# BLACK HISTORY HISTORH

## **Teen Open Mic Night**

Date/Time: February 24, 4pm

Teens in grades 7–12 are invited to perform a piece inspired by a black leader of any kind (author, artist, musician, teacher, activist, etc.). Performances can include reciting poetry, reading excerpts, singing, dancing, describing artwork, acting, and more! Sign up to perform at bit.ly/FCPLBHM.

### **Teen Art Contest**

Entries accepted: February 8–26 Submission Deadline: February 26, 11:59pm

Calling all teen artists! Submit a piece of original art depicting important people, significant places, or meaningful moments in Black history for a chance to win an art store gift card! For details and guidelines visit bit.ly/FCPLBHM.

#### By Teens, For Teens: The Day Tajon Got Shot

#### Date/Time: February 22, 1pm

Meet three of the teen authors of the book The Day Tajon Got Shot—which explores what happens in a community when a black youth is the victim of violence by police—as they discuss their book, their writing process, and their motivation.





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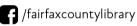


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