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**MEDIA ADVISORY**

Through October 3, 2009

**TRACY AFRICAN AMERICAN ASSOCIATION HOSTS  
EVENING SOCIAL TO BENEFIT SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM  
*“Jazz on a Saturday Night”***

**TRACY, CA** – Tracy African American Association, LLC. (TAAA) places special emphasis on youth mentorship and education, and gears nearly all of its events and activities toward fundraising to benefit its Wayne Nelson Academic Scholarship Program. Annually, the organization provides scholarships – named for late TAAA member and education advocate Wayne Nelson – to enrich educational opportunities for college-bound students who are graduating from Tracy, CA high schools. On October 3<sup>rd</sup>, TAAA will host an evening jazz social to benefit its scholarship program. Everyone is invited. All are welcome!

- WHO:** Tracy African American Association, LLC. (TAAA)  
**WHAT:** “Jazz on a Saturday Night”  
**WHEN:** Saturday, October 3, 2009 | 8:00 – 11:00 p.m.  
**WHERE:** Platinum Conference Center inside the Tracy Opera House  
**COST:** \$10 per person | Pay at the door (adults only, please)  
**MUSIC BY:** DJ George Techaira on percussions

During its annual Juneteenth celebration, TAAA awards monetary scholarship grants to Tracy high school seniors who apply, meet specific academic requirements, and who are entering an accredited college or university on a full-time basis. To date, the Tracy African American Association has provided more than \$50,000 in scholarship monies to deserving graduating high school students.

**ABOUT TRACY AFRICAN AMERICAN ASSOCIATION, LLC:**

The Tracy African American Association (TAAA) is a non-profit organization established in 1994 by a group of concerned professionals seeking to form ties among African Americans and other members of the Tracy Community. Its mission is to unite people of all ages and backgrounds through sponsorships and contributions to educational, cultural and social programs that foster awareness, diversity, and a cooperative environment that unite the Tracy Community.

Membership is open to individuals who share and embrace the TAAA mission. [www.TAAA.net](http://www.TAAA.net)

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