



CELEBRATING  
BLACK HISTORY  
MONTH  
2023



## ABOUT BLACK HISTORY MONTH 2023

The United States observes Black History Month in February as a month-long celebration honoring the contributions made by Black Americans. "From activists and civil rights pioneers such as Harriet Tubman, Sojourner Truth, Marcus Garvey, Martin Luther King Jr., Malcolm X, and Rosa Parks to leaders in the industry, politics, science, culture, and more."

This year the theme for Black History Month 2023 is "Black Resistance." The theme was selected to acknowledge how "African Americans have resisted historic and ongoing oppression, in all forms, especially the racial terrorism of lynching, racial pogroms, and police killings." We take this month to acknowledge the past and present contributions of black (African Americans) and their accomplishments in this county.

Sources - [www.history.com](http://www.history.com)

### UPCOMING EVENTS



#### [The Cambridge Black History Project Honors Black Trailblazers](#)

**Where:** Cambridge Public Library

**When:** Thursday, January 26th, 6:00 pm - 8:30 pm

[www.finditcambridge.org/events/cambridge-black-history-project-honors-black-trailblazers](http://www.finditcambridge.org/events/cambridge-black-history-project-honors-black-trailblazers)



#### [Black History Month at New York Public Library](#)

**Where:** The New York Public Library

**When:** Throughout February

For more info., please visit: [www.nypl.org/events/blackhistorymonth](http://www.nypl.org/events/blackhistorymonth)



#### [Through the African American Lens: Afrofuturism: The Origin Story – A Smithsonian Channel Documentary](#)

**Where:** Concourse, Oprah Winfrey Theater. The National Museum of African American History and Culture.

**When:** Wednesday, February 8, 7:00 pm to 9:00 pm

<https://nmaahc.si.edu/events/>

[www.inspirationzonellc.com](http://www.inspirationzonellc.com)

