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FIRST OFF... Welcome to our first newsletter of 2008. Hope everyone enjoyed or at least survived the holidays. We're starting the year by adding a new feature to the back page called "Out and About" which will appear periodically and contain snapshots of our ever changing neighborhood. Submissions are welcome so if you see something that strikes you as funny, poignant, exciting or just pisses you off, take a shot and send it in. We'll take it from there. The election wheels are turnin', so it's looking like it's going to be an interesting year. Support your local vendors when you can, and keep the community strong, vital, and real.

SOURCE STUFF FOR JANUARY

INKJET REFILLS \$12.95
MOST MAJOR BRANDS

INFORMATION

Attn. Parkers: Alternate Parking is suspended:

- Jan. 1st Tues. New Year's Day
- Jan. 21st Monday Martin Luther King Jr's Day

• The Ninth Precinct Community Council Meeting will be held on Tues., January 15th, 7:00 pm @ 200 East 5th St. (cor. Cooper Sq. & 3rd Ave.) WWW.THE.NEWNINTHPRICINCT.ORG



• Friday, Jan. 18, from 6 - 8pm, Jazz at Lincoln Center will have a volunteer open house at the Columbus Circle location. (Bdwy at 60th St.) Contact Person: Patricia Bailey, Volunteer Coordinator, www.jazzatlincolncenter.org



• **BECAUSE PEOPLE ARE HUNGRY ALL YEAR ROUND...**
Help out by contributing to our ongoing food drive to benefit Middle Collegiate Church Food Program. Bring your canned goods to our store. Thanks

COMMUNITY NEWS

GET LISTED! UPCOMING EVENTS, GIGS, ITEMS OF SPECIAL INTEREST...

To submit, Stop by our store @ 331 E. 9th Street OR e-mail us at santo@sourceunltd.com

Submissions must be received by January 28th. Inclusion subject to space availability.

- **Harper's Magazine...** presents John Edgar Wideman reading from and discussing his new novel, *FANON* (Houghton Mifflin). The reading will be followed by a reception and book signing, Tues, January 22 at 7:00pm, @ Used Book Cafe, 126 Crosby Street, 212-334-3324
- **FALL WORKSHOP READING...** Students from Patricia Spears Jones', Todd Colby's and Rachel Levitsky's fall poetry workshops will share their work. Friday, Jan. 18th at 10pm, @ Poetry Project, 131 E. 10th St. (corner of 2nd Ave), Call (212) 674-0910 www.poetryproject.com
- **JAPANESE NEW YEAR'S FAIR...** includes performances, rice cake making, arts and crafts, and a silent auction. Sunday, Jan. 20th, 1:00 - 5:00pm @ The 14th Street Y, 344 East 14th Street Info: 212-780-0800
- **WBAI PRESENTS...** hosted by WBAI radio's David Rothenberg. David will chat with theater and film historian Foster Hirsch, author of *Otto Preminger; The Man Who Would Be King*, and others at this special event which will be broadcast on his Saturday program. Jan. 29th, 6pm-8pm @ Strand Books, 12th St. and Broadway. Info: 212-473-1452 www.strandbooks.com/calendar
- **FIRST TIME SKATER?...** Coaches are available for free skating lessons during Citi Coaching Sessions. No advance reservations required. Friday, Jan. 11, 5- 7pm, @ The Pond in Bryant Park, 42nd St. & 6th Ave.
- **MICHAEL LYDON and Friends...** with: Ellen Mandel, piano, Curtis Fowlkes, trombone, Dave Hofstra, bass, Rudy Lawless, drums, plus singer Pamela Bob and Steve "The Whistler" Herbst, Tues., Jan. 22, 8:30pm, @ Cornelia Street Cafe, 29 Cornelia St (west of 6th Ave off Bleecker) Reservations: 212 989-9319
- **WU STYLE TAI CHI CHUAN: MINI FORM...** Tai Chi Chuan is practiced the world over for health & fitness. With its small movements & emphasis on healing, it is a Tai Chi form for everyone. The entire Mini form will be taught in this one-day workshop. Open to all students. Sun. Jan. 27, Noon, Taoist Arts Center. 342 E. 9th St., (212) 477-7055 www.taoist-arts.com
- **FREE SALSA PRACTICE PARTIES...** Soho Dance Studio hosts free salsa practice parties for you to practice new and/or old dance moves. Great music, great people, lots of fun. This is a great way to get your feet wet in the world of salsa social dancing. Every Tues. & Thurs. at 9:30 pm, starting Tues. Jan. 8th. @ Soho Dance Studio, 598 Broadway (@ Houston St.), 6th fl. Call 212-226-6767. **DISCOUNT!** New students mention *The Source Letter* & receive a 1/2 hour private lesson and 1 hour orientation class for only \$20!

GUEST COLUMN OF THE MONTH

This Month... Out and About 

Out and About



BOWERY NYC 2008

Satch's Corner Where you can read about some good cd's, books and videos



"Satch" drawing by Sara Hauser

BOB DYLAN -- SAVED This is another of those mid to late 70's releases, along with "*Slow Train Coming*" and "*Shot of Love*" that focus on the gospel sound when Dylan "went Christian", and it's got a few gems on it. With a trio of back up singers and a smokin' band, this disc testifies AND rocks. The standouts include "Saved", "Covenant Woman" and a sweet ballad, "What Can I Do For You?" The sound is raw , alive and quite convincing. An overlooked gem. I give it 3 bones.
"See you next time on the corner...."

You can buy this disc at: www.thesourceunltd.com

Closing Statement: "It is easier to prevent bad habits than to break them." -unknown