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Bronzeville Week continues with events highlighting wellness, arts and more

Bronzeville Week, an official City of Milwaukee event now in its 11th year, continues this week with a variety of events targeting wellness, arts, business and culture. **Alderwoman Milele A. Coggs** is excited about the new and returning events that will kick off the week and is encouraging community members to attend one, or many, of the exciting events set to take place both in-person and virtually.

TODAY - Monday, August 8 - includes several virtual and hybrid events. All virtual and hybrid events can be viewed online at www.Facebook.com/BronzevilleWeek. Black Arts MKE Intro to Theater Class will be taking place from 2 – 3 p.m. at the King Library, 310 W. Locust St. Another virtual wellness event, Lit with Lay, is set for 4 – 4:30 p.m. and will introduce today's hottest dance moves featuring Kalayla Tatum. The day concludes with A Conversation on Arts, Culture & Community presented by America's Black Holocaust Museum. The event will take place at 401 W. North Ave., with a reception happening from 5 – 5:30 p.m. and the program set for 5:30 – 7:30 p.m.

Tuesday, August 9 begins with the **Bronzeville Center for the Arts featuring Milwaukee Institute of Art & Design: Community Mural Project & Milwaukee Art Museum: Kohl's Art Studio**. This family-friendly art experience will take place from 10 a.m. - noon at 2300 N. Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Dr. From noon – 12:30 p.m. Danette Justus will host **Just Us and Books** virtually for families. The day concludes with **Rooted in Culture** at Maranta Plant Shop, 1739 N. Doctor Martin Luther King, Jr. Dr. from 5:30 – 7 p.m., and **Food for Thought** - a fresh new poetry experience with guest hosts Trunk and Gideon. Food for Thought will take place from 7- 9 p.m. at Q Restaurant, 2730 N. Doctor Martin Luther King, Jr. Dr.

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At 8 a.m. on Wednesday, August 10 Dead Bird Brewing Company, 1726 N. 5th St., will host the **Bronzeville Business Breakfast**. The hybrid event will include updates on district developments and initiatives in addition to honoring the members of Historic King Drive BID #8. Those attending in person must register in advance and can do so by visiting www.tinyurl.com/3pa2u3cy.

Two events start at noon on Wednesday. The first is **A Conversation with Milwaukee's Own Jacob Latimore**. The event will take place at America's Black Holocaust Museum, 401 W. North Ave.

Space is limited and pre-registration is required at www.tinyurl.com/yub9djfe. The event will be live streamed at www.Facebook.com/BronzevilleWeek. The second event at noon is **Cool-Aid & Canvases**, a family-friendly engaging art experience. The event will take place at the King Library, 310 W. Locust St.

Wednesday concludes with **Sound Judgment – HYFIN Edition (Listening Session)**. The event is presented by HYFIN and co-hosted by HYPHIN Advisory Board members Genyne Edwards and James Phelps. The listening session will take place from 5:30 – 8 p.m. at 1916 N. Doctor Martin Luther King, Jr. Dr. Pre-registration is required at forms.gle/NgTpYGzivRS5hzyY7.

For more information on Bronzeville Week and to view the full schedule of events, please visit https://city.milwaukee.gov/Bronzeville.