



NATIONAL COUSINS FAMILY REUNION

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National Chairman

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Sheila Brevard
*National Vice
Chairman*

Greetings Cousins,

Welcome back after extended summer vacation, we're hoping everyone is doing well and is COVID-19-free.

National Treasurer

As indicated in my July 30, 2022, communication, we take this opportunity to send kudos to the DC chapter for putting on a very good 51st cousins' virtual reunion. Thank you to all the participants, and a job well done.

Cheryl Hatton
National Secretary

At our October Executive Committee meeting, our ATL Cousins representative shared with us some exciting information relative to the Cousins June 2023 reunion. I hope you are making plans to be in attendance, as you don't want to miss our first face-to-face reunion in three years. Let's all support the ATL Cousins in their upcoming endeavors.

Sherri Sivels
National Historian

Our latest Scholarship winners Cousin Terell Reed and Cousin Talya Johnson received their scholarship last month of \$500.00 each, and we wish them continued success in their academic endeavors.

Clarke McGriff, D. Min
National Chaplain

The Annual Ways and Means Steering Committee meeting will be held next month, November 19, 2022, and we are asking you to prepare for that, all cousins are invited to attend however, voting on all recommendations submitted is restricted to the chapter delegates. The official delegate notice is forthcoming.

Gerald Brevard
*National
Parliamentarian*

The bylaws committee has been assembled; they will get underway to address the concerns from a constitutional/functional standpoint, during those times when a face-to-face reunion is not possible. Voting, membership, etc. will be addressed. The membership will be appraised on the latest developments.

Wyvetra Crawford
*National Youth
Coordinator*

We, want to thank cousin Wyvetra Crawford for her donation of \$155.00 (one hundred fifty-five dollars) to the scholarship fund and encourage all others to give. Remember that you can make your donations by using Cash App, (\$CousinsFR), check, or money order, please send to The Cousin Family Reunion, 9144 Grayfield Redford MI 48239. Thanking you in advance for all your donations and assistance.

Katherine Thompson
*National Youth
Scholarship Chairwoman*

The executive committee has organized an activity committee whose overall purpose and objective will be to develop various programs to support the vitality and functions of the organization. As a family member, this is your opportunity to share with the committee your suggestions and ideas so the committee can continue to move forward. Please send your suggestions to any member of the committee:

1. Vickie Boyd vickieboyd1@yahoo.com
2. Wyverta Crawford. wccraw@gmail.com
3. Kathy Thompson. sandsnow2@icloud.com

In closing, we take this opportunity to congratulate Sheila Brevard, our National Vice Chairperson for her recent accomplishments, and for ascending to the heights of a published Author: the title of her book "Under the Purple Sun" can be purchased on her website, sheilabrevard.com, or at either the following Amazon Link: <https://www.amazon.com/dp/B0B7QVHH6Q> or Barnes and Noble Link: <https://tinyurl.com/35tr22x5>. Nice work Sheila!

"Please remember that It's vitally important that you cast your vote in this midterm election." May God Bless.

Othniel
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