



BLACK HISTORY MONTH EVENTS

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LONDON BLACK HISTORY COORDINATING COMMITTEE



CELEBRATE CANADA 150: FLOWERS & THORNS **JAN 26**

A Dramatic Presentation by Jason Rip

Friday, January 26
7:00pm
Wolf Performance Hall, 251 Dundas St

Flowers and Thorns, a play written by London playwright, Jason Rip, is about six Black Canadian women and their contributions to the History of Canada. Many thanks to the London Community Foundation and to Wolf Performance Hall for their support of this initiative by The Congress of Black Women, London Chapter.

Tickets: \$18.00 in advance, \$20.00 at the door. Call the Wolf Box Office at 519-661-5120 or use Ticketfly.com

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BLACK HISTORY MONTH FAMILY CELEBRATION **FEB 10**

Saturday, February 10
10am-1pm
Children's Museum, 21 Wharncliffe Rd S

Drop by the Children's Museum to participate in our Black History Month Family Celebration! Interactive workshops, activities and performances for the whole family.

Tickets: Regular Children's Museum admission fees apply, \$8 per adult, \$8 per child 2 years and up, \$2.50 per child 12-23 months plus HST.

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LEWIS CORAY TRAILBLAZER AWARD FOR YOUTH **FEB 23**

FREE!

February 23, 2018
6:00pm
London Police Services, 601 Dundas St

In honour of Retired Sgt. Lewis Coray, this award recognizes high school youth from African, Caribbean and Black Canadian Communities. The winner and all applicants will be honoured during the London Police Service Black History Month event which includes a keynote speaker.

Contact: diversityofficer@police.london.ca

FOOD FESTIVAL **FREE!** **FEB 16**

Friday, February 16
5:30-9pm
Trinity United Church Community Centre, 76 Doulton St. (Doulton at Hale)

Africa is a vast continent and its traditional dishes vary greatly from one region to another. In Africa, cooking rhymes with hospitality and sharing. A meal is not just food : it represents a chance to meet and mingle. Join us on Friday February 16th, and we will take you on a journey through the kitchens from East Africa and from Central Africa.

Contact: ethnoculturelle@crlondon.on.ca

CLOSING GALA **FEB 25**

Sunday, February 25
Doors open 1pm, Gala 2-4pm, Reception 4-6pm
Central Library, Wolf Performance Hall, 251 Dundas St

Join us for an entertaining line-up of dance, song, spoken word, history and more. Reception, including food and drinks, to follow. Presented by the London Black History Coordinating Committee in partnership with London Public Library.

Tickets available for purchase at the door or at other Black History Month events during the month of February. Tickets are \$15 for adults and \$5 for children (12 and under).

Contact: megan.paquette@lpl.ca

OPENING CELEBRATION **FEB 3**

FREE!

Saturday, February 3
1-4pm
Museum London, 421 Ridout Street North

Cultural groups showcasing their roots, art and crafts as well as services providers that African, Caribbean and Black communities can benefit from. Panel Presentation, Beechnut Steel Drum Performance, Music, Poetry/Spoken Word and Delicious Food.

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2017 BLACK COMMUNITY ACHIEVEMENT AWARD - Call for Nominees

The London Black History Coordinating Committee will recognize two deserving members of our community, (one male and one female) based on their past and/or present service and contribution to the community, both in the Black community and the community at large.

Forms available online: <https://goo.gl/X4o8SQ>

Contact: info@lbhcc.ca

Would you like to promote your Black History month event?

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