

## The Peale, Baltimore

*Out of the Blocks* Storytelling Series

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Alan Blanks ([00:01](#)):

My name is Alan Blanks, Blanks Hair Care Center, 4716 Liberty Heights Avenue. My establishment started back in the 80s, and we've been thriving ever since.