

What do we know about Black History in Alberta?

Challenging Discrimination through Community Conversations:
Celebrating the Black Community in Alberta for Black History Month.

With Guest Speakers

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Black history is 365 days a year

Black History Month is a time to expand our knowledge, look at what has happened in the last year and recommit to anti-racist action.



Uncovering Black history

It's a journey. In the past, many records were destroyed because Black history was not valued by the establishment. This means that there are gaps, especially in the written record. Even today race-based data is often withheld.

Oral histories matter

Oral histories provide a lot of information that cannot be found anywhere else. The Alberta Labour History website hosts numerous oral histories.



Effective allyship

As an ally, there is lots that you can do to support the Black community! Listen, learn, help bring change, share about events happening in your local community!

