FIFTH ANNUAL
MOVING FORWARD TOGETHER
SECONDARY TRANSITION FAIR

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 25, 2013 | 10:00 AM – 3:00 PM

All DC schools are invited – DCPS, Charter, & Non-Public

Local middle and high schools serving DC students with IEPs, 504 plans, and disabilities are invited to bring their students to learn about how to successfully transition into employment, education, and independence.

Motivational Speaker

LAMONT CAREY
DC Spoken word Artist, Filmmaker/Playwright, & Author
(www.lamontcarey.com)

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SELF-ADVOCACY & TRANSITION WORKSHOP
Led by youth

INTERACTIVE SCAVENGER HUNT

SELF-_EXPRESSION WORKSHOP
Led by Lamont Carey. Limited availability.

TO REGISTER:
Visit www.dctransition.org
or contact Sarah Grime:
sarah.grime@schooltalkdc.org
or (202) 907-6887

LOCATION:
Martin Luther King Jr. Memorial Public Library
901 G Street NW,
Washington, DC

REGISTRATION DEADLINE: October 4, 2013
Please make reasonable requests for accommodations by October 4, 2013

Advanced registration is required. | There is no charge for the event. | Lunch is not provided; however, there is a room set aside for schools to eat and gather. Feel free to bring bag lunches.
SPECIAL ADDITION TO FRIDAY’S AGENDA:
SELF-EXPRESSION WORKSHOP*
Participants will learn how to channel their emotions through poetry. This will enable them to discover other options to solving problems as well as release some of the frustrations they may be dealing with. Participants will write poetry without focusing on poetic structure; thereby, allowing them the freedom to express their thoughts and ideas. This will also build confidence and a desire to share their work as well as provide them with a new way of expressing themselves openly. Poetry gives the voiceless a platform for self-expression.
*Limited Space Available. Registration is required.

LAMONT CAREY
Filmmaker, Spoken word Artist, Author, & Radio Personality

“I’m wise enough to know what it is I can’t do, but I’m intelligent enough to know I can learn how to do it.”

Lamont Carey, a native of Washington, DC, is an internationally known and award-winning spoken word artist, as well as a filmmaker/playwright, author, workshop facilitator, and motivational speaker. His ability to encourage and effect change has been experienced locally and internationally. In 2005, Mr. Carey began his career in the arts performing as a spoken word artist, earning him an appearance on HBO’s “Def Poetry Jam” and B.E.T.’s “Lyric Café”. In that same year, he formed LaCarey Entertainment, LLC which was instrumental in casting over 200 actors including himself on HBO’s series “The Wire”. Mr. Carey has also been featured on various radio shows including Washington D.C.’s WHUR, WPGC, WPFW and Canada’s KCUA as well as “The Michael Baisden Show” and “The Al Sharpton Show”.
In 2010, Mr. Carey embarked upon his career as a playwright and producer with two plays “Laws of the Street” (a play he is currently developing into a TV series) and “Learning to be a Mommy” both of which were performed at the John F. Kennedy Center’s “Terrace Theatre” in Washington, D.C. In addition to the TV series, Mr. Carey is also producing and directing a powerful documentary detailing the successful transition of four ex-offenders; a story with personal meaning to Mr. Carey.

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