

**BLACK HISTORY  
MONTH EVENTS  
2024**



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**February 1 - 29**

**Black Artifacts Display**  
9am - 5pm, Peconic 100

**February 5 - 9 & 19-28**

**Black Artists Display**  
Featuring Black artists that have contributed to the development of this country.  
9am - 5pm, Babylon Student Center, Nook

**Wednesday, February 7**

**The Lively Arts Presents**  
**Unbought** - A musical theater piece, featuring the dramatic stories of African American women in history: Ida B. Wells, Sally Hemmings, and Shirley Chisholm.  
11am, Sagtikos - Van Nostrand Theatre

**Unspoken History**

Join Carol Gordon of Unspoken History Treasures for her display and discussions on Resistance during Enslavement and her outstanding collection of Artifacts.  
12 - 2pm, Peconic Cafe

**Thursday, February 8**

**Afro Latinos: An Untaught History**  
Afro-Latino Matinee Movie  
3:30 - 5:30pm, Peconic 100

**February 12 & 13**

**African American Art Display**  
Local Artist Donna Elmore will have her artwork on display for all to enjoy and explore. Donna's artwork depicts African American activities and customs.  
9am - 5pm, Peconic Café

**Wednesday, February 14**

**Love Yourself-Move Yourself!**  
Join SCCC Alumnus and fitness instructor Elijah Coleman in a 2 part program of loving yourself through movement. Part 1- work the whole body in a 30 minute Dance-Fitness-Fusion class. Students will have an opportunity to perform the final product in TikTok video challenge (optional). Part 2- learn a physical and visual approach for understanding Chakras and its individual power. Dress for movement. Appreciation gifts will be given to all students who attend.  
12:30 - 2pm, Babylon Student Center, MGR  
ZOOM: Meeting ID: 899 4448 5015  
Passcode: Move

**Friday, February 16**

**Exploring African Diaspora Through Cuisine.** What is the African Diaspora and how does it relate to the Black experience and culture? This question will be explored through visiting and sampling food at restaurants specializing in Haitian, Caribbean and Soul food. Transportation will be provided but space is limited. The trip cost is \$15. Please send an email to batchim@sunysuffolk.edu to express your interest and get further details.  
10am - 5pm

**Wednesday, February 21**

**Reflect, Heal & Celebrate**  
3D Dance Studio presents a program that explores African American history through dance, song and spoken word.  
11am - 12:15pm,  
Sagtikos, Van Nostrand Theater

**Unspoken History Treasures**

Join local historian and curator of one of the largest local collections of black artifacts, Carol Gordon as she shares various artifacts. Unspoken History Treasures is the only traveling museum on Long Island with an extensive collection of African American artifacts, dating back several centuries to the present.  
11:15 - 1:45pm, Babylon Student Center,  
Mildred Green Room

**Black Jeopardy!**

Prepare to test your knowledge and celebrate the vibrant tapestry of Black history at our Black History Jeopardy event. Let's play and honor the past, present, and future. The top 3 contestants will win free tickets to the Broadway Show- "The Wiz". Featuring game show host James Banks  
12:30 -1:45pm, Peconic Café

**Thursday, February 22**

**African American Lit Read-In**  
Students, faculty, and staff are invited to bring poetry or short piece by your favorite African-American authors to share with the group. Light breakfast and refreshments will be served on a first come, first served basis. Co-sponsored with the English Department  
11am -12:15pm, Captree 114

**From Street Art to Public Art**

Contemporary Installation Artist, Leon Reid IV will share his career trajectory from street artist to public artist. Students will also participate in a workshop on how to develop sketches for a public art installation.  
12:30 - 2:30pm, Sagtikos 145  
Co-sponsored with the Art Club and the Arts and Humanities Department

**Friday, February 23**

**Tri-Campus Black History Month Trip**  
Students will be able to explore financial literacy as well as the rich legacy of the incomparable Jackie Robinson in this trip to Manhattan. We will visit the business sector of Manhattan as well as the Jackie Robinson Museum. Please visit Office of Campus Activities to complete necessary travel forms and submit student deposit of \$10 to reserve a spot.  
9am - 4pm.

**Saturday, February 24**

**Trip to Black History Museums Nassau/Southampton**  
Join us for an immersive experience that celebrates the remarkable achievements, struggles, and contributions of the Black community as we visit a Black history museum. Lunch will be at Chick-Fil-A To sign up, visit Campus Activities Peconic 122.  
12pm departure time

**Wednesday, February 28**

**Black History Month Closing Program**  
Join us as we conclude another month of celebration of the Black experience and culture. Program will include DJ, 360 Photo booth, crafts, and more!  
11:30am - 2pm, Babylon Student Center, Cafeteria



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