

Here's the **BUZZ**

Honda
Campus
All-Star
Challenge

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Division Line-ups!
New Namesakes for
Blue and Brown
Honda Recruiters
at NCT

Round Robin Division Assignments

The round robin seeding is complete and teams have been placed in divisions. The process includes an even distribution of last year's "Sweet 16" teams as well as consideration for previous year division sets and geographic proximity.

Now, as the Pre-NCT season comes to a close, the focus is on final preparations for the HCASC NCT. Webinars offer tips that can make the difference in close matches. This year, even more scores and updates will be posted to Facebook

and Twitter, so remind family and friends to "like" and "follow" now. Who will advance to the Playoffs? Who will take the NCT title? It's all in the hands of the players and coaches. Good Luck, and see you in Orlando!

HANSBERRY DIVISION

Delaware State University

Livingstone College

Prairie View A&M University

South Carolina State University

University-District of Columbia

West Virginia State University

JONES DIVISION

Florida A&M University

Harris-Stowe State University

Jarvis Christian College

Mississippi Valley State University

North Carolina A&T State University

Voorhees College

TRUTH DIVISION

Chicago State University

Fayetteville State University

Jackson State University

Miles College

Morris College

Texas College

MCCOY DIVISION

Albany State University

Alcorn State University

Bennett College

Cheyney University-Pennsylvania

Fisk University

Stillman College



April 9-12, 2011

BUFFALO SOLDIERS DIVISION

Alabama State University

Clafin University

Morehouse College

North Carolina Central University

Virginia Union University

Xavier University

WALKER DIVISION

Grambling State University

Kentucky State University

Medgar Evers College-CUNY

Saint Augustine's College

Tougaloo College

Tuskegee University

TAYLOR DIVISION

Central State University

Clark Atlanta University

Oakwood University

Virginia State University

Wiley College

Winston-Salem State University

HANDY DIVISION

Alabama A&M University

Edward Waters College

Elizabeth City State University

Langston University

Morgan State University

Paul Quinn College



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2011 Honda Campus All-Star Challenge Schedule of Events

SATURDAY, APRIL 9

<i>Registration</i>	9:00 AM - 5:30 PM	Grand Ballroom Foyer
<i>Student Union & Honda Expo</i>	9:00 AM - 5:30 PM	Palm Ballroom
	10:00 PM - 12:00 AM	
<i>Lunch</i>	11:30 AM - 2:30 PM	International Ballroom South
<i>Rules Briefing (on the hour)</i>	1:00 PM - 5:00 PM	Palm Ballroom
<i>Opening Ceremonies & Dinner</i>	7:30 PM - 10:00 PM	Palm Ballroom (Mandatory)

SUNDAY, APRIL 10

<i>Breakfast</i>	6:30 AM - 8:00 AM	International Ballroom South
<i>Coaches Meeting</i>	7:30 AM - 8:00 AM	Azalea/Begonia (Mandatory)
<i>Captains Meetings</i>	7:30 AM - 8:00 AM	Poinsettia/Quince (Mandatory)
<i>Team Divisional Meetings</i>	8:00 AM - 8:30 AM	Mezzanine Game Rooms (Mandatory)
<i>Round Robin Games</i>	8:45 AM - 5:30 PM	Mezzanine Game Rooms
<i>HBCU Graduate School Expo</i>	10:00 AM - 5:00 PM	Mezzanine Bridge
<i>Yearbook Photos</i>	10:00 AM - 5:30 PM	International Ballroom South
<i>Student Union & Honda Expo</i>	10:00 AM - 5:30 PM	Palm Ballroom
	10:00 PM - 12:00 AM	
<i>Lunch</i>	11:30 AM - 2:00 PM	International Ballroom South
<i>Honda 411 Career Expo</i>	11:30 AM - 7:00 PM	Poolside
<i>Playoff Round of 16</i>	6:00 PM - 6:30 PM	Mezzanine Game Rooms
<i>Dinner/Movie On Your Own</i>	6:30 PM - 11:00 PM	

MONDAY, APRIL 11

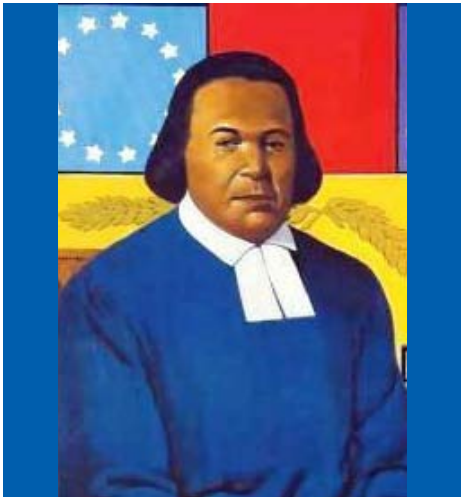
<i>Breakfast</i>	6:30 AM - 7:45 AM	International Ballroom South
<i>Quarter Finals, Semi Finals & Final Games</i>	8:00 AM - 12:30 PM	Palm Ballroom (Mandatory)
<i>Lunch</i>	12:00 PM - 2:00 PM	International Ballroom South
<i>Student Union & Honda Expo</i>	1:00 PM - 5:00 PM	Palm Ballroom
	10:00 PM - 1:00 AM	
<i>Yearbook Photos</i>	1:00 PM - 5:30 PM	International Ballroom South
<i>Closing Awards Banquet</i>	7:30 PM - 10:00 PM	Palm Ballroom (Mandatory)

TUESDAY, APRIL 12

<i>Breakfast Box Pick-up</i>	3:00 AM - 7:00 AM	Andiamo
<i>Breakfast</i>	7:00 AM - 9:00 AM	Andiamo
<i>Departures</i>	ALL DAY	Lobby Entrance

2011 Division Leaders

Every year, HCASC selects noteworthy African Americans to represent the round robin divisions. For 2011, religious pioneer Absalom Jones will represent the Blue Division, and abolitionist legend Sojourner Truth, will represent the Brown Division.

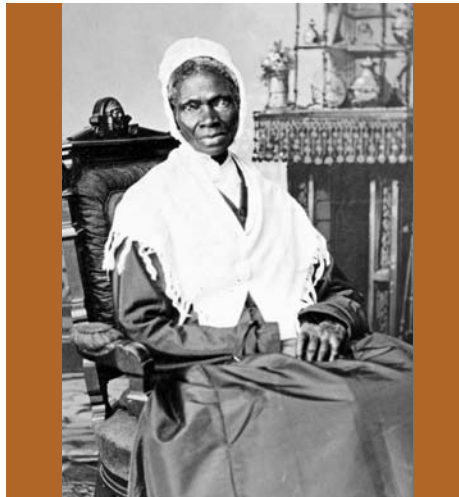


Absalom Jones

Absalom Jones was America's first black priest. Born into slavery, he taught himself to read, using the New Testament as one of his resources. Following the purchase of his own freedom in 1784, Jones served as lay minister for the black membership at St. George's Methodist Episcopal Church.

The active evangelism of Jones and that of his friend, Richard Allen, greatly increased black membership at St. George's. In 1794 Jones and Allen, with the assistance of local Quakers and Episcopalians, established the "First African Church" in Philadelphia. Shortly after the establishment that same year, the African Church applied to join the Protestant Episcopal Church, laying before the diocese three requirements: the Church must be received as an already organized body; it must have control over its own affairs; and Jones must be licensed as lay-reader and if qualified, ordained as its minister.

Upon acceptance into the Diocese of Pennsylvania, the church was renamed the African Episcopal Church of St. Thomas. At 58 years old, he became the first black American priest. He continued to be a leader in his community, founding a day school, the Female Benevolent Society, and an African Friendly Society. In 1800 he called upon Congress to abolish the slave trade and to provide for gradual emancipation of existing slaves. Jones died in 1818.



Sojourner Truth

Born Isabella Baumfree, the self-named Sojourner Truth was the daughter of slaves. Between 1810 and 1827 she bore at least five children to a fellow slave named Thomas. About 1829, she went to New York City with her two youngest children, where she worked as a domestic, preacher and missionary.

In 1843, she left her missionary work in New York City and took the name Sojourner Truth. She sang, preached, and debated at camp meetings, in churches, and on village streets, exhorting her listeners to accept the biblical message of God's goodness and the brotherhood of man. She supported herself by selling copies of her book, "The Narrative of Sojourner Truth."

Encountering the women's rights movement in the early 1850s, and encouraged by Lucretia Mott, she continued to appear before suffrage gatherings for the rest of her life. In the 1850s Sojourner Truth settled in Battle Creek, Michigan. During the Civil War, she gathered supplies for black volunteer regiments and was later received at the White House by President Abraham Lincoln. The same year, she accepted an appointment with the National Freedmen's Relief Association counseling former slaves, particularly in matters of resettlement. In 1875 she retired to her home in Battle Creek, where she remained until her death.

Honda 411 Returns to NCT



Are you interested in Honda for employment or an internship? Because if you are, Honda would love to get to know you during Honda Careers 411 at the NCT. Honda recruiters will be available to talk about employment opportunities at several locations across the country. Here are the details:

Location: Poolside (weather permitting)

Date: Sunday, April 10

Time: 11:30 PM - 7:00 PM

If you are interested, bring your resume, your enthusiasm and your curiosity. Honda wants to talk to you! Please feel free to contact Marc Burt if you have questions. He can be reached at 310-783-3217 or marc_burt@ahm.honda.com.

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