



# Newsletter Bates Legacy Connection

**SEPTEMBER 2020**

**Greetings!!**

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**A Message from our Chair of the Board of Directors  
Dr. Linda H. Boyd**

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publication from the  
Wiley H. Bates  
Legacy Center  
Board of Directors  
and Staff*

**RELIVING THE JOURNEY (1933-1966)  
CELEBRATING THE LEGACY (2006-PRESENT)**

In context with our theme, *Reliving the Journey, Celebrating the Legacy*, the devoted members of the Board of Directors and the outstanding staff at the Wiley H. Bates Legacy Center have continued to promote the legacy of Wiley H. Bates, by recognizing and uplifting the former staff, alumnae, supporters and friends. We are so proud of our alma mater and its rich educational and cultural heritage that provided a quality education from 1933-1966 for African American students living in Anne Arundel County.

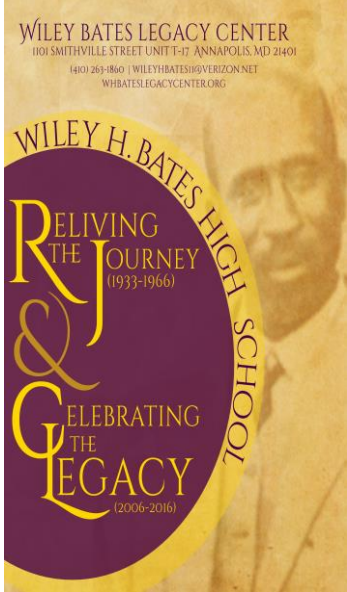
The Wiley H. Bates Legacy Center is very appreciative of the generous grant support received by Anne Arundel County Government and the City of Annapolis to continue our community efforts this fiscal year. We thank them for their continued support.

The current pandemic has been a hardship for all. It has also affected the Center. To help offset our traditional fundraising activities, The Board of Directors initiated a fundraising donation drive with our alumnae, supporters, and friends. If you have not made your donation, please do so by making your tax deductible contributions to one or more of the following:

- Wiley H. Bates Legacy Center General Fund
- Judge Essom V. Ricks Memorial Scholarship
- Wiley H. Bates Memorial Scholarship
- Lillian Chambers Burgess Endowment

Donations can be sent to: Wiley H. Bates Legacy Center  
1101 Smithville Street Unit T-17  
Annapolis, Md 21401

Make donations online <https://whbateslegacycenter.org/donations>



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## IN THE KNOW...

It's Not to Late to Complete your Census info:

### Submit by September 30<sup>th</sup>

Last day for households to self-respond online, by phone or by mail

**Make Sure Your Voice is Heard... VOTE!!!**

**Election Day is Tuesday, November 3<sup>rd</sup>**

Information about voting options:

**Voter Services at: Maryland.gov**

**Call 211 with questions about COVID-19**

## HEALTH TIP

Health awareness is an opportunity to reflect upon oneself thinking positive, and developing good nutrition habits. Another tip is eating a well balanced meal and monitoring your cholesterol, blood pressure and blood glucose levels.

### Recipe: Crockpot BBQ Chicken

This Crockpot BBQ Chicken is a quick, easy, and flavorful way to make pulled chicken. Great for burgers, burrito tacos, on rice and more.

**PREP:** 5 minutes

**COOK:** 3 hours

**TOTAL TIME:** 3 hours 5 minutes

**SERVINGS:** 4 people

### INGREDIENTS:

¼ cup apple cider vinegar

2 tablespoons brown sugar

½ teaspoon onion powder

½ teaspoon garlic powder

2 pounds boneless skinless chicken breasts

### INSTRUCTIONS:

- ✓ Place the chicken breasts in the bottom of the slow cooker.
- ✓ Pour the sauce over the chicken breasts, covering them fully.
- ✓ Cook the chicken on high for 2-3 hours or on low for 4-6 hours.
- ✓ Shred the chicken directly in the slow cooker or remove to shred and return to the sauce.
- ✓ Give the chicken a good stir to coat it in the sauce.

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## BLC Highlights the Fannie Lou Hamer Story In Honor of Juneteenth 2020



Known for her use of spiritual hymnals, quotes and her resilience in leading the civil rights movement throughout the South.

## THE EXECUTIVE JOURNAL

*Pamela R. Browne, MHS*

The Wiley H. Bates Legacy Center affectionately known as “The BLC” is an exciting cultural jewel in Anne Arundel County. Recently, I completed my first year of service as the executive director. Along with Renee Wallace, our office manager, board of directors, volunteers and other supporters the organization continues to make tremendous strides in the community. Despite the impact of COVID-19, BLC stands committed to improving the lives of individuals and families. Our scholarship donations, educational programs, community partnerships and virtual platforms make it possible to carry out our mission. The power of resilience will propel us to stand strong. Actions such as completing the census and voting on every level will invoke change. The time is now!

## COMMUNITY SERVICE ASSISTANCE

- **Food Access Warm Line** – 410-222-3663 or email: [FOOD-ACCESS@AACOUNTY.ORG](mailto:FOOD-ACCESS@AACOUNTY.ORG).  
Food Line Hours: Monday Through Friday, 8 a.m. to 6 p.m.
- **Lutheran Mission:** 230 West Street – 410-636-0123  
Free food and clothing assistance every Wednesday at 9 a.m., limited once a month.
- **Cecil Memorial UMC** – 13 Parole Street – 410-266-5651  
Free food every Thursday 10:30 a.m. – 11:00 – free can food give away every 4<sup>th</sup> Friday.

## UPCOMING NEWS

- Bates Giving Campaign – The Giving Tree
- Bates Book Club – Meet the Author Forum

## BLC FUNNIES

What bow can't be tied? A rainbow!

How does NASA organize a party? They planet.

*There Is a School That We Love So Well  
It's Bates, Dear Bates  
1933 - 1966*



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