



The National Association of Negro Business and Professional Women's Clubs, Inc.

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L.E.T.S. Make Your Strategic Impactful Programs (S.I.P.) Count!

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February 15 - June 25, 2021, Year-End National First Vice President's Report

"I give thanks to God always for you all, making mention of you in my prayers."

To: President Sherelle T. Carper, National Board of Directors and Membership

June 25, 2021

I remain humbled and blessed to serve as the National First Vice President of such a wonderful Association. Thank You is the best prayer anyone can say. Thank You expresses extreme gratitude, humility, and understanding. Since my election as NFVP in 2019, I pray you all know you have enriched my life.

But God! Way Maker! Promise Keeper! Light in the Darkness! and Won't He Do It! The common theme here is we are resilient, and *nothing* can keep strong women down who are Moving Forward with A Purpose: Reaching New Heights! I have traveled throughout the Association *virtually* attending programs near and far in every district. I am so utterly proud of the clubs who embraced the National Program theme:

L.E.T.S. Make Your Strategic Impactful Programs (S.I.P.) Count! Virtual programs were executed with a new level of creativity, ingenuity, and thoughtfulness. Out of this experience several clubs really soared using social media and other technological tools to have meetings, conferences, and programs. I cannot close out the year without recounting the many successes of the 2020-2021 Club Year.

All three of the NANBPWC, Inc. Institutes (Leadership, Entrepreneurship, and Technology) were completed in a 10-month period. A phenomenal feat attracting nearly 270 registrants overall. Financially the institutes secured revenue for the Association of more than \$13,000. The caliber of speakers was second to none which included several representing local, regional, and national organizations. Our very own NANBPWC, Inc. club sisters who served as speakers/facilitators did a fantastic job. Sharing their gifts and talents is greatly appreciated.

The list of activities covering the period of February 15 - June 25, 2021, has been summarized because the list of Zoom and Microsoft Teams meetings is too long to share on just two pages.



**God's Ultimate Creation, Inspired to Dream, Relentlessly Pursuing
Destiny, Living the Abundant Life, Positioned for Greatness, Obtaining
Favor, Walking in Wisdom, Empowering Lives, Revealing God's Glory**

Activities covering February – June 2021:

I have weekly meetings with Madam President every Monday, regular monthly attendance at Elyria Club of NBPWC, Inc. meetings, regular monthly attendance at the Lori-El Unit of Parliamentarians meetings, and regular at all NCD Executive Committee meetings as NFVP and NCD Advisor.

- **February 2021:** Attended the February Pre-Spring Board meeting, Central Ohio Club Human Trafficking event, Whova Convention meeting, NANBPWC Executive Committee Retreat, NCD Governor's Connect, Leadership Institute – Module 4, Toledo Club Empower U webinar, had NFVP National Interview, attended NCNW 85th Symposium: Critical I.D.E.A.s event, Greater Lansing Area Club Goes Red: Think Heart program, the Toledo Club Membership Tea, and another NANBPWC Board meeting.
- **March 2021:** Attended two ARDN Red Card Pledge meeting, facilitated an emergency National Program Committee meeting, attended several 83rd National Convention Committee meetings, Toledo Club Founders' Day ceremony, had a NANBPWC work session with Tech Leader Moorman, attended a NCD Program Committee meeting with club FVPs, Michigan Area Vocal Arts performance, participated in Entrepreneur Institute Modules 1 and 2, facilitated several Elyria Club 46th Founders' Day Awards Ceremony planning meetings, had a Business Women's Council planning session, attended several weekly National Vocal Arts Competition Committee meetings, attended New Metropolitan Detroit Club Women's History Month Program, NCD Virtual Town Hall meeting, My Brother's Keeping introductory meeting, Congressional Black Caucus Sojourner Truth event, YEPR meeting with Sharol Moorman, One Million Black Women Listening Tour, Chester Club Founders' Day/Women's History Month Program.
- **April 2021:** Participated in several Elyria Club Founders' Day meetings, attended the Entrepreneurs Institute Module 3, had another Whova Convention Training session, attended the Northern Virginia BPW Club Women Speaking Out Against Child Marriages, Trafficking and Female Genital Mutilation, Maumee Bay and Toledo Club Vocal Arts Program, Board of Directors and 83rd Convention Team meeting, participated in GLACs 38th Founders' Day Run of Show and ceremony, Detroit Club 70th Founders' Day event, South Dallas Club Shot Callers Roundtable, NCD Conference Executive meeting and more National Vocal Arts Competition Committee meetings.
- **May 2021:** Celebrated the Elyria Club 46th Annual Founders' Day Awards Ceremony, weekly National Vocal Arts Competition Committee meetings, NCD 56th Annual Conference meeting and event with Vocal Arts and General Membership Virtual Session, facilitated the Elyria Club Entrepreneurs Workshop on Staying Power During COVID-19, attended 83rd National Convention planning meetings, attending NANBPWC Membership Orientation meeting, Broward County Club Founders' Day & Scholarship event, and Bristol Myers Squibb grant proposal meeting.
- **June 2021:** Attended an urgent NANBPWC Board meeting, 43rd San Francisco Club Sojourner Truth Award & Scholarship Gala, mandatory National Convention Tech and Production Team meeting, NCD Executive meeting, presided over the Detroit Club Election and installed elected officers, participated in the Dry Run and actual Membership Induction Ceremony, convention soiree planning meeting, happy to report 75 2020-2021 Year-End Program Reports and 23 individual 2021 Program Showcase Registrations, had a NP and NFVP meeting with National Parliamentarian on proposed bylaw amendments, and ended my activities by attending a NCNW Affiliates Circle meeting.

Dr. LaTaunya V. Conley, NFVP – Yours in the Spirit of Service!