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 "WOMEN'S HISTORY MONTH" SALUTE TO  
 UPTOWN WOMEN BUSINESS OWNERS

These are the faces behind some of the uptown businesses owned and co-owned by women. Some have owned businesses uptown for more than 20 years. Others are new and have opened businesses in the past couple of years. All are providing products, services and jobs to the uptown community, in spite of the current challenging economic conditions. The Harlem News Group, Inc and AT&T brought these women together for a day of networking and for a photo shoot so the community could see some of the faces behind the businesses in the communi-

ty. What all of these women want and deserve is your business. They have restaurants, lounges and nightclubs, boutiques, a bike shop, tour companies, hair salons, an eyewear company, a bike shop, cosmetics, printing services, an animal hospital, realty companies, catering services, tee shirts, intimate apparel, uniforms, financial services, interior design and clutter services, etc.

Uptown residents and visitors now have a huge selection of businesses providing the products and services they are looking for and many are owned by women. So go shopping.



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*This is an annual event. If you are a woman who owns or co-owns a business above 96th St to 171st St, email us with your information today so that we may invite you to participate in our "Women's History Month" event in 2012.*

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# AT&T COMMITTED TO UPTOWN SMALL BUSINESSES AND THE COMMUNITY

By Peter Cooper

AT&T co-sponsored the March 17th, 2011 Harlem News Group "Women's History Month" Uptown Women Business Owners event at the Adam Clayton Powell Building. AT&T has proven to be fully committed to women and small business success, and has not only pledged its support for the uptown community but is following through with action.

Currently increasing (expanding and enhancing the uptown mobile broadband network) and working alongside many great organizations and causes, such as the Harlem Chamber of Commerce, Harlem Children's Zone, and Let's Get Ready (which provides hands on college advice and services for low income, first generation students). This company extends far beyond just a technology service but meets the human side through philanthropy by embracing the love of humanity. AT&T's Area Manager (from 71st and Broadway to 181st and St. Nicholas Ave.) Tamma Tindley sees Harlem News Group as a "main vein of the uptown community" and acknowledges AT&T's proud commitment to diversity.

With roots dating back to 1876 when Alexander Graham Bell invented the telephone, AT&T has a rich and deep history within the United States, and presently pledges its support and focus on not only an international level but a local level as well. In a February meeting spurred from an invitation by the Greater Harlem Chamber of Commerce, AT&T's Northeast Regional president Steve Hodges pledged his company's commitment to

the Harlem Community. AT&T's uptown coverage has been greatly improved with the addition of spectrum to many cell sites in Harlem; resulting in fewer dropped calls and better overall mobile broadband performance. Hodges also announced free AT&T Wi-Fi service for all wireless users attending Harlem Week from July 31-August 31, 2011. Fully committed to small businesses, AT&T offers special services including free consultations, discounted rates, and tailored plans to help make small businesses more efficient and effective. With an employee composition of 40% female and 38% people of color as of 2009, AT&T is proud of its diverse culture and is proud to commemorate "Women's History Month" and the values deeply rooted in our uptown community.

On the subject of technology and Verizon's recent acquisition of the iPhone, AT&T welcomes competition between the two companies. AT&T's spokeswoman Ellen Webner expressed some major advantages when using the iPhone with AT&T. Customers can simultaneously talk and surf the web, have access to the fastest mobile broadband data network in the country, and far outnumbers global international coverage for its customers. On another present national subject, if AT&T's \$39 billion dollar bid to buy T-Mobile is successful this will also enhance coverage by adding 1,000 cell sites in New York City alone as well as bring this German-owned company into the hands of American ownership.

With technology aside, Ms. Tindley states, "It is not just about selling phones, it is



Clement Ezeanii Store Manager at AT&T 81 W 125th St.; AT&T STAFF: Yelin Fernandez, Oswald Wilson, Narlene Pacheco, Quenna Moore, Jonsi Smith; Tammy Tindley, AT&T Area Manager Uptown NYC, Pat Stevenson, Publisher & CEO, Harlem News Group, Inc.

about educating our community." With a major AT&T store located at 81 W 125th St., a new store opening in Washington Heights in June, upgraded service, and a committed relationship

with the Harlem News Group and community services, AT&T has uptown covered.

# UPTOWN WOMEN BUSINESS OWNERS NETWORKING AT WOMEN'S HISTORY MONTH EVENT

By Pat Stevenson

More than 50 uptown women business owners came out for the annual Harlem News Group, Inc. Women's History Month promotion honoring Uptown Women Business Owners by bringing them together for a day of networking and a photo shoot to promote their businesses. The event took place in the second floor art gallery of the Adam Clayton Powell State Office Building. The day kicked-off early at 8:30am when Dr. Bob Lee of WBLS joined the group for a "What's for Breakfast" shout out on the Steve Harvey morning show. Debbie Jackson of Hal Jackson's Sunday Classics on WBLS, joined the group to show off her photography exhibit

which was on display in the Art Gallery during the event. Mr. Willie Walker, OGS Manager, of the Adam Clayton Powell Office Building was on hand to offer support to the many uptown women business owners.

Melba's on 125th, a new restaurant in the Adam Clayton Powell State Office building provided the continental breakfast which was available during the morning. Each woman posed for an individual photo. After which there was a group photo. In the interim the women were networking with each other and each was given the opportunity to introduce themselves and their company and upcoming events to the group.

AT&T introduced the women to their mobil products and services. AT&T also provided a bag of goodies and presented a Motorola Bluetooth Headset as the grand prize raffle item which was won by Eugenia Foxworth of Foxworth Realty. A raffle was held with gifts presented by most of the women with their products and services.

Quenia Abreu, president of the Women Chamber of Commerce introduced the services and benefits of membership in the group. Sabrina Brice, Manager of City National Bank introduced the bank's products and services for business owners.

After the photo shoot the group headed to Gran Piatto D'oro restaurant, located on 5th Avenue, corner of 117th Street for lunch. The keynote speaker for lunch was Princess Jenkins of the Brownstone, who gave an aspiring talk about what it takes to be successful in business.

*I want to personally thank all the women who attended the event. Being a woman business owner, I am pleased to present this event on an annual basis to show the faces behind many of the businesses in our community who are providing products, services and jobs in the the community - Pat Stevenson*

Photos by Seitu Oronde



(l-r) WBLS Bob Lee; Debbie Jackson of the WBLS Hal Jackson Sunday Classics; Willie Walke, OGS Mgr.ACP State Office Building; Pat Stevenson



Each business owner had the opportunity to introduce herself to the participants, to promote her business and to promote any upcoming event or promotion.



(l-r) Tammy Tindley, AT&T; Chitra Disai, I Love Harlem; Pat Stevenson, Harlem News Group



Group shots taken at luncheon held at Gran Piatto D'oro restaurant located on Fifth Avenue @ 117th Street



Quenia Abreu, President, Women's Chamber of Commerce



Sabrina Brice Manager City National Bank



(l-r) Tammy Tindley, AT&T; Eugenia Foxworth, Foxworth

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