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Miami-Dade County Mayor Daniella Levine Cava,
Miami-Dade County Commissioner Keon Hardemon, District 3,
and the Department of Cultural Affairs invite you to the

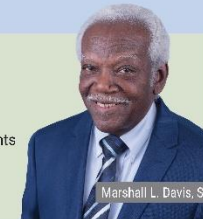
RENAMING CEREMONY OF THE

MARSHALL L. DAVIS SR. AFRICAN HERITAGE CULTURAL ARTS CENTER



DANCE | MUSIC | THEATER | VISUAL ARTS

The Center has been renamed in honor of its longtime
Managing Director, who has led an outstanding team
of talented artists and dedicated educators since 1983.
His efforts have transformed the lives of countless students
by providing quality arts instruction in dance, theater,
music, and visual arts programs for students of all ages.



Marshall L. Davis, Sr.



Thursday, August 1, 2024 at 5:00 p.m.

Ceremony includes student art exhibition and
cinematic showcase. Refreshments will be served.

Scan for press kit and program details.

PROGRAM



MIAMI-DADE COUNTY
OFFICE OF THE MAYOR
DANIELLA LEVINE CAVA



MIAMI-DADE COUNTY
OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER
KEON HARDEMON

*Special thanks to:
The staff of the Office of Commissioner Keon Hardemon, District 3
The staff at the Marshall L. Davis Sr. African Heritage Cultural Arts Center*

The Center is managed by the Miami-Dade County Department of Cultural Affairs, with funding support from the Office of the Miami-Dade County Mayor and Board of County Commissioners, Anonymous, the John S. and James L. Knight Foundation, the Jorge M. Pérez Family Foundation, The Miami Foundation, the State of Florida through the Florida Department of State, Florida Division of Arts and Culture, and the National Endowment for the Arts.

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WELCOME

Marialaura Leslie, *Director*
Miami-Dade County Department of Cultural Affairs

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Students, *Summer Arts Conservatory Program*
Marshall L. Davis Sr. African Heritage Cultural Arts Center

**THE NATIONAL ANTHEM
THE BLACK NATIONAL ANTHEM**

Center Alumni and Staff

CEREMONIAL LIBATION

Nana Kwaku Sakyi
Traditional Akan Bono Priest
Former Center visual art teacher

OPENING REMARKS AND PROCLAMATION

Daniella Levine Cava
Miami-Dade County Mayor

Marleine Bastien, *District 2*
Miami-Dade County Commissioner

CEREMONY REMARKS

Keon Hardemon, *District 3*
Miami-Dade County Commissioner

DANCE PRESENTATION

Marshall L. Davis Jr.
Alumnus, Award-winning Tap Dancer and Choreographer

YOUTH CINEMATIC SHOWCASE

Students, *Summer Arts Conservatory Program*
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