

Juneteenth 2012 Souvenir Book

Special Edition: "Historic Dedication of the United States Colored Troops (USCT) Memorial Monument"



The United States Colored Troops Memorial Monument

The United States Colored Troops were regiments of the United States Army and Navy during the Civil War that were composed of African American soldiers and sailors. Many of the men who served as USCT were slaves prior to volunteering for the Union Army. In St. Mary's County during the 1800s there were more than 6,500 slaves and over 600 were recruited as USCT. The monument will honor the United States Colored Troops from St. Mary's County who fought during the Civil War and all Union soldiers.

Paying special tribute to Pvt. William H. Barnes and Sgt. James Harris who earned the Medal of Honor for gallantry at the Battle of New Market Heights, Va., in September 1864. Joseph B. Hayden of St. Mary's County, a white Civil War sailor in the United States Navy, earned the Medal of Honor for his bravery on board the U.S.S. Ticonderoga, during attacks on Fort Fisher, 13 to 15 January 1865.

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War (SUVCW)*

In keeping with the Unified Committee for Afro-American Contributions' (UCAC) mission of *increasing understanding of and fostering African American contributions to the history and development of St. Mary's County*, this year's **Juneteenth Souvenir Book Commemorates the Dedication of the United States Colored Troops Memorial Monument** being erected in John G. Lancaster Park in Lexington Park, Maryland. It will be dedicated on June 16, 2012 at 10:00 a.m. (Juneteenth Day in St. Mary's County, Maryland).

The **Juneteenth 2012 Souvenir Book** will be an historic keepsake to pass down from generation to generation. Included in the book will be the history of the USCT, highlights of erecting the memorial monument, featured sponsors, donors, supporters, business contacts, upcoming events, programs and backgrounds of the honored guests and performers for Juneteenth 2012. As supporters of the United States Colored Troops Memorial Monument Dedication, **advertisers can include a traditional business ad or an ad that includes congratulatory remarks in your business or personal ad for this special historical occasion** in St. Mary's County.

Other highlights: Local Tourism Resources, History of Juneteenth, St. Mary's 2012 Election Candidates and much more.....

Proceeds will finance Juneteenth events and will support the mission of the Unified Committee for Afro-American Contributions - a 501(C)(3) non-profit.

DEADLINE: May 25, 2012

In order to be listed in the souvenir book, the deadline for receipt of grants or donations and ad copy is May 25th.

If you need additional information, please contact the Juneteenth Planning Committee at info@ucaconline.org.

Please mail completed application and payment to:

UCAC

Attn: 2012 Juneteenth Advertising Application

Post Office Box 1457

Lexington Park, MD 20653

(For further information, please contact the Juneteenth Planning Committee at info@ucaconline.org.)

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