

BLACK HISTORY MONTH 2017

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- FEB. 2** LUNCH AND LEARN: HISTORY OF SPRINGFIELD'S BLACK COMMUNITY
 Time: 12:30-1:30pm
 Location: MRC Annex
 Refreshments provided
 Guest Speaker: Wes Pratt, Assistant to the President, Chief Diversity Officer
- FEB. 3** MSU VOICE FACULTY RECITAL DR. RICHARD TODD PAYNE
 Time: 5:30pm
 Location: Grace United Methodist Church
 600 S. Jefferson Ave.
 Free admission
 Sponsored by the MSU Music Department and Grace United Methodist Church.
- FEB. 4** "MEET AND GREET CELEBRATION: SHOW & TELL MIXER, CONNECTING WITH MILLENNIAL YOUTH AND FAMILIES IN A TITLE 1 COMMUNITY"
 Time: 1:00-2:30 pm
 Location: Midtown Carnegie Branch Library
 397 E. Central St.
 Free admission
 Sponsored by the Springfield-Greene County Library District.
 Contact: Kathleen O'Dell at 417/616-0564 or kathleeno@thelibrary.org.
- FEB. 6** DINE AND DISCUSS: SELF-SUSTAINABLE BLACK COMMUNITIES
 Time: 5:30-6:30pm
 Location: MRC Annex
 Refreshments provided
 Guest Speaker: Mark Dixon, Executive Director
 Bartley-Decatur Neighborhood Center
- FEB. 8** "AIN'T I A WOMAN?: FEMALE SLAVES IN THE PLANTATION SOUTH" BY DEBORAH GRAY WHITE BOOK DISCUSSION
 Time: 1:30pm
 Location: Fair Grove Branch Library
 81 S. Orchard Blvd.
 Free admission
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- FEB. 8** SOUTHSIDE WITH YOU MOVIE VIEWING AND DISCUSSION
 Time: 8:00pm
 Location: PSU Theater
 Free food and admission
 Guest Speaker: Hasani Pettiford, Author and Co-Founder of Couples Academy
- FEB. 9** LUNCH AND LEARN: GIVE ME MY CREDIT, WIDENING THE SCOPE OF #BLM MOVEMENT
 Time: 1:30-2:30pm
 Location: MRC Annex
 Refreshments provided
- FEB. 12** "SUNDAY CONCERT SERIES" LIVE MUSIC BY THE FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY/QUEEN CITY SOUND
 Time: 2:00pm
 Location: Library Center Auditorium
 4653 S. Campbell Ave.
 Free admission
 Sponsored by the Springfield-Greene County Library District.
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- FEB. 13** "13" DOCUMENTARY SHOWING
 Time: 5:30pm
 Location: MRC Annex
 Refreshments provided
- FEB. 16** UNITY PRAYER BREAKFAST
 Time: 7:30-9:00am
 Location: PSU Ballroom East
 Free admission
 RSVP with your plans to attend, by February 8th to TRIO@missouristate.edu or call 417-836-6220.
- FEB. 16** LUNCH AND LEARN: BLACK AND THE CONSTITUTION
 Time: 1:30-2:30pm
 Location: MRC Annex
 Refreshments provided
 Guest Speaker: Dr. Jamaïne Abidogun, Professor of History & MSED Program Coordinator
- FEB. 16** THE BLACK JOURNEY
 Time: TBA
 Location: TBA
 Sponsored by Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc.
 Contact Chevalier Moye at Demetrius370@live.missouristate.edu
- FEB. 17** A NIGHT OF ART AND SOUL
 Time: 7:00pm
 Location: PSU room 400
 Refreshments provided
- FEB. 18** "CAN YOU DIG THIS" DOCUMENTARY SCREENING
 Time: 1:00-3:30 pm
 Location: Midtown Carnegie Branch Library
 397 E. Central St.
 Free admission
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- FEB. 23** SHATTERING THE SILENCES: TRAUMA AND HEALING IN THE DIASPORA
 Time: 4:00-6:00pm
 Location: PSU Theater
- FEB. 24** AFRICAN AMERICAN READ-IN "PICTURE YOURSELF IN BOOKS"
 Time: 7:00-8:30 pm
 Location: Springfield Art Museum
 1111 Brookside Drive
 Free admission
 Sponsored by the Springfield African American Read-In Committee.
 Contact: Dr. Grace Jackson-Brown at 417/836-4547 or GJackson-Brown@Missouristate.edu.
- FEB. 25** BLACK HISTORY MONTH BANQUET AND FASHION SHOW
 Time: 6:00pm
 Location: PSU Grand Ballroom
 Free admission, tickets required for entry
 Tickets will be available in the PSU Feb. 10-24
- FEB. 27** KEYNOTE SPEAKER: BEN SANDERS III
 "Race, Law Enforcement, and Faith-Based Racism"
 Date: February 27
 Time: 7:00pm
 Location: MSU Welcome Center
- FEB. 28** KEYNOTE SPEAKER: BEN SANDERS III
 Lunch and Learn: "Black Theology and BLM"
 Date: February 28
 Time: 12:30pm - 1:30pm
 Location: MRC Annex
 Free pizza and drinks

Contact: MulticulturalPrograms@MissouriState.edu or call (417) 836-8921

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