

2025 DMV Black Alumni Weekend

Schedule as of June 8th, 2025

Please email support@blackalumnitogether.com for questions or help

Host Hotel:

The Westin Washington, DC Downtown | Address: 999 9th St. NW Washington, DC 20001 and phone number is (202) 898-9000 | The lodging room block is open and available.

[Hotel Website Link](#)

Self parking at the Westin is located directly across the street in a PMI Lot. The lot address is 900 New York Ave. and is called Hotel Convention Center Capital One Arena. You can also valet at the hotel.

*All events are open to registered attendees

Schedule Details:

Thursday, June 19th, 2025 (Juneteenth)

5:00pm to 7:00pm Happy Hour hosted by the Alphas and AKAs

Location: Vortex

Address: 1426 L St NW Washington DC, 20005 | <https://www.vortexloungedc.com/>

Friday, June 20th, 2025

8:00am to 3:00pm Golf Outing
Location: The Country Club at Woodmore

Address 12320 Pleasant Prospect, Mitchellville, MD 20721
Website: <https://ccwoodmore.com/>

*Please note that this event is an additional cost of \$150 per person, not included in the registration fee. Golfers are welcome to pay directly in the Pro Shop as they arrive.

10:00am to 1:00pm Tour
Location: Smithsonian Museum of African American History & Culture

Address 1400 Constitution Ave., NW Washington, DC
Website: <https://nmaahc.si.edu/>

A government issued ID is required by each tourist. All group members must be present at the time of entry. Please arrive no later than 10:00am.

2:00pm to 5:00pm FREE TIME & BREAK

3:00pm Registration check-in opens

4:00pm Westin hotel check-in time

**ALL REGISTERED ATTENDEES PLEASE SHOW UP FOR THE
PROGRAM BELOW!!**

5:00pm to 6:30pm State of College Campuses
Location: The Westin Washington, DC Downtown (Host Hotel) - River
Birch Ballroom

- Dr. Anthony Jenkins, President Coppin State University
Bio: <https://www.coppin.edu/about/office-president>
- Dr. Ericke S. Cage, President West Virginia State University
Bio: <https://wvstateu.edu/administration/office-of-the-president/biography-president-ericke-s-cage/>
- Dr. Brandy Faulkner – Virginia Tech Faculty Member
Bio: <https://liberalarts.vt.edu/departments-and-schools/departments-of-political-science/faculty/brandy-s-faulkner.html>

6:30pm Fun Time!
Westin Hotel Lobby Bar, Root & Vine

7:00pm to 11:00pm Mobile Smoke Lounge by LSV Mobile
<https://www.lsvmcl.com/>
Location: Westin Hotel parking lot

8:00pm to 12:00am Black Party w/ Dinner Reception
Location: The Westin Washington, DC Downtown (Host Hotel) - River
Birch Ballroom
Featuring DJ Mighty

Saturday, June 21st, 2025

9:00am

Registration check-in opens

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PROGRAM BELOW!!**

10:00am to 12:30pm Alumni Speakers & Professional Networking
Location: The Westin Washington, DC Downtown (Host Hotel)

Dr. James R. Martin II – Chancellor North Carolina
A&T

Topic: The role of AI

Bio:

[https://www.ncat.edu/about/leadership/
chancellor/index.php](https://www.ncat.edu/about/leadership/chancellor/index.php)

Mr. Dwight Vick – Founder Victory Life

Topic: Athletes Panel

Bio:

<https://www.victorylife.com/about-us/our-team/>

1:00pm to 5:00pm Cookout

Location: **Hains Point Picnic Area - Area C**

Address 1100 Ohio Drive SW, Washington, DC 20024

Website: <https://www.recreation.gov/venues/VR21297>

***Everyone please bring a lawn chair and umbrella**

****Rain Location - Westin Hotel - Lunch served in River Birch Ballroom**

5:00pm to 8:00pm

Break & Free Time

(Dinner on your own)

6:00pm

Social Gatherings

6:00pm

AKAs Group Gathering

Location: The Westin Washington, DC Downtown (Host Hotel) - Dinner at Root & Vine & Meeting Room 16

7:00pm to 11:00pm

Mobile Smoke Lounge by LSV Mobile

<https://www.lsvmcl.com/>

Location: Westin Hotel parking lot

8:00pm to 12:00pm

Party 2

Location: The Westin Washington, DC Downtown (Host Hotel) - River Birch Ballroom **Featuring DJ Mighty**

- Games - inside the River Birch Ballroom
- Karaoke - Meeting Room 16

Sunday, June 22nd 2025

Hotel check-out

11:00am to 12:30pm

Church Service

Location: Alfred Street Baptist Church

Address 301 South Alfred St. Alexandria, VA

Website: <https://www.alfredstreet.org/>

Space at Alfred Street is very limited. We have reserved seats for our alumni guests. Seating will be first come, first served. I strongly suggest that you are in line to enter the sanctuary starting at 10:00am.