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Black History Month - February 2024

February is Black History Month, an annual celebration of the achievements and contributions of Black Americans and a time to recognize the central role of Black history in American history. The 2024 theme, "African Americans and the Arts," explores the influence of Black Americans in literature, visual and performing arts, music, fashion, culinary arts and more.

Here in the Columbus area, there are many ways to celebrate and participate.

Experience Columbus offers [this list](#) of opportunities, from pop-up concerts and history tours to a listing of Black-owned businesses and even a library exhibit on the history of Black firefighters in Columbus.

Register [here](#) for a free Community Gathering & Conversation on Feb. 10 at the King Arts Complex, featuring community resources, health check-ups, dance and poetry performances, and lunch. And click [here](#) to watch a Columbus City Council video announcement about the city's Black History celebration event and Poindexter Award ceremony, set for Feb. 16 at the Lincoln Theater.

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