

The Black Excellence Collaborative (BEC) presents: **On The Black Hand Side**, a celebration of culture.



2023 BLACK HISTORY MONTH

Black College Expo

Saturday, Jan. 28 | 10 a.m. – 3 p.m. | L.A. Convention Center
Stop by our booth at the Black College Expo.

Black History Month Mixer

Tuesday, Jan. 31 | 11 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. | Santa Barbara Building
Stop by our official Black History Month kick-off event. Music by DJ Antonio “Nio” Lavermon.

All Black Everything Silent Party

Wednesday, Feb. 8 | 11 a.m. - 3 p.m.

Falcon Square (PAC outdoor stage)

Bring your best dance moves to our silent party featuring the best in Hip-Hop, R&B, Pop, Reggae, Latin, and more. We'll see you dressed in all black.

Engineering Our Future

Wednesday, Feb. 15 | 11:30 a.m. – 1 p.m. | Student Center

Sponsored by: Human Resources

Cerritos College President Dr. Jose Fierro will join a conversation with Mr. Kenneth A. Brown, Board President of El Camino College, for a dialogue about possible ways to Engineer Our Future through equity, inclusion, and diversity. Lunch will be provided by the Cerritos College Culinary Arts program.

Young, Black, Gifted, and Deaf

Thursday, Feb. 16 | 5 p.m. | Fine Arts 134

Sponsored by: Student Accessibility Services (SAS)

Don't miss this exciting discussion with Keyla (a dancer) and Darionna (a make-up artist) on their experiences being young, black, gifted, and deaf.

Celebrate Hip Hop at 50 **POSTPONED**

Monday, Feb. 20 | 10 a.m. - 3 p.m. | Student Center

Co-Sponsored by: Associated Students of Cerritos College (ASCC)

The award-winning Black History 101 Mobile Museum brings historical material spanning over five decades of hip-hop culture covering Africa to Jim Crow.

Bars in Black Open Mic

Monday, Feb. 27 | 5 p.m. | Fine Arts 133

Get on the mic with your favorite poem, literature, or rap lyrics.

Black Healing through Sound

Tuesday, Feb. 28 | 11 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

Liberal Arts 103

Sponsored by: Umoja Success Program

Our Circle of Support will incorporate the ancient practice of using sound as a means of therapy and healing.

