

## **Timers**

**A few years ago (1999) an organization was started in the Bay area, called Timers one of the purposes of the group was Prison Reform, to aide prisoners in adjusting to life after their release from prison. To support the children and youth by being role models and starting varies outreach programs. One of those programs was the annual Black Family Reunion Day, which was held every August a community event sponsored by the inmates and their families as well as the Timers.**

**Many members of this organization were Black Panther Party members whom are still carrying on the legacy of the BPP. One program I liked is the Free Bike Program, which was giving hundreds of bikes away to children and youth people. These bikes were donated and put together by inmates from San Quentin and other prisons, giving back to the community. Over the years the Black Family Day has even been held in East Palo Alto, they have giveaway hundreds of bags of food to the community as well.**

**Good Work and A job well done.**