

The Mole Gram

“Navigating our path...bolstering our bonds”

Mole Jodi Gallman, 19th National President



Our Second Chartered Chapter - Washington, D. C.

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From My Heart To Yours



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Greetings,

I am delighted to present another beautiful **Mole-O-Gram!** The Committee has once again captured the good news shared by our Sister chapters which makes for an interesting read. **So, do some catching up!**



As we prepare for our 68th Annual Conclave, the excitement is mounting! **The Baltimore Moles** have left no stones unturned! They have vowed to give you “Star” treatment with memorable moments of the **Charm City.**

The weekend will begin at 1:00 p.m. on Thursday with the Moles Leadership Workshop. Each chapter is encouraged to send a representative to keep abreast of “What’s New and Happening in Moledom”. The workshop will give you strategies to make your chapter meetings interesting and informative. There will be something for everyone.

Friday shoots off the **“Star Spangled Fanfare”.** The **Baltimore Moles** have reserved you a seat at the table, a place on the dance floor, and a day of fun just for you! The **Greenville Moles** will entertain the Board of Directors with the chosen theme of **“Grace, Glamour, and Glitz”.** To the **Greenville Moles,** I convey sisterly love and a huge thank you for hosting the 68th Board luncheon. I know you will do an awesome job!

The fanfare continues on Saturday with our Conclave Business meeting. At the luncheon, we will be entertained by the Baltimore Literacy Stars and the day caps off with the **Baltimore Moles’ Star Spangled Gala** during which we will *dance the night away!* Tired feet and happy souls will gather for our Sunday morning breakfast to wish all a fond farewell and safe journeys home! **I CANT WAIT TO SEE YOU** during Conclave, where you **know** we’ll *“Enjoy ourselves; It’s Later Than We Think”!*



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Mole Jodi

Our Washington, DC Chapter

LIVING OUR LEGACY...



First row left: Baby Moles (Dr.) Bishetta Merritt, Gloria Quick-Alexander, Denise Shelton. Mole Dora Halton is seated in first row second from left. *Second row left:* Moles Jacqueline Daughtry-Miller, Norma Jenkins Stewart, (Dr.) Carolyn Rudd Johnson, Glenda Owens, Kathy Tanner, Joy Ford Austin, Mole President Kaye Hayes, Verna Stokes Frazier. *Third row left:* Moles Mary Myers-Nelson, Joan McKinley-Shelton, (Dr.) Beverly Jones O'Bryant, (Dr.) Lynn Locklear Nehemiah, Pamela Bethel-Benson, Keeva Harmon, Gloria Johnson, Yvonne Garner, Patricia Hobson Wilson, (Dr.) Sandra Owens Lawson, Earlene Wadsworth, DeVera Redmond.

Moles not pictured: Andrena Bratton Blake, Tonya Gilson, Norma Theresa Jenkins, Edna Lee Moffitt, Jean Perry, Antoinette Halliday Schooler, Angela Rena Simpson, Barbara Whiting-Wright, Janice Booker Wyatt, Lynnette Pair Young.

Promoting Sisterhood: The Washington DC Chapter of THE MOLES was sponsored by the founding and "mother chapter" Norfolk, Virginia, and chartered on April 29, 1950. In 1952, it hosted the *Second National Conclave* and later sponsored the **Baltimore Moles**. As the second oldest chapter in the organization, for 68 years we have embraced the motto "Enjoy yourself; it's later than you think" by participating in activities that promote sisterhood. Some highlights of our activities include river cruises, Christmas parties, wineries, cookouts, spas, and a myriad of fun-filled events with our **Mules**.

Being at the Forefront of Our National Organization: In addition, we have been at the forefront in our National organization. In 1960, **Mole Sylvia Dean**, designed and donated "The Mole Lady" logo and **Mole Edith Jones** authored Prayers I and II that are in our *National Handbook*. We also hold a couple of "firsts" of members holding national leadership positions. **Mole Naomi Millender** served as the first vice president and **Mole Ruth Johnson** served as the first secretary, both of whom served from 1951 to 1953. The DC Chapter also had several of its members serve as national officers and committee chairs, including three as national presidents, **Mole Rosalyn Dixon (1963-67)**, **Mole Margaret "Fran" Nelson (1991-1995)**, and **Mole Carolyn Rudd Johnson (2009-2013)**. Also, four of our members served as vice president, two as secretary, two as parliamentarians, two as chaplain, one as publicity officer, one as protocol chair, one as scholarship chair, and one as treasurer, **Mole Kathy Tanner (2005-2009)**. Currently, our **Chapter President, Mole Kaye Hayes** is serving on the National Publicity Committee and **Mole Norma Stewart** has served as National Protocol Chair.

Contributing Personally and Financially to Our Community: Over the years, we have contributed to our community with both in-kind services and direct donations. We have awarded many thousands of dollars in college scholarships to deserving youth, contributed to needy families, and assumed leadership positions in the areas of academia, business, nonprofits, legal, and government, including mayoral and council appointments, to help improve the lives of those in our community.

The Moles of the DC Chapter are proud of our rich legacy and today we continue our tradition. We keep the spirit of **Moledom** alive and enjoy ourselves with our phenomenal **Mole Sisters and Mules**.

Our Charleston Chapter

IT'S SO HARD TO SAY GOODBYE!

The Charleston Moles have lovingly said "Goodbye" to three wonderful sisters within the last four months: **Moles Catherine "Kitty" McCottry, M.D., Gwendolyn Todd-Houston, M.D., and Ethel Rutledge.**

Mole "Kitty" McCottry was a Charter Member of the **Charleston Chapter** in 1963. We were blessed to have her presence for 98 years – she celebrated her birthday on February 3, 2018. Surrounded by family, she peacefully transitioned on February 6, 2018.



Mole Gwen Todd Houston joined **Moledom** in 1993. Her family hosted more than 100 guests for a marvelous "Farewell Celebration" as she retires and moves home to Zebulon N.C. The Island House on Johns Island S.C. was the site of the luncheon, and guests enjoyed a fabulous buffet of Low Country goodies while watching an historical slideshow celebrating **Mole Gwen**. She received a Key to the City of Charleston and a proclamation from the Mayor's office, presented by **Mule Keith Waring** (husband of **Mole Donna**). Reflections included statements from friends, co-workers, and family sharing how each had the opportunity to experience the greatness, compassion, and love of our sister **Mole Gwen**. A highlight of the event was the spectacular performance by "The Famous Temptations" of Zebulon N.C. as they serenaded our **Mole Gwen**. The **Charleston Moles** took over as a fitting end to the program, with candy kisses to all guests and a champagne toast, passed out to the song and dance of "Carolina Moles." **Chapter President, Mole Ethel Rutledge** presented **Mole Gwen** with an Alumna Certificate and **Mole Kaye Jefferson** presented gifts. Plenty of tears, hugs, and kisses followed in honor of our lovely Mole.



Mole Ethel joined **Moledom** in 2004. From "Carolina Mole" to Georgia Peach, **Charleston President Mole Ethel** is relocating to Athens, Georgia. After years of battling major flooding issues at their house in Charleston's West Ashley, **Mule "Rod"** found his dream location to hunt, fish, and boat in Georgia, and **Mole Ethel** decided she must follow! In less than a month, of course, they've already been back to Charleston for several meetings and events.

Our Charlotte Chapter

CHARLOTTE MOLES EXCEL, EXPAND AND ENJOY!



Moles Pat Dowdy, Vi Lyles, Barbara Warren (pictured left to right above) at our new **Mayor Vi Lyles** headquarters



Alumnae Mole Vivian Williams (pictured above) accepting The Health Service Leadership Award for **Mole C.W Williams** (posthumously) at Annual Women's Health & Doctors Recognition Luncheon in March.

Picture of Moles (Left): Celebrating Heart Month dressed in their beautiful red- at the home of **Mole Carlenia Ivory**



Celebrating our **Baby Moles** at beautiful affair hosted by our Mayor **Mole Vi Lyles**. Pictured left: **Moles Nina Ford Jackson, Angelia Fryer, Nikki Fleming, Jillian Jones and Linda Lockman-Brooks**.



Our Columbia Chapter

THE COLUMBIA MOLES KIDS ARE "ALRIGHT"!!



Juliana Angus (age 9), daughter of **Mole J. Michelle Childs**, and **Mule Floyd L. Angus**, is the reigning state of SC champion for Excel Bronze level gymnastics after having only competed for one year. Now having been moved up to the Xcel Silver team, she is trying to hold onto her title with recent first place (gold) "all around" metals in her last few competitions. She was inspired to be a competitive gymnast by admiring Olympic champions Gabby Douglas and Simone Biles. While gymnastics is her passion, she is also a top student at Heathwood Hall Episcopal School.



On December 28, 2017, during its seventeenth season, the *Poinsettia Cotillion, Inc.* presented five young ladies. Among the beautiful and talented debutants pictured above are: Miss Jamara Noel Green (pictured first) and Miss Janelle Noel Green (pictured last), twin daughters of **Mole Tonya and Mule J.R. Green**; and, Miss Aiece Brianna Hurley (pictured second from left), who is the granddaughter of **Charter Mole Alice Hurly** and niece of **Mole Michelle Hurley Johnson** and **Mule George Johnson**. The *Poinsettia Cotillion, Inc.* was established in 1980 by **Mole Alice Wyche Hurley** and the late **Mule Anthony Manigault Hurley**. **Mole Alison and Mule Kenzil Summey** serve as co-presidents.

THE YOUNG ~ THE BRIGHT ~ THE TALENTED!

Mole Cynthia and Mule James Bennett's youngest son, Houston Bennett, a sophomore at Coastal Carolina University, made the Dean's List for Academic Achievement. Heartfelt congratulations to a special young man!

Benjamin Felder, age 6, competed in his first State Chess Competition in March of this year! Benjamin won 2 out of 5 rounds playing against 2nd and 3rd graders. He is the grandson of **Mole Jean and Mule Tom Felder**. Little genius in the making!

Lauryn Harriford, the daughter of **Mole Lavita and Mule Ward Harriford**, will represent the SC Districts of Alpha Phi Alpha and compete in the Regional Miss Black and Gold Pageant April 7, 2018 in Memphis, TN. We are so proud of her! Lauryn is a sophomore at Clemson University, majoring in Graphic Communications with a double minor in Business Administration and Packaging Science. Beauty and brilliance in one incredible young lady!

Arrington Jones was one of 65 students selected from a field of 600 to represent SC at the International Thespian Festival at the University of Nebraska this June. The selections were made in February during competitions at the statewide Thespian Weekend at Winthrop University. Sophomore Fred "Trey" Jones, III, was recognized for his academic achievements by Clafin University and was invited to join the *Leadership Honors Club*. Trey's art exhibit also won third place at the Edisto Gardens Art Show in Orangeburg, SC. Arrington and Trey are the children of **Mole Kim and Mule Fred Jones** and are the grandchildren of **Mole Bunny and Mule Fred Jones Sr.** Kudos to the very talented Jones kids!

Edward Taylor, nephew of **Mole Sandy & Mule Robert "Butch" Taylor**, received his Secret Service credentials, February 6, 2018, following completion of Federal Law Enforcement Training. Edward is a graduate of Hampton University. *Godspeed to Agent Taylor* and we thank him for his service.

Evan Major, the grandson of **Alumna Mole Vivian and Mule Frank Washington**, is a sophomore at The Military College of South Carolina (The Citadel). During the 2017 Fall semester, Evan served as the Clerk for his company, which is the highest ranked position for a second year cadet. This Spring, Evan will study abroad in Athens, Greece at The American College of Greece. The experience affords him the opportunity to travel throughout Greece and the Greek Isles as well as other countries including: Romania; Netherlands; Germany; Austria; Italy; Poland; and, Spain. We are extremely proud of Evan's accomplishments!



Gospel rap artist Kevin Felder (aka "Big Redd" Above Right) collaborated with Grammy Award winner Fred Hammond (Above Left) to record *Running Back to You*. The song debuted at #22 on the Billboard Gospel Digital Songs Chart and to date has spent five weeks on the Billboard/Nielsen BDS Gospel and Gospel Indicator Most Added radio airplay charts. Kevin is the son of **Mole Jeanne and Mule Tom Felder**. Kevin Felder and Dr. Tisha Felder are also the winners of the 2018 "DEACS IN LOVE" contest sponsored by the Office of Alumni Engagement at Wake Forest University. Kevin ('00) and Tisha ('01) are graduates of WFU. GO DEACS!



Isom B. Lowman (pictured above center), son of **Mole Irma Lowman** (second from right), was inducted into the Henry Lyman Morehouse Society! This Society honors men who have the vision, energy and commitment to help build the legacy of excellence that has shaped the prestigious college for nearly a century. Quite an honor for an incredible young man!

Our Columbus Chapter

"A HAWAIIAN LUAU IN THE HEART OF OHIO"



The Columbus Chapter hosted a "Hawaiian Luau" on February 16, 2018, at the Medallion County Club. Guests were enthusiastically greeted with a beautiful lei and expectation of having a good time. The tropical atmosphere was enhanced by the gorgeous centerpieces that included seashells, lighted lanterns, flowers and palm leaves. The theme was continued with a delicious dinner that included spare ribs, rice, vegetables and key lime pie. A live band provided the entertainment with a local singer who set the mood for relaxation and suspending the reality of the cold outside. A good time was had by all and "enjoying ourselves" was on full display!



Chapter President Mole Vicky Jackson and Mole Morris Jackson (pictured left) in their Hawaiian attire!

THE PARTY IN FULL SWING!



THE COLUMBUS MOLES—LUAU STYLE!!



Our Houston Chapter

MOLE GERTRUDEJANE HOLLIDAY STONE



SHE STOOD TALL ALTHOUGH SHE REMAINED SEATED

Black History Month has officially ended, but it is always a good time to recognize and to celebrate Black History Makers, especially when one of those unsung history makers is our very own **Mole Gertrudejane Holliday Stone!**

In the same year and the same month, December 1955, what Rosa Parks did by refusing to give up her seat on the bus in Montgomery, Alabama, Gertrudejane Holliday took a similar stand. While riding the train from Nashville to Houston, she, too, was ordered by train personnel to give up her seat. A young lady barely out of her teens, Miss Holliday refused to move from the seat she had selected in spite of the degrading tactics of train personnel and other white male passengers. In fact, their attempts to intimidate made Miss Holliday even more determined to keep her seat. When the train stopped in Lake Charles, Louisiana, a policeman boarded the train, quickly joined in the harassment, and all of her belongings were confiscated. She is thankful to God for giving her the strength to endure such an ordeal. **Mole Stone** sometimes refers to the experience as the train ride from hell! **Mole Gertrudejane Holliday Stone stood although she remained seated.**

The following year, 1956, after graduating from Fisk University, Gertrudejane married a young physician, Dr. John Stone, and move to Pennsylvania. She realized there were no African American teachers in the schools and no African American sales personnel in the department stores. This courageous young woman quickly went for an interview and was hired at the largest department store in the area.

Mole Gertrudejane Stone is a trailblazer. Her tenacity, her courage, her determination, and her faith helped to open doors which many of us have walked through. Today, the octogenarian embraces the words of Horace Mann, *"Refuse to die until you have done something for humanity."*

The **Houston Chapter** proudly salutes **Mole Gertrudejane Holliday Stone.**

Our Memphis Chapter

IT'S A.....BOY!!!! AND, IT'S A..... GIRL!!!!

The Memphis Chapter proudly congratulates two of our Moles on not one; but, two beautiful arrivals.



Mule Willis and Mole Lakisha Davis recently adopted a new born baby boy! William Bennett Davis (pictured above) was born January 4, 2018. He recently turned two months old. Bennett and his Godmother, **Mole Ernestine Small**, share the same birthday.



Mole Ernestine Small presents her first granddaughter, Kennedy Jada Burch (pictured above). Kennedy was born February 1, 2018 and weighed 7 lbs. 4 oz. She is the first child of Kimberly and Anthony Burch of Houston, TX.

Our Newport News Chapter

HONORING OUR PAST AND LOOKING FORWARD TO OUR FUTURE!



Newport News Moles and Mules presented Hidden Figures heroine, Katherine Johnson (seated center), with a **Mole** resolution recognizing her outstanding achievements at NASA. Pictured standing above are: **Moles Jeannie Russell, Martha Brooks, Erma Covington, Bill Grace, Michael Graves, Brenda Graves, Jack Hunter, Debra Whitaker, Janice Grace, John Ewell, Eddie Russell, Rosalind McKoy-Sibley.** Seated are **Bonita Hunter, Katherine Johnson, Gloria Roberts.**



Welcome to our new **Moles!** They are **Moles Tammy Royster, Monica Barnes, Renee Escoffery-Torres and Olivia Dale Spriggs.** They were inducted and feted at a beautiful ceremony and joyous celebration at the Embassy Suites in Hampton, Virginia.

Moles Janice Grace, Bonita Hunter, John Ewell (pictured below) and **Gloria Roberts** (not pictured) helped to welcome our new Dallas-Fort Worth Chapter in Texas. Welcome to **Moledom Lone Star Sistahs!**



Our Petersburg Chapter

PETERSBURG CELEBRATES NEW MEMBERS AND GREAT ACCOMPLISHMENTS

The Petersburg Chapter inducted two new Moles on Saturday, January 27, 2018, at the famous “At The Globe” in Old Town Petersburg. We are excited to welcome into Moledom Mrs. Jokita Bragg (Mule Kevin) and Mrs. Janet Crawley (Mule Thomas), who were sponsored by Moles Rita Taliaferro, Pamela Branch, Peggy Custis and Chapter President Jackie Billips. A champagne reception with heavy hors d’ oeuvres followed.



Mole Jokita Bragg, Mole Jackie Billips, & Mole Janet Crawley



Andrew White, III (left in white), grandson of **Mole Gracie White and Mule (Rev. Dr.) Andrew White** signed a two-way contract with the Atlanta Hawks (NBA) and the Erie Bayhawks of the NBA G League. Andrew was a star player at Syracuse University, the University of Kansas, and the University of Nebraska. We are so proud of him, and will be cheering him on in Atlanta!



Mole Rita Taliaferro was invited by State Senator Rosalyn Dance to sing at the Legislative Dinner for the Virginia General Assembly on January 18th. She blessed the body with two songs, “He’s Got the Whole World in His Hands” by Margaret Bonds, and “The Lord’s Prayer” in E Flat by Malotte.

Our Philadelphia Chapter

NEW YEAR, NEW MOLES, NEW CHAMPIONSHIP!

The Philadelphia Chapter has had a 'bang up' start to 2018. After celebrating the holiday season at the lovely home of **Mole Kim Singleton**, the frolic, fellowship, and fun found us enjoying delectable cuisine and exercising vocal chords in a sing-a-long of seasonal Christmas carols. As the New Year entered in January, we embraced four new 'baby moles' into our chapter with the induction and delicious repast hosted by **Mole Marilyn Alston** in elegant surroundings.



*Baby Moles (with Moles' bouquets)
from the left: April, Jackie, Barbara,
and Eltra*



*Pre "50th" Event - Jazz Brunch,
Paula Johns, Jazz, soloist second
to left with Philly Moles*



Fly Eagles Fly!"

February 'dazzled' as our beloved 'Eagles' brought home the Super Bowl title of "World Champs." The **Philly Moles** 'decked out' in their Eagles attire (pictured above right) indulged in this historical event at the home of **Mole Irene Shockley** 'Fly Eagles Fly'. Along with the celebratory excitement, **Mole Shockley** added an extra 'sparkle' which was the famous African American cupcakes - each reflecting a face of any one of our historical legends – a salute to Black History Month!

March brought an added 'bang' with our chapter enjoying a *Sunday Jazz Brunch* (pictured above left) at the premier African American restaurant, 'South'. This preliminary celebration leads into our '50th Anniversary' which is in March; **but**, will be celebrated in May with an auspicious, lavish occasion.

As is reflected, we believe in our mantra – "Enjoy yourself; it is later than you think!"

Our Portsmouth Chapter

CELEBRATING A 100TH BIRTHDAY MILESTONE

Mole Elaine Estes (pictured below) has been an outstanding member and mentor of the **Portsmouth Moles** since 1968. She embraces the **Mole Motto**, "Enjoy yourself, it's later than you think."



MOLE ELAINE ESTES

Our Roanoke Chapter



The setting of the February meeting of the **Roanoke Chapter of the Moles** was the Hotel Roanoke. The Chapter was royally entertained by hostesses **Moles Jennifer Alston and Sandra Barlow**. The group wore red white and pink to symbolize Friendship. Among the special activities which took place were the giving of Valentine's gifts by the hostesses as well as special entertainment by Denise and Chuck Music Combo.



Mole Gloria Randolph-King, the president of the **Roanoke Mole Chapter**, was honored by the Education Department of the High Street Baptist Church at its February 21st, 2018 Meeting. She received the Martin Luther King Memorial Award for her outstanding Role in helping to fulfill the Dream, **The Roanoke Chapter** is very proud of this talented and hardworking **Mole Sister!**



Daxton Ace Wilson, the grandson of **Mole Dorothy (pictured) and Mole Everette Johnson** of the Roanoke chapter arrived on March 2nd, 2018. His proud parents are Dr. Tiffany Poole Wilson and Laurence Wilson. He was also welcomed by his big brother Braxton Adam Wilson all of Union,

He is the great nephew of **Moles (The Honorable) Bobbie Richardson** and (Dr.) **Linda Wilson** both members of the **Roanoke Chapter**



Looking Back

The Roanoke Moles enjoyed celebrating Mardi Gras as **Moles Hostesses Tameka Welch and Danielle Burks** (pictured left) displayed Mardi Regalia at their February 2017 Meeting. A great celebration was enjoyed by all who were in attendance.

Our Savannah Chapter

ON THE MOVE AROUND THE WORLD

Mole Shevon Carr and Mule Otis S. Johnson completed a long time "Bucket List" item by traveling to Australia in the later part of 2017. They began with a visit to Sydney, best known for its Harbour Bridge and Sydney Opera House. **Mole Shevon** said their most memorable experience in Melbourne, the last city on their visit, was seeing the sunrise from a hot air balloon. The trip was all they expected.



Pictured left is **Mole Marcia Lewie Thompson** (on the right) and daughter CPT Christel Lewie Thompson, on the Black Sand Beach, Big Island, Hawaii, on a trip during December 2017 - January 2018.

Traveling is a part of her DNA: **Mole Toni Bailey** (Pictured below) spent 3 weeks in Nairobi, Kenya in 2017. But one international trip was not enough. Also in 2017, she and her **Mule George Bailey** went to Panama to celebrate the birthplace of her son, Errin Braddock.



Our Winston-Salem Chapter

GREAT WOMEN WITH BIG HEARTS

Moles Brenda Hodge and Janet Wheeler (below L—R) were recognized by First Baptist Church during Black History Month for being the first two Black chemists hired at R.J. Reynolds Tobacco Company. We are proud of our very own *Hidden Figures!*



Barbecue was on the menu at our February **Mole's** meeting, and our **National Mole Past President Velma Watts** (below) was best dressed for the Wild West and the fashion runway.



LADIES IN RED

The **Winston-Salem Moles** (pictured below) were “Ladies in Red” at the annual *Red HEARTT* luncheon, a fundraiser for American Heart Month organized each year by Cheryl Lindsay, daughter of our late **Mole Sister Gail Lindsay**. This is a huge event for our city of Winston-Salem with over 600 men and women in attendance. We witnessed inspiring heart disease survivors whose stories raised awareness for a great cause. **Mole Lisa Caldwell** and her **Mule Alan** received awards for their contributions to the event's success.



Mole Moments, Milestones, and Memories

NEWPORT NEWS

Congratulations to new **Mole, Dr. Renee Escoffery-Torres**. **Mole Renee**, Newport News Chapter, was selected to serve as one of the Founding Members of the Virginia State University Core Planning Group for the Office of Historically Black College and University Development, Inc. This Group, whose mission includes preserving the legacy of HBCUs and PBIs, reports to the United Nations General Assembly, as well as the United Nations Human Rights Council. **Mole Escoffery-Torres** is the daughter of the late **Petersburg Chapter Charter Mole, Mavis E. Cupid**.

Congratulations to University of Richmond student M. Tyler York, '19 who was awarded the U.S. Department of State's prestigious Gilman International Scholarship. Winners receive up to \$5,000 for their study abroad experience. York, son of **Mole Gaylene Kanoyton** of the **Newport News Chapter**, is using his funds to participate in the Jepson at Cambridge program at the University of Cambridge this summer. Students in this program, which is co-organized by the Jepson School of Leadership Studies and the Richmond School of Law, will spend five weeks at Emmanuel College, University of Cambridge, attending classes and traveling to explore law and leadership in an international setting, while also learning England's history.

RICHMOND

Members of the **Richmond Chapter** have been so excited about the goings-on of our young folk – that means our children and grandchildren. We share about them at each meeting.

ARNOLD HENDERSON VI, who has been named a “chip off the old block” for his style and accomplishment as a basketball player make him a standout at St. Christopher's School. He is known for his “floor leadership, harassing defense and 3-point aim”. It is interesting to us that his father, **Mule Arnold Henderson V** has also been his coach with the local AAU Travel team. **Moles Andrea** (mother) and **Florence** (grandmother) beam with pride as we applaud young Arnold. Since he is a junior this year we look forward to even more “3's” next year.

KYRA WALDEN, daughter of **Mole and Mule Karen and A.J. Walden** and grand-daughter of **Mole and Mule Thelma and Albert Pettis**, has made a really outstanding record on Atlee High School's volleyball team. She holds records for her killing plays and now she is playing with a travel team to continue playing past the season. She has been sought by several colleges for next year following her graduation. Kyra was named to the local newspaper's team for her outstanding record; in addition, she was named to the region's list for special honors.

There is more about our achieving young ones for another story and more about the successes of our **Mules** and newest **Mole**.





April 15 - Conclave registration due to Baltimore Chapter

May 15

- Committee Reports due to National President, Mole Jodi Gallman
- Chapter information for June MOG due to National Courtesy Committee- TheMologram@att.net

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