# CELEBRALE **BLACK HISTORY MONTH**

# **GEE'S BEND QUILT EXPLORATIONS**

All Ages / Celebrate Black History Month exploring the art and history of the quilts of Gee's Bend.

**Aberdeen Library** 

February 1-28 Library hours

# **ALFRED B. HILTON: HARFORD'S AFRICAN** AMERICAN MEDAL OF HONOR RECIPIENT (F)

Adults / Fighting with the Union Army in 1864, Mr. Hilton was one of the first African-American men to receive the nation's highest military honor, the Medal of Honor. Presented by local historian, Jim Chrismer.

Joppa Library

Thursday, February 1

1:30-3:00 pm

# **OMEGA PSI PHI FRATERNITY BOOK DEDICATION**

Adults / Each February, members of the lota Nu chapter of the Omega Psi Phi Fraternity make a presentation of books to the library and host a speaker. This year, Peter Byrd, and his book, The Son of Seven Daughters: A 350-Year American Family Album, will be featured.

Havre de Grace Library

Saturday, February 3 10:30 am-noon

# **BOOKS ON TAP**

Adults / Bold titles, Refreshing Talk! The Underground Railroad by Colson Whitehead Please register: Books on Tap Meetup or at the Bel Air Library.

Sean Bolan's, 12 S Main St, Bel Air, MD 21014 Tuesday, February 6 6:30-8:30 pm

# 7<sup>TH</sup> BLACK GOSPEL MUSIC EXPERIENCE

Family / Local gospel choirs and soloists will bring the sounds and history of Black Gospel Learn about its roots and its place in the African American Community of today. Performances will be at the Cultural Center at the Opera House across from the Havre de Grace library.

Havre de Grace Library

Tuesday, Febrauary 6 6:30-8:30 pm

### **BOOKED FOR LUNCH** (F) Adults

Let's do lunch and enjoy a midday discussion of Hidden Figures by Margot Lee Shetterly.

**Edgewood Library** 

Wednesday, February 7 noon-1:00 pm

# **VIRTUAL REALITY FIELD TRIP WITH GOOGLE EXPEDITIONS! @ Family**

Explore Black History Month with a guided virtual reality field trip using Google **Expeditions!** 

**Aberdeen Library** 

2:00 pm-3:00 pm Saturday, February 17

# SCIENCE CLUB: AFRICAN AMERICAN INVENTORS @ (F)

Explore the science and innovations of African American scientists and inventors.

**Aberdeen Library** 

Wednesday, February 21 6:00 pm-7:00 pm

## NORRISVILLE BOOK DISCUSSION GROUP

Adults / The Immortal Life of Henrietta Lacks by Rebecca Skloot

**Norrisville Library** 

Monday, February 26 10:30-11:30 am

# FREDERICK DOUGLASS, HARRIET TUBMAN, AND FRANCIS HARPER: 19<sup>™</sup> CENTURY FREEDOM FIGHTERS

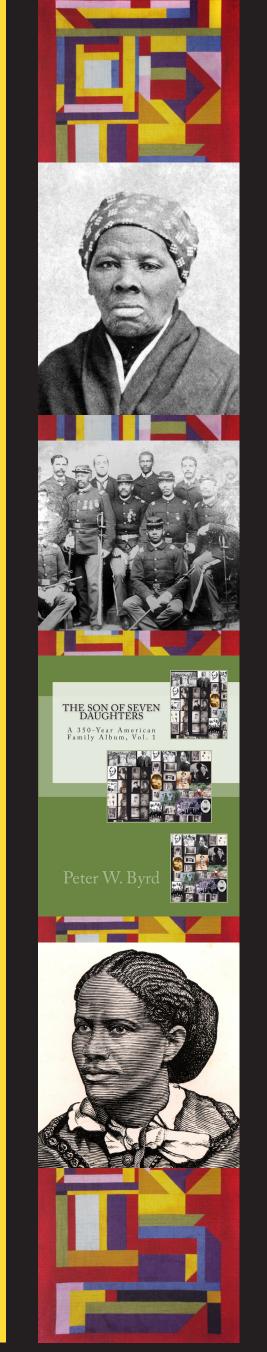
Adults / Join a guest presenter as we discuss the lives and accomplishments of Frederick Douglass, Harriet Tubman, and Francis Harper. Discover the lesser known stories behind these freedom fighters and gain an appreciation for the legacy of resistance and progressive reform they left behind.

**Edgewood Library** 

Wednesday, February 28 6:00-7:00 pm

**(F)** = Funded by the HCPL Friends

**(B)** = Registration required.





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