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Our History

The New Journal and Guide is Virginia's oldest Black weekly newspaper and part of what makes Norfolk great. Now celebrating more than 100 years of continuous publication, we are a proud member of the African American Press comprising some 300 newspapers across the nation.

Begun in Norfolk in 1900 by the Supreme Lodge Knights of Gideon, a Black fraternal order, it was originally called the Gideon Safe Guide. The name later was changed to the Lodge Norfolk and Guide, and from 1910 to 1991, it was called both the Norfolk Journal and Guide and the Journal and Guide. Since 1991, it has been called the New Journal and Guide.

The New Journal and Guide and other Black newspapers are considered an institution in the African American community because our mission is to mirror the society we serve. The lens through which we view the world not only records history as it is happening, but gives meaning to events as they relate to being Black in America.

By the time World War II was underway, the Journal and Guide was the largest Black employer in the South. Circulation soared to over 100,000 and the paper was the only one south of the Mason Dixon line to carry a national edition. It won four consecutive Wendell Wilkie awards for outstanding journalism. Along with the Chicago Defender, the Baltimore Afro-American and the Pittsburgh Courier, the Journal and Guide took the lead in informing the Black community on events as they related to such issues as housing and job discrimination among Black soldiers. At that time, the Guide ranked fourth in circulation among Black newspapers in the United States.

The New Journal and Guide upholds a long-standing tradition and mission as an advocate for the African American community. It is a wholly Black-owned and operated business, providing jobs and opportunities in the fields of journalism, business administration and management.

Many persons have made outstanding contributions to the continuing publication of the Journal and Guide tradition, notably, P.B. Young, Sr. (the founding publisher who served more than 50 years and for whom a Norfolk public housing community is named), Thomas Young, P.B. Young, Jr., Bernard Young, Southall Bass, John Q. Jordan, John Hinton, Dr. Milton A. Reid, and Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett.

The New Journal and Guide publishes each Thursday and has a readership that extends throughout the United States and abroad. We report news and information at the local, state, national and international levels that affect the African American community. Our main distribution area is Hampton Roads, Va.

The current publisher and owner is Brenda H. Andrews, who is also the company president.







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The New Journal and Guide is Hampton Roads' oldest most widely read and most respected weekly source of information. Our paper is a broadsheet and is published each Thursday. We are especially proud of our 100-plus-year-old legacy as a Hampton Roads institution.

When you read our paper, you will know that this is a medium seeking to inform, enhance, encourage, and inspire the community we serve to move ahead, in spite of the odds. We place a special emphasis on local concerns and features. We are well aware of the competitive business environment. We believe advertisers should get the highest return possible on their advertising dollar when targeting Hampton Roads' Black Consumer Market. The New Journal and Guide has a weekly circulation of Approximately 15,000 and the paper stays in the home a full seven days. With the pass around factor, our paper is seen by an estimated 30,000 people each week.

We feature special editions and supplements to the New Journal and Guide throughout the year. We kick off the year with a special edition saluting Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. During February and March, we salute Black History Month and Black Press Month. Our Minority Business Supplement in October is also a popular edition designed to get our advertisers' messages to the target audience.

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OVERVIEW

COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT: We take pride in being an active part of our community. We lend support to our organizations and provide a number of free services for our audiences, such as free publication of their church news, social news and area news hotline. Our newsroom staff volunteers during the summer to tutor reading and math to area children. We provide a Speaker's Bureau which is available free of charge to community groups.

POLITICAL INVOLVEMENT: We take an active role in the political process. We encourage participation in the political process among our audiences, and try to present the issues in a manner that relates to their concerns with emphasis on how it affects them so they can make a clear decisions.

CHURCH AFFILIATION: The Black newspaper was born out of the Black Church, and gospel music has been the root of the Black experience; thus, our very existence is connected into that of the church. Weekly, we have a religious page that encompasses the Southside as well as the Peninsula and features religious columns, news items and church services.

SOCIAL ISSUES: Major issues directly affecting the Black community are also of prime concern to us. What the social clubs, the civic and community groups and individuals are doing to support America's system of freedom and justice is important to our readers. The motto of the New Journal and Guide is: "Dedicated to the cause of the people...no good cause shall lack a champion and evil shall not thrive unopposed."

2025 New Journal and Guide Rate Sheet

The New Journal and Guide is published weekly on Thursday.

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HALF PAGE

 $(10.125\text{"}w\ x\ 21\text{"}h)$

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per col in...\$21.63

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National - \$2725.65

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3.3 inches/2 col

6.7 inches/4 col 10.125 inches/6 col

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Horizontal 10.125"w x 10.5"h

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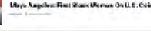




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Viewership

NJG's Digital AD buys is our youngest component to a 122year old company. Within 2yrs we were able to rank in popular search engining and quickly attract tens of thousands unique views per month. We constantly explore new tools and common methods such as SEO (Search Engine Optimization)so that our content can be easily found on the World Wide Web.

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Weekly: \$200.00 Month: \$750.00

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