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Kindergarten - 5th Grade

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Apostle E.D. Mondainé & Belief bring the history of jazz to local youth

Bringing Jazz History to Area Middle Schools

In honor of Black History Month and as part of this month's Portland Jazz Festival, the Portland Jazz Festival and the Leroy Vinnegar Jazz Institute of Portland State University are offering local middle schools an exciting musical history of jazz program, *The Incredible Journey of Jazz*. The program is offered to audiences in 6th, 7th, and 8th grades.

school audiences, and has received enthusiastic response from students and staff.

The Incredible Journey of Jazz promotes appreciation for the rich heritage of this American musical form. It is a one-hour program performed by six professional jazz musicians and educators, accompanied by a narrator and slide show.

The program, started in 2004, was developed by Darrell Grant, acclaimed jazz pianist and Associate Professor of Jazz Studies at PSU. It was written and composed specifically for middle

Guests performers include E.D. Mondaine & Belief. Mondaine, the founder of the 88 Keys Foundation and Musicians Make Better Students is an acclaimed vocalist, songwriter and pianist.

NAACP College Chapter Honors Black Men with Open House, Celebration

The NAACP College Chapter at Portland State University is welcoming the community to join them for a "We are the Dream" open house and celebration of black men.



The Black History Month event will place on Sunday, Feb. 27 from 4:30 p.m. to 8 p.m. at PSU's Hoffman Hall.

Darrell Millner performances.

Keynote speakers will be Dr. Darrell Millner, PSU black studies professor, and Rev. Pastor E.D. Mondaine from Celebration Tabernacle Church. The group will also be displaying African American music, dance and spoken words

Two Lewis & Clark Law School graduates and a Portland State University Social Work graduate will receive special recognition.

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