



Nguzo Saba
The Seven Principles



Umoja
Unity



Kujichagulia
Self-Determination



Ujima
Collective Work and
Responsibility



Ujamaa

Cooperative Economics



Nia

Purpose



Kuumba

Creativity



Imani

Faith

Dr. Maulana Karenga
Creator of Kwanzaa



THE ORGANIZATION US
Schedule of Events
6248 November & December 2008

Sunday, 2 November 3:00pm

**"OBAMA & THE MOVEMENT:
Continuing the Struggle After the Election"**

Lecturer: *Prof. Amen Rahh*, Professor Emeritus, Dept. of Africana Studies, CSU Long Beach; Professor, African American History, Pasadena City College; former Councilman, City of Compton

Sunday, 9 November 3:00pm

**"OBAMA & OUR FUTURE:
A Post-Election Assessment"**

Panelists: *Dr. Melina Abdullah*, Professor, Dept. of Pan-African Studies, CSU Los Angeles; *Bro. Akili*, Regional Field Director, Obama Campaign, South Los Angeles; *Assemblywoman Wilmer Amina Carter*, 62nd Assembly District; *Dr. Maulana Karenga*, Professor of Africana Studies, CSULB.

Sunday, 16 November, 3:00pm

**"HIV IN THE BLACK COMMUNITY EVEN AFTER THE ELECTION:
Where the Brothas At?"**

Lecturer: *Mr. Tony Wafford*, Chair, Community Advisory Board, Los Angeles HIV Prevention Trials Network; Director, Wafford Consulting; Chair, America's Working Group for HIV Prevention

Sunday, 23 November, 3:00 pm

**"OBAMA, NEW OPTIONS AND CONTINUING CHALLENGES:
Victory & Struggle Anyhow"**

Lecturer: *Dr. Maulana Karenga*, professor of Africana Studies, CSULB; chair, Us; creator of Kwanzaa and The Nguzo Saba; author, *Introduction To Black Studies*



Sunday, 7 December 2008, 3:00pm

IN THE SPIRIT OF AFRICAN SOLIDARITY
A Kwanzaa Umoja Reception for Dr. Jorge Ramirez Reyna
Attorney, Executive Director, The Black Association for the Defense and Promotion of Human Rights (ASONEDH),
Civil Rights and Social Change activist in Peru

Sunday, 14 December 2008, 3:00pm

CHILDREN'S KWANZAA WORKSHOP
Fun things to do and learn for Kwanzaa: values, stories, activities, dance, music, and refreshments

Sunday, 21 December 2008, 3:00pm

**"KWANZAA & THE SEVEN PRINCIPLES:
Repairing and Renewing the World"**
Lecturer: *Dr. Maulana Karenga*, Professor of Africana Studies, CSULB; chair, Us; creator of Kwanzaa and The Nguzo Saba; author, *Kwanzaa: A Celebration of Family, Community and Culture*

Friday, 26 December 2008, 6:00pm
UMOJA (UNITY) NIGHT
Citywide Candle Lighting Ceremony & Celebration
Location: To Be Announced

Wednesday, 31 December 2008, 6:00 - 9:00pm

Kwanzaa Karamu
An African Feast of fine foods, dance, music and poetry
Location: *Friendship Auditorium*
3201 Riverside Drive, Los Angeles, CA 90027
Reservations required

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