

Quarterly Issues for WPRL 91.7 FM

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Events: Natchez First 100 years and The African American.

Southwest MS Center for Culture and Learning presented this event on Jan.12 in the J.D.Boyd Library, the guest speaker was Bobby Dennis director of the NAPAC Museum in Natchez. Mr. Dennis talked about the African American and the first 100 years, how we have come as African Americans living in the United States and he also reminded us that we have a long way to go. WPRL 91.7 FM covered the event.

Dr. Martin Luther King Jr unity walk took place on the Alcorn State University campus. The event was held Tuesday Jan.18 @ 3pm the walk started @ the historic Oakland Chapel, this event was one of many to celebrate Dr. King's birthday. WPRL 91.7 FM covered the event. The walk was sponsored by the office of Educational Equity and Inclusion.

Events Cont: "I Have a Dream" Oratorical Contest

The office of Student Development, Equity and Inclusion sponsored the event it was one of many events that took place to honor and celebrate the late Dr. Martin Luther King Jr birthday. Students presented oratorical speeches from Dr. King. The event took place on the steps of the JD. Boyd library, Friday Jan.21 from 11am -1 pm, WPRL 91.7 FM covered the event.

Dr. Eric Dogini Mass Communication Professor here at Alcorn State University presented a lecture on The Sound: Analog vs Digital the event took place on Feb. 2 in the JD. Boyd Library students, faculty and staff attended the event. Dr. Dogini was also named MS. Humanities teacher of the year. It was an honor for WPRL 91.7 FM to cover the event.

Events: Alcorn State University names new AD.

Raynoid Dedeaux was named the next Director of Athletics for Alcorn State University the event took place Feb.28 in the Ray Johnson Auditorium located in the Extension building the event was attended by faculty, students, staff and coaches and Alcorn alumni media from all over the state covered the event including WPRL 91.7 FM.

Events: From Slavery to Freedom

The Story of the Natchez U.S. Colored Troops

Southwest MS Center for Culture and Learning held this event Thursday Feb.24 in the Biotechnology Auditorium the event started at 1 pm speakers from Natchez told the story about the Natchez U.S.

Colored Troops Mr. Barney Schoby from the Natchez Trace Parkway performed a reenactment of the Colored Soldier and the Honorable Mayor Dan Gibson spoke also the event was attended by faculty, Students and staff. WPRL 91.7 FM covered the event.

Education Cont:

Alcorn Honor's Convocation: Alcorn State University held the annual Honor's Convocation on Thursday March 24 at 10am the event took place in the Davey L. Whitney Complex President, Dean Scholars were honored for their hard work. The President scholars received a purple sweater and the Deans scholars a certificate. Dr. Corey Wiggins an Alcorn Alum gave the ceremonial address. WPRL 91.7 FM covered the event.

Events: 2022 Mass Communication Media Day

The ASU department of Mass Communication held their annual Media Day on March 31, 2022 in the campus union ballroom. It was held in person since Covid-19. A panel of 10 media personal from TV and Radio in the local area attended and spoke with the students about a future in broadcasting, they also talk about internship opportunities Students were presented with awards for their hard work in the department.