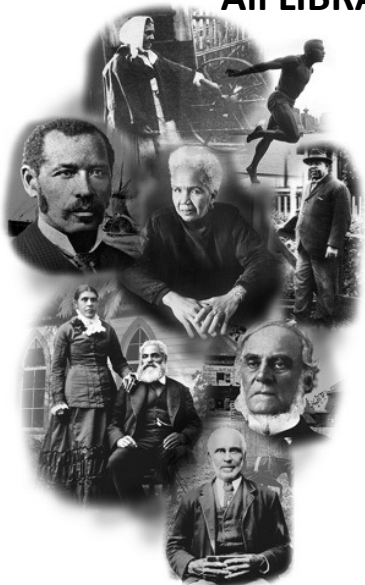


Black History Month 2015

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Saturday
JAN 31

BC Black History Month Starts with Displays at the Central Library

Celebrate the beginning of Black History Month with displays, drumming, and delicious African food.

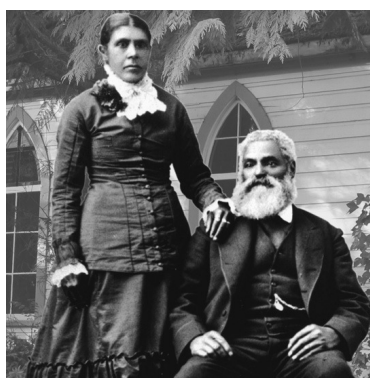
11:00 am–3:00 pm
735 Broughton St.

The BC Black History Awareness Society, the African Caribbean

Cultural Society and the African Heritage Association will all be available to showcase their displays, talk about upcoming events, and answer any questions you may have. Everyone is welcome.

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2:00 pm
Esquimalt Library
1231 Esquimalt Road.

Saturday
FEB 21

BC Black History Presentation by Karen Hoshal

A descendant of the Alexander Pioneer Family shares stories and information on her personal ancestors and other BC Black Pioneers.



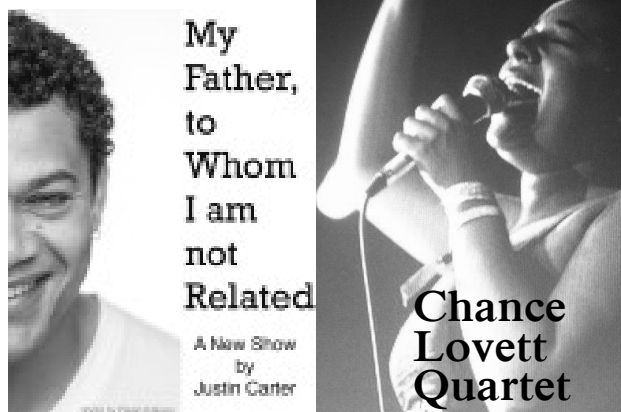
2-3:30 pm, Rain or shine.
\$5/person. \$2 OCS, BCBHAS members. Meet in front of Oregano's, Fairfield Village.
1-1516 Fairfield Rd.

Sunday
FEB 22

Ross Bay Cemetery Tour

A guided tour of the graves of many Black pioneers of long-ago Victoria by Valin Marshall and John Adams.

An Evening of Story telling, Gospel, Jazz, Blues



Monday
FEB 23

Justin Carter presents a new one man show, "My Father To Whom I Am Not Related". His artistic endeavours include acting, comedy, food, music and film.

The Chance Lovett Quartet features vocalist Chance Lovett, Nicholas Mintenko (Bass), Sean Thompson (Drums), and Dakota Hoepfner (Keyboard).

Belfry Theatre 7:00 pm (Doors Open 6:00 pm)
1291 Gladstone Ave 250-385-6815 Admission by Donation



2:30–4:00 pm
Central Saanich Library
1209 Clarke Road,
Brentwood Bay

Saturday
FEB 7

The Underground Railroad Presentation by Ron Nicholson

"Adam's Journey to the Promised Land" describes the UGRR and the journey of an actual Underground Railroad traveller as told by a fourth generation descendant.

BC Black History & Heritage Day

Sunday
FEB 15

Featured Speaker 2 pm:

John Lutz: associate professor in History at UVic will present the work of Grafton Tyler Brown, the first documented professional graphic artist on the west coast in the early 1880s.

1:30 – 4:30 pm
James Bay New Horizons
234 Menzies St. By Donation



5:30 – 8:30 pm
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New Horizons Centre
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Saturday
FEB 28

The Black History Month Community Recognition Awards Ceremony

This event is presented by Victoria African & Caribbean Cultural Society. A Light Dinner will be served.

After the Award Ceremony, people are invited to join the Closing Party at the Copper Owl: 1900 Douglas Street (19+) From 9:30 to 2:00 am. Cover: \$10

For more information: www.bcblackhistory.ca