



INTRODUCTION

The meeting was called to order by our President Carrie Dreifurst. Blessing was done by Ron Gunnare. The Flags committee advised the group we still had filled the routes!!!

Carrie mentioned that they had tabled a funding request at the board meeting until they present. She also noted that if anyone is interested in the Iowa convention (August 11-13) to please reach out to Joseph. Lastly, she announced the End of the Year Awards party will be at the Outing Club on Thursday, September 21, 2023. SAVE THE DATE!

PROGRAM

Today's program was from Reuban Quinn with HBCU (Historical Black Colleges and Universities). They spoke of their partnership with the Davenport Community School District and how for the first time in Davenport's history the HBCU marching band will be performing at the Brady Street Stadium, October 10. They will perform in partnership with 6 schools: Central, North, West, Sudlow, Wood and Williams. The HBCU is from the Lincoln institute in Jefferson City, Missouri. The program allows students to learn about HBCU campus life and college-level band opportunities.



SCHEDULE

- **August 11** - Fostering Crosswords Adler Theatre
- **August 18** - ASWS
- **August 25** - Common Cord
- **August 31** - Board Meeting
- **September 1** - Business Meeting

