

Lighting the Path...

The newsletter of
Witney's Lights Inc.

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*From Darkness to Light...
Domestic Violence Stops Here!*

Good News Delmarva!!



Our President, Quincy Lucas, was featured on a television interview for WMBT 47 "Good News Delmarva!"



Quincy Lucas with the host of the show, Amber Watson!

Witney's Lights Reception a Success!



From left to right: Leroy Lucas, Kevin Lucas, Quincy Lucas, and Senator Tom Carper

On Saturday, May 21, our President, Quincy Lucas, held a Reception at the Fire and Ice Lounge at Dover Downs. This event was to kick off the annual fundraising initiative for Witney's Lights and to also celebrate her Commencement speech for the Delaware State University School of Graduate Studies!



Message from the President



Ready, Set, Grow! Thanks to all of you and many other supporters, Witney's Lights is growing by leaps and bounds! Not only are we growing as an organization but we are continuing our focus to remain: bold, effective and connected; and as such... we are doing

a lot more listening to meet the needs of the community that we serve. We've listened, and heard that many of you would like more frequent updates on our programs and ways that you can help spread awareness about domestic violence; so, it is with great pleasure that I present to you the Lighting the Path **Monthly** Newsletter! Effective immediately we will be presenting a monthly newsletter that is both informative about the organization and effective in communicating the needs and opportunities in communities throughout the country. Ready, Set, come grow with us!

Enjoy the June issue and help us to grow by sharing the newsletter with a family member, friend or co-worker! Together we can end domestic violence!

Continuing the mission....

Quincy A. Lucas, M.A.
President and Founder

Witney's Lights Conducts Summer Intern Training!

Friday, June 3rd, Witney's Lights held an intern meeting in which our president, Quincy Lucas, gave a detailed presentation on the purpose and mission of Witney's Lights.



Approaching Events!!



- July 7, 2011: Witney's Lights participates in Youth Ambassador Information Session Hosted by My Brother's Keeper, Baltimore, MD
- July 13, 2011: Wilmington City Council's Education, Youth; Families Committee meeting, Wilmington, DE (4:30 pm)
- REMINDER: October 1, 2011: Witney's Lights 3rd Annual 5K Walk/Run to End Domestic Violence, Silver Lake Park, Dover, DE (9:00 am)
- October 10, 2011: Wilmington College Domestic Violence Lecture, New Castle, DE
- October 15, 2011: 'Doo Day!' Salons and barber shops all over the state of Delaware will join Witney's Lights to tackle domestic violence!

Witney's Lights Welcomes Dr. Robin Weinstein to the Board of Directors!



Witney's Lights is proud to welcome a new member to their board of directors. Dr. Robin B. Weinstein brings extensive experience in Human Resource Relationships as the Deputy County Administrator for Salem County, New Jersey, as well as an impressive array of community involvement as the Chairman of the Board of Directors for the United Way of Salem County and also a member of the Salem County Children's Health and Welfare Advisory Committee.

Internship Opportunities

Witney's Lights is currently accepting applications for fall interns. If you or someone you know is interested please visit www.witneyslights.com



Welcome
Ciana Charity, Intern

Welcome
Donna Shelton, Intern

Loyola University



President of Witney's Lights, Quincy Lucas, with communications professor, Dr. Christopher Heidelberg

making a difference!!

Under the direction of the communication professor, Dr. Christopher Heidelberg, Students from the Loyola University communications Dept. conducted an interview on their show, The Minority Report!

Witney's Lights Partners With My Brother's Keeper for Youth Ambassador Program!



From left to right: Danise Jones-Dorsey (Executive Director), Quincy Lucas, Ismaldi Cueto, and Shane Whittington (Site Coordinator)

Witney's Lights and My Brother's Keeper will join forces to have another successful Youth Ambassador program! This is a unique program that is committed to training and developing ambassadors who will receive Domestic Violence Awareness and life skill training and tools that will prepare them to serve as effective leaders in their community.

Domestic Violence Fast Fact...

Domestic violence is the leading cause of injury to women between the ages of 15 and 44 in the United States, more than car accidents, muggings, and rapes combined.

SAVE THE DATE!

3rd Annual 5K Walk/Run
Saturday, October 1,
2011, Silver Lake Park,
Dover, DE

PLEASE DONATE!

Witney's Lights needs your help to continue our mission to stop domestic violence!
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