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You are cordially invited to participate in the Sixth Annual Linnes Finney, Jr. "NBA Youth Day" which will be held on Monday, July 16, 2012 at the Boyd School of Law at the University of Nevada Las Vegas during the National Bar Association's 87th Annual Convention. The law school is located at 4505 S. Maryland Parkway, Las Vegas, Nevada 89154. Each year, the NBA has partnered with the Law School Admission Council (LSAC) for this program. This year, we are also partnering with the Boyd School of Law and The John Marshall Law School in Chicago, Illinois. The National Black Law School Association (NBLSA) provides volunteers.

The purpose of the program is to assist in preparing high school students (grades 9 through 12) to apply for college and to expose students to information about a career in the practice of law. Our ultimate goal is to potentially increase the number of students in the "pipeline" to become lawyers in the future. The high school students will be introduced to law students, college and law school administrators, and practicing attorneys. They will also have an opportunity to participate in workshops and a mock trial competition. The day long program is free of cost and a continental breakfast and lunch will be served. The students must provide their own transportation to the law school.

NBA YOUTH DAY: EXPANDING THE PIPELINE

Monday, July 16, 2012 ~ 9:00 am ~ 5:00 pm
The Boyd School of Law ~ Las Vegas, NV

GENERAL SCHEDULE OF EVENTS	
8:15 ~ 9:00 am	Registration ~ Continental Breakfast
9:00 ~ 9:15 am	Introductions ~ Opening Remarks
9:15 ~ 10:15 am	Workshops: The Application Process ~ College and Law School
10:15 ~ 11:15 am	Workshop: How to Try a Case
11:15 ~ 12:00 pm	Breakout Groups ~ Mock Trial Competition Preparation
12:00 ~ 12:45 pm	Working Luncheon
1:00 ~ 2:00 pm	First Round: Mock Trial Competition
2:30 ~ 3:30 pm	Second Round: Mock Trial Competition
3:30 ~ 4:15 pm	Workshop: What is DiscoverLaw?
4:15 ~ 5:00 pm	Awards Presentation ~ Closing Remarks

We hope that you will be able to join us. We are planning for a group of no more than 70 students. Please reserve your space by Monday, July 2, 2012 by sending your response and contact information to nbayouthday@gmail.com. If you have any questions, please include them with your email. As a secondary option, please contact Angela Ross at the Law School Admission Council at 215-968-1338 for questions. Once you have reserved your space, we will supply you with a permission slip and a copy of the facts for the mock trial competition. We look forward to seeing you on July 16th!

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