

Virtual Kukuza Fest Event Launches to Amplify Black Entertainers in Children's Music

There is a lack in children's music. Music ignites all areas of development & skills needed for school readiness, but WEE Nation Radio intends to fill the gap!

WASHINGTON, DC, UNITED STATES, September 4, 2020 /EINPresswire.com/ -- WEE Nation Radio warmly invites you to join in the celebration as they launch their first-ever Kukuza Fest, a live virtual streaming concert to celebrate Black artists in the Family Music industry.

Kukuza Fest is a free two-day virtual star-studded concert event taking place on September 19th-20th 2020, created by WEE Nation founder Devin Walker and organized by the Family Music Forward group, a grassroots committee of artists dedicated to

Amplifying Black Artists in Family Music
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Kukuza Fest A Virtual Children's Music Event

dismantling racial bias in the music industry. Kukuza Fest will stream directly on the WEE Nation Radio Facebook page

The word "Kukuza" means "amplify" in Swahili and Kukuza Fest aims to amplify Black voices while combating the racial inequity that cuts across many segments of society, including Family Music. Hosted by Emmy winner Markette Sheppard and Durham, NC Council Member (and musician) Pierce Freelon. Kukuza will feature some of the most culturally impactful and critically acclaimed entertainers of our time. Featured entertainers include the Grammy Hall of Fame's Billy Davis Jr. and Marilyn McCoo of 5th Dimension, NAACP Image Award-winner Erika Alexander, and many other notable names in Hip Hop, Jazz and more.

Devin Walker, the WEE Nation Radio founder, stated, "There is an area of opportunity for more diversity in culturally relevant music for kids. We are elevating and amplifying traditionally marginalized Black voices, and ensuring the family music community is diverse and inclusive for all. We need community control of the music our children listen to and through WEE Nation



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Devin Walker, Wee Nation Radio Founder Radio we are taking back control. We provide childappropriate and self-affirming music that will enhance children's social and cultural development."

Although this is their first virtual music event, WEE Nation Radio has had many collaborative projects under their belt since their inception and look forward to expanding their digital reach.

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About WEE Nation Radio

Watoto is the Swahili word for "children". As such, Watoto Entertainment & Education keeps the education of future generations as the primary focus. WEE Nation Radio provides ageappropriate family music which culturally affirms and nurtures. WEE Nation Radio is created by award-winning Drumcussionist, Uncle Devin. He is the host of Uncle Devin's WEE Nation Radio syndicated radio show on WPFW 89.3 FM in Washington, DC and is also the former host of a children's music education program on Radio One.

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