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THE NEWSLETTER OF BLACK PR WIRE, INC.



Black PR Wire Spreads End of Year **Holiday Cheer**

As we prepare to celebrate Christmas, Black PR Wire would like to spread some end of the year holiday cheer.

In honor of the Christmas Season, Black PR Wire is wrapping up a special gift for you! During the month of December, we will provide you with a 15% discount off all services! This includes a broad range of services beyond press release distribution such as electronic newsletters and video messages, and video/audio releases, as well.

This is a special gift only for the month of December, so don't delay! Hurry and get your information to us right away! BPRW is ending the year with holiday cheer! Merry Christmas and may peace and blessings be bestowed unto you and yours!

To take advantage of this special offer, just use the promo code **BPRWCHEER** to receive the 15% discount when you make your online purchase. Or simply give us a call at **1-877-BLACKPR!**






DECEMBER is National Stress-Free Family Holiday Month



Well, the holidays are almost upon us! Although fun times, the holidays can be stressful with crowds, family tensions, hosting responsibilities, and the social pressure and economic strain of gift giving. Of course, we can't forget the fact that COVID-19 is still in our midst. For these reasons, December is fittingly recognized as "National Stress-Free Family Holiday Month."

Here are a few tips to avoid holiday stress:

-  Try not to be overly ambitious; eat healthy, exercise often and get enough sleep to stay in top condition.
-  Manage your finances; create a budget and try to stick to it in all circumstances.
-  Manage your time and don't try to do too much. It's the thought that counts and hopefully, your loved ones will still be touched.



Black PR Wire, Inc. is a premier news distribution service center that delivers to the very core and pulse of the Black community. The company holds a comprehensive listing of over 1,200

Black-owned publications and media, as well as provides services to social service and grassroots organizations and influential leaders throughout the United States and the Caribbean.

Plus, we provide our services in English and Creole. To find out more about Black PR Wire, Inc., call us toll free at 1-877-BlackPR or visit the website at: WWW.BLACKPRWIRE.COM.

"There is POWER in the Wire... At Black PR Wire, we distribute the news our media can use!"

POWER PROFILER



Nia DaCosta

Now (1979) sparked her interest in filmmaking. This led DaCosta to research 1970s film, where she found inspiration in directors such as Martin Scorsese, Sidney Lumet, Steven Spielberg, and Francis Ford Coppola. Citing Scorsese as a top inspiration, DaCosta enrolled at his alma mater, New York University Tisch School of the Arts. There, she met Scorsese while working as a TV production assistant.

In August 2020, it was revealed that DaCosta would be directing the upcoming Marvel Studios film *The Marvels*, the sequel to *Captain Marvel* (2019), after having initially approached them with a *Fantastic Four*/ *X-Men* crossover movie. It is currently scheduled to be released on February 17, 2023.

Nia DaCosta is a noted director and screenwriter. A native of Brooklyn, New York, she wrote and directed the crime thriller film *Little Woods* (2019), winning the Nora Ephron Prize at the Tribeca Film Festival. She also directed the horror film *Candyman* (2021). In August 2020, DaCosta was hired to direct *The Marvels*, becoming the youngest filmmaker to direct a Marvel film, beating the record set by Ryan Coogler.

Though DaCosta originally wanted to be a writer, her first viewing of *Apocalypse*



Kwanzaa is a week-long annual celebration that is celebrated by African Americans throughout the nation. We celebrate the seven principles—all designed to help us reach our pinnacle!

DAY 1 AND 2

Unity and self-determination are our concentrations.

DAY 3 AND 4

Collective work and responsibility and cooperative economics are at the core.

DAY 5

We focus on purpose to continue doing ourselves a great service.

DAY 6 AND 7

We focus on creativity and faith, determined not to let our foundation sway.

As we focus on all seven principles each and every day, let's celebrate family, community and culture in a unique way. Black PR Wire wishes much success for you. Merry Christmas, Happy Kwanzaa and blessings to each of you!

DECEMBER

This section is designed to keep you in the know and on the go. Check out some of the latest happenings in Black communities throughout the country this month.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

<p>01</p> <p>THE ROSA PARKS STORY With Angela Bassett/Virtual</p>	<p>01-31</p> <p>OBAMA PORTRAITS & BLACK AMERICAN PORTRAITS TOUR In-Person Event</p>	<p>01-31</p> <p>NO HUMANS INVOLVED Exhibit</p>	<p>04</p> <p>GOLD OVER AMERICA TOUR Virtual</p>	<p>04</p> <p>ORLANDO CULTURE FEST 2021 W/ DJ D NICE Quarantine OUTSIDE Experience/In-Person Event</p>
<p>09</p> <p>AMANDA GORMAN: CALL US WHAT WE CARRY Virtual Event</p>	<p>13</p> <p>CHICAGO'S BLACK WALL STREET AWARDS DINNER In-Person Event</p>	<p>18</p> <p>STEVIE WONDER'S HOUSE FULL OF TOYS CONCERT Concert</p>	<p>19</p> <p>COMING TO AMERICA BRUNCH In-Person Event</p>	<p>26</p> <p>CENTRAL FLORIDA'S KWANZAA CELEBRATION DAY 1 UMOJA - UNITY In-Person Event</p>

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