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Dear Friends,

October has arrived, and it began for us with a very successful Roxbury Open Studios, thanks to the hard work of many artists and enthusiasts! We are thrilled to be exhibiting a retrospective of Lolita Parker Jr.'s work, all large scale prints (all available for purchase). Please stop by to check it out.

Other exciting news from the Haley House Bakery Cafe is that we have just had two Blodgett Ovens installed, increasing our baking capacity significantly. This is especially relevant to our cookie production for Boston College and Northeastern University, as well as our upcoming Thanksgiving Pie Drive.

We are looking to increase our pie production this year, so we are looking for more pie captains to take orders from their friends and colleagues. We will be in touch shortly with more information about our Thanksgiving Pie Drive.

Please note, Haley House Bakery Cafe will be closed for business on Monday, October 11th.

### **Art is Life itself's October Schedule**



Upcoming features at Art is Life itself:

(NOTE: Some dates have been changed from last newsletter)

Oct 7 Fulani & The Jazz Collaborative

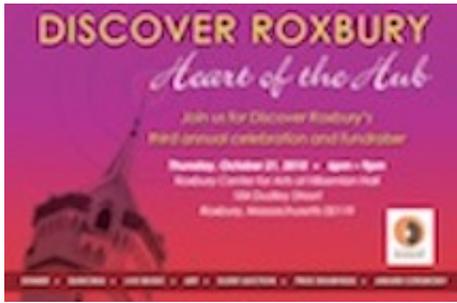
Oct 14 Akiba Abaka, Founder & Director of Up You Mighty Race presents her own work as a staged reading and performance

Oct 21 Office Yoga & Dharma Talk: "Shaucha: Cleaning up Our Acts" by Peter Ruggiero, RYT200 & Educator

Oct 28 Johnny Robbins, Singer/Songwriter, Guitarist & Drummer with 44 years of Music Making

Programming begins at 7pm. Seating is available on a first-come, first-served basis. Come early for dinner!

**Thursday October 21st - 6PM - Discover Roxbury's Heart of the Hub Fundraiser**



As many of you know, HHBC partners with Discover Roxbury on a regular basis in our series of History talks at the Bakery Cafe. In September we had a presentation about the history of the Ferdinand Building. Later this month, we will have an evening about the history of the Haitian Community in Roxbury.

Heart of the Hub is Discover Roxbury's annual fundraiser, held at Hibernian Hall (184 Dudley Street, 3rd Fl ballroom). In addition to being Roxbury's largest and most-prominent art-inspired fundraiser, Heart of the Hub is an evening filled with

food, friends, and fun. Haley House Bakery Cafe will be one of the restaurants showcasing specialty dishes for this event.

At this year's Heart of the Hub, Haley House Bakery Cafe is being honored as a recipient of a Roxbury Puddingstone Award, which honors members of the community for their advocacy and continued commitment to and development of Roxbury's physical and cultural assets. Other awardees this year include Klare Shaw of the Barr Foundation and Melvin Miller, editor of the Bay State Banner. We are very honored to be receiving this award from Discover Roxbury.

[To learn more about Heart of the Hub, click here](#)

### **Friday October 22nd - 5:30 PM Dinner & A Movie presents "American Faust" at HHBC**



Dinner & A Movie is pleased to reprise "American Faust: From Condi to Neo-Condi" - this was one of the most popular films at this year's Roxbury International Film Festival. This screening precedes Rice's book-related talk at Ford Hall Forum at Suffolk University on October 28th.

American Faust: From Condi to Neo-Condi is about Condoleezza Rice, an extraordinary but little-understood woman who rose from segregated Alabama to become the most powerful woman in the world. Incisive and shocking, this is the first retrospective film on the Bush Administration. It overturns the popular misconception of Rice as a yes-woman to President Bush to reveal her as his most enduring confidante - and thus responsible for much of the Bush legacy. This political, biographical documentary tells a Faustian story of a woman whose hubris tempted her into a pursuit of power that destroyed her core values, and hurtled America into a perilous new direction. Dr Rice leads her own defense, through a series of candid interviews.

Doors open at 5:45pm, and dinner (your choice of chicken or veggie stir fry with a dessert of tasty rice pudding) will be served at 6:15pm. The film will be followed by a discussion, moderated by Nina LaNegra of the Roxbury Media Institute (and our own Art is Life itself).

#### **A SPECIAL OFFER:**

DAAM Ticket Holders will be able to secure "member seating" at the Ford Hall Forum event on October 28th.

[Click here to purchase tickets for Dinner & A Movie](#)

### **Wednesday October 27th - 7PM A History of the Haitian Community in Roxbury**



Haley House Bakery Cafe and Discover Roxbury have partnered to present a series of evenings spotlighting the history of some of the ethnic communities in Roxbury. On October 27th, we will focus on the Haitian Community. One of the anchors of the Haitian Community in Boston is the Haitian Baptist Church on Blue Hill Ave., which was once Temple Adath Jeshurun, one of the largest synagogues in Roxbury. Our panel discussion will follow the rise, growth, and cultural life of the Haitian community in Roxbury.

Though the program begins at 7pm, we encourage folks to come early to get a seat and to have dinner. On these evenings we will offer our regular menu plus a special dish featuring cuisine from the evening's theme.

Upcoming in this series:

November 17 - History of the Jewish Community in Roxbury

December 15 - History of the Somali Community in Roxbury

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