



BLACK HISTORY MONTH AT PECAN

7 – 30 OCTOBER 2025

We have a programme of events at Pecan to celebrate **Standing Firm in Power and Pride** within our community.

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WOMEN'S SERVICE (WOMEN ONLY TO ATTEND EVENTS)

Join us to celebrate Black History Month at Pecan's Women's Service at our Southwark Hub. For further details including our address, and attending events please email Alyssa at womenshubs@pecan.org.uk

CRAFT SESSION: AFRICAN FABRIC ART

Date: Tuesday 7 October, 10.30am-12.30pm

During our bi-weekly coffee morning we will launch our Black History Month events with an African fabric craft session creating collage postcards and artwork.



FILM SCREENING: SUMMER OF SOUL (2021, 1HR 58)

Date: Tuesday 14 October, 11am-2pm (from 12-1pm with a break between screening for food supplied by JB Rose)

Documentary about the legendary 1969 Harlem Cultural Festival which celebrated African-American music and culture and promoted Black pride and unity.

BLACK HISTORY MONTH TALK

Date: Tuesday 21 October, 10.30am-12.30pm

A collaborative talk with local historian Sabera Jaffers, on the theme of 'Standing Firm in Power and Pride'.



DRUMMING SESSION

Date: Thursday 23 October, 10.30am-12.30pm

An interactive drumming workshop with Lily May. Lily is a co-founder of Baque Luar who are a London-based collective of female and non-binary vocalists and percussionists from diverse backgrounds, united by their love of Brazilian and Afro-Brazilian roots music. Their music focuses on honouring feminine power and

creativity, acknowledging struggles against oppression and praising nature at this critical ecological moment. (max.number 20 women)

Email for a space: Alyssa: womenshubs@pecan.org.uk

SINGING SESSION WITH SOPHIE

Date: Tuesday 28 October, 10.30am-12.30pm

Join us at our coffee morning to sing some of our favourite songs together.



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TOGETHER CAFÉ

VENUE ADDRESS: 121A PECKHAM HIGH STREET, SE15 5SE

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For further details about events and attending, please email Vashti at:
together@pecan.org.uk

MUSEUM WITHOUT WALLS

Thursday 16 October | 11am-12.30pm

Reclaiming Caribbean Culinary Heritage: Our hosts Museumand will deliver a talk and food tasting session based on their year-long initiative rooted in the culinary heritage of the Caribbean.

Museumand is a Black female-led pioneering museum in the UK dedicated to celebrating Caribbean heritage, culture and social history.

CREATIVE WRITING WITH JB ROSE

Thursday 16 October | 1-3pm

A fun and interactive creative writing session with JB Rose.

COMMUNITY QUILT MAKING

Monday 20 October & 27 October | 1-3pm

This interactive session, inspired by the Peckham Peace Wall, invites participants to create individual fabric or card patches that reflect themes of pride, resilience, and heritage. These patches will be combined to form a collective quilt, which will be showcased and discussed during a community art event.

PHOTOGRAPHER'S TALK WITH IAN WATTS & HOSTED BY ZENA EDWARDS

Thursday 23 October | 11am-12.30pm

POETRY WORKSHOP "POETOGRAPHY" WITH ZENA EDWARDS

Thursday 23 October | 1-3pm

CREATIVITY THROUGH CONVERSATION WORKSHOP & QUIZ WITH NGOZI

Thursday 30 October | 1-3pm

Ngozi, founder of They Did I Can Too, returns to Pecan with her enlightening, thought-provoking, and fun interactive black history quiz. Ngozi will guide us through this year's celebration of the 150th anniversary of British composer and conductor Samuel Coleridge Taylor's birth.

The presentation and discussion will include learning more about Dr. Cecil Belfield Clarke, and the musician George Bridgetower.

