those that will be attending the church service and the Gospel Concert."



Ticket Less Documents

Where's my Stuff?

Your cruise documentation will be "ticket less". For your cruise documents you will receive a written confirmation 10 to 14 days prior to your departure which will include your **Carnival Booking Number**, FAS Facts Newsletter detailing instructions on boarding the ship and your Children's Book Drive Stickers to put in the book you are going to donate. You will use your booking number to go online and register in advance with Carnival for Homeland Security and print your "fun pass" and luggage tags. Forget about those useless booklets that can get lost in the mail. All you will need to check in is your valid proof of citizenship and your government issued photo identification. No hassle, and no lost documents.



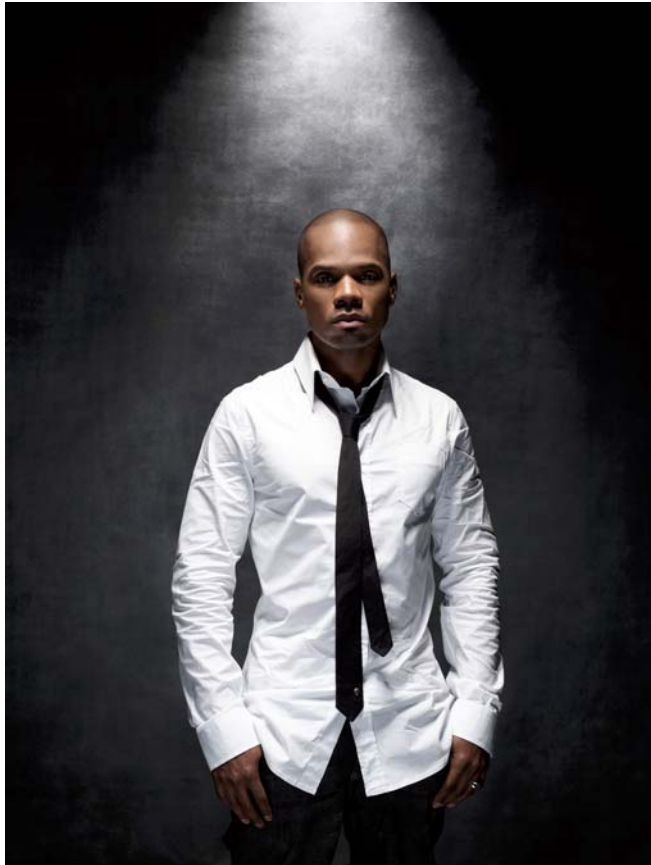
Invoice Information Alert

Please take time to look at your invoice. If anything is incorrect we need to know immediately. In addition to your name being spelled accurately, your invoice shows if you have purchased the pre-cruise package. After documents are issued, **a fee of \$100.00 will be charged to change your reservation.**



FAS VARIETY

Blue World Travel Presents



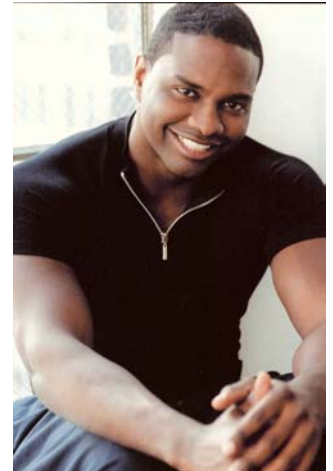
Kirk Franklin

Before the arrival of **Kirk Franklin** in 1993, contemporary gospel music leaned toward inspirational quiet storm – ‘positive’ messages alluding to Jesus and a righteous walk of faith set to lightly groovin’ tracks that appealed primarily to adults. Upon the arrival of Kirk Franklin, the music and the culture of contemporary Christianity got an energy boost that could give Red Bull a run for its money! Injecting a vigorous and youthful excitement to faith-walking, Kirk Franklin made it cool to be Christian, placing Godly messages in the same heavy rotation as other urban pop music. Over the last 14 years **with hits such as “Stomp;” “Whatcha Lookin’ For;” “Looking for You;” “Revolution;” and “Lean on Me,”** Kirk ascended to the upper echelons of gospel and pop. Beyond the music, he’s a highly exalted example of a man who achieved success without selling his soul (literally or figuratively) or his integrity. His messages now inhabit books, an upcoming movie, and he even hosts his own BET talent search program, “Sunday Best.” The Lord has blessed Kirk Franklin to be not only a commercial success – **the biggest selling gospel artist in Soundscan** (Continued on Page 4)

COMEDY Triple Play!



Alonzo Bodden



Rodney Laney



Jay Lamont

Monday Night is going to be a Comedy Explosion including three of the funniest comedians in the USA. **Alonzo Bodden was the winner of Season 3 of NBC’s “Last Comic Standing”** His movie credits include “Scary Movie 4” “**Bringing Down the House**”, and “**The Girl Next Door**”. His TV credits include Angel, Grounded for Life and the Profiler. Alonzo has also been a regular field correspondent on “The Tonight Show with Jay Leno”. Alonzo’s dry wit has been making audiences (Continued on page 4)

Jazzing it up In the Lounges and Poolside

Guymon Ensley and GEQ



Guymon Ensley

Guy formed GEQ in 2001 and at a time when jazz groups are short lived, GEQ is still kickin' it. Since the release of their first **CD entitled, HEAR PUT THIS ON**, the band has had four major tours under their belt. Best of all they love Festival at Sea and will once again join us for the 2009 cruise. Look for **Guy, Phil Lesky, Pete McCallister, Jeff Ponders II, and Ibrahim Jones** to Jazz things up in the Ionion Club and Poolside. Welcome back Guys!

Kevin K on the Keyboard



Kevin K

Starting piano at age two, music was a natural of this California native. By age 21, Kevin began touring with prominent California bands. With a diverse taste for music including Jazz, Reggae, Blues and Top 40, Kevin has emerged as a **successful solo Smooth Jazz artist performing his mostly original music** at many of the Golden State's top jazz and supper clubs. He has 6 CD's under his belt and you're going to love his **awesome Smooth Jazz sound**. Look for Kevin in the Lobby Bar and Poolside. Welcome to FAS 09 Kevin!

Also Appearing....



Eric Benét



Stephanie Mills



Comedian Host
AJ Jamal



Your FAS Host:

**Timothy
Alexander
White**

Comedy Triple Play (from Page 3)

Kirk Franklin (from Page 3)

history with over **12 million albums sold and over 20 #1 singles at Gospel radio, plus 5 Grammy Awards; an American Music Award; 34 Stellar Awards (gospel); 12 Dove Awards (CCM); 4 NAACP Awards; 2 BET Music Awards, and a Soul Train Award on his mantle** – he is a hero and example to anyone who thinks their life is beyond redemption. To hear his testimony is to hear that of a man who's risen from the bleakest streets to the highest heights. Deeper still, he understands that the literal fight of his life is a battle done daily. For me success is very personal," Kirk concludes. "This January (2008), I will have been married 12 years. I have kids that know me and love me. I'm not only married, I'm happily married (check the verse in "I Like Me" where he speaks on that)! I'm a Black man in my 30s still hungry for The Lord and still hungry for God to knock down the stuff I see in me that still ain't right. That's the thinking I choose to keep in close contact with in terms of how I define 'success.' I've been working on me - and there's a lot more work to be done." Blue World Travel is proud to welcome Kirk Franklin on Festival at Sea 2009.

laugh all over the country and is excited about performing on Festival at Sea 2009. Also appearing is **Jay Lamont** who has opened for some of the biggest names in the industry such as the great Luther Vandross, Maze featuring Frankie Beverly, D.L. Hugley, Steve Harvey, Tommy Davidson, and Cedric the Entertainer. You'll be amazed at what he does with musical impersonations. **Unbelievably funny with a talent for old school music.** Jay will have you rolling in the aisles. Rounding off the night is **Rodney Laney** who has completed pilots for Comedy Central, MTV, A&E and has been seen on **HBO, Fox News Channel's "Red Eye", The Late Show with Craig Ferguson,** CBS, Comedy Central's **"Premium Blend," and in London on the BBC's "The World Stands Up."** These three guys are going to **bring down the house with their own unique brand of "clean comedy".**

Puttin' You In Motion on the Ocean

Whether you're dancing in the clubs or poolside on the Lido Deck, this is the crew that is going to keep you movin' and groovin' on Festival at Sea. We've got Phil Wilson, the Crowd Motivator, along with DJ Greg Harris and Jerome "HD" Davis from the WIN Organization and the ever cool Al "Your Pal" Taylor **keeping the Old School Real**. Tayrok and DJ Styles will rock the house **every night with the latest sounds**. If you don't know how to move, you'll have plenty of time to learn how to **Chicago Step** with Stephen and Carolyn, **Swing Dance** with Edward Smith, **Salsa** with Wilbert McZeal, **Urban Ballroom Dance** with Mr. Smooth and Eddicia, and **Urban Line Dance** with Belinda Haywood. But wake up early, so you can keep in shape with Becky Singleton's **Funk Aerobics**, Belinda Haywood's **Gospelcise**, or Antoinette Holland's **African Dance Class**. Can't Dance? Then sing your heart out at **Black Karaoke** with Otis Steel. Whatever you choose to do, they'll be waiting for you.



The WIN Team
Jerome "HD" Davis,
The Great CM Phillip Wilson
& DJ Greg "The Taz" Harris



DJ Tayrok



DJ Styles



DJ Al "Your Pal" Taylor



Stephen Mathews



Carolyn Patterson



Edward Smith



Wilbert McZeal



Mr. Smooth



Becky Singleton



Belinda Haywood



Antoinette Holland



Otis Steel

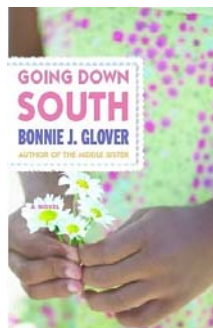


Blue World Travel welcomes the Hearne Fine Art Gallery of Little Rock, Arkansas to our 2009 Festival at Sea. Gallery owner, **Garbo Hearne**, invites you to “Give Art a Chance!” by commemorating your cruise experience with a unique, handmade piece of art! Hearne Fine Art is honored to join Festival at Sea 2009 to provide travelers with a one-of-a-kind art experience with a wood and textile exhibit and sale. The beautiful tapestry art of **Bisa Butler** and fifth-generation quilt maker **Phyllis Stephens** will be available for purchase in the library, as well as the exquisite dolls of **Tonia Mitchell**. The textile art of **Frank Frazier** and wood marquetry of **Gabriel Ajayi** will also be for sale! For a preview of these artists’ work and their biographies, please visit www.hearnefineart.com We’ll see you onboard!

Book Talk with NAACP Image Award Nominee

On Board Raffles

Festival at Sea welcomes **Bonnie J Glover** as our Book Talk author for Festival at Sea 2009. Her first novel, *THE MIDDLE SISTER*, received critical acclaim and was nominated for the International IMPAC Dublin Literary Award. This year we will feature Ms. Glover’s latest novel, *GOING DOWN SOUTH*, which was nominated for an NAACP IMAGE AWARD for Outstanding Literary Fiction. When fifteen-year-old Olivia Jean finds herself in the “family way,” her mother Daisy, whisks her away to her grandmother’s farm in Alabama to have the baby—even though Daisy and her mother, Birdie, have been estranged for years. When they arrive, Birdie lays down the law, Daisy will have to stay as well. One by one, they begin to lose their inhibitions and share their secrets. And as long-guarded truths emerge, a baby is born—a child with the power to turn these virtual strangers into a real, honest-to-goodness family. You can purchase the novel in advance or onboard where Bonnie will autograph your copy for you. **Book Talk will be on Wednesday, August 11th.**



We have three onboard raffles. The Thurgood Marshall Raffle is to **win a cruise for two** on Festival at Sea 2010. Tickets are sold onboard in hospitality and around the ship. The Ballerina Jewelry Raffle is for **jewelry** and you enter by dropping a ticket at their store on Monday August 10th in St Maarten. American Airlines also has a raffle for two roundtrip airline tickets to FAS 2010 for anyone who has a boarding pass with a AA frequent flyer number and turns it in onboard in hospitality.

FAS Checklist



As we count down to August 9th, we want to make sure you are prepared. **Group T-Shirts:** Our Group T-Shirt Day will be on Wednesday, a sea day. The Carnival Photographers take a picture of the entire ship, then if your group has a special T-Shirt and want to have a group photo, they will be happy to do so. **Online Tours:** You will be able to book tours online once you receive your booking number with your final documentation. Tours may also be purchased onboard from the shore excursion desk. **Golf Tournament:** You still have time to sign up to play in Barbados! Give us a call at 800-466-2719.

Ahneva’s Fashion Show: Ahneva still needs Dancers, Poets, Actors and Actresses for the African Adorned show. Sign up online. **Step Show:** Stomp the Deck show will be on Friday for all of you who belong to Frats or Sororities. Join your fellow brothers and sisters and show us your stuff. **African American Idol:** Come to Karaoke and sign up to show your talent. Selection for African American Idol which will be held on Saturday Night will be by our staff at Karaoke! **Choir:** You can still sign up for the choir and sing at our worship service. Rehearsal will be on Sunday night after dinner. **Children’s Book Drive:** Our book drive will benefit the Children of Antigua. Don’t forget to bring a children’s book with you to donate to the new library!

The Games People Play Onboard the Victory

FAS Kids & Teens

There are so many activities going on onboard you might need a scorecard to keep up with everything! However, we’re going to make it simple for you. Here are our activities.

Sign up in advance for: Golf Tournament, Renewal of Wedding Vows, FAS Choir, Ahneva Fashion Show, and Spoken Word.

Sign up at our Hospitality Desk onboard for: Bid Whist, Dominoes, Bingo, Family Feud, Love Connection, Speed Dating, Take this Deal or Leave It, Casino Tournament, Newlywed/Not so Newlywed Game, Dating Game and our Relationship Hat Chat.

Calling all parents of Kids and Teens. We will send out a special package highlighting all of the activities for your children. Carnival divides their programs by age groups. Camp Carnival levels are 2-5 years, 6-8 years, and 9-11 years. Circle “C” programs are for youths between 12 and 14 years old. Club O2 is for teens from 15-17 years old. Look for your Camp Carnival Kids information and Teens itinerary in the mail in the next few weeks.

There is always so much going on, it's almost impossible to do it all. Here is an abbreviated schedule of the many activities taking place on board. A final itinerary with activity times and locations will be sent with your final documents. In addition, the Carnival Capers Newsletter will be placed under your door every evening so you'll be able to check out all of the activities taking place each day.

August 9, Sunday-San Juan: Depart 10pm Attire:Casual Hospitality Open Daily Welcome Aboard Deck Party, 6:00 PM First Seating Dinner 8:15 Second Seating Dinner, The Cool Jazz Keyboard with **Kevin K**, Chicago Steppin' with Steven and Carolyn, Live Jazz with **GEQ**, Lifeboat Drill, Choir Rehearsal, Old School Dancing with Phil & Greg, Late Night with Al & Jerome, Singles Mixer with Al Your Pal, Camp Carnival Registration and Late Night Program Circle C and C 02 Youth Orientation, Gaming Lessons with Carnival Casino Staff-New School Club with Tayrok & DJ Styles, Midnight Karaoke with Otis Steel, Comedy Show with Carnival Comedian

August 10th, Monday- St. Maarten 10am – 6pm Attire: Cool White Night Kickboxing with Becky, Gospelcise with Belinda, African Dance Class with Antoinette, Hospitality Thurgood Marshall Auction Donations Drop off, Ahneva African Splendor Fashion Show Sign Ups, Worship Service-with Reverend Armstrong, Senior Bingo, Electric Slide Freeze Competition with WIN TEAM,Urban Line Dancing with Belinda, Senior Mixer with Al Your Pal, Chicago Steppin' with Steven & Carolyn, **Performance: COMEDY TRIPLE PLAY with: Jay Lamont, Alonzo Bodden & Rodney Laney**, Black Jack Tournament with Carnival Casino Staff, Poolside Karaoke with Otis Steel, Pre Deck Party Salsa Lessons with Wilbert McZeal, Pre Deck Party Swing, Steppin and Urban Ballroom Dancing, Cool White Night Deck Party

August 11th, Tuesday, Tortolal/Virgin Gorda 7am-5pm Attire: Resort Casual/Michael Jackson Night Sports Training with Becky, Gospelcise with Belinda, African Dance Class with Antoinette, Bible Study, Ahneva Fashion Show Clothing Selection, Hospitality & Thurgood Marshall Drop Offs, Bid Whist and Dominoes Free Play –Promenade, Poolside Music and Activities with Carnival Staff, Poolside Kool Jazz Keyboard with Kevin K, Chess Players Free Play, Urban Ballroom Dancing w/ Eddicia Lewis featuring Mr. Smooth, Senior Down Home Blues Mixer w/ Al Your Pal, Auction Bachelors Meet, The Marriage Game with Carnival Staff, Swing Dance Lessons with Edward Smith, **Performance: Kirk Franklin**, Chicago Steppin' with Steven & Carolyn, Guymon Ensley & **GEQ**, Michael Jackson Tribute Night in the Clubs with Phil and Greg, Jerome and Al Your Pal, Tayrok & DJ Styles, Swing, Steppin' & Urban Ballroom Dancing, Spoken Word with Ahneva Ahneva-Irish Sea Piano Bar, On Deck Big Screen Movie Concert, Midnight Karaoke with Otis Steel

August 12th, Wednesday, at Sea Attire Formal Inaugural Ball Funk Aerobics with Becky, Gospelcise with Belinda, African Dance Class with Antoinette, Hospitality, Thurgood Marshall Silent Auction Bidding Begins, Bible Study, Noon Salsa Lessons with Wilbert McZeal, Golf Meeting for Golf Tournament Members, Book Talk, Group Photo Session, Family Feud Session, Fashion Show Rehearsal #1, Business Networking "How to Pay for College", Slot Tournament with Carnival Casino Staff, Thurgood Marshall Bachelor Auction, Bid Whist Tournament, Hula Hoop Demonstration with Michelle James, Business Networking for Business Owners, BJ Hawkins & E Lamont Cosby, **GEQ Performs** Poolside, Urban Line Dancing with Belinda, Captain's Cocktail Party, **Performance: Eric Benét**, Cool Jazz Keyboard w/Kevin K, Chicago Steppin' with Steven & Carolyn, Gospel Karaoke w/ Fred, Marcus and Alfreda, Carnival Band Plays, Big Screen Movie Concert on Deck, Open Floor Steppin', Swing, & Urban Ballroom Dancing, Club Dancing with Phil, Greg, Jerome and Al Your Pal, Club Dancing with Tayrok & DJ Styles, Speed Dating

August 13th, Thursday, Barbados 7am – 4pm Attire: Wild Kingdom Safari Golf Tournament, Kick Boxing with Becky, Gospelcise with Belinda, African Dance Class with Antoinette, Hospitality, Thurgood Marshall Silent Auction Bidding Continues, Poolside Music and Activities, Salsa Lessons with Wilbert McZeal Cool Jazz Keyboard with **Kevin K**, Relationship Hat Chat, Urban Line Dancing, **Performance: Stephanie Mills**, Black Jack Tournament with Carnival Casino Staff, Urban Ballroom Dancing with Mr. Smooth & Eddicia, Gospel Piano Singing with Fred, Marcus & Alfreda, Wild Kingdom Safari Deck Party, Midnight Karaoke

August 14th, Friday, Antigua 9am – 6pm Attire: Formal African Attire Sports Conditioning with Becky, Gospelcise with Belinda, African Dance Class with Antoinette, Hospitality, Thurgood Marshall Silent Auction Bidding, Ahneva Ahneva Fashion Show Rehearsal #2, Children's Book Donation, Take this Deal or Leave It! Game, Wedding Vow Renewal, **Performance: The Comedy of AJ Jamal**, **Ahneva Ahneva African Adornment Fashion Show, Jazz with GEQ**, Swing, Step & Urban Ballroom Dancing with Mr. Smooth and Eddicia, Club Dancing with Phil, Greg, Jerome & Al Your Pal, Open Floor Swing, Steppin' and Urban Ballroom Dancing, Midnight Salsa with Wilbert McZeal, Midnight Karaoke with Otis Steel, Midnight Reggae Pool Party with DJ Tayrok & DJ Styles

August 15th Saturday At Sea Attire: Daytime: Obama T-Shirt Day, Night Time: Resort Casual Funk Aerobics w/ Yoga with Becky, Gospelcise with Belinda, African Dance Class with Antoinette, Hospitality-RoomThurgood Marshall Auction Item Pick-up & Raffle Ticket Sales, Bible Study, Salsa & Line Dancing with Wilbert McZeal Business Networking for Individuals -BJ Hawkins & E Lamont Cosby, American Airlines AAdvantage Raffle, Ballerina Jewelry Raffle Prize Giveaway, Slot Tournament with Carnival Casino Staff, Family Feud #2, "STOMP THE DECK" Frat Steppin' with Kevin & WIN TEAM, Dominoes Tournament, Gospel Sing with Alfreda Campbell, Grandparents Tea, **Poolside Jazz with GEQ**, Walk for the Cure, Cool Jazz Keyboard with Kevin K, **African American Idol Talent Show** & Thurgood Marshall FAS Cruise Raffle, Dancing with Phil, Greg, Jerome and Al Your Pal, Late Night Big Screen Movie Under the Stars Club Dancing with Tayrok & DJ Styles, Karaoke with Otis Steel, Comedy Show with Carnival Comedian

Attire at a Glance

Black Movie Channel on TV
Secret Life of Bees, Meet Dave,
Cleaner, Be Kind Rewind, The List,
Sugar

Big Screen Concerts on Deck:
Etta James, Nat King Cole,
George Benson

Day	City	Attire
Sun	San Juan	Casual
Mon	St. Maarten	Cool White Linen Night
Tue	Tortola/Virgin Gorda	Resort Casual/Michael Jackson Night
Wed	At Sea	Formal Inaugural Ball
Thurs	Barbados	Wild Kingdom Safari
Fri	Antigua	African Attire Formal Night
Sat	At Sea	Obama T-Shirt Day/ Resort Casual Night



FAS Message Center

Blue World Travel would like to Congratulate all of the couples who are celebrating their Honeymoons and anniversaries on Festival at Sea 2009. **Sylvia & Henry Williams** celebrated 26 years of marriage on July 2nd. **Charles & Denise Booth's** 17th Wedding Anniversary will be on August 8th. **Shawne & Darnell Austin** are celebrating their 8th Anniversary on 8/18, Con-

Cupid's Arrow



gratulations to **Esther & Bill Snow** on their 10th Anniversary. **Akili & Kisha Jackson's** second Anniversary is on July 8th. **Paul Jackson and Sandra Carter** will celebrate their Honeymoon on Festival at Sea after their wedding on July 25th. **Tory & Tinarsha Brown** are celebrating Five years of marriage. **Edovic & Debra Livings** celebrating their 37th wedding Anniversary August 19th.

Willie and Martha Mason are celebrating 29 years of marriage. Best wishes to **Dorothy & Charles Harmon** who are celebrating 20 years of marriage on August 5th. **Patricia & Herbert Yarbrough** are celebrating 30 years of marriage. **Ronell & Dorothy Ellis** are celebrating 15 years of marriage in September. **Dorothy and Gregory Tilley** are celebrating their 23rd Anniversary. **Antonietta and Harvey McFarland** are celebrating their 5th Anniversary on August 7th.



Birthday Shout Outs

Wow, this cruise is going to be one big August birthday bash!

8/1 **Valerie McKeithan ,Felicia Daniels Terry, Ellysee Pierott,Veronica French** 8/2 **Merduice Reed, 8/3 Desmond Williams** 8/4 **Castilla Watson, Terence Brunson, 8/6 Denise Tucker ,Tristane Santa Lucia, Lionel Leake, Rhonda Thompson, 8/7 Makisha Wilson, Bonina Harris, Darlene Tibbs, 8/8 Michael Bennett, Dorothy Jackson-Smith, Bernell Davis,**

8/9 **Geneva Mixon-Peters, Dorothy Perry-Harmon , Aquisha Green, Yolanda Taylor, 8/10 Troy Cobby, Christian Jendrasak , LaShawn Henderson, Ester Snow, 8/11 Ursula Ross, Jacqueline Herron, 8/12 Patricia Okunnu, Denise Booth, Ms. Willie Cosby, Joseph Johnston, 8/13 Virginia Carr, Robert Anderson, Marva Drummond, Lisa Steel, 8/14 Russell Carey, Torey Smith, 8/15 Allen Goree, Tiffany Coffey, Ahyiana Deldridge-Owens, 8/16 Judy Felix, 8/18 George Mickles, Cortney Young, 8/19 Felicia Anderson, Vicki Benton, Otis Steel Jr., Sheree Wilson, 8/20 Louis Lacey, Charles Harmon Jr., 8/21 Linda Sloan, Reginald King, Gail White, 8/22 Arthur Windom, Sonny Eskridge,**

8/23 **Pamela Tyson , Brenda Rigsby, 8/24 Catherine Roberson, 8/25 Brandon Trice, Virginia Brooks, Latrice Joy Childress, 8/26 Yvette Sylvester Cynthia Fields, Shirley Fleming, 8/27 Kyla Lipford , Andrea Blackman, Mr. Alonza Brown, 8/28 Karen Thompson 8/29 Orguerete Eskridge, Delaina Swiney, 8/30 Shirley Y. Anderson, Claudia Da Silva, Devorah Morton, 8/31 Cornelia Jones, Jamir Davis, Gregory Reed, Rachelle Lawson, Jacynth Gillespie and Sylvia McCallum from the UK are celebrating their 50th birthdays, Deborah and Edovic Livings both celebrating their 61st Birthdays.**

Just under the August Radar:
7/29 **Margaret Bernard** 7/31, **Britney Freeman , Angel Sweeney**



Congratulations Graduates... Yes You Did!

We are so proud to make the following graduation announcements. We wish you continued success.

Middle & High School

Armahn Mooring graduated from middle school. **Kapree Edwards** graduating from High School and going to Pratt College majoring in fashion Design, **Claudia DaSilva** accepted to Univ. of Mass Amherst, **Arielle Tavares** was accepted to Bryant College. **Janielle Harden,** is graduating from High School, **Beniah Womble** graduating

from Frederick Douglas Academy and will be attending York College.

Shayla Price graduated from Chapparral High School in Parker, CO. **Greg Harris, Jr.** graduated from Tennyson High School. **Chantiel Harden** graduated from Tokay High School, **Monikkia White** graduated from high school and will be attending Cal State University Dominguez Hills.

University

Mia Vance is graduating from Cal State Fullerton in Criminal justice law studies. **Zara Madison** is graduating

from the University of Phoenix in Business Management. **Lionette Mays** graduating from University of Phoenix with Bachelors in Business Information Systems.

Post Graduate

Jamir Davis received his Masters in Rehabilitation Counseling. **Freda Monroe-Houchins** received her Masters of Science Degree from Indiana Wesleyan in Management. **Donna Calvin** received her PHD in nursing science from the University of Illinois **Dr. Sylvia Williams** just received her doctorate in May and just had a birthday!