

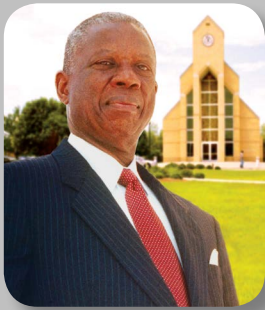


CAMPUS REPORT

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Friday, November 4, 2016



PRESIDENT'S CALENDAR

November 6, 2016

11:00 AM

First Baptist Missionary Church
Summerville, SC

Message: Dr. Luns C. Richardson

Music: Morris College Chorale

4:00PM

Florence Alumni Chapter
Monumental Baptist Church
Florence, SC

Music: Morris College Gospel Choir

November 13, 2016

9:45 AM

Morris College Day
Joshua Baptist Church
Rembert, SC

Message: Luns C. Richardson

Music: Morris College Chorale



Kambrell Garvin receives plaque from SGA President Carlton Richardson

When the Bough Breaks

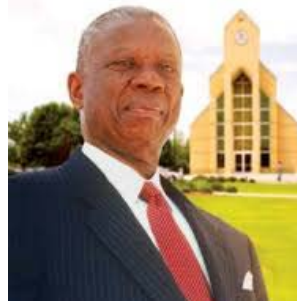
Thursday's assembly sponsored by the Morris College Chapter of the NAACP was invigorating with energy and empowerment. Students and faculty/staff enjoyed a vibrant selection from the Sumter County Sheriff's Office Gospel Choir. Following the selection, Kambrell Garvin, today's speaker took the stage exemplifying what it means to be a trail blazer and a positive face in the community. Garvin, a 2013 graduate of Winthrop University, a 2016 graduate of Johns Hopkins University School of Education, is currently enrolled at the University of South Carolina School of Law. Mr. Garvin explained that sometimes the bough has to break in order for progress to be achieved in our country. Understanding that the progress has not been easy, but rarely is, history shows us what can happen once the bough is broken. Discussing the challenges associated with Sojourner Truth, The Emancipation Proclamation, Brown vs. the Board of Education, women's voting rights, the subservient treatment of the black man compared to his white counter parts, the presidency of the current Commander in Chief, Barack Obama, the Black Lives Matter Movement and the terrorist act of a white supremacist against the Charleston Nine, he painted the picture of a tormented people who demanded change.

Highlighting the various protests that have erupted over the last couple of years, he acknowledged a generation of new souls on fire for justice. They represent the opportunity to "eat where they want, study what they want, think what they want become what they want, even if that means the president of the United States. As the Joshua Generation, they are opportunity. Garvin left students by encouraging them to be bough breakers. He charged students to "challenge the norm and subpar expectations of society and change your community, for our deepest fear is not that we are inadequate but that we are powerful beyond measure and as children of God who are we not to excel? Never shrink so that others will not feel insecure around you." Lastly he encouraged students; remember to be leaders such as the likes of Martin Luther King Jr., Luns C. Richardson and Barack Obama. Student's responded with a rousing chant of support. This assembly comes 5 days before Election Day where students will exercise their right to vote in an effort to effect change in their community.

QEP WORD OF THE WEEK

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Morris College today announced that the institution’s president, Dr. Luns C. Richardson, has decided to retire as president at the board of trustees meeting in October, effective June 30, 2017. Dr. Richardson’s decision to retire will bring to a close a remarkable career of 43 years of continuous service and dedication to Morris College and the Sumter community.



MARK YOUR CALENDAR

MID TERM ACADEMIC INTERVENTION IS TAKING PLACE

If you have one or more failing grades and have received a letter from the Counseling Center or Student Support Services, please follow up accordingly. Avoid detrimental consequences to your academic success by contacting Mrs. Sims ext 3259 or Mrs. Rutledge ext. 3187



Supporting Fran Person (candidate for United States Representative, SC 5th District), Vice President, Joe Biden and Congressman Jim Clyburn paid a visit to the campus of Morris College on Tuesday, November, 1st, 2016. Congressman Clyburn spoke of his support for the institution. Followed by Vice President Biden, who got personal with students and community members as he encouraged everyone to exercise their right to vote. Vice President Biden posed for pictures with students prior to making his exit from the campus .

JOIN THE MORRIS COLLEGE CHAPTER OF THE NAACP, NOVEMBER 8, 2016 AT 4:00 PM IN FRONT OF THE SECURITY BOOTH TO WALK TO THE MORRIS COLLEGE POLLING PRECINCT. DO NOT FORGET YOUR VOTER REGISTRATION ISSUED PHOTO ID.



STOP BY THE FINANCIAL AID OFFICE FOR HELP WITH YOUR FAFSA

- Complete your FAFSA using the 2015 income information
- Complete your Morris College Application for Aid
- Complete the UNCF General Application and Profile

Benefits:

- Receive your Award Letter early for 2017-2018 Academic Year
 - Avoid long lines at fall clearance
 - Receive your refund checks earlier
- Have your book voucher during the first day of class
- Be eligible for the South Carolina Tuition Grant Program
- Know in advance the amount of funds you have to attend school

The Business/Phi Beta Lambda (PBL)/ORM Advanced Program Week will take place November 7 – 11, 2016. The theme for the week is “Legacy of Leadership in a Digital Economy.” The goal is to provide the campus community with a variety of opportunities through workshops and other activities focusing on personal and professional growth. On Thursday, November 10, 2016 the speaker for the assembly will be the President and CEO of Job’s Mortuary (Sumter, SC), Reverend Dr. Ralph W. Canty.

November 15, 2016

All students interested in competing for the titles of Miss Homecoming, Miss Co-Ed and Mr. Co-Ed may pick up solicitation letters in the Office of Student Affairs.

Winners will be declared during the Pre-Fall Harvest Worship Service and Rally on Tuesday, November 15, 2016

The deadline for reporting funds is

Friday November, 11, 2016

Every Wednesday

Baptist Student Union
Bible Study
6:00 PM
Religious Center
Room 224



Show your school spirit! Wear Blue & Gold every Friday!

