



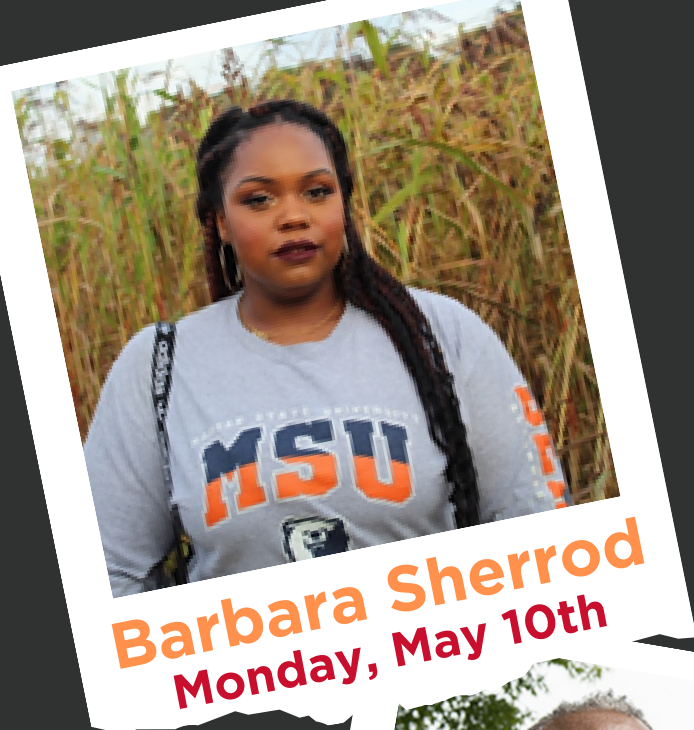
Positive Schools Center

Four FREE Workshops
Open to ALL

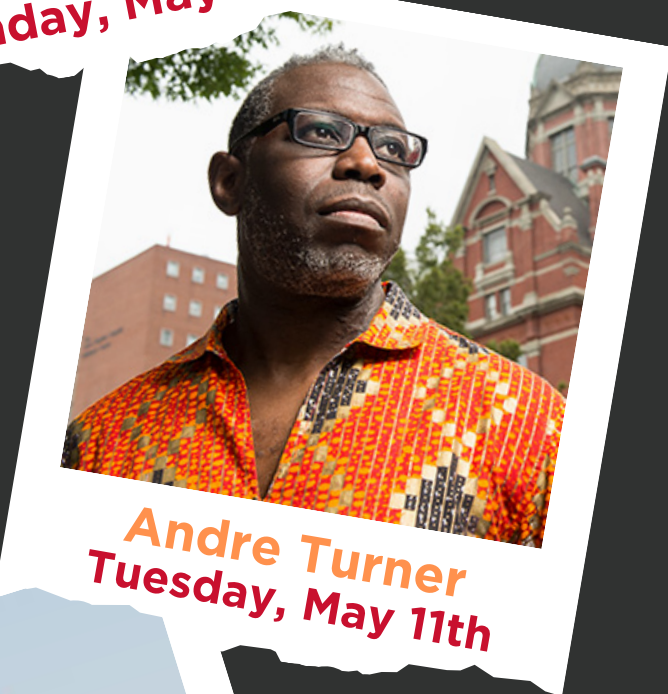
LET YOUR VOICE BE HEARD

JOIN US FOR
A TIME TO CREATE
& A TIME TO REST

May 10th-13th, 2021
4:15-5:30p EST



Barbara Sherrod
Monday, May 10th



Andre Turner
Tuesday, May 11th



Jabari Lyles
Wednesday, May 12th



DaMaris B. Hill, PhD
Thursday, May 13th



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SWCOS: SOCIAL WORK COMMUNITY
OUTREACH SERVICE



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PAUSING FOR BREATH

Monday, May 10th
4:15-5:30p EST

Note: This space is held for those who identify as Black Women ONLY.

The initial discussion will be available on facebook live.



Barbara Sherrod

Spend time reflecting, breathing, and connecting in a space designed to allow Black women to show up and express themselves authentically and safely.

Barbara A. Sherrod is a student of restorative justice and abolition. Through story-telling circles and coaching, Barbara educates school communities in restorative practices for relationship building, and addressing race and gender based-harms. Her website, MillennialMochaMoms provides space for Black mothers to share their experiences and create community. Barbara is a doctoral student at Morgan State University studying Urban Educational Leadership.



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SELFCARE: COMMUNITY PRACTICES FOR MEN

Tuesday, May 11th
4:15-5:30p EST

Note: This space is held for those
who identify as Men ONLY.

The initial discussion will be available on facebook live.

Selfcare for men is often overlooked. Take time to reflect on how selfcare looks different for men, and get specific strategies to create sustainable practices and a shared community that prioritizes healthy environments.

Andre Turner is a senior trainer and coach for the Positive Schools Center (PSC). He brings more than 20 years of experience in education, public health, and a certification of Leadership Development for Minority Managers from Johns Hopkins University. He is a father and husband, and his family brings him life.



Andre Turner



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SUPPORTING LGBTQ YOUTH IN YOUR COMMUNITY

Wednesday, May 12th
4:15-5:30p EST



Jabari Lyles

Learn how best to support LGBTQ youth in your school and community. We will also learn some school and community-based interventions to help all students thrive.

Mr. Lyles brings 15 years of experience leading initiatives which emphasize passions for sexual, racial & gender justice, diversity, equity & inclusion, youth development, and community organizing. He is an expert trainer and facilitator, with experience in classroom teaching, nonprofit administration, youth programming, event production, and community outreach.



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TONGUE OF FIRE: POETRY & VOICE

Thursday, May 13th
4:15-5:30p EST



DaMaris B. Hill, PhD

In this workshop, we will talk about how to actualize and amplify our voices through poetry. We will open by discussing our ideas about poetry, inspiration, and voice. We will also discuss “authenticity” and how it functions in our own lives. Then we will put “authenticity” into our writing. This workshop will expand on some of the techniques that were used to write the poems in “A Bound Woman Is a Dangerous Thing”.

DaMaris B. Hill is the author of “A Bound Woman Is a Dangerous Thing: The Incarceration of African American Women from Harriet Tubman to Sandra Bland” (2020 NAACP Image Award nominee for Outstanding Literary Work in Poetry), *The Fluid Boundaries of Suffrage and Jim Crow: Staking Claims in the American Heartland*. Hill is an Associate Professor of Creative Writing at the University of Kentucky.