

THEME: BLACK RESISTANCE



By resisting, Black people have achieved triumphs, successes, and progress as seen with the end of chattel slavery, the dismantling of Jim and Jane Crow segregation in the South, increased political representation at all levels of government, desegregation of educational institutions, the passage of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, the opening of the Smithsonian National Museum of African American History in DC, and increased and diverse representation of Black experiences in media. Black resistance strategies have served as a model for every other social movement thus, the legacy and importance of these actions cannot be understated.

Community Events

Saturday, February 4, 2023, at 7 PM

Film: "Lowndes County and the Road to Black Power"

Sam Pollard & Geeta Gandbhir, directors

The story of young organizers who fought for voting rights after the Voting Rights Act of 1965 and for Black power in rural Alabama.

Presented in partnership with the Woods Hole Film Festival

WHOI Redfield Auditorium, 45 Water Street, Woods Hole, MA

Wednesday, February 8, 2023, at 12:15 PM

Virtual Event: "Love as a Movement"

Jeneé Osterheldt

The creator of *A Beautiful Resistance*, a *Boston Globe* production to celebrate Black joy and Black lives will discuss the transformative power of love.

Zoom link available at: woodsholediversity.org/bhm2023

Thursday, February 16, 2023, at 7 PM

Author Event: "Exploring Race & Redemption through Fiction"

Ousmane K. Power-Greene, PhD

Program Director of Africana Studies/Associate Professor of History at Clark University and author of *The Confessions of Matthew Strong*.

Presented as part of the Falmouth Academy Community Series

FA's Simon Center for the Arts, 7 Highfield Drive, Falmouth, MA

Thursday, February 24, 2023, at 12 PM

Virtual Event: "The Extraordinary Achievement of Black Segregated Schools"

Daniel Black, PhD

Professor of African American Studies at Clark Atlanta University and author of several nationally-acclaimed novels, Dr. Black will discuss the evolution of public education for Black children in America

Zoom link available at: woodsholediversity.org/bhm2023

woodsholediversity.org/bhm2023

2023 BLACK HISTORY MONTH