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# Remembering John H. Johnson

## The Giant of *Ebony* and *Jet* magazines



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Mourners (top photo) pay their respect to John H. Johnson, Founder of *Ebony* and *Jet* Magazines, as he lies in state during his recent homegoing celebration at the University of Chicago's Rockefeller Chapel. The services drew dignitaries, celebrities from around the world. More photos on page 2.



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Vickie Winans singing with all her heart. all photos/Debra Meeks



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Former President Bill Clinton escorting Johnson's widow Eunice Johnson.



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Rev. Jesse Jackson grieving over Mr. Johnson.



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Widow Eunice Johnson, daughter Linda, granddaughter Alexa Rice.



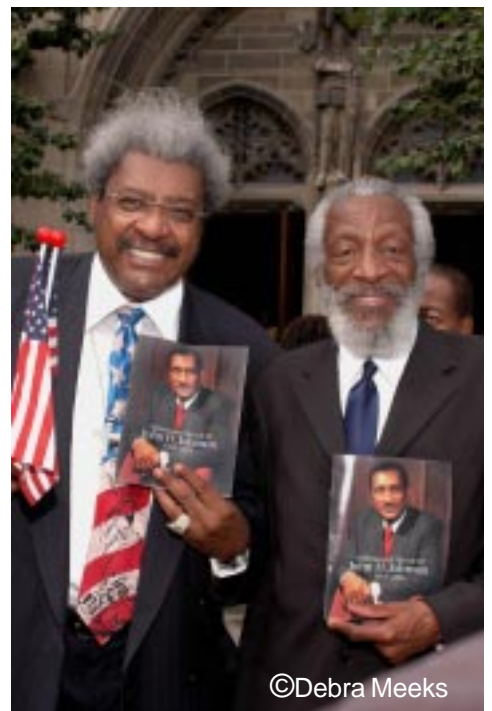
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Barry Gordy and Dorothy Brown.



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Don King (I) and Dick Gregory.

# Exhibits



## Chicago's Urban Parks



**South Shore Cultural Center**  
**Photo Exhibit**  
 The South Shore Cultural Center presents a fine photo exhibit  
 featuring Chicago Park District Photographs  
**Brook Collins**  
**OASIS: CHICAGO'S URBAN PARKS**  
 November 4 - December 3

*Date:* Chicago's Urban Parks consists of a compilation of images by award-winning Chicago Park District Photographer Brook Collins. The exhibit is a visual exploration of Chicago's parks, reflecting the diversity and beauty of our city and its people.

**You're Invited...**  
 To an opening reception  
**Thursday, November 10, 6 - 9 p.m.**  
**South Shore Cultural Center**  
 7059 S. South Shore Drive  
 773.236.0949

**Viewing:**  
 Monday - Friday  
 Saturday  
 Sunday

9 a.m. - 4 p.m.  
 9 a.m. - 1 p.m.  
 Closed

For more information about your Chicago Park District visit  
[www.chicagoparkdistrict.com](http://www.chicagoparkdistrict.com) or call 773.236.0949, 773.236.0949  
 Chicago Park District (773) 236-0949

## Women of Kolor- Behind the Lens

The exhibition regarding Women of Kolor Behind the Lens which opened on Oct 1 will conclude on Nov 5, 2005 at Neleh Artistic Expressions 3467 S. King Dr. inside the Lake Meadows Shopping Plaza. This affair is sponsored by Sister Arminta Muhammad.

## Congratulations to Stephanie Graham



"Ghetto Fabulous Brandie"  
 1st place winner

To my fellow CAAAP members:  
 I recently won first place in the womeninphotography.org contest titled "Beauty". Here is the link: [www.womeninphotography.org/beauty/exhibit/conceptual](http://www.womeninphotography.org/beauty/exhibit/conceptual). I won an Epson Printer 2200, \$100, watermark software, mailing lists, and a subscription to studio photography and design. There was also a write up about the contest in the magazine. So check it out! -Stephanie

A dedicated group of volunteers, the Illinois Department of Children and Family Services, Adoption Information Center of Illinois, and the Office of Lieutenant Governor Pat Quinn present



Illinois photographers have captured the personalities and spirits of 48 foster children waiting their forever home. The goal of this nationally acclaimed program is to inspire loving people to consider adoption.

**Date:** Photo Exhibit Opening  
 Friday, November 4, 2005  
 (continues through November 5, 2005)  
**Time:** 6:30 PM - 8:30 PM  
**Location:** Chicago Children's Assurances at Navy Pier  
 700 East Grand Avenue  
 Chicago, IL 60611  
**Fee:** Clothing 14.95. Free Admission.  
 November 5, 8 a.m. - Noon. \$6. To receive discount, show ID number below.  
 Open 10am to 5pm



Make a difference in the life of a child! Call 312.246.1515 or visit [www.heartgalleryofillinois.com](http://www.heartgalleryofillinois.com) for more information.

CAAAP's Brook Collins donated her time to the Heart Campaign to find adoptive parents for foster kids in the Illinois. Brook will have several portraits in the opening reception on Friday, November 4 at Navy Pier.



From the desk of the President...



(C) 2005 Martha Brock Photography

Bob Black (3rd from left) is joined by photographers John H. White, Michelle Agins, Jim Morris, Milbert O. Brown, Jr., Martha Brock and James Holly, while he was honored by the Chicago Headline Club for Lifetime Achievement Award as a photo journalist.

The Chicago Headline Club presented Lifetime Achievement Awards to five local journalists at a dinner, October 7, at the Chicago Athletic Association, 12 S. Michigan Ave.

This year's Lifetime Achievement Award winners included: veteran Chicago Sun-Times photographer Bob Black (formerly of the Chicago Defender); theater critic Richard Christiansen, formerly of the Chicago Tribune and Chicago Daily News; William Mullen, Pulitzer prize-winning reporter from the Tribune; Pam Zekman, Emmy award-winning investigative reporter at CBS 2 Chicago, who won a Pulitzer at the Tribune as well; and City News Bureau managing editor Paul Zimbrakos, who joined the wire service in 1958. He continues to mentor fledgling reporters there today.



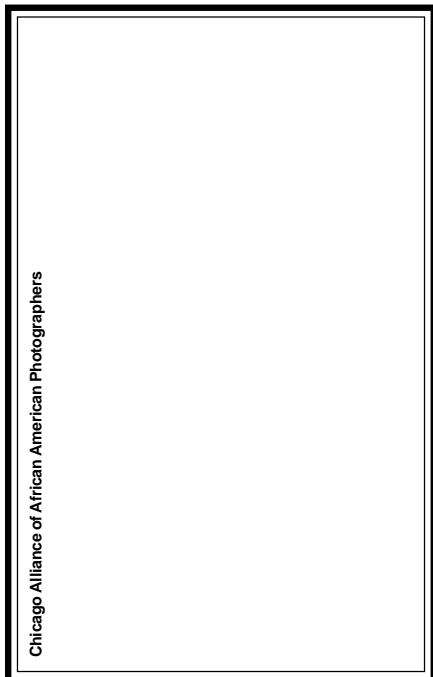
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Chicago Alliance of African American Photographers

Membership meetings 2005:

2pm- Sunday- November 20  
2pm- Sunday-December 18  
SouthSide Community Arts Center  
3831 S. Michigan Ave., Chicago, IL

*\*If meeting venue or date changes (advance notification of venue changes will be made via e-mail, regular mail and/or telephone)*



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