



# The Most Worshipful Prince Hall Grand Lodge

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JURISDICTION OF MASSACHUSETTS

ORGANIZED 1808

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February 1<sup>st</sup>, 2010.

To all Members of the Prince Hall Family  
Greetings:

The Sixth Biennial Opening of African Lodge No. 459 will be held the weekend of April 22<sup>nd</sup>, 23<sup>rd</sup>, 24<sup>th</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup>, 2010. The symbolic Re-opening Ceremony is for Brothers only. This year's theme is "*Knock and it Shall Open*", Part II of the Among Brothers Trilogy. The Sisters and guests are cordially invited to join us for this play at 1:00 P.M. on Saturday, April 24<sup>th</sup>, 2010.

The Registration Fee is \$125.00 for registered African Lodge 459 Brothers only, which includes kit/bag; Raising on Friday, April 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2010 at 1:00 P.M.; the Re-opening Ceremony on Saturday, April 24<sup>th</sup>, at 10:00 A.M.; Karaoke Night, Thursday, April 22<sup>nd</sup> at 8:00 P.M.; Comedy Show, Fashion Show and Dance, on Friday night April 23<sup>rd</sup> at 9:00 P.M.; Live Entertainment and Dance on Saturday night, April 24<sup>th</sup>, at 9:00 P.M.; and Church Service on Sunday morning, April 25<sup>th</sup> at 10:45 A.M. at Mt. Calvary Holy Church. (See attached Registration Form).

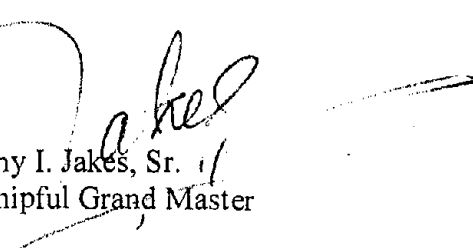
Additional tickets are available at a cost of \$15.00 for the Comedy Show, Fashion Show and Dance on Friday night, and \$20.00 for the Live Entertainment and Dance on Saturday night. Anyone interested in registering for the Comedy Show Contest please call 617-445-1145.

Extra activities for a separate fee will be a Golf Tournament on Friday morning April 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2010 at 8:00 A.M. Please contact Bro. Greg Hatton 617-744-0245 or Bro. Wayne Thomas 508-612-2126 for more information. On Friday, April 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2010 there will be a choice of three tours at a cost of \$30.00 each: the Prince Hall Heritage Tour at 8:30 A.M., a Casino Trip at 1:00 P.M., and a Shopping Trip to the Wrentham Premium Outlets at 1:00 P.M. (See attached Tour Form).

A Souvenir Journal Form is attached and we invite you to consider purchasing an advertisement to be a part of the memory book of this special occasion.

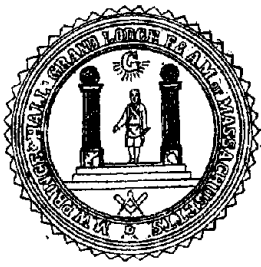
May God continue to bless each and everyone and we hope to see you there.

Fraternally,

  
Bro. Anthony I. Jakes, Sr.  
Most Worshipful Grand Master



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## PROCLAMATION

HEAR YE!!!

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TO THE BROTHERS OF THE M.W.P.H.G.L., F.& A.M., JURISDICTION OF MASSACHUSETTS, BROTHERS OF AFRICAN LODGE No. 459 AND BROTHERS OF THE PARTICIPATING JURISDICTIONS

**A CELEBRATION OF PRINCE HALL & AFRICAN LODGE No. 459  
To Benefit Prince Hall Masons Worldwide**

**April 24, 2010**

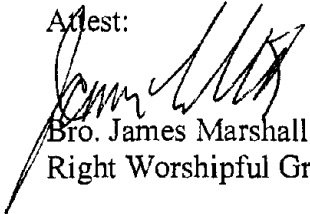
Greetings:

I, Anthony I. Jakes, Sr., by the power vested in me as the Most Worshipful Grand Master of the Most Worshipful Prince Hall Grand Lodge, Jurisdiction of Massachusetts, do hereby proclaim the 24<sup>th</sup> day of April 2010, a day of celebration in honor of our first Most Worshipful Grand Master, Prince Hall, and African Lodge No. 459 of Boston, Massachusetts, the birthplace of Prince Hall Masonry, where it all began. Prince Hall Masonry is the oldest Black Fraternal Organization. An appropriate program will be conducted for this memorable weekend. In addition, our acclaimed Charter of African Lodge No. 459 will be on display for our registered members and guests.

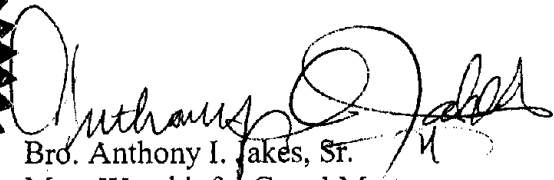
African Lodge No. 459 will open promptly at 10:00 A.M. Saturday, April 24, 2010 in our Masonic Temple, with M.W.G.M. Bro. Dr. Gregory R. Smith, Sr. of New York in the South, M.W.G.M. Bro. Charles A. Bishop of Pennsylvania in the West, and I will preside in the East.

Take due notice thereof and govern yourself accordingly. Issued under my hand and sei this 1<sup>st</sup> day of February, A.D. 2010, A.L. 6010.

Attest:

  
Bro. James Marshall  
Right Worshipful Grand Secretary



  
Bro. Anthony I. Jakes, Sr.  
Most Worshipful Grand Master

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**SIXTH BIENNIAL RE-OPENING**  
**OF**  
**AFRICAN LODGE NO. 459**  
**TOUR FORM**  
**APRIL 22, 2010-APRIL 25, 2010**

On Friday, April 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2010 there will be a choice of three tours at a cost of \$30.00 each: the Prince Hall Heritage Tour at 8:30 A.M., a Casino Trip at 1:00 P.M., and a Shopping Trip to the Wrentham Premium Outlets at 1:00 P.M.

Tour One is a Prince Hall Black Heritage tour on Friday, April 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2010, leaving from the Marriott Quincy Hotel at 8:30 A.M. The trolley will be traveling to Prince Hall's Grave at Copp's Hill in the North End of Boston, Massachusetts, the Prince Hall Monument in Cambridge, Massachusetts, and the Historical City of Boston, Massachusetts, returning back to the Marriott Quincy Hotel and/or Prince Hall Masonic Temple.  
The \$30.00 cost is non-refundable.

Tour Two is a trip to Twin Rivers Casino in Lincoln, Rhode Island on Friday, April 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2010. The bus will leave the Marriott Quincy Hotel and/or Prince Hall Masonic Temple at 1:00 P.M. and return at approximately 7:00 P.M.  
The \$30.00 cost is non-refundable.

Tour Three is a trip to Wrentham Premium Outlets Shopping (with lunch on your own), on Friday, April 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2010. The bus will leave the Marriott Quincy Hotel and/or Prince Hall Masonic Temple at 1:00 P.M. and return at approximately 6:00 P.M.  
The \$30.00 cost is non-refundable.

**There is no guarantee that seats will be available for reservations made after April 10<sup>th</sup>, 2010 and there will be a five dollar (\$5.00) late fee required, if available, after the deadline date.**

**Make your check, cashier's check or money order payable to: African Lodge No. 459 and forward, along with this Tour Form to: African Lodge No. 459  
c/o M.W. Prince Hall Grand Lodge  
P.O. Box 277  
Dorchester, MA 02121**

For additional information please contact 617-445-1145

**PLEASE RETURN YOUR COMPLETED FORM BY APRIL 10, 2010**

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Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ Tel. No. \_\_\_\_\_

Cell: \_\_\_\_\_

The Most Worshipful Prince Hall Grand Lodge  
Symbolic Re-Opening of  
African Lodge No. 459  
April 24, 2010

Souvenir Journal Advertising Contract

\_\_\_\_\_ Full Page w/ Picture \$100.00

\_\_\_\_\_ Half Page w / Picture \$60.00

\_\_\_\_\_ Quarter Page \$35.00

\_\_\_\_\_ Business Cards \$20.00

\_\_\_\_\_ Patron's List \$10.00

Please type or print your advertisement on a separate piece of paper attached to your contract.

Make All Checks or Money Orders Payable to: African Lodge No. 459

Mail To: African Lodge No. 459  
C/O Prince Hall Grand Lodge  
P.O. Box 277  
Dorchester, MA 02121  
Att: R.W. Leon Dubose

Name of Organization \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Person \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone Number \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**ABSOLUTE DEADLINE FOR ALL ADS: APRIL 3, 2010**

**Payment is Due in Full When You Submit Your Ads**

**AFRICAN LODGE No. 459  
BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS  
MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION**

NUMBER \_\_\_\_\_  
(FOR OFFICE USE ONLY)

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ (City) \_\_\_\_\_ (State) \_\_\_\_\_ (Zip)

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(Area Code)

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BLUE LODGE ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ (City) \_\_\_\_\_ (State) \_\_\_\_\_ (Zip)

Prince Hall affiliation \_\_\_\_ Y \_\_\_\_ N If no, what is your Masonic affiliation? \_\_\_\_\_

How should your name appear on the membership certificate?

\_\_\_\_\_ (First Name) \_\_\_\_\_ (Middle Initial) \_\_\_\_\_ (Last Name) \_\_\_\_\_ (Sr., Jr., etc.)

Membership includes: Certificate, Dues Card, Medallion (numbered), and a copy of the Original Charter of African Lodge No. 459. **FEE: \$100.00**

**Make checks/money orders (Do not send cash!) payable to: AFRICAN LODGE No. 459!**

**MAIL COMPLETED APPLICATION AND A COPY OF BOTH SIDES OF  
YOUR CURRENT DUES CARD, ALONG WITH PAYMENT TO:**

RW. Ronald S. Crichlow  
Chairman, African Lodge No. 459  
P.O. Box 277  
Dorchester, MA. 02121

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**DON'T MISS IT!!!**

**The 6<sup>th</sup> Biennial Opening  
of**

**African Lodge No. 459**

**(where it all began)**

**M.W. Prince Hall Grand Lodge  
Boston, Massachusetts**

**April 22<sup>nd</sup>, 23<sup>rd</sup>, 24<sup>th</sup>, 25<sup>th</sup>, 2010**

**Bro. Anthony I. Jakes, Sr.  
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