

Around Town



The History Makers Founder & Executive Director Julianna Richardson (third from left) is flanked by Atlanta hosts for "An Evening with Nikki Giovanni Interviewed by Pearl Cleage" at Georgia Public Broadcasting before the show on June 18. With her are Event Co-Chair Steve Smith of WTBS, Event Co-Chair Evern Cooper Epps of UPS, Mistress of Ceremony Jocelyn Dorsey of WSB-TV, Honorary Chair Ingrid Saunders Jones of The Coca-Cola Company, Dorothy Herring of Georgia Power, Stephanie Hughley, executive producer of the National Black Arts Festival and Event Co-Chair Richard Holmes of Georgia Power. The interview will be broadcast on PBS later this year.




After the show, Atlanta hosts join Pearl Cleage (third from left) and Nikki Giovanni (third from right) for a photo opportunity. They are Steve Smith (from left) of WTBS, Ingrid Saunders Jones of The Coca-Cola Company, Black McDonald's Operators Leader Juliana Richardson of The History Makers, Richard Holmes of Georgia Power, Evern Cooper Epps of UPS and Nancy Hall, Interim Executive Director of Georgia Public Television, where the interview was taped. The History Makers is a nonprofit research and educational institution dedicated to preserving on videotape the personal stories of both well-known and unsung African Americans.




Atlanta Bureau of Cultural Affairs Director Camille Love





Tanya Coleman (from left), Director of Marketing for Publix Super Markets, enjoys The History Makers reception and fundraiser with Fulton County Commissioner Nancy Boxhill and Spelman College Women's Center Director Beverly Guy-Sheftall.




Atlanta Bureau of Cultural Affairs Director Camille Love (from left) joins Arts Patron Earlene Harris and Johnnie Booker of The Coca-Cola Company at The History Makers reception at Georgia Public Television.

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New True Colors Theater Company Board Member Owen Stephens and his wife Karon enjoy the reception following the 2005 Helen Hayes Awards in Washington D.C. The company's production of Tambourines To Glory in D.C. was nominated for five awards. This was the first production in D.C. for the new company.

Spoken word artists Charlotte Della Cain, Andrea L. Mills and Ariana Santiago join Pearl Cleage and Nikki Giovanni after the interview, which featured the young women reciting several poems written by Nikki Giovanni. The program will be broadcast on PBS television later this year.



Morehouse School of Medicine's Willie Clemons poses for the camera with his wife Leteria at the reception preceding The History Makers program with Pearl Cleage and Nikki Giovanni. The History Makers Atlanta and Southeast regional office is at 476 Auburn Avenue. For more information go to www.thehistorymakers.com.

