

Gifford Youth Orchestra's 2025



Black History Month Program



When: February 8th at 1:00 pm

Where: Gifford Community Center

4855 43rd Avenue, Gifford, Florida 32967

Info: 772-213-3007 - https://gyotigers.org

Free !!

Donations
Accepted

Refreshments
Served

Recognition Of Education Pioneers Who Changed The Future

Joe Idlette, Jr., Lawrence Trapp, Godfrey Gipson, Dr. A. Ron Hudson, Ruby Bridges,

And The GYO Story About the Gifford Tigers Logo

With a special presentation by Dr. Paul Minotty about Dr. David Kearney McDonogh's Visions, dreams, persistence and Early African American Civil Rights.

Instead of the usual focus on African American inventions, music compositions, or other arts usually featured in Black History Programs, Saturday's presentation weaves together the music from GYO students with the social justice history of some of the Gifford Heroes who made it possible for Black, Brown, and White children to attend school in Indian River County.

The Gifford Youth Orchestra presents its 2025 Annual Black History Program

PowerPoint Presentation created by Founder and Artistic Director, Rev. Dr. Crystal Bujol,

With GYO Musicians and the 2025 Readers:

Casey Lunceford, Jane Burton, Jack Stiefel,

Lynn DiMenna, Tammy Broxton Brown, and Alan Forster.