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January 2015

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Basketball is up and
running we expect to
have our game schedule
by January 22nd.

We look forward to having your support when the season starts.



soul: City Gate
will kick off spring
semester tutoring on
Monday, January 19th.
This will be part of a great
celebration of community
service coordinated by
the Center for Community
Engagement & Service at
American University.

SOUL will be one of several local nonprofits that the university collaborates with to engage college students on the Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Day of Service.



will visit the Wilson
Building on January 15th
to meet with their elected
Ward 7 Council Members.
This event will provide our
youth an opportunity better
understand the local
political process and ask
critical questions about
how policies are brought to
fruition.

SOUL Executive Director,
Donald Curtis has been
offered a Assistant Coach
position on the HD
Woodson Boys Varsity
Basketball team. His focus
will be academic
development and player
retention.

SOUL In the Media



Harris Heroes: SOUL WJLA ABC 7

Wednesday, January 7th, 2015 5:30pm

Hear from some of our youth about what SOUL means to them. Check us out.

SOUL Corporate Basketball Challenge 2015



Have Fun, Network, and Support Local Youth!

Saturday, February 28, 2015
5 on 5 Corporate Basketball Challenge
8 players per team
3 games guaranteed

We are still recruiting teams for the SOUL Corporate Basketball Challenge. This is our largest philanthropic event and is critical to the sustainability of our program.

To register your team or donate to the event please contact Donald Curtis, Founder & Executive Director, at dcurtis@soulprograms.org.

For more information please visit http://soulprograms.org/support/2015-corporate-challenge/

HELP with SOUL Summer Institute

This summer SOUL youth will explore the world through "The Art of Science." Our youth will have the opportunity to visit several science and performing arts centers to better understand the physics of motion, music, and fine arts. We need help identifying great exploration sites to visit.

Please forward us your recommendations. Send them to dcurtis@soulprograms.org.

Students Organized to Understand Leadership (SOUL) is a 501(C)(3) charitable organization. We use a sports based approach to youth development program for at-risk youth residing in vulnerable DC communities. Our programs provide athletic, academic, and professional enrichment opportunities, using basketball as a pedagogical tool for personal development. SOUL leverages the influence of coaches and mentors to support the hard work of parents and traditional educators in developing productive young adults.