Join us in our celebration of Black History Month

Saturday, February 7

STORYTELLING:

African American Lore

12:30 to 1:30 p.m., Heritage Court Join us to celebrate Black History Month with traditional and contemporary African American stories with Michael D. McCarty. Free with museum admission.

CHILDREN'S WORKSHOP:

African American Traditions

1:30 to 3:30 p.m., Heritage Court
Join us for a hands-on activity that
focuses on the rich history of the African
American experience and create colorful
Grigris, traditional good luck amulets.
Free with museum admission.

Saturday February 21

WELLS FARGO RADIO THEATER:

We Have No Home: The Story of John Horse and the Black Seminoles

4:30 and 7:30 p.m., Wells Fargo Theater

Hear the story of John Horse, an African American man born among the Seminole Indians of Southern Florida, and who pursued the goals of freedom and a homeland for runaway blacks. Experience "theater of the imagination" and see how live sound effects are created as actors play as many as four different characters during a show. As an audience member you, too, become part of the show, which will be broadcast later on FM 89.3 KPCC. Enjoy a reception with the cast and crew following the show. Admission is \$10 for members and \$15 for non-members. Reservations are suggested. For more information, please call: (213) 667-2000, x317. NOTE: Reservations will be released 10 minutes before show time.

Sunday February 22

WELLS FARGO WESTERN SERENADE: Howard Marshall, Jr.

12:30, 1:30 and 2:30 p.m., Heritage Court

African American spirituals. Free with museum admission.

Saturday February 28

LECTURE: Descendants of Nicodemus, Kansas

1 p.m., Wells Fargo Theater

Descendants of those who settled and lived in Nicodemus, Kansas will share their personal stories and family histories. Nicodemus was a Kansas town where many freed slaves settled after the Civil War. At the end of the Nineteenth Century, it was the largest all black township west of the Mississippi River. Admission is \$4 for members and \$5 for non-members. For more information, please call: (213) 667-2000, x317.

DEMONSTRATION: Investigate Your Heritage

2 to 4 p.m., Mary Pickford Education Center

If you have an interest in your genealogy, members of the California African American Genealogical Society will show you and your family how to prepare an ancestor chart. Free with museum admission.

FOR MORE INFORMATION: (213) 667-2000