Black History Month

Untold Truths: A Great Mighty Walk

Black History Month Kick Off
Feb. 3 • Noon • LSC 228
Join us as we kick-off the month with spoken word and music over dessert as we proclaim February 2014 Black History Month in the City of Fort Collins with the City’s Mayor!

Breaking Away Play
Feb. 3 • 7-10 p.m. • LSC North Ballroom
Relive a historical event that took place after the 1908 Democratic National Convention in Denver! The Negro National Anti-Taft League rallied to develop a strategic plan. A collaboration between black and white Republicans was also known then as the “Nigger Party”.

REAL Talk
Feb. 4 • 4 p.m. • BAACC Office
Join us as we discuss the Jim Crow era and Civil Rights movement. Ever wonder how the Black community lived during the Jim Crow era? How black separatism and assimilation differ? What were some of the strategies implemented in the civil rights movement?

Hoodwinked: Misconceptions of The Black Man
Feb. 6 • 6 p.m. • LSC 228
Film Director Janks Morton will speak about his film Hoodwinked, an in depth exploration of how the over-exaggerated negative depictions and statistics about African Americans has debilitating effects on Black Identity.

REAL Talk
Feb. 11 • 4 p.m. • BAACC Office
Affirmative Action: did it advance or hinder African Americans? Let’s discuss how Affirmative Action came about and its truths and myths!

REAL Talk
Feb. 11 • 7-9 p.m. • LSC North Ballroom
The memoir In Search of My Father is Shade’s first work. Come hear her speak about her experiences, journey, embarrassing mistakes, and the wisdom she gathered along the way.

Shade Ashani
Feb. 11 • 7-9 p.m. • LSC North Ballroom

Dare You to Move with LZ Granderson
Feb. 20 • 7-9 p.m. • LSC Theatre
LZ Granderson is an American journalist and commentator for CNN and ESPN. “Dare You to Move,” will cover a variety of topics including his personal upbringing in Detroit and his experiences as an openly gay man working in the sports industry today.

REAL Talk
Feb. 18 • 4 p.m. • BAACC Office
Slave Mentality: Are we in a new state of slavery?

Hair Show
Feb. 23 • 6 p.m. • LSC Theatre
Watch models strut their stuff as they highlight the transformation of African American hair over the last century.

REAL Talk
Feb. 25 • 4 p.m. • BAACC Office
Did the assassination of our Black Leaders of the 50s & 60s affect our current and future black leaders? Who are they...where are they?

Soul Food Junkies
Feb. 23 • 5 p.m. • Cherokee Park Room
Adrian Miller takes us on a journey where Southern Food ends and Soul Food begins via an engaging short-documentary, discussion and ending with an opportunity to indulge.

Terry McMillan
Feb. 26 • 7-9 p.m. • LSC North Ballroom
New York Times #1 bestselling author Terry McMillan shares her inspiration and personal journey behind her books, including Waiting to Exhale and How Stella Got Her Groove Back.

Shade Ashani
Feb. 25 • 7-9 p.m. • LSC North Ballroom

Pillow Talk
Feb. 26 • 9 p.m. • BAACC Office
Ladies of CSU come enjoy a night of fellowship, fun, and food as New York Times #1 bestselling author Terry McMillan shares her inspiration behind her book “Who Asked You?” in a ladies only intimate setting. Contact Bridgette Johnson for more details and to RSVP (by Feb. 14th) at bridgette.johnson@colostate.edu or 970-491-5781.

Express Yourself
Feb. 26 • 6:30 p.m. • Parmelee Hall
Your artistic expression via open mic open stage, hosted by Nico Moore staring you! Sign up by calling the Black/African American Cultural Center 970.491.5781 up to ensure a spot by February 21st or come ready to perform on the spot!

REAL Talk
Feb. 25 • 9 p.m. • Parmelee Hall
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Black/African American Studies Scholars: A Colloquium Featuring CSU Researchers
Feb. 4, Feb. 10, Feb. 18, Feb. 24
Noon-1 p.m. (Mondays) 12:30-1:30 p.m. (Tuesdays) - Morgan Library Event Hall
Feed your mind with Colorado State University Libraries in an exciting brown bag series that will highlight eight scholars on campus who are researching topics in Black/African American Studies. Two researchers will be featured at each brown bag session. Coffee and tea will be provided. Free and open to the public.

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