

CELEBRATE
Black History Month 2026
 AT THE LONG ISLAND STATE PARKS

A century of Black History Commemorations



Displays can be viewed throughout the month of February at the following locations:

LI STATE PARKS HEADQUARTERS

Headquarters Lobby

Monday - Friday, 10:00am - 4:00pm, (631) 321-3510

HEMPSTEAD LAKE STATE PARK

Environmental Ed. & Resiliency Center
 Daily, 9:00am - 3:30pm, (516) 766-1029

PLANTING FIELDS ARBORETUM

Hoffman Conference Center
 Daily, 10:00am - 4:00pm, (516) 922-8600

NISSEQUOGUE RIVER STATE PARK

Charles & Helen Reichert Admin Building
 Daily, 8:00am - 4:00pm, (631) 269-4927

JONES BEACH STATE PARK

Administration Building
 Daily, 7:00am - 4:30pm, (516) 785-1600

JONES BEACH ENERGY & NATURE CENTER

Center Lobby
 Daily, 9:00am - 4:30pm, (516) 809-8222

LI State Parks Environmental Education
 Black History Month Programs:

CONNETQUOT RIVER STATE PARK PRESERVE

Black History Space Explorers
 Sat. Feb. 7th, 5:45pm - 8:00pm

NISSEQUOGUE RIVER STATE PARK

Jean-Michel Basquiat Art Program
 Sun. Feb. 15th, 10:30am - 12:00pm

HERITAGE CLUB AT BETHPAGE STATE PARK

"Black Experiences in the Revolutionary War" with
 guest speaker Lavada Nahon (Lenox Room)
 Sun. Feb. 22nd, 1:30pm - 3:00pm

HEMPSTEAD LAKE STATE PARK

Art in the Park: Alma Thomas
 Sat. Feb. 7th, 11:00am - 12:30pm

Art in the Park: Charles McGee
 Sat. Feb. 21st, 11:00am - 12:30pm

For more information on the above programs, please call
 (516) 689-3844. To register for the above programs, please visit
www.eventbrite.com/o/nys-parks-long-island-environmental-education-33908178297

JONES BEACH ENERGY & NATURE CENTER

Black History Workshops:

Storytime Corner: Black History Month
 (Ages 8 & under)

Sat. Feb. 7th, 11:00am - 12:00pm

Black History in Exploration
 (All ages)

Sat. Feb. 28th, 2:00pm - 3:00pm

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 (516) 809-8222. To register for the above programs, please
 visit www.jonesbeachenc.org/programs



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