

20th Anniversary

Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.

2009 "Sharing the Dream" Celebration



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In partnership with Citi, Siemens, Wells Fargo Bank, Arlington Chamber of Commerce, Fielder Road Baptist Church, US Postal Service, Star-Telegram and Arlington Arts Alliance.

Friday, January 16, 2009 6:30 p.m.

"Sharing the Dream" Awards Banquet

UT Arlington Bluebonnet Ballroom
E. H. Hereford University Center
300 W. First Street

Awards banquet features presentations on the theme, "Caring, Connecting and Communicating in the Community." Introducing the winners of the MLK essay and art competitions. Also saluting the winners of the 2009 "Sharing the Dream" Awards with banquet host Dr. Barbara Odom-Wesley. Delta Sigma Theta Sorority will serve as ushers.

About the speakers: Ron Hall and Denver Moore have an unforgettable story to tell of faith, courage, triumph and friendship as authors of the best seller: *Same Kind of Different As Me*.



Before the banquet, join the MLK Celebration Committee for a Community Reception and Book Signing at 5:30 p.m. in the UT Arlington Art Gallery. Banquet Tickets \$30. Purchase online at www.UTATickets.com.

Banquet speakers are co-sponsored by the UT Arlington Office of the Provost

Saturday, January 17, 2009 11 a.m.

MLK "Sharing the Dream" Step-Off!

Bowie High School 2101 Highbank Dr.

Step teams compete for top honors with award winning performances that pay tribute to the civil rights movement and the legacy of Dr. King.

Entry fee is \$50 per team.

General admission is \$10; \$5 admission for elementary students and children under 5; Discounted \$5 pre-sale tickets by calling 682-867-7393.

Saturday, January 17, 2009 3:30 p.m.

"Sharing the Dream" Multicultural Festival

Tarrant County College
Southeast Campus
2100 Southeast Parkway in Arlington

International festival celebrates Arlington's rich, ethnic cultures with entertainment, cuisine, fashion, vendors and more. This event is hosted by Tarrant County College Southeast Campus. Featuring Community Host Robert Rivera. Admission is free.

Free Smart Money sessions

Celebrate the dream by pledging to be financially responsible. Explore concepts for building a financially secure future.

Saturday, January 17, 2009 7:30 p.m.

An Evening of Spoken Word Slam Poetry

UT Arlington Bluebonnet Ballroom
300 W. First Street

Back by popular demand! This event is hosted by the Fort Worth National Slam Poetry Team. Also features the winners of Spoken World/Slam Poetry Competitions from across the Metroplex. Open mic, live performances and refreshments. (Especially for adults age 18 and over). Tickets \$15. Purchase online at www.UTATickets.com or at the door.

Sunday, January 18, 2009 6 p.m.

Hubert Moss Memorial Ecumenical Service

First United Methodist Church
313 N. Center St.

It all began here 20 years ago at the First United Methodist Church when Arlington opened its doors for the first citywide "Sharing the Dream" Celebration. This service was later named for the Rev. Hubert Moss whose leadership inspired unity among the city's faith-based partners. The Rev. Michael Evans, pastor of Bethlehem Baptist church in Mansfield, will be the keynote speaker. Following the service, join Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc. for holiday refreshments in the Reception Hall.

Monday, January 19, 2009 7 p.m.

"Sharing the Dream" Youth Extravaganza

Metro Center on the campus of the
Fielder Road Baptist Church
1323 W. Pioneer Parkway

On this national holiday, under the direction of the Arlington ISD Department of Fine Arts, more than 500 youths from 14 area school choirs share Dr. King's dream in song and dance. Also featuring the winners of the student art, essay and step show competitions. Admission is free.

Congratulations! 2009 Winners

"Sharing the Dream" Essay Contest
First Place

Michael Schmidt, Senior, Lamar High School

"Sharing the Dream" Art Contest
First Place

Tu Vu, Senior, Bowie High School

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