



Portrait of Harriet Tubman.
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HARRIET TUBMAN DAY
2nd Annual Washington, DC Commemoration
Theme: Celebrate to Educate

Friday, March 8, 2019

6:00 PM Light Reception | 7:00 PM Program

Charles Sumner School Museum and Archives
1201 17th Street, NW | Washington, DC

Presented by

Tina Wyatt

Founder, Washington, DC Harriet Tubman Day,
and thrice great grand-niece of Harriet Tubman

in honour of

Harriet Tubman (ca. 1820-1913):

Abolitionist | Underground Railroad Conductor

U.S. Civil War Nurse, Scout and Spy

Women's Suffrage Supporter | Humanitarian | International Icon

106th Anniversary of Tubman's Death (March 10, 1913)
158th Anniversary of the American Civil War (1861-1865)
National Women's History Month-March 2019
UN International Women's Day (March 8, 2019)

*Remembering Tubman and those:
victims of the slavery; who advocated for and abolished slavery;
who fought for freedom in the U.S. Civil War Union forces; enslaved persons freed*

FEATURING

Master of Ceremonies: Sam Ford, News Reporter/ DC Bureau Chief, ABC WJLA TV 7 News;
Co-Founder, National Association of Black Journalists.

Historical Overview: C.R. Gibbs, Author, Lecturer and Historian of the African Diaspora;
Author, *Black, Copper, & Bright: The District of Columbia's Black Civil War Regiment*

Keynote Address: Dr. Frank Smith, Jr., Founding Executive Director, African American Civil War Museum

Living History Interpretation: An excerpt of Harriet Tubman's Civil War Exploits,
portrayed by Eunice Seagraves, Heralds of Hope Theater; Silver Spring, MD

Music: All Souls Jubilee Singers, All Souls Church Unitarian, Lenard Starks, Director;
Peter Hanes, Vice President, DC Reading Is Fundamental, Inc., Piano

The event is free and open to the public. For more information contact:

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