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HAPPY NEW YEAR! ~ NEW DCTV COURSES NOW OPEN!

*MLK DAY - Monday, January 19 - DCTV Production open 10 am - 6 pm. Other departments closed.
INAUGURATION DAY - Tuesday, January 20, 2009 - DCTV will be CLOSED.*

Thank you for making the the DCTV



William Brown Rutherford tickles the ivories at the Open House

Holiday Open House on December 18 a success! At dctvonline.tv, you can watch a sampling of the video messages created by DCTV

members and community residents that night. The videos reflect perspectives on change. They will air on DCTV Comcast 95/RCN 10 in the program CHANGE 2009. See the program highlights page in this Blip for airdates and times.

**DCTV BOARD OF DIRECTORS
NOMINATION NOTICE**

If you are interested in suggesting candidates to be considered for nomination to the DCTV Board of Directors, please contact Tonya Gonzalez at DCTV by February 15. Contact her at 202-526-7007 ext. 104 or at tgonzalez@dctvonline.tv.

NEW COURSES AVAILABLE NOW

DCTV's training program has been revamped to serve our community even better! Members can get certified to produce programming at our facility in less time.

Our revised class structure begins with the all-new DCTV101 class. DCTV101 is required for new members who want to be Active DCTV Members -- eligible to take our certification courses and eligible to submit programs for telecast. This is a FREE one-session class, and it will be offered twice each month on varying weeknights, from 7 to 9 PM.

Producing, another new course, is the keystone of our new training approach. We're excited about this

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DCTV PROGRAM SCHEDULE:

December 29, 2008 through February 1, 2009

NEW DCTV COURSES!

NEW & IMPROVED DCTV COURSES, continued

comprehensive class that results in a completed production (with both studio and field elements) for each member who successfully participates! Over five weeknight sessions, in addition to edit sessions and possible additional team production work, participants will learn to articulate a creative vision and drive the production process, weigh creative choices, and they will practice vital skills such as interviewing subjects and managing a crew. Producing class participants will have a built-in crew of participants from our technical courses!

Our more familiar course options, Field Technician, Studio Technician, & Basic Editing, have been upgraded.

These courses are no longer locked into one specific night of the week, so check the schedule to see what is available to you. And there's a new Saturday option for those who want to learn all three: By popular demand, DCTV is unveiling an intensive Field, Studio and Editing course that meets on Saturdays.

Learn all aspects of our studio production, field production and editing curriculum and complete a studio production that includes edited field segments. The Saturday Intensive meets over five Saturdays from 11 AM – 4 PM. The prerequisite for this course is that you have successfully

completed the Producing course or that you are taking Producing simultaneously.

We highly encourage all currently certified members to take the condensed version of the new Producing course. This is a FREE one-session opportunity to refresh skills and get newly acquainted with upgrades at DCTV.

The next cycle of DCTV courses kicks off this month. Visit the DCTV website, www.dctvonline.tv and click on "Training," to read course descriptions and specific schedules. ALL REGISTRATIONS MUST OCCUR IN PERSON AT DCTV. You may call DCTV at 202-526-7007, to check course availability.

Question of the Month

"What does CHANGE mean to you?"

Visit www.dctvonline.tv to share your written message of change and to watch video messages taped at the DCTV Open House!

JANUARY 2009 PROGRAMMING HIGHLIGHTS

In December, DCTV invited the public into its studios for an Open House. We taped your individual messages about change, and about your hopes for 2009 and the history-making events it will bring.

The result is **CHANGE 2009**, a powerful program that airs on **DCTV Comcast 95/RCN10** throughout January. The airdates and times are listed below. Preview clips can be viewed at www.dctvonline.tv!

You can still share your perspectives on change via our **Question of the Month**, also available at the **DCTV** website.

Comcast 95/RCN10

Thu	1/01/09	6:30 PM	Tue	1/20/09	2:00 PM
Sat	1/03/09	10:30 PM	Tue	1/20/09	8:30 PM
Tue	1/06/09	12:30 PM	Tue	1/20/09	10:30 PM
Wed	1/07/09	9:00 PM	Wed	1/21/09	12:30 PM
Sun	1/11/09	10:30 PM	Wed	1/21/09	3:00 PM
Tue	1/13/09	5:00 PM	Tue	1/27/09	5:00 PM
Wed	1/14/09	10:00 PM	Wed	1/28/09	11:30 AM
Sat	1/17/09	6:00 PM	Thu	1/29/09	10:00 PM
Tue	1/20/09	12:00 PM			

You can now find DCTV's programming schedule in

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