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Honoree Pauline Claxton speaks to the audience at the 2018 Caribbean American Healthcare Awards gala. Photo by Jason Speakman

Weed on CARICOM summit agenda

By Bert Wilkinson

Caribbean Community leaders were set to meet starting Wednesday in Jamaica for the main of their two annual summits with key issues like problems in the single trading market on the agenda, but a discussion about a harmonized regional approach to marijuana possession and use could well emerge as a main discussion point.

Back at a summit in 2014 in St. Vincent, leaders had agreed that the time had come to confront this highly contentious issue once and for all given moves to legalize use of specified quantities by govern-

ments around the world and concerns across the bloc that its youths were unnecessarily being criminalized for possessing and using miniscule amounts of the narcotic. Concerns were also raised about overcrowding in jails.

So a nine-person commission that leaders appointed had spent the past four years studying this marijuana, moving around the region, sounding out views.

Mandated to hand leaders a document they could work with at this week's summit, the commissioners met the deadline and have made what appears to be a set of reasoned

recommendations that do not, however, cater for any form of export trade of cultivated marijuana just yet.

What they have in fact suggested to heads of government is that laws governing the prohibition of marijuana be disbanded and its use be treated in the same manner as alcohol or tobacco with the necessary safeguards and rules in place.

"Alcohol and tobacco are harmful substances that are not criminalized in CARICOM states. The commission is unanimous in its view that the current classification for cannabis—marijuana as a 'dan-

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POLS FALL SILENT

Vanquished Barbados politicians not seen or heard

By George Alleyne

With more than a month gone after it tumbled to a record-making defeat at the polls, Barbadians are left to ponder the whereabouts of officials of the once dominant Democratic Labour Party, and the future shape of the party.

Since Mia Mottley led her Barbados Labour Party to a crushing victory over the then-governing DLP by winning all 30 parliamentary seats in the May 24 elections, the vanquished officials who once ruled the Barbados political landscape like giants have been largely silent.

With the exception of a May 25 statement in which he conceded defeat, nothing has been heard from former Prime Minister Freundel Stuart, who — though he rarely spoke during his eight-year tenure as Barbados' leader — commanded a presence on the rare occasions he chose to speak.

Also missing from the public view is former finance minister Chris Sinckler who, like Stuart, strode on the Barbados public domain like a colossus for a similar number of years.

Sinckler's absence is even more noticeable — and his silence deafening — because of the number of revelations coming from the new Mottley government about questionable large financial transactions.

Barbadians have taken to social media with meme posts asking for the whereabouts of Sinckler.

Another member of the DLP party's top echelon from whom not a word has been heard since the defeat is former tourism minister Richard Sealy, the only man who the then-prime minister had trusted to act in his place whenever he, Stuart, left the island.

So far, the only former DLP Cabinet ministers with the

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Barbadians getting medicinal ganja relief

By George Alleyne

An assurance by the new Barbados government of an intention to exploit marijuana for its medicinal benefits — and make resulting products legal — must be welcome news to many on the island, especially pain-ridden persons in the disabled community.

Minister of Agriculture and Food Security Indar Weir recently spoke in parliament of embracing the plant in the economic and health interest of Barbadians.

“We have no time to waste making sure that we can get medical marijuana growing,” he said, adding, “we have an abundance of opportunities when it comes to unlocking and giving people the chance to grow medical marijuana, simply because of the value chain that follows. “I must share with you my government’s intention to make provision for the production of marijuana and other plans for medical purposes.”

This must be music to the ears of members of Barbados’ physically challenged community, such as Rose-Ann Foster-Vaughn and Bonita Phillips, who last year testified before a CARICOM Commission on Marijuana of the quiet suffering of members of their community and of the belief that the medicinal aspects of the plant can bring them relief.

The Commission, led by University of the West Indies Professor Rose Marie Belle-Antoine, had a region-wide mandate to get citizens’ opinions on how marijuana should be regarded in the eyes of the law, and in what form.

Foster-Vaughn, Administration Project Officer of the Barbados Council for the Disabled, related that though born with cerebral palsy she managed a relatively normal life of playing as a child and walking to church, “until 2008, when I was diagnosed with Lupus. Now imagine that, Lupus on top of a disability.”

The 2008 affliction brought on rheumatoid arthritis with its accompanying pain all day and night.

“I live on painkillers. I used to be on steroids, but after the steroids got me too fat I weaned myself off of them and now I live strictly on painkillers.”

“So, you tell me at 49 years old, am I supposed to live out the rest of my days in pain? I think not,” said Foster-Vaughn, who indicated that she also



Multiple sclerosis sufferer Bonita Phillips testified before the CARICOM Commission on Marijuana about how she feels medical marijuana would be beneficial to her health. Photo by George Alleyne

suffers from poor circulation.

The well-known champion of causes for persons with various challenges, said: “The same way I advocate for disabled, and the rights of the disabled, I have the right of advocating for medical marijuana.”

Her stance was in harmony with that of Bonita Phillips, who said, “I am now a strong advocate for medical marijuana ... because I have multiple sclerosis and have learned that the medication I am taking, or has been offered to me, is causing more damage.”

Phillips clarified that her position does not stem from any romantic feeling for the plant, which she describes as ‘God’s gift.’

“I have never smoked marijuana and would never want to smoke it. I don’t like the smell of it.”

She explained that marijuana was an alien item for much of her life, having been brought up by Seventh Day Adventist parents in the ‘60s.

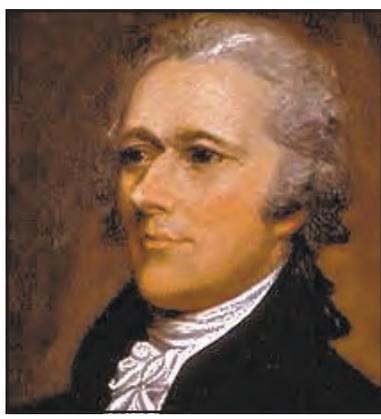
But in explaining her conversion to the medicinal qualities of the plant she said, “what I’ve been brainwashed into not realizing is that that pharmaceutical companies are getting us drugs and abdicating all responsibility for the damage that it is doing to our bodies.”

Speaking of what she has witnessed in Barbados’ disabled community, Phillips said, “a lot of us have died because we’re taking pharmaceutical drugs.”

Phillips displayed some discomfort during her presentation.

She explained, “I have not been very well. I should be taking medical marijuana ... taking medication is not helping me and at the moment I just came out of my sick bed to be here today to advocate very strongly for medical marijuana”.

The CARICOM Heads of Government meeting scheduled for July 4 was expected to discuss the report from the Commission on Marijuana.



Nevis-born Alexander Hamilton, the first U.S. Secretary of the Treasury, was installed on the Institute of Caribbean Studies Wall of Fame

ICS

Nevis-born Hamilton honored

By Nelson A. King

The Washington, D.C.-based Institute of Caribbean Studies (ICS) has inducted Nevis-born first United States Secretary of the Treasury Alexander Hamilton onto its “Wall of Fame. The designation was “as part of a series of recognitions of Caribbean Americans in commemoration of National Caribbean American Heritage Month.

ICS said that when George Washington became the first President of the United States in 1790, he selected Hamilton to be his first Secretary of the Treasury.

“Although Hamilton served in Washington’s cabinet for only five years, many historians regard him as the greatest and most influential Secretary of the Treasury in U.S. history,” said ICS, whose founder and president is Jamaican Dr. Clare Nelson.

ICS said that Hamilton was born in 1757 in Nevis to Rachel Fawcett and James Hamilton but spent the majority of his youth in St. Croix.

Hamilton took his first job as a Clerk in the offices of merchant Nicholas Cruger, keeping Cruger’s business records.

Cruger and a local Presbyterian Minister, the Rev. Hugh Knox, “recognized Hamilton’s genius and arranged for him to leave St. Croix for New York City,” ICS said.

Hamilton co-authored essays with John Jay and James Madison under the pseudonym “Publius.” The collection came to be known as the Federalist Papers.

“The essays succeeded in convincing Americans to ratify the Constitution,” the institute said.

As Secretary, Hamilton wrote five key reports that established American economic policy.

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Antigua

For the second time in recent years, the St. James' Club has been forced to close because of an invasion of the dreaded sargassum seaweed.

The all-inclusive resort will be closed temporarily from July 1 until Oct. 1, 2018.

Chairman of the Antigua Hotels and Tourist Association Alex Debrito confirmed the closure of the hotel.

Coastlines around the country have been overwhelmed with the reddish-brown floating seaweed that washes ashore, covering once pristine beaches and driving away beach users and sea activities with its stench. Hoteliers, the government and private residents have been working to remove the seaweed, which could only return each day after successful clean-up.



Barbados

The Mia Mottley-led Barbados government is seeking to revive over \$200 million in loans that already have been approved by the Inter-American Development Bank (IDB), but the former Freundel Stuart administration failed to access it.

Following a recent meeting with IDB President Luis Alberto Moreno and other bank officials at government headquarters in Bridgetown, Prime Minister Mottley expressed disbelief at the 13 percent disbursement rate with the financial institution.



She said there is a loan with the IDB of US\$191 million and US\$135.7 million of that remains undischursed in spite of the fact that many of these loans have been in place for three, four or five years.

Jamaica

The Jamaica government says it is taking steps to transform into a digital economy.

This was revealed by Prime Minister Andrew Holness while speaking at the 9th Annual Mona School of Business Management Roundtable CEO Breakfast Forum at the Mona Visitors Lodge recently.

The Prime Minister said the government is taking the very first step towards preparing and creating the opportunities for Jamaicans to participate in this inevitable, imminent digital society. He said the government has passed a legislation to create a national identification system. This is a good example, he said, of digital leadership, the determination, the effort, the energy to get it done.



Isle ensconced

Hey, Little Haiti!: Members of the Little Haiti planning committee, including Assemblywoman Rodneyse Bichotte, center left in plaid jacket, celebrated the official declaration of the Little Haiti Cultural and Business District on Thursday. Photo by Tequila Minsky

Holness said the government will create the environment that every Jamaican citizen can participate in the digital world.

"The government has to ensure that every citizen can transact in a digital society and the transaction has to be secure," he said, adding, "we have to ensure security and integrity." Jamaica, he added, must build significant platforms to get a fully digitized space that is transparent and secure.

Holness said the government has secured a US\$64 million loan from the Inter-American Development Bank (IDB) which will be used to establish a platform for all data that will be digitized.



St. Kitts

For the first time in St. Kitts' history, Air Canada will serve the island for a full six months for the 2018-2019 peak season.

The non-stop Saturday flights will operate from Nov. 3 through April 27, 2019. St. Kitts Minister of Tourism Lindsay Grant said that this unprecedented air service expansion by Air Canada marks yet another historic first for the island.

From Nov. 3 through Dec. 10, Air Canada will operate a 136-seat Air Bus aircraft with 124 economy seats for

the non-stop Saturday flights.

From Dec. 15, 2018 until April 27, 2019, Air Canada will operate a 200-seat Airbus aircraft with 184 economy class and 16 business class seats for these flights.

Racquel Brown, chief executive officer of the St. Kitts Tourism Authority, said Air Canada's decision to expand service into St. Kitts is a testament of the growing tourism sector.

Air Canada, Canada's largest domestic and international airline, began serving St. Kitts non-stop on Fridays in peak season from Toronto Pearson International Airport on 2011 and subsequently shifted to Saturday service. It is the only non-stop scheduled service from Canada.

In previous years, the flight operated from late December to early April. This expanded service will see St. Kitts receiving an additional six weeks of non-stop flying that will provide the potential for an increase in Canadian air passenger arrivals.



St. Lucia

A government minister has described as "too lenient" the EC\$500 (US\$185) fine imposed on a French national who was charged with a bomb hoax at George H. Charles Air-

port, causing the facility to be evacuated.

Fortuna Belrose, Minister of Local Government and Culture, told reporters that the penalty should have been "harsher."

Police said Phillipe Gaston Grandjean was arrested and charged with the offense of bomb hoax, sending messages or articles to alarm or injure other persons, contrary to the Criminal Code.

In a statement law enforcement authorities said that his female companion was released from custody pending further investigations.

Operations at the airport were recently suspended and a thorough search of the facility was conducted after the French nationals claimed a bomb had been placed there. However, no such device was found.

Police said that the man and woman had earlier raised an objection to paying extra for overweight baggage as they prepared to board an Air Caraibes flight to the neighboring French island of Martinique.



Trinidad

Trinidad and Tobago Prime Minister Dr. Keith Rowley said that his government has no intention of going

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Losing Barbados pols are missing



Former Barbados Democratic Labour Party Senator David Durant.

Photo by George Alleyne

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courage to face the Barbadian public have been former agriculture and water minister, David Estwick; former industry and commerce minister, Donville Inniss; and former youth and culture minister, Stephen Lashley. Along with ex-senator Verla DePeiza, these three former high-flyers held a one-off press briefing to criticize Prime Minister Motley's mini-budget, but did not speak about their party's shattering defeat.

Their appearance was attributed to their apparent desire to jockey to be the new party leader, more than to concern about the state of the nation's finances.

A former senator, Andre Worrell, attempted filling the void of silence with a rallying cry to members.

"As long as we do what is necessary in terms of changing the way how this organization operates, how our members behave, how our leaders function. . . the Democratic Labour Party will return" Worrell told a party meeting.

One week later, another former senator, David Durant, took a more direct route to addressing the problems of the humbled DLP when he said a lesson to be learned from the stunning defeat is

that the party must "never to take the electorate for granted.

"Apologize. We are not too big to apologize," Durant said, adding, "be humble enough to accept where the party went wrong. Apologize to the people of our nation for not listening and for anything that was said that hurt them or caused pain and disappointment."

Outgoing High Commissioner to the UK, Guy Hewitt, a DLP appointee whose name was once floated as a possible candidate in the last elections, said the party ran a "most egregious, homophobic, [bordering] on misogynistic, election campaign, [that] created a serious and fatal disconnect between the government and the governed."

Marijuana on CARICOM slate

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generous drug' with 'no value' or narcotic should be changed to a classification of legal cannabis as a 'controlled substance,'" the Gleaner Newspaper reported, quoting from the report.

The document also noted that commissioners unanimously agreed that children and youths must be protected from the "possible adverse effects of cannabis and recommended drug-driving laws and mechanisms should be put in place to prevent persons from driving under the influence.

It gave a strong hint that the commission recognizes that marijuana has medicinal uses, noting that prohibition for children and younger persons "within an appropriate age limit should be maintained, except for medical reasons. It further pointed out that young people who use marijuana should be directed to treatment and diversion programs rather than being prosecuted or criminalized.

But even before all 15 leaders who have confirmed attendance go over the report, it has to be noted that three bloc member states-Antigua, Belize and Jamaica-have already bolted from the pack and have gone ahead and have already legalized small amounts without any police or legal ramifications. So far there have been no major set of negative reports about marijuana abuse since three three took unilateral action.

In the meantime, bloc Secretary General Irwin LaRocque sought to calm any anxieties about a regulated commercial trade in marijuana despite the fact that other countries are some American states are doing so. He told reporters that international laws currently bar such a trade, noting that medicinal and personal use must be distinguished from commerce.

"I think we have to separate marijuana based on what one considers its two uses — recreational marijuana and medical marijuana. Certainly, the commission encourages, in addition to decriminalization of marijuana, freeing up marijuana for scientific purposes and medical use. Within that context, I would imagine that one could allow for trade in medicinal marijuana. There is a distinction to be made. International law, governed by various statutes of the UN would preclude, at this point in time, the trade of recreational marijuana. Even within the U.S., for instance, you can't move marijuana from those states who have legalized it into those states who have not, unless it's medical marijuana," LaRocque cautioned.

The Montego Bay, Jamaica summit will be remembered for being one of the few for which all 15 leaders and those of the five associated member states has confirmed attendance, including usual absentee President Desi Bouterse of Suriname.

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Clarke, NY Reps demand info on child detention centers



Brooklyn Democratic Congresswoman Yvette Clarke and fellow New York Congress members spoke out about Trump administration child detention centers. Nelson A. King

By Nelson A. King

In the wake of President Donald J. Trump's new executive order on the separation of migrant children from their families, Brooklyn Democratic Congresswoman Yvette D. Clarke has headed New York's congressional delegation in demanding information on child detention centers and private prison contractors from the administration.

Clarke — the daughter of Jamaican immigrants who represents the 9th Congressional District in Brooklyn — said on Monday that Democratic Congressional Representatives Nydia M. Velázquez, José E. Serrano, Gregory W. Meeks, Hakeem Jeffries and Grace Meng have joined her in dispatching a letter to the U.S. Departments of Defense, Homeland Security, Health and Human Services, and Justice seeking answers to their concerns.

Clarke said that while the Trump administration recently

issued Executive Order 13841 “to purportedly end its inhumane child separation policy, this new executive order means that private prison contractors will still be profiting off of the suffering of immigrant children.

“This creates perverse incentives for private firms to engage in practices that will leave children worse off,” she said.

In their letter on Monday, the congressional representatives said that the new executive order “was not based on compassion for migrant children fleeing violence, but instead defeats our mission as a nation of immigrants. As a result of this executive order, migrant children will now potentially be detained with their families in private prison facilities indefinitely, inflicting unnecessary emotional pain and suffering.

“Yet, this executive order is not self-executing,” the congressional representatives added.

“Instead, it relies on your

agencies and the support of a myriad collection of private prison contractors who stand to benefit financially off the perpetual suffering of migrant children.”

The New York Congressional Representatives said that at least five federal contractors will receive hundreds of millions of dollars to help implement the Trump administration's “unethical detention and removal policies.”

They added that, in contrast, corporations, such as American Airlines, “have bravely asked your administration to refrain from using their services to transport children thousands of miles away from their parents.”

The representatives, therefore, asked the Trump administration, among other questions, “which private prison contractors and subcontractors have received government contracts that involve carrying out or assisting with your previous policy of separating migrant

children from their families?”

The Congressmembers pointed to what they described as “the perverse financial

incentives reaped by profiting from the suffering of others as need for strong congressional oversight in the matter.”

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Types and typical victims of prostate cancer

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Two groups of men are particularly susceptible to prostate cancer: those over the age of 70, and African-American men. The latter are 1.6 times more likely to develop the disease than white men, and 2.6 times more likely to experience prostate cancer than Asian-American men.

Prostate cancer: Symptoms and diagnosis

Most alarming is that many patients with the disease don't experience any symptoms. Experts like Dr. Joshua Halpern of the Accord Physicians Group recommends that all men, especially African Americans, be screened regularly for prostate cancer by a doctor once they reach age 40.

Dr. Halpern is a certified radiation

oncologist who received his oncology training at Roswell Park Cancer Institute and MD Anderson Cancer Center, the nation's leading cancer treatment center. He has treated all forms of cancer for more than 40 years, and has had hands-on experience with thousands of prostate cancer patients. He explains the processes that urologists use to diagnose and confirm the disease.

The first step in the rigorous process of diagnosing prostate cancer is to draw blood and conduct a Prostate-Specific Antigen (PSA) test. PSA is a protein naturally produced in men's prostate glands, and abnormally-high PSA levels may indicate the presence of prostate cancer, although they could also be signs of other prostate issues such as inflammation or enlargement.

Normal levels of the protein are usually in the 0.0–4.0 range. But once the PSA levels are greater than 4.0, Dr. Halpern says, the normal procedure is to recommend a biopsy during which a small section of prostate tissue is removed and examined for signs of cancer.

Dr. Halpern explains that if

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Accord Physicians Group and prostate cancer

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Countries are using domestic laws to criminalize healthcare

Dainius Puras

Dr. Dainius Puras is UN special rapporteur on "the right of everyone to the enjoyment of the highest attainable standard of physical and mental health."

GENEVA, June 21, 2018 (IPS) — Ambulance drivers attacked, nurses detained, doctors tortured, pharmacists arrested, dentists facing more than a decade in prison—all for delivering healthcare to people considered enemies of the state.

There is a disturbing global phenomenon of governments using domestic laws, policies, and practices to punish health professionals for doing their job to treat those in need. Whether it's vague counter-terrorism legislation, misguided domestic laws and policies, or harsh administrative sanctions, states are often turning to domestic laws to criminalize health care.

I have been privileged to be part of the medical profession for more than three decades. In recent years, I have seen the ways in which laws provide a pretext for states to enact violence and punitive sanction against my fellow health workers. These alarming trends undermine the ethical foundation of medicine and the human rights of communities we have pledged to serve.

Health professionals have a duty to care for the sick, wounded and injured, regardless of their patients' political

affiliation or which side of a conflict they are on. The core human rights principle of non-discrimination is not only a key component of medical ethics, but an essential part of our humanity: every human being has a right to medical care. Whether a foe or an ally, a patient is a patient.

For more than half a century, governments have recognized this concept, enshrining the protection of healthcare in international humanitarian and human rights instruments, as well as their national constitutions. Just two years ago, 80 states adopted a resolution specifically condemning attacks on health providers and their patients.

As the UN special rapporteur on the right to health, I have examined this issue during my country missions and engaged directly with governments as cases of medical professionals under threat have come to my attention.

Regrettably, health professionals continue to be harassed, fired, arrested, prosecuted and even killed for caring for those in need. I am convinced that these egregious human rights violations against health professionals and the communities they seek to serve emerge from a systemic failure to explicitly safeguard healthcare in law and policy at the national level.

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Separated Central American families abused in U.S.

By Edgardo Ayala

SAN SALVADOR, July 2 2018 (IPS) — After three hours of paperwork, Katy Rodriguez from El Salvador, who was deported from the United States, finally exited the government's immigration facilities together with her young son and embraced family members who were waiting outside.

Rodríguez and her three-year-old son were reunited again on Jun. 28, just before she was sent back to her home country El Salvador. She is originally from Chalatenango, in the central department of the same name.

The 29-year-old mother and her little boy spent more than four months apart after being detained on Feb. 19 for being intercepted without the proper documents in the U.S. state of Texas, where they entered the country from the Mexican border city of Reynosa.

"It's been bad, very bad, everything we've been through, my son in one place and me in another," Rodríguez told IPS in a brief statement before getting into a family car outside the Migrant Assistance Centre, where Salvadorans deported from both the United States and Mexico arrive.

She was informed she could apply for asylum, but that meant spending more time away from her son, and for that reason she chose to be deported. "I felt immense joy when they finally gave me my child," she said with a faint smile..

Rodriguez was held in a

"The detention of children and the separation of families is comparable to the practice of torture under international law and U.S. law itself."

detention centre on the outskirts of San Antonio, Tex., while her son was sent to a children's shelter in far-flung New York City as a result of the "Zero Tolerance" policy on illegal immigration imposed in April by the Donald Trump administration.

The traumatic events experienced by Rodríguez and her son are similar to what has happened to thousands of families, most of them from Guatemala, Honduras and El Salvador, detained and separated on the southern U.S. border after Trump implemented the measure to, in theory, stem the flow of immigrants to the United States.

According to the Salvadoran General Migration Office, between Jan. 1 and Jun. 27, 39 minors were deported from the US, either alone or accompanied, 1,020 from Mexico and five others from other locations. That figure of 1,064 is well below the 1,472 returned in the first half of 2017.

Of the 2,500 children separated from their parents or guardians on the southern border of the U.S. since April, just over 2,000 are still being held in detention

centres and shelters in that country, according to the media and human rights organizations.

This is despite the fact that President Trump signed a decree on Jun. 20 putting an end to the separation of families.

Images of children locked up in cages created by metal fencing, crying and asking to see their parents, triggered an international outcry.

"The detention of children and the separation of families is comparable to the practice of torture under international law and U.S. law itself. There is an intention to inflict harm by the authorities for the purpose of coercion," Erika Guevara, Amnesty International's director for the Americas, told IPS from Mexico City.

The plane in which Rodríguez was deported carried another 132 migrants, including some 20 women, who told IPS about the abuses and human rights violations suffered in the detention centers.

Carolina Díaz, 21, who worked in a maquiladora — export assembly plant — before migrating to the United States, told IPS that she was held for a day and a half in what migrants refer to as the "icebox" in McAllen, Tex.

The icebox is kept extremely cold on purpose, because the guards turn up the air conditioning as a form of punishment "for crossing the border without papers," said Díaz, a native

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Tags will honor Jamaican bobsledders

Democrats and Republicans seem to be unable to agree on most policy issues.

However, in the New York State Legislature the two parties seem to be less contentious in reaching a recent agreement giving the Division of Motor of Vehicles (DMV) approval to issue license plates honoring the history-making Jamaica bobsled team.

On June 14, when Democrats legislators rubber-stamped a measure first approved by their GOP counterparts, the measure would allow the Department of Motor Vehicles to issue license plates honoring the team, which made its Olympic debut at the 1988 Calgary Winter Games.

Of all the teams competing that year, the “Cool Runnings” sledders upstaged veteran ice-worthy champions, nabbing acclaim and media attention for their enduring dedication and perseverance to qualifying despite the long odds of success representing a tropical country.

The media coverage was overwhelming throughout the Games, and culminated with a comedic movie titled called “Cool Runnings,” based on the



Inside Life

By Vinette K. Pryce

team’s journey from the snowless Caribbean island to international acclaim in wintry western Canada.

Devon Harris one of the founding members of the most improbable national teams to qualify for the Winter Olympics now heads a foundation that honors the trailblazing Jamaican men.

Harris, an author and inspirational speaker, penned a children’s book titled “Yes I Can” in 2008 and later in 2010 published “Keep On Pushing,” a semi-autobiographical book that details his real-life experiences.

According to the book, he was raised in the Waterhouse section of Kingston, Jamaica, an area renowned for rebellious youth gangs and related unsavory violent crimes. Despite those hazards Harris joined and served as an officer in the Jamaica Defence Force. He also

graduated from the prestigious Royal Military Academy Sandhurst in England.

How he managed to soar to international attention is the fact he had always yearned to be an athlete. Nicknamed Pele, after the famous Brazilian soccer player, he was an avid player and from his vantage well-suited to perform on a grand stage either on a field or on track.

His passion was track and field and his dream was to represent Jamaica in the 1984 summer Olympics in the 800m and 1500m events.

In hindsight, it probably was not an impossible one.

During his tenure in the JDF as a lieutenant in the Second Battalion, he read in a weekly army publication called “Force Orders” that the idea of a bobsled team was being tested.

The September 1987 text called for those interested to “undergo rigorous and danger-



Devon Harris, second from right, receiving an Olympians for Life certificate in Pyeongchang, South Korea. Facebook photo

ous training” in order to represent Jamaica in the Winter Olympics.

Harris initially thought the idea was ridiculous, adding to that he was constantly told it was an impossible feat. However, he was eventually convinced to participate by his superior

officer, Lt. Col. Alan Douglas.

At the team selections, Harris ended up with the fastest push time. Perhaps that push motivated him to keep on pushing and eventually he found a way to make it possible.

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Mistress of ceremonies Claudette Powell and Community News Group President Jennifer Goodstein welcome the honorees Photo by Jason Speakman.



Heather Mitchell celebrates with loved ones.



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Caribbean Life honors healthcare professionals



The 2018 Caribbean American Healthcare Awards honorees gathered at Paradise Caterers on June 27.

Photo by Jason Speakman .

By James Harney

Caribbean Life and Community News Group celebrated 25 Caribbean American healthcare professionals during its fifth annual Caribbean American Healthcare Awards ceremony at Paradise Catering Hall on June 27.

These professionals were honored for what they do to advance healthcare in New York. President and publisher Jennifer Goodstein said, "Again this year we are proud to be able to recognize the best in New York's healthcare."

What these honorees do every day in their professional lives is so impressive...but what they do outside of work, their volunteerism for example, is equally impressive."

Once again this year, Caribbean Life Publications and the Community News Group reached out to readers, the medical community and our own editorial committee to recommend the best of

the best of our local healthcare professionals the very best it can be.

Mistress of Ceremonies Claudette Powell called the 2018 Caribbean American Healthcare Awards Gala "a resounding success."

"As the mistress of ceremonies, I was privileged to share the proud moments with the honorees; many of whom were colleagues, friends and associates," Powell said.

"Many thanks to Caribbean Life newspaper for recognizing the enormous contributions of Caribbean American health professionals."

Powell has been a steadfast supporter of the Healthcare Awards gala, having served as mistress of ceremonies in 2017 as well.

At that glitzy students to recognize that education was constant.

"We never stop learning," she said, adding that: "we must seek opportuni-



Honorees Shantay Carter, center, and Jessica Sinclair, right, are thrilled to be attending the gala.

Photo by Jason Speakman



Dr. Pierre Arty (center) celebrates.

Photo by Jason Speakman



Khari Edwards is thrilled to receive his award from Crys Cooper and Claudette Powell.

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Brooklyn Spine Center offering patients living with back pain a surgery-free option

BY CAMILLE SPERRAZZA

Dr. Melinda Keller of the Brooklyn Spine Center has been treating patients with chronic back pain for 36 years.

She has heard it all from patients who come to her as a last resort, after they have tried pills and injections. Yet, despite these treatments, they are still suffering. They can't sit and do computer work for their jobs. They can't bend to pick up their grandchildren. Many can't sleep at night because the pain is excruciating. Their quality of life is so diminished, many consider surgery to be their only option.

But Dr. Keller provides them with another alternative: non-surgical decompression. She utilizes the DRX-9000 (pictured right), a state-of-the-art device that helps restore spinal discs back to optimal health. The machine gently stretches the spine so that pain subsides. As a result, pressure on the nerves is released. "It accelerates the natural healing process, and offers an effective alternative to risky spine surgery, painful injections, and prescriptive medications," says Dr. Keller.

The results are based on scientific evidence. "Post-MRI results reveal actual physical improvement to the health of the spinal disc in approximately 90% of the cases," says the doctor.

D.R.X. stands for Decompression Reduction Extraction, and the DRX -9000 is the best quality and most researched decompression device on the market, she says. The system is manufactured by Axiom Worldwide, and is Food and Drug Administration-approved. This technology allows Dr. Keller to apply a controlled amount of traction to specific parts of the spine, gently easing the pressure off of patients' injured discs. Keeping discs healthy is important. "Discs are responsible for drawing fluid from the body that carries nutrients and oxygen to the spine," says Dr. Keller. "The spine needs these nutrients to stay strong."

The procedure is non-



invasive, and patients do not feel any pain when undergoing the treatment. The only thing they may feel is a gentle tug to the spine as the machine works to ease the symptoms associated with herniated discs, degenerative disc disease, and sciatica. While this is taking place, patients are lying comfortably on top of the machine's cushioned table. The treatment takes place slowly and gradually, so that patients are relaxed and stress-free.

Some patients report feeling a sense of relief right away, as the machine can offer immediate relief to the pressure on their discs. Several DRX-9000 treatments are usually needed to obtain lasting results. Dr. Keller will discuss the timeframe with each patient, outlining a treatment plan that's based on individual needs. Each session lasts about 45 minutes, providing time for the DRX-9000 to lengthen and stretch the spine, as it reduces pressure to the nerves.

Good spinal health is essential, says the doctor, as it can mean the difference between staying active and being bedridden. Some patients come into the office, and they can barely walk. If left untreated, what will their spines be like when they age? "Half of all babies born in the year 2000 or later, can expect to live to be 100 years old," says Dr. Keller. "We are already living longer, but we have to live better." Keeping our spines functioning at 100% prolongs quality of life.

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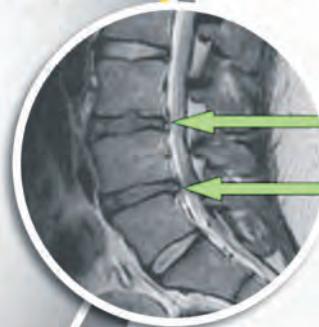
(Clockwise from left) Dr. Melinda Keller of the Brooklyn Spine Center helps a patient use the LPG Spine Force. Dr. Keller in her office. Cecilia and Nadia greet patients at the front desk.

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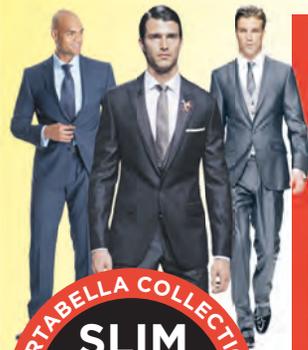


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to the International Monetary Fund (IMF).

Speaking at the fourth installment of "Conversation with the Prime Minister," Rowley said the IMF was not a solution to the country's economic challenges.

He said to avoid it, certain things have to be done to ensure the government doesn't end up there.

"Under this government, we are not likely to be in that situation because

as leader of this government [I'm] taking the responsibility for the country's administration and knowing the nature of our resource base and what resources are available to us and what we can do as a people. I give this country the assurance that we will not be considering the IMF as a solution to our problem," he said.

"The IMF is the International Monetary Fund. It is a bank and it is the lender of the last resort. It is when all else fails, we then turn to the lender of the last resort," the prime minister added.

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'Little Haiti' culture, business district formed in Brooklyn

BY ALEXANDRA SIMON

Brooklyn is officially a little more Haitian!

The City Council last Thursday passed a bill designating a swath of Central Brooklyn as the Little Haiti Cultural and Business District, culminating a state pol's months-long push for the enclave following last year's designation of its tiny neighbor, Little Caribbean.

The creation of Kings County's Little Haiti is an important achievement for locals with roots on the island, especially after President Donald Trump's verbal attacks and controversial policy changes targeting Haitian immigrants, according to the legislator who advocated for the cultural district.

"This is historic, and we want people to know that the Haitians are not going anywhere," said Assemblywoman Rodneyse Bichotte (D-Flatbush). "We are not a s---hole country — we are a beautiful

community with culture, arts, and history to share."

Council's approval of the Little Haiti designation will allow Bichotte and other leaders to get to work on projects they feel can help bring more tourism dollars and other investments to the area — which covers parts of Ditmas Park, Flatbush, East Flatbush, and Midwood, and is generally bounded by East 16th Street, Parkside Avenue, Brooklyn Avenue, and Avenue H, and also includes Church Avenue between Brooklyn and Albany avenues.

"By making this official with Council, we can work with city agencies to help beautify and fix the streets, put in new decorative lighting, and build some housing and cultural centers," Bichotte said.

The Assemblywoman and other Little Haiti backers are currently scouting for spaces to build its first community center, she said, and will soon meet with city agencies — in-

cluding the Departments of Transportation, Small Business Services, and Cultural Affairs, as well as the city's Economic Development Corporation — to discuss plans for other projects.

The Council legislation christens the new enclave as a cultural district in name only, however, and does not preserve it from future development and the destruction of any buildings that may be require.

In May, Bichotte held a rally in the newly formed district to unveil the co-naming of Nostrand Avenue between Newkirk and Flatbush avenues as Toussaint L'Ouverture Boulevard in honor of the Haitian forefather.

And next month, Council is expected to vote on a second co-naming proposal, which if approved would christen the intersection of Rogers Avenue and Empire Boulevard for Haitian revolutionary Jean-Jacques Dessalines.



In the books: From left, Assemblywoman Rodneyse Bichotte, Council speaker Corey Johnson, and Councilman Jumaane Williams display proclamation designating Brooklyn's Little Haiti.
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New Caribbean hurricane preparedness plans

By Nelson A. King

The United Kingdom Government on Wednesday announced new measures to make sure British Overseas Territories in the Caribbean have the support they need in the event of a repeat of the devastating hurricanes which hit the region last year.

The British Government said its departments “have been putting plans in place to bring together humanitarian, military support and diplomatic work under a joint unit coordinated by the Foreign Office.”

The government said the Royal Fleet Auxilliary (RFA) Mounts Bay, a Navy ship deployed to the region since 2017, will remain in the vicinity of the Caribbean throughout the hurricane season this year and also for 2019.

It said experts have been deployed to the region to lead negotiations on a number of commercial contracts, in advance of peak hurricane season, to deliver essential recovery needs.

The government said military reconnaissance and analysis in the Overseas Territories are “building links and familiarity with local and regional disaster management personnel and conducting professional analysis of selected critical infrastructure.”

Plans for a multi-national coordination cell in the Caribbean to coordinate partner countries and organizations are being made “to make sure efforts aren’t being duplicated across the region and to make immediate responses more efficient,”



Foreign Office Minister for the Overseas Territories Lord Tariq Ahmad of Wimbledon said the United Kingdom “continues to work closely with the governments of the overseas territories in helping to rebuild their economies.”

UK Government

the UK Government said.

It said it has coordinated meetings between representatives from the US, Canada, the Netherlands and the Caribbean Disaster Emergency Management Agency (CDEMA) “to ensure a joined-up approach to hurricane preparedness.”

The statement said emergency humanitarian supplies in the form of over 1000 collapsible jerry cans, 1000 hygiene kits and up to 1000 shelter kits have been pre-loaded onto RFA Mounts Bay, “which will remain in the region for the hurricane season and be on hand to provide life-

saving emergency assistance as required.”

The UK Government said its Department for International Development (DFID) also fielded a preparedness mission to the region from June 5-17 “to coordinate UK preparations with both national and regional institutions.”

The government said DFID has “well established programs in the poorer Commonwealth countries of the Caribbean and, in addition to humanitarian assistance, is supporting reconstruction efforts in the hurricane-affected islands of Dominica and Antigua and Barbuda.”

“The UK has also helped ensure all islands affected by the hurricanes last year are now insured under the Caribbean Catastrophe Risk Insurance Fund (CCRIF),” the statement said, adding that DFID helped establish the CCRIF, “which provided over US\$50 million of quick payouts to hurricane-affected Caribbean countries and territories in 2017.”

This year, the UK said it has supported the British Virgin Islands (BVI) and Montserrat to join as new members.

“This means that all of the islands affected last year are now covered,” the British Govern-

ment said.

Foreign Office Minister for the Overseas Territories Lord Tariq Ahmad of Wimbledon noted that last year’s hurricanes “hit Caribbean British Overseas Territories and the wider region with devastating effect, uprooting lives and damaging local economies.

“The UK has provided critical support and help with recovery efforts, and I have seen for myself the huge impact that this has had already,” he said. “The UK continues to work closely with the governments of the Overseas Territories in their recovery efforts and in helping to rebuild their economies.

“Moreover, we have also been working hard with key partners across the region to ensure an even more effective and strategic response in the event we see a repeat of last year’s hurricane season,” he added.

International Development Minister, Lord Bates, said the scale of last year’s hurricanes was “unprecedented,” adding that the UK aid mission was “huge, covering small islands stretching more than 1,000 miles apart, where buildings and roads had been destroyed.

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phone conversations. The use of a hands-free device does not lower distraction levels. The percentage of vehicle crashes and near-crashes attributed to dialing is nearly identical to the number associated with talking or listening.

Daydreaming

Many people will admit to daydreaming behind the wheel or looking at a person or object outside of the car for too long. Per-

haps they're checking out a house in a new neighborhood or thought they saw someone they knew on the street corner. It can be easy to veer into the direction your eyes are focused, causing an accident. In addition to trying to stay focused on the road, some drivers prefer the help of lane departure warning systems.

Eating

Those who haven't quite mastered walking and

chewing gum at the same time may want to avoid eating while driving. The majority of foods require a person's hands to be taken off of the wheel and their eyes to be diverted from the road. Reaching in the back seat to share some French fries with the kids is also distracting.

Try to eat meals before getting in the car. For those who must snack while en route, take a moment to pull over at

a rest area and spend 10 minutes snacking there before resuming the trip.

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Glancing at an advertisement, updating a Facebook status or reading a book are all activities that should be avoided when driving. Even pouring over a traffic map or consulting the digital display of a GPS system can be distracting.

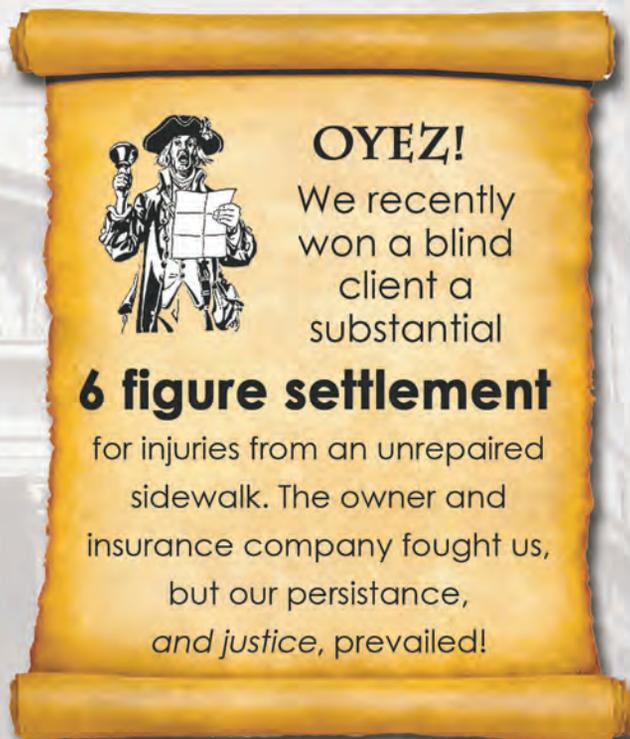
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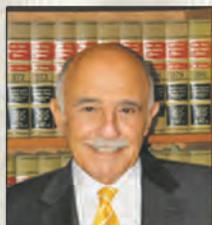
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Countries are using domestic laws to criminalize healthcare

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These practices in countries around the world do not occur in a vacuum, but emerge from embedded legal systems that ensnare health workers in a widening punitive net.

I recently requested a review of the role domestic laws play in fostering the criminalization of healthcare to understand how health workers experience extraordinary violence, harassment or sanctions. The findings are alarming: of the 16 countries analyzed in the report, authorities in at least 10 of them could interpret the provision of healthcare as supporting terrorism.

The implication of this general state of legal affairs is dire. If nurses, doctors and paramedics are afraid to treat people because they may be prosecuted, whole communities could suffer.

Some countries have begun to under-

stand how these laws and practices undermine healthcare and are taking steps to safeguard it. But much more needs to be done. Everyone must be able to access healthcare—it is an obligation under the right to health and incumbent upon states to secure.

States must review and amend their laws to ensure they explicitly shield the sick and wounded and those who care for them. Military, police and security forces must be instructed that patients cannot be denied care, regardless of their affiliation.

This requires both a normative as well as a cultural shift in how state structures uphold everyone's basic dignity and rights.

The international community must elevate this issue to ensure the protection of healthcare permeates the entire UN family.

Separated Central American families abused in U.S.

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of Ciudad Arce, in the central department of La Libertad, El Salvador.

"You practically freeze to death there, with nothing to keep yourself warm with," she added.

To sleep, all they gave her was a thermal blanket that looked like a giant sheet of aluminum foil, she said. Another woman, who did not want to be identified, told IPS that she was held in the icebox for nine days without knowing exactly why.

Díaz also spent another day and a half in the "kennel," as they refer to the metal cages where dozens of undocumented immigrants are held.

"When I was in the kennel, the guards made fun of us, they threw the food at us as if we were dogs, almost always stale bologna sandwiches," she said.

Díaz said that in McAllen, as well as in a similar detention centre in Laredo, Texas, she saw many mothers who had been separated from their children, crying inconsolably.

"The mothers were traumatized by the pain of the separation," she said.

Guevara of Amnesty International said Trump's decree does not stop the separations, but only postpones them, and families will continue to be detained, including those seeking asylum.

"The president's June 20 decree does not say what they are going to do with

the more than 2,000 children already separated, in a situation of disorder that is generating other human rights violations," she said.

These violations include the failure to notify parents or guardians when children are transferred to other detention facilities.

She added that the United States has created the world's largest immigrant detention system, and currently operates 115 centres with at least 300,000 people detained each year.

Meanwhile, Marleny Montenegro, a psychologist with the Migrations programme in Guatemala's non-governmental Psychosocial Action and Studies Team, explained that children detained and separated from their parents suffer from depression, fear, anxiety and anguish, among other psychological issues.

"They are affected in their ability to trust, their insecurity and they have trouble reintegrating into the community and in communicating their feelings and thoughts," Montenegro told IPS from the Guatemalan capital.

The plane with undocumented deportees arrived in El Salvador on the same day as U.S. Vice President Michael Pence, who was meeting in Guatemala with Guatemalan President Jimmy Morales, Honduran President Juan Orlando Hernandez, and El Salvador's President Sánchez Cerén.



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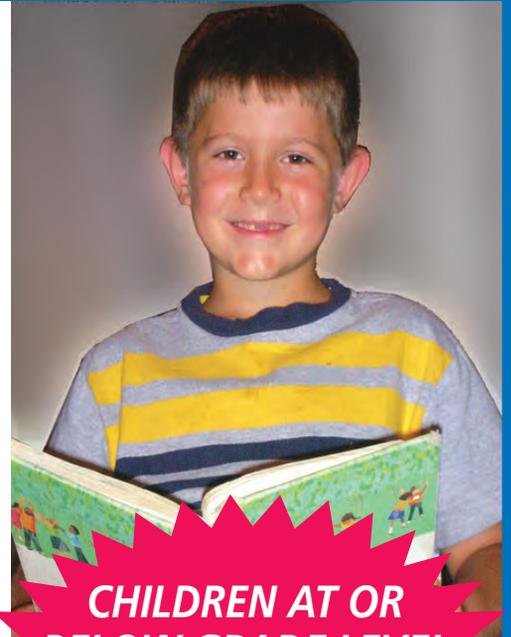
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CHTA warns governments about high air travel taxes



CHTA Director General and Chief Executive Officer Frank Comito, testifying at the International Air Transport Associations conference in Barbados. CHTA

By Nelson A. King

The Caribbean Hotel and Tourism Association (CHTA) has warned governments in the region about the adverse effects of high air travel-related taxes and fees on travel as they wrestle with balancing budgets.

"We recognize the challenges facing countries, but it is our duty to point out that taxing for additional revenue may have a reverse effect as tourists may choose not to travel to or within the Caribbean and instead select other destinations because of the high cost of our destinations," said CHTA's director general and chief executive officer Frank Comito.

In such a case, Comito said, not only would the governments see fewer tax revenues, but local businesses would likely suffer.

"High upfront taxes also typically adversely affect on-island spending by visitors who do come," he said on Friday following CHTA's participation in the International Air Transport Association's (IATA) Aviation

Day conference in Barbados. The conference was sponsored by IATA, the Caribbean Development Bank (CDB) and the Latin American and Caribbean Air Transport Association.

"They will either opt for shorter stays or spend less on activities, restaurants and attractions to offset the additional cost," Comito added.

He noted that the region saw this happen in 2010 and the immediate years following, "as the United Kingdom imposed large duties on travelers to, from and through their country.

"As the cost of family travel increased by hundreds of dollars, travel demand declined, impacting net tax revenue and employment in those Caribbean destinations, which had a high percentage of UK-based and transient travelers," he said.

Recognizing the damaging effect, Comito said Barbados successfully led the regional lobby against this "restrictive duty, which resulted several years later in the UK modifying

it and helping to restore travel demand."

Comito said while Caribbean tourist arrivals have grown in recent years, the region continues to lose global market share and growth within the region.

He said travel is currently heavily skewed to less expensive destinations.

The tourism association cited data from the World Travel and Tourism Council and the Caribbean Tourism Organization (CTO) showing an erosion of market share and disproportionate visitor arrivals growth.

Likewise, CHTA said intra-Caribbean travel has declined significantly as the cost of travel within the region has skyrocketed.

Representing the region's largest private sector tourism organization, Comito, therefore, urged that greater awareness of the impact of travel and tourism on local economies is needed at a critical time for the Caribbean.

"We need to incentivize travel

on the front end," he said. "Taxing outputs has proved to be a more successful strategy than taxing inputs."

At the conference, reports

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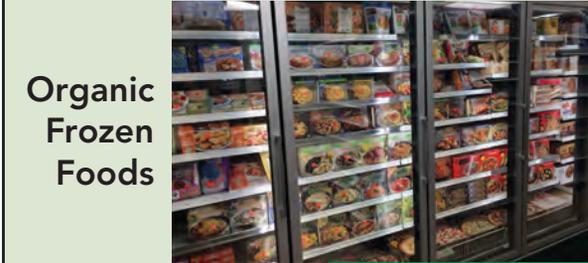
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Our Perspective

ICE Agents Brandishing Guns Detain RWDSU Members – Who is Next?



By Stuart Appelbaum, President Retail, Wholesale and Department Store Union, UFCW

For RWDSU members, the real-world effects of the Trump Administration's almost incomprehensibly cruel focus came into startling view on June 20. At a time when the world was voicing outrage about families being separated at the southern U.S. border, another shocking

miscarriage of justice occurred further north in Ohio. At a Fresh Mark meat processing plant, 146 hard-working RWDSU members were detained and separated from their families during a raid by gun-toting ICE agents.

During what had been a normal workday, workers suddenly found themselves violently shoved to the ground and handcuffed in an egregious, disturbing show of force. Witnesses likened it to a terrorist attack.

Over 100 children in the community suddenly found out a parent wasn't coming home. One hundred forty-six workers who pay their taxes, put in an honest day's work, and contribute to their communities did not go home that night.

And for what?

The community, and the country, is zero percent safer. A busy meat processing plant has suddenly lost a large portion of its reliable workforce and production has been severely disrupted. Families have been torn apart to the detriment of the community. The Trump Administration has pointlessly created a humanitarian and possibly economic crisis in Ohio.

Our union, the RWDSU, is stepping up to help RWDSU members and their families. A task force, including lawyers and worker representatives, was immediately dispatched to Ohio to defend the workers and help aid families with basic necessities including food, diapers, and simply connecting frightened children and spouses with their detained loved ones, many of whom still have not been located.

While our immediate focus is on the events in Ohio, it's clear that this raid and the other events of the past weeks and months raise many troubling issues. With President Trump calling for the illegal, unconstitutional action of deporting immigrants without their due-process rights, who is next? It could be your neighbors, or even your family members.

It's striking to see these troubling events occur so close to the July 4 holiday. This is not what America – a land of opportunity that is based upon principles of justice and equality – is all about.

America has always been about the promise that hard work and honest living can bring people – both those born here and those who immigrated – better lives. The U.S. needs to create a path to citizenship for workers who have been contributing to our economy for decades, and to the hundreds of thousands of Temporary Status Holders who will soon be living in the shadows because Congress and Trump have failed to act on their behalf; our country doesn't need more foreign workers coming in with special guestworker visas that condone substandard working conditions. We need to give those already in this country an opportunity to change their status and officially become what many will say they already are: Americans.

You can help the Ohio workers by visiting www.rwdsu.org and donating to the RWDSU Ohio Workers Defense Fund. All of the proceeds will go toward supporting families affected by this tragic and unnecessary raid.

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State Comptroller Thomas DiNapoli, center, with honorees from left, Douglas and Darlyne Mayers, Sylvia Hinds-Radix, and Jason Laidley at his DiNapoli's Caribbean heritage celebration in Brooklyn June 28.

Courtesy Office of the New York State Comptroller

Comptroller lauds Caribbean community leaders

By Alexandra Simon

State Comptroller Thomas DiNapoli celebrated the accomplishments of four local members of the Caribbean community in a ceremony at Restoration Plaza in Bedford-Stuyvesant on June 28. The state's finance manager concluded Caribbean Heritage Month observances by presenting the distinguished Caribbean-American's with proclamations in honor of their achievements.

Of the honorees were State Associated Justice Sylvia Hinds-Radix; Douglas Mayers, president of the Freeport, L.I. NAACP chapter and the Long Island Caribbean American Association; Darlyne Mayers, his wife and associate director of the Long Island Educational Opportunity Center, and Jason Laidley, chief of staff to State Sen. Jamaal Bailey.

DiNapoli said that as one of the city's largest immigrant communities, Caribbean-Americans are influential, and have been essential to the growth of the Empire State.

"All across New York City, New York State, and certainly across the United States, Caribbean-Americans are a dynamic and important part of our economy and cultural life," he said. "Across the city and state, the strengths and talents and the vast contributions of Caribbean people are on full display and Caribbean influence and culture is everywhere, bringing great energy and entrepreneurial spirit to our communities."

The comptroller also took the time to pay respects to the Caribbean islands damaged by last season's hurricanes.

"We continue in our hearts to show

our support for the people of Puerto Rico, and our brothers and sisters throughout the Caribbean who are still working to recover from the severe devastation by Hurricanes Maria and Irma last year," said DiNapoli.

In addition to celebrating the achievements of the awardees, DiNapoli made a point to discuss his office's push to create more chances for New Yorkers of all backgrounds. He says an increase of immigrants has positively affected the city's economy, and he took a verbal shot at President Trump's policies toward and handling of immigrant families intercepted at the Mexican border.

"The neighborhoods with the highest concentration of immigrants are experiencing economic growth that exceeds the citywide average," he said. "For New York and America to prosper, it's not about building walls and separating families — it's really about opening new doors of economic opportunity for everyone and that's what we are trying to do."

Award recipient Hinds-Radix — who created an immigration program at District Council 37, the city's largest municipal public employee union — echoed the comptroller's sentiments, and explained that she now feels more motivated than ever to mobilize to protect New York's immigrant communities.

"This is a significant award for me, particularly at this time," she said. "Based on what's going on in our nation, I'm really very energized. I believe things happen so we can wake up, and we need to start taking the positions we ought to take."



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Visits to a physician are just one step people make in an effort to improve their well-being. It's important that everyone visit their physicians at least once a year for a checkup, but seniors may need to see their physicians more frequently than other age groups.

When visiting the doctor, it is easy for anyone to miss important components of what the doctor is saying, and it's just as easy to misunderstand certain instructions or medication information. Seniors who bring companions along to appointments with their physicians can reduce the risk of misunderstanding advice or diagnoses given by their doctors.

Data from U.S. News and World Report states that about one-third of seniors still living on their own take a companion with them to their routine

doctor's office visits. Companions are typically spouses, but they can include children or other family members as well.

Patients may find there are many advantages to bringing someone along to an appointment. And companions may want to learn more about patients' goals at each appointment prior to going along so they can prepare and know how to help during the appointment.

Listen

People tend to forget at least half of what they hear in the doctor's office, says the Archives of Internal Medicine. This tendency may be increased when patients are nervous about the potential outcome of their visits.

Bringing a companion along means that both people are actively listening.

Together, the information they've heard can combine to provide a full account of the visit.

Taking notes

Companions can jot down important notes about the appointment, such as dates and times for follow-up visits, medication advice, and any other instructions that may be forgotten once the patient leaves the office.

Companions can later translate the jargon-heavy language of a physician into an understandable language the patient can fully understand.

Medical history

Sometimes a companion can be a useful resource, calling a doctor's attention to a patient's prior hospitalizations and illnesses. Companions can even call

attention to any medications the patient is currently taking.

Serving as an advocate

Very often a companion can operate as a patient advocate, clarifying questions or getting further information out of a doctor if the patient is hesitant to ask. If the information isn't clear, the companion can raise red flags or ask to have the instructions put in a different light.

Translation

Sometimes patients need companions who speak their native languages when their physicians do not.

People are learning that bringing a family member or friend along to doctors' appointments can be a smart way to make the most of doctor and patient interactions.

Early signs of Parkinson's disease

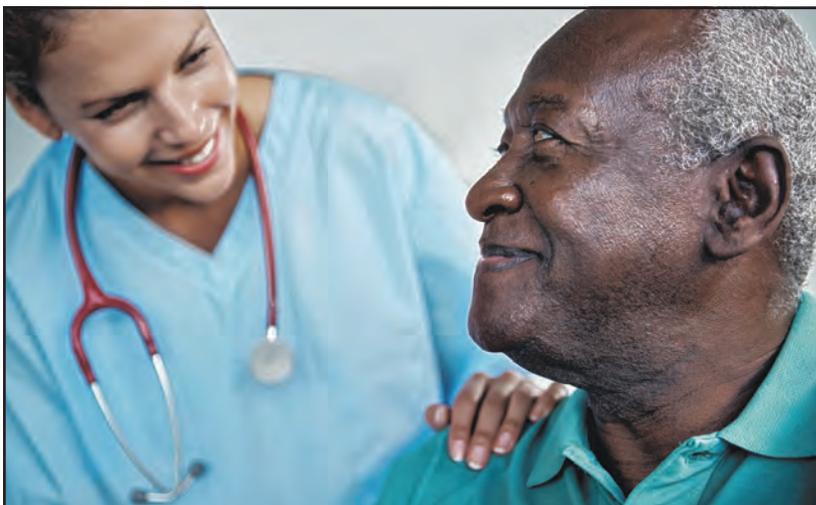
Despite affecting roughly 10 million people worldwide, Parkinson's disease, a neurodegenerative disorder, remains a mystery to many people.

To people outside of the medical field with no personal or family history of Parkinson's, the disease may only ring a bell because of some notable names attached to it. The late Muhammad Ali and actor Michael J. Fox are two household names that made their Parkinson's diagnoses public. But even those who study Parkinson's for a living do not know everything about this puzzling disease.

According to the Parkinson's Foundation, the cause of Parkinson's disease is largely unknown. While there's no cure for the disease, various treatment options can help those diagnosed with the disease live as normal and productive a life as possible.

The foundation notes that understanding the disease and its progression is the first step to living well. Though the foundation also notes that people first start experiencing symptoms later in the course of the disease, learning to recognize some early symptoms may compel people to seek treatment.

Tremor: Many people might experi-



Men and women who suspect they might be exhibiting symptoms of Parkinson's disease should speak with a medical professional immediately.

ence shaking after a vigorous workout or when they are dealing with stress or injury. But the foundation notes that a tremor in a finger, thumb, hand, or chin while at rest is a common early sign of Parkinson's disease.

Small handwriting: Handwriting can change as people age, especially if they are experiencing stiffness in their hands or their vision is deteriorating. But micrographia, a disorder

in which handwriting becomes abnormally small and cramped, is another early indicator of Parkinson's disease.

Loss of smell: The foundation advises people who are having trouble smelling foods such as bananas, dill pickles, or licorice speak with their physicians about Parkinson's disease. Temporary loss of smell due to something like the common cold, congestion, or the flu is not an early indicator

of Parkinson's.

Difficulty sleeping: A significant other may notice his or her partner moving suddenly during sleep, and such movements may be indicative of Parkinson's. The foundation notes that periodic tossing and turning is normal, as is quick jerks of the body during initial sleep and in lighter stages of sleep and should not be mistaken for Parkinson's.

Stiffness: Stiffness related to current or past injuries or even arthritis is not indicative of Parkinson's. But stiffness in the arms, body, and legs that is unrelated to injury or arthritis and does not go away with movement might be a sign of Parkinson's. The foundation notes that people sometimes describe this symptom by saying their feet feel stuck to the floor when they try to move.

Constipation: People who strain to move their bowels might be showing an early sign of Parkinson's. However, various factors, such as dehydration and a diet without adequate fiber, can cause constipation. In addition, men and women on medication may want to look into side effects of their medications to determine if their medicine, and not Parkinson's, is the cause of their difficulty moving their bowels.



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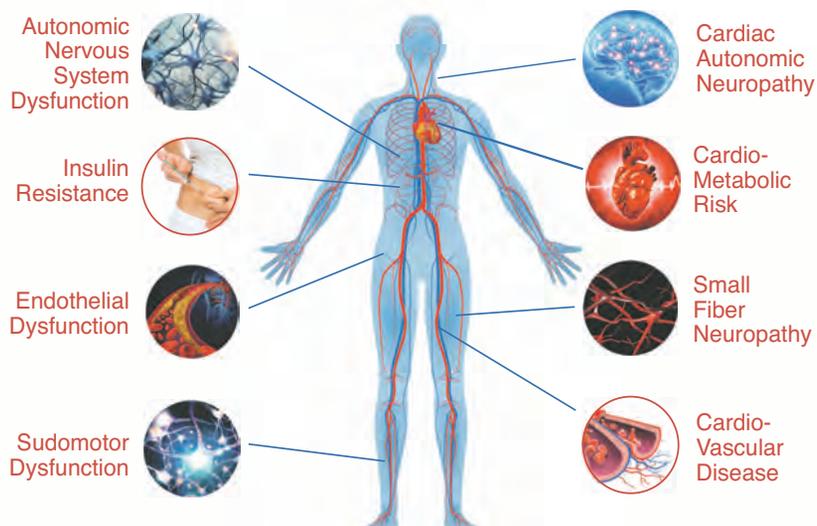
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According to the American Diabetes Association, as men and women age, their risk for type 2 diabetes increases.

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But just because aging is an uncontrollable risk factor for type 2 diabetes does not mean men and women over 50 cannot take steps to reduce their risk. The Association advises that routine exercise and a healthy diet that is low in saturated and trans fat and moderate in salt and sugar can help seniors



Aging makes the body less accepting of sugars, thereby making aging men and women more susceptible to type 2 diabetes.

stay healthy and lower their risk for type 2 diabetes.

A healthy meal plan should include lean protein, non-starchy vegetables, whole grains, healthy fats, and fruit. In addition, those young and old who want to decrease their risk for type 2 diabetes should avoid sugar-sweetened beverages such as soda, sports drinks, sweet tea, and fruit punch.

Recommended immunizations for those 50 years and older

Routine immunizations can keep people safe and healthy. Certain vaccinations can prevent diseases from producing symptoms, while others can lessen the duration of an illness or make conditions less severe.

Vaccination schedules become a way of life for parents to young children. But vaccinations aren't just for kids, and adults should keep tabs on their immunization histories to ensure they're up-to-date with vaccinations for their particular age group and lifestyle.

The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention warns that the elderly are more likely to die of a vaccine-preventable disease than other age groups. The immune system begins to decline as we age, so the body can benefit from the disease-fighting boost provided by vaccinations. Individuals at any age should discuss immunizations with their doctors, but it's a particularly important conversation for those age 50 and older.

Vaccine schedules and recommendations may vary depending on where a person lives, but the following immunization recommendations are offered courtesy of the Centers.

Influenza: An annual flu shot can help prevent the nearly 36,000 deaths that occur due to flu each year in the United States. The flu vaccine is designed to combat the current strain of flu, so it is recommended anytime be-

tween September to March, which is the prime flu season. People age 50 and older should opt for the injection rather than the nasal form of the vaccine.

Tdap: This vaccine protects against tetanus, diphtheria, and pertussis and is especially necessary for people who have close contact with young infants. Pertussis, or whooping cough, can be passed on to youngsters and make them very ill. If you've never received a Tdap vaccine, the Centers suggests getting it at least once. Individual tetanus boosters should be received every 10 years.

Pneumococcal: Pneumococcal disease is an infection caused by the pneumococcus bacteria. It can cause pneumonia, blood infection, ear infections, and even bacterial meningitis. This vaccine is given to adults age 65 and older or to younger adults at their physicians' discretion.

Hepatitis A: Individuals with medical, occupational or lifestyle conditions, such as healthcare workers or people with chronic liver disease, may need a two-dose series of the hepatitis A vaccine.

Adults who are avid travelers to various parts of the world that may bring them in contact with animals or people who do not receive the same course of immunizations may need additional vaccines. Speak with a doctor about which immunizations are recommended before travel.

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Students of the AbunDance Academy of the Arts will travel to the Bahamas this month.

Dance school Bahamas-bound

By Alexandra Simon

A Prospect Lefferts Gardens dance academy is heading to the Bahamas for a new dance immersion program.

The contemporary dance school AbunDance Academy is launching “AbunDance in Bahamas” — a week-long program introducing its students to dancing styles of another culture, specifically designed to allow for proper and even exchange, said the school’s executive director.

“It’s a really going to be a unique in format — this is first time as far as I know that a group has come to

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‘Fame’ for Actress Sheryl Lee Ralph

By Nelson A. King

The Washington, D.C.-based Institute of Caribbean Studies (ICS) has inducted Jamaican American actress Sheryl Lee Ralph into its “Wall of Fame” in commemoration of National Caribbean American Heritage Month celebrations.

Ralph was born in Waterbury, Conn., the daughter of Ivy, a fashion designer, and Stanley Ralph, a college professor.

Her father was African-American and her mother Afro-Jamaican, ICS said, adding that Ralph was raised between Mandeville, Jamaica, and Long Island.

Ralph, who attended Uniondale High School in Uniondale, New York, starred in a high-school production of the musical Oklahoma!, portraying Ado

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Anika Noni Rose and Tramell Tillman headline the Classic Stage Company revival of the wartime musical “Carmen Jones.”

Joan Marcus

A new revival of ‘Carmen Jones’

By Vinette K. Pryce

During these dog day afternoons, there’s no better place off to cool off, relax and spend time with 200 like-minded theater-lovers who would rather chill than sweat out the season.

Fast forward to a tiny space on 13th Street, where Classic Stage Company (CSC) is now presenting a revival of the musical “Carmen Jones.”

It sets the right temperature for fun.

Ironically, a film version made in

1954 recently ran on the Fox channel devoted to movies!

Starring Harry Belafonte and Dorothy Dandridge with Pearl Bailey, Diahann Carroll and Brock Peters with an all-black cast, that film version of the 1943 Broadway play — scored by Oscar Hammerstein — was directed by Otto Preminger.

This latest outing, with Anika Noni Rose in the starring role with a brilliant cast featuring Clifton Duncan, David Aron Damane, Erica Dorfler, Andrea Jones-Sojola, Justin Keyes,

Lindsay Roberts, Soara-Joye Ross, Lawrence E. Street and Tramell Tillman in a carnal-crazed presentation under the direction of John Doyle.

Doyle delivers, without allowing time for an intermission to exhale, the cool classic and compelling love story about Southern comfort, star-crossed lovers, lust, love, a triangular affair and a host of other telling topics that not only breezes with nuance but sizzles with tan-

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TOP OF THE CHARTS

TOP 10 SINGLES

- 1 **The Middle**
Zedd, Maren Morris & Grey
- 2 **Psycho**
Post Malone Feat. Ty Dolla \$ign
- 3 **Nice For What**
Drake
- 4 **Delicate**
Taylor Swift
- 5 **No Tears Left To Cry**
Ariana Grande
- 6 **Never Be The Same**
Camila Cabello
- 7 **I Like It**
Cardi B, Bad Bunny & J Balvin
- 8 **In My Blood**
Shawn Mendes
- 9 **Mine**
Bazzi
- 10 **Meant To Be**
Bebe Rexha & Florida Georgia Line

TOP 10 ALBUMS

- 1 **Pray For The Wicked**
Panic! At The Disco
- 2 **EVERYTHING IS LOVE**
The Carters
- 3 **Dan + Shay**
Dan + Shay
- 4 **The Greatest Showman**
Soundtrack
- 5 **Bad Witch (EP)**
Nine Inch Nails
- 6 **Magic**
Ben Rector
- 7 **K.T.S.E**
Teyana Taylor
- 8 **Come Tomorrow**
Dave Matthews Band
- 9 **Let The Trap Say Amen**
Lecrae X Zaytoven
- 10 **Expectations**
Bebe Rexha

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CLASSIC LOVE

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talizing heat from gestures. Except for the fact there is no curtain to raise and the play is staged in the round by a cast of 10, the storyline remains intact and the music as vibrant as ever.

No spoiler alerts required. Just a note that “Stand Up & Fight When You Hear the Bell” is just as riveting as when Bailey and the rest of the cast wailed the impassioned lyrics.

Rose as Jones is erotically captivating and sensually appealing as the tanned tantalizing character that enticed Belafonte’s Joe.

It is almost unimaginable that any set designer could transform a parachute factory in South Carolina, a military base there, a nightclub, a train, a Chicago apartment, a bushy outside location, a boxing ring, a country club and a myriad other locations from such a

small space in the middle of a floor. Scott Pask did it.

And Shelton Becton, music director, and Joseph Joubert, music supervisor ingeniously satiates the soul delivering from an overhead space-challenged portal.

Bill T. Jones, the consistent winning choreographer works wonders with little space, light and simple repetitions to transport audiences to a time and space when soldiers hungered and thirsted for more than rations and a pass into town. To see Carmen slowly twirl to a tune without twerking to a beat is creatively magnificent.

Stupendous! Wonderful! Enchanting! Adjectives much too inadequate to apply to this way-off-Broadway production of a musical revival from the war years of the 1940s. Stellar! Superlative! Spectacular! Add those and still short on kudos for the summer’s best attraction.



The cast of the Classic Stage Company revival of the wartime musical “Carmen Jones,” starring Anika Noni Rose and Tramell Tillman.
Joan Marcus

Brooklyn dance school is Bahamas-bound

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Bahamas or the Caribbean and done exchange where the native people and dance teacher and vocal artist, are all teaching as well,” said Karisma Jay.

She says emphasizing both teams of American and Bahamian instructors into the dancing courses is vital in terms of cultural exchange, and adds that both sets of groups have to learn as well as borrow from one another.

“When I have house guests and they come and visit me and leave dishes in the sink or their bed unmade, I am left with the aftermath — but how do I benefit and how was I valued in the process?” said Jay.

“We are not going there to take from the Bahamas, but we’re going there to give back and we going to learn from them.”

The schools collaborating with Abundance are Nassau-based Soulful Feet Dance Academy, Passionate Expressions Dance studio, and several more.

About 20 students accom-

panied by their parents and staff will be on the trip. Jay explained that the dance classes will be held from the morning to afternoon and last around eight hours.

She adds that often when groups go to other countries for dance exchange programs, the host school takes the back seat.

“Usually American groups we are the one’s charging and teaching, but not exactly fostering a deeper sense of community with the natives,” said Jay.

“But in this program the natives are adamant [about] us having a collaboration that is inherent in the program.”

The idea for the program came to fruition when Jay was contacted by a visiting student about going to the Bahamas to teach classes.

She said she felt the idea of a program would be a great opportunity for the students and could further their formal dance experience.

“I want them to have the exposure and inter-connectivity, and collective responsibility to allow us to learn from each other,” Jay said. “Especially with all that’s going on now with immigration and children,” said Jay.

‘Fame’ for Sheryl Lee Ralph



Jamaican-American actress Sheryl Lee Ralph. ICS

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Annie, ICS said. She graduated in 1972.

Earlier that year, ICS said Ralph was crowned Miss Black Teen-age New York.

At 19, Ralph was the youngest woman to ever graduate from Rutgers University in N.J., ICS said.

During her time at Rutgers, it said, Ralph was one of the earliest winners of the Irene Ryan Acting Scholarships, awarded by the Kennedy Center American College Theater Festival. Also, that year, ICS said Ralph was named one of the top 10 college women in America by Glamour magazine.

“Initially, she hoped to study medicine; but, after dealing with cadavers in a pre-med class and winning a scholarship in a competition at the American College Theater Festival, she gave up medicine for the performing arts,” ICS said.

Many years later, it said, she served as the commencement speaker at Rutgers for the Class of 2003.

ICS said Ralph began her career on the stage, and was nominated in 1982 for a Tony Award for Best Actress in a Musical for her role as Deena Jones in “Dreamgirls.”

Her long career on stage, screen and television has seen her play a wide variety of roles. Most recently, in 2011, Ralph guest-starred in the Young Justice episode “Terrors” as Amanda Waller, ICS said.

Two years later, she Ralph appeared in the NBC television show “Smash” as Cynthia, the mother of Jennifer Hudson’s character, ICS said.

In Aug. 2014, ICS said she appeared on KTLA Los Angeles Morning News as a fill-in entertainment reporter.

In November 2014, Ralph also appeared on “Nicky, Ricky, Dicky and Dawn” as the rich lady who claims her dog from Nicky, Ricky, Dicky and Dawn, ICS said.

It said she recently starred in the “Claws” series as one of the leading actresses. She has also recently played the grandmother in the sitcom “Instant Mom” on Nickelodeon, ICS said.

Geriatric legends vs. Youngbloods in hoops comedy

Excellent (4 stars)
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 Production Studios: Creators League Studio / Temple Hill Entertainment / Summit Entertainment / Pepsi Productions
 Distributor: Lionsgate Films



NBA star Kyrie Irving as Uncle Drew soars up for a dunk a fictionalized Rucker Park tournament in the film "Uncle Drew."
 Photo by Quantrell D. Colbert

By Kam Williams

Rucker Park is home to a popular basketball tournament staged since 1950 on an outdoor court located at 155th Street in Harlem. Many promising prospects have honed their skills on the world famous proving ground en route to enviable NBA careers: Kevin Durant, Wilt Chamberlain, Karrem Abdul Jabbar, "Dr. J" (Julius Erving) and Earl "The Pearl" Monroe, to name a few.

Sadly, some Rucker stand-outs seemingly bound for glory have failed to even make it to the pro ranks, including such self-destructive streetball leg-

ends as Pee Wee Kirkland and Earl "The Goat" Manigault. Upon retiring, Jabbar referred to The Goat (aka Greatest of All Time) as the best player he'd ever competed against.

"Uncle Drew" is a hilarious hoops flick which pays tribute to Rucker Park and the acrobatic athletes who have mesmerized generations of ador-

ing fans attending the annual summer classic. Directed by Charles Stone III (Drumline), the picture stars the Boston Celtics' Kyrie Irving as the title character, but don't expect to be able to recognize him under all the plastic makeup turning him into a senior citizen.

The same can be said of Shaquille O'Neal, Reggie Miller, Chris

Webber, and Lisa Leslie, as they all transition into old timers, too. Rounding out the principal cast are the Orlando Magic's Aaron Gordon and a half-dozen of the funniest comedians around: Tiffany Haddish, J.B. Smoove, Mike Epps, Nick Kroll, Lil Rel Howery and Erica Ash. Oh, and the film features a profusion of cameos appearances

by George "Iceman" Gervin, Jerry West, Dikembe Mutombo, Bill Walton, David Robinson, Steve Nash, Rick Barry, Chris Mullin and more.

Just past the point of departure, we find Dax (Howery) fielding a team to enter in the upcoming Rucker tournament. But when the hapless manager loses not only his best players but also his wife (Haddish) to the perennial winning coach (Kroll), he prevails upon geriatric Drew for help.

Drew, in turn, embarks on a cross-country road trip, coaxing his long-lost buddies out of retirement for one last hurrah on the court at Rucker.

Of course, upon arriving at Rucker, the reunited geezers are practically laughed off the court, at least until they show they still got game. But can the cagey codgers prevail in the championship match against the youngbloods coached by Dax's trash-talking nemesis? What do you think?

A delightful family comedy guaranteed to keep you in stitches all the way to the satisfying, if not exactly surprising, finale.

Independent & Foreign Films

By Kam Williams
Bleeding Steel

(R for violence and some profanity) Jackie Chan stars in this sci-fi thriller as a police inspector on the trail

of the mad scientist (Callan Mulvey) behind the mysterious disappearance of his daughter (Na-Na OuYang) over a decade ago. (In English and Mandarin with subtitles).

The Citizen (Unrated) Immigration saga, set in Budapest, about an African refugee (Cake-Baly Marcelo) who develops feelings for the married teacher (Agnes Mahr) helping him prepare to take his citizenship exam. With Tunde Szalontay, Tibor Gaspar and Peter Barbinek. (In Hungarian with subtitles).

The Legacy of a Whitetail Deer Hunter (Unrated) Male bonding opportunity comedy about a famous outdoorsman's (Josh Brolin) attempt to reconnect with his estranged, 11-year-old son (Montana Jordan) while on an epic weekend adventure during which they're accompanied by his trusted cameraman (Danny McBride). With Carrie Coon, Scoot McNairy and Rory Scovel.

Moss (Unrated) Mitchell Sllaggett plays the title character in this



Kam's Kapsules

By Kam Williams

coming-of-age tale, set on a secluded island in North Carolina, revolving around a grieving teen who overcomes the loss of his mother (Hannah Johnston) with the help of a mysterious hiker (Christine Marzano) he meets along the banks of the river behind his house. Support cast includes Dorian Cobb, Billy Ray Suggs and Erby Dalmus Burton.

No Postage Necessary (PG-13 for suggestive material) Tale of redemption about a recently-paroled computer hacker (George Blagden) who finally decides to go straight after falling in love with the widow (Charleene Closshey) of a Marine killed in Afghanistan. With Robbie Kay, Michael Beach and Michelle Moreno.

Under the Tree (Unrated) Hatfields vs. McCoys dramedy about an escalating feud between neighboring families over which one owns a beautiful tree located along the property line. Co-starring Edda Bjorgvinsdottir, Selma Bjornsdottir and Dora Johannsdottir. (In Icelandic with subtitles).



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West Indies' Shai Hope, playing against India last year, has been named Cricketer of the Year. Associated Press / Ricardo Mazalan, File

By Azad Ali

West Indies batsman Shai Hope collected three top awards — Windies Cricketer of the Year; Windies Test Cricketer of the Year; Windies ODI Cricketer of the Year for 2017 at a ceremony held recently at Hilton Hotel, Barbados. The final of the three-Test series against Sri Lanka was played last week in Barbados.

Female Cricketer of the Year and ODI Cricketer of the Year awards went to Jamaican all-rounder Captain Stefanie Taylor, while Guyana's Keemo Paul was voted Emerging Cricketer of the Year.

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Sri Lanka beats West Indies

By Azad Ali

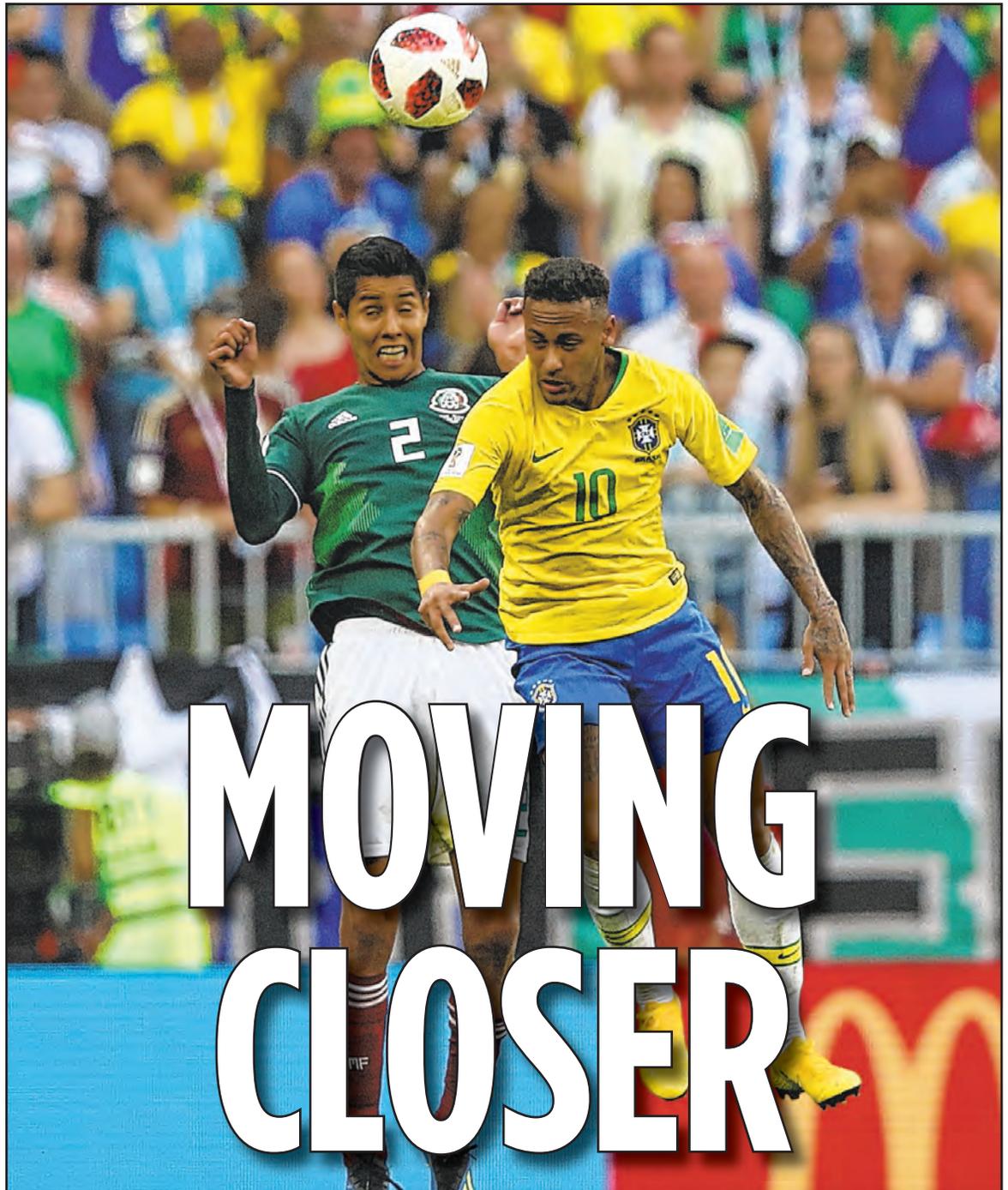
Sri Lanka beat West Indies in the final Test to level the three-match series (1-1) in the historic day/night Test at the Kensington Oval, Barbados inside on the penultimate day of the match last week.

West Indies had won the first Test by 226 runs at the Queen's Park Oval, Port of Spain, Trinidad, followed by a drawn Second Test at the Darren Sammy Cricket Stadium in St. Lucia.

The Windies put up a poor showing as they were bowled out for 93 in their second innings after scoring 294 in their first innings. Sri Lanka scored 154 in their first innings, giving the regional side a 50 run lead.

But there were signs of a Windies victory when Sri Lanka was batting at 85

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MOVING CLOSER

Brazil's Neymar, right, goes for a header with Mexico's Hugo Ayala during the round of 16 match between Brazil and Mexico at the 2018 soccer World Cup in Samara, Russia. Thanassis Stavrakis / Associated Press

Neymar leads Brazil to Cup quarterfinals

By ROB HARRIS

SAMARA, Russia (AP) — Flaunting his flair and his finishing touch wasn't enough. Neymar put his theatrics on show, too.

What became clear in Brazil's 2-0 victory over Mexico on Monday is that the wild side of the striker's character

is going nowhere at this year's World Cup. And neither is Brazil.

"I don't much care for criticism," Neymar said, "not even for praise."

With a goal and an assist, Neymar propelled Brazil into the quarterfinals of a tournament it has won five times. He also extended his platform

to show the world he is as good — or better — than Cristiano Ronaldo and Lionel Messi.

Although Neymar has scored only two goals in four games in Russia, he did enter the World Cup after spending three months recovering from a bro-

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Neymar leads Brazil into quarterfinals in World Cup



A Mexico soccer fans reacts to Brazil's goal during a live broadcast of the Russia World Cup game in Mexico City's Zocalo plaza, on Monday, July 2.

ken right foot. And it was the right foot that helped to break through Mexico's stern resistance in Samara.

After releasing Willian with a backheel, Neymar raced into the penalty area and slid to tap his teammate's return cross into the net.

While his scoring is so often the focus, Neymar also creates goals for his teammates. A toe-poked attempt to beat Mexico goalkeeper Guillermo Ochoa in the 88th minute was diverted into the path of Roberto Firmino, who scored with a tap-in just like Neymar did. The world's most expensive player has 11 goals and nine assists in his last 19 games for Brazil.

But before setting up the second goal

it looked like Neymar's game — or even his World Cup — could be over with 20 minutes to go. It turned out to be pure histrionics. Writhing in agony after his right ankle was stepped on by Miguel Layun, Neymar managed to get back on his feet. But not before trying to step on Layun.

Both escaped punishment, but the judgment elsewhere was less forgiving, with Neymar asked after the match if he was a diva trying to draw fouls.

"I think it's more an attempt to undermine me than anything else," Neymar responded.

The five-time World Cup champions will next face Belgium in the quarter-

Cricketer Hope honored

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West Indies T20 Cricketer of the Year went to Trinidadian Evin Lewis, while Deandra Dottin was voted West Indies Women T20 Cricketer of the Year.

Barbadian Hope, 24, wicketkeeper/batsman who made two centuries in a famous West Indies Test victory at Headingley last summer, picked up the three top prizes.

The Regional Under-19 side was voted the Team of the Year, while the First Class Four-Day Cricketer of the Year was Grenadian Devon Smith.

Barbadian Roston Chase picked up

the First Class 50 Over Cricketer of the Year award. The Caribbean T20 award went to Chadwick Walton.

Cricketer West Indies Chief Executive Officer, Johnny Grave, in his remarks, acknowledge Digicel for their support to West Indies cricket, for 13 years and welcomed Sandals resorts as the new sponsor on board.

In his address, CWI President Dave Cameron, noted the increase in the number of players, which has moved from 25 to 177 in five years.

"We have the requisite number of players to compete," he said.

finals on Friday in Kazan. Brazil has reached that stage at every World Cup since 1994.

Mexico has now lost in the round of 16 at every tournament over the same period of time, extending its wait for the "quinto partido" — or fifth game — for at least another four years. The last time Mexico reached the quarterfinals was when the country hosted the tournament in 1986.

This year's World Cup had started so promisingly for Mexico. The team opened with a win over Germany, setting the defending champions on the path to an early exit. They caused problems for Brazil, too, initially.

But they couldn't find a way to stop Neymar.

"He's very agile. He's very fast," Brazil coach Tite said. "Is it wrong to feign, to provoke the players in the last third? It's not a sin."

Neymar's dispute with Layun unfolded as the Mexico substitute tried to recover the ball. In a delayed reaction, Neymar made the most of Layun stepping on his ankle, rolling around with his hand covering his eyes.

The rapid recovery seemed miraculous. "We wasted a lot of time because of one single player," Mexico coach Juan Carlos Osorio said, without naming Neymar. "I think this is a real shame for football, especially for kids who are watching because this has to be a sport of virility, of determination, a man's sport, like other games, and not a charade."

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Bronx group carries first responder skills to Antigua

By Alexandra Simon

A Bronx-based support organization for fathers traveled to Antigua last weekend to provide young men and fathers with first responder skills. The fatherhood program Deeds Driven Dads, held the training session titled, "Responsible Fatherhood and Emergency Response Training" on the island on June 23.

The program was a collaboration between the organization, the Ministry for Social Transformation, and the American University of Antigua [aamed.org], to help train current and future dads on assisting aid to their families during the time of need. And the second they arrived, they got right work on the worthwhile trip, said the founder of the support group.

"The trip was incredible — the moment we got there, we started training young fathers and it was highly successful," said Coach Stevan Lynn.

At the session, instructors

showed participants how to perform basic first responder techniques in the event of a natural disaster, such as performing cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR), and the swimming methods one can employ with rising waters.

Lynn started his Deeds Driven Dads program years ago to help provide support for young, single, or expectant fathers. His workshops train and teach vital parenting skills to young fathers, and the responsible skills they must be capable that prepare them for fatherhood. Realizing that over the years a lot of men attending his classes are mostly of Caribbean background, he wanted to initiate it to the broader Caribbean community, and one of those ways was developing a course on emergency response, Lynn added.

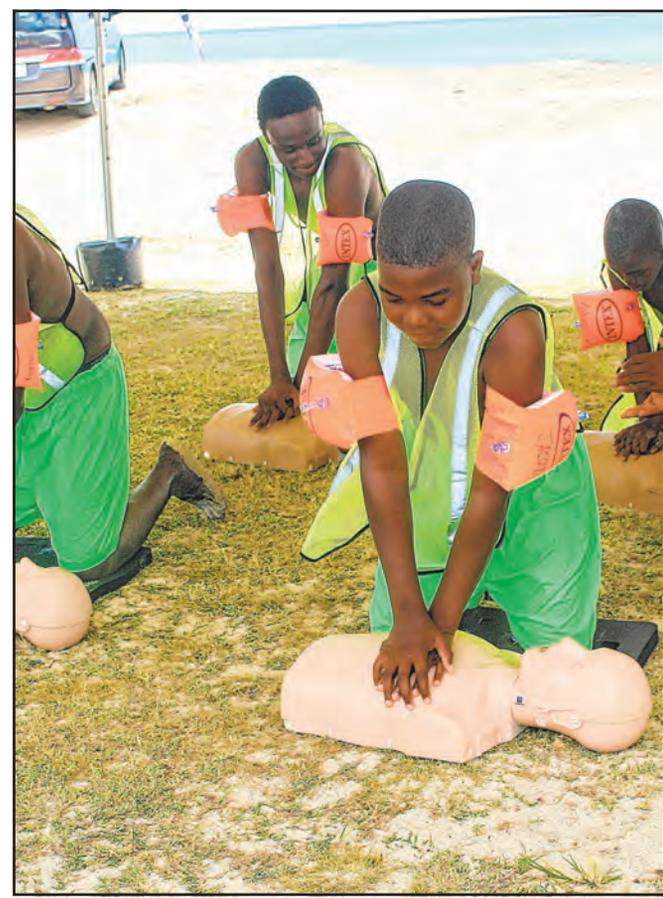
"We were already doing fatherhood programs here in the states, and a lot of our team members are from the islands — so it was a natural fit for

us to extend this to the Caribbean," he said.

In the aftermath of Hurricanes Irma and Maria, Lynn says he and his team initiated their first emergency response program, but felt they needed to develop one specifically for young men in these vulnerable areas.

"We were already doing the class in Haiti, Antigua, and other countries in the Caribbean after the storm season, but then I thought that now is the time to bring it to the fathers there because a lot of fathers weren't ready for another storm and were eager to get more training," said Lynn.

About a dozen participants were part of the class, and actively engaged in the instructional demonstrations. Lynn says the interest the young men showed in the training session, is his overall goal in giving fathers a guide on navigating fatherhood and equipping them with the valuable skills to carry it out.



Young boys learn cardiopulmonary resuscitation, better known as CPR, during a training session in Antigua led by Deeds Driven Dads and the Ministry for Social Transforma-

"A lot of fathers just want to participate in fatherhood but don't have an idea because they didn't have a father in their life," he said. "But I want to show them that it can be difficult, but it's not impossible."




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Aries, your head is in the stars and your feet are on the ground, but this outlook is working for you. Just do not live in fantasy land too long.

TAURUS: Apr 21/May 21
Taurus, just when you thought a relationship had gone as far as it could go, things start to change this week. Plenty of excitement is coming your way.

GEMINI: May 22/Jun 21
You might get word of something exciting or new coming your way, Gemini. A chance to socialize with others or even a job opportunity may be on the horizon. Keep an eye out.

CANCER: Jun 22/Jul 22
This is a week for having fun and letting loose, Cancer. These may be things you haven't done in some time and you can certainly use a break from the norm.

LEO: Jul 23/Aug 23
You may be reticent to go back to work, especially if you are coming off of an extended vacation, Leo. But putting off the inevitable will only make the transition tougher.

VIRGO: Aug 24/Sept 22
Virgo, there may be some buzz surrounding your social life this week if you are game for taking chances. It may be time to pursue a burgeoning friendship.

LIBRA: Sept 23/Oct 23
Are you ready for a well-calculated risk, Libra? If so, then a startup venture, sizable investment or converting a hobby into a career could be the way to go.

SCORPIO: Oct 24/Nov 22
You can't lie to yourself, Scorpio, so own up to anything that needs improving. Take some time for some serious self-reflection and devise a plan to fix things.

SAGITTARIUS: Nov 23/Dec 21
Love and support are all around you this week, Sagittarius. This support couldn't come soon enough. Some extra support will help you overcome an obstacle.

CAPRICORN: Dec 22/Jan 20
Capricorn, there is strength in numbers. If you can rally together a team, you can accomplish much of your to-do list for the week in half of the time.

AQUARIUS: Jan 21/Feb 18
Thoughts about how you can work less but earn more may have been swirling through your mind, Aquarius. Write down your plan and determine how to make it happen.

PISCES: Feb 19/Mar 20
Truth may be stranger than fiction this week, Pisces. Before you believe that something is false, gather all the facts.



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No application fee • No broker's fee • Smoke-free building

This building is anticipated to receive a Tax Exemption through the 421-a Tax Incentive program of the New York City Department of Housing Preservation and Development.

Who Should Apply?

Individuals or households who meet the income and household size requirements listed in the table below may apply. Qualified applicants will be required to meet additional selection criteria. Applicants who live in New York City receive a general preference for apartments.

Preference for a percentage of units goes to:

- Mobility-disabled applicants (5%)
- Vision- or hearing-disabled applicants (2%)

AVAILABLE UNITS AND INCOME REQUIREMENTS

Unit Size	130% AREA MEDIAN INCOME (AMI) UNITS	Monthly Rent ¹	Units Available		Household Size ²	Annual Household Income ³ <i>Minimum – Maximum⁴</i>
Studio		\$1,807	6	→	1 person	\$61,955 - \$95,030
1 bedroom		\$2,270	6	→	1 person	\$77,829 - \$95,030
					2 person	\$77,829 - \$108,550
2 bedroom	\$2,733	15	→	2 people	\$93,703 - \$108,550	
				3 person	\$93,703 - \$122,070	
				4 people	\$93,703 - \$135,590	

¹ Tenants pays for electricity.

² Household size includes everyone who will live with you, including parents and children. Subject to occupancy criteria.

³ Household earnings includes salary, hourly wages, tips, Social Security, child support, and other income. Income guidelines subject to change.

⁴ Minimum income listed may not apply to applicants with Section 8 or other qualifying rental subsidies. Asset limits also apply.

How Do You Apply?

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When is the Deadline?

Applications must be postmarked or submitted online no later than **July 18, 2018**. Late applications will not be considered.

What Happens After You Submit an Application?

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Affordable Housing for Rent



1511 BEDFORD AVENUE APARTMENTS

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Who Should Apply?

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- A percentage of units is set aside for applicants with disabilities:
 - Mobility (5%)
 - Vision/Hearing (2%).
- Preference for a percentage of units goes to:
 - Residents of **Brooklyn Community Board 8 (50%)***
 - Municipal employees (5%)

* Up to half of CB preference units may be allocated through referrals of applicants from city agencies.

AVAILABLE UNITS AND INCOME REQUIREMENTS

Unit Size	60% AREA MEDIAN INCOME (AMI) UNITS	Monthly Rent ¹	Units Available		Household Size ²	Annual Household Income ³ Minimum - Maximum ⁴
Studio		\$816	8	→	1 person	\$30,480 - \$43,860
1 Bedroom		\$877	7	→	1 person	\$32,675- \$43,860
					2 people	\$32,675- \$50,100
2 Bedroom		\$1,064	14	→	2 people	\$39,120- \$50,100
					3 people	\$39,120- \$56,340
					4 people	\$39,120- \$62,580

¹ Tenant responsible for gas and electric

² Household size includes everyone who will live with you, including parents and children. Subject to occupancy criteria.

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How Do You Apply?

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When is the Deadline?

Applications must be postmarked or submitted online no later than **August 27, 2018**. Late applications will not be considered.

What Happens After You Submit an Application?

After the deadline, applications are selected for review through a lottery process. If yours is selected and you appear to qualify, you will be invited to an interview to continue the process of determining your eligibility. Interviews are usually scheduled from 2 to 10 months after the application deadline. You will be asked to bring documents that verify your household size, identity of members of your household, and your household income.

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