



# Media Alert

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The 2015-2016 school year marks the 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the desegregation of Harford County Public Schools (HCPS). To remember this period in our history, HCPS will host the *50th Anniversary Commemoration of the Desegregation of Harford County Public Schools* on April 8, 2016, from 6:00 to 9:30 p.m. at the Ripken Stadium in Aberdeen. The event will honor former students, teachers, and pioneers in the efforts to desegregate schools in Maryland and across the country. Along with the commemoration, we will share the progress we continue to make in equity and unity.

**MARK YOUR CALENDAR TO BE A PART OF THIS EVENT!**

**WHAT: 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Desegregation of Harford County Public Schools**

**WHEN: Friday, April 8, 2016  
6:00 – 9:30 p.m.**

**WHERE: Ripken Stadium, Aberdeen**

We encourage our community to join us as we reflect on the past and look toward our future. Those planning to attend may contact Laurie Namey, HCPS supervisor of Equity & Cultural Proficiency, at [Laurie.Namey@hcps.org](mailto:Laurie.Namey@hcps.org) to RSVP and purchase tickets.

**50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Commemoration**  
of the Desegregation of  
Harford County Public Schools

*Looking Back to Move Forward*

**8**  
April  
2016

Six o'clock in the evening  
Ripken Stadium  
873 Long Drive, Aberdeen, MD 21001  
\$58 per person  
Buffet dinner included  
Make checks payable to Harford County Public Schools  
Mail checks to HCPS Office of Equity & Cultural Proficiency  
102 S. Hickory Ave, Bel Air, MD 21014

**Click here**  
to RSVP by  
March 18, 2016

Questions:  
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