



ORANGE COUNTY DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING JR. INITIATIVE 2025 CALENDAR OF EVENTS



The Orange County Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Initiative's mission is to promote Dr. King's Six Principles of Nonviolence year-round and celebrate his legacy through projects that encourage unity, diversity and connectivity.

JANUARY	
Orange County MLK Proclamation Presentation (County Commission)	January 7 - 9 a.m.
MLK General Membership Meeting	January 9 - 3:30 p.m.
Delta Xi Lambda Alpha Phi Alpha MLK Leadership Forum	January 16 - 7 p.m.
Annual MLK Commemorative Luncheon (Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Incorporated)	January 17 - 11 a.m.
Orlando Jaycees Annual Parade	January 18 - 10 a.m.
Annual City of Eatonville Parade	January 18 - 2 p.m.
Annual Pappy Kennedy Breakfast	January 20 - 7:30 a.m.
US Hunger MLK Day of Service	January 20 - 9 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.
Annual City of Apopka Parade	January 20 - 10 a.m.
Orange County Black History Month Proclamation Black History Committee of Orange County	January 28 - 9 a.m.
Annual Zora Neale Hurston Festival	January 29
Lunar New Year Begins	January 29

FEBRUARY	
MLK AA Renaissance Series (Part 1): "Pathways to the Law"	February 8 - 10 a.m.
MLK General Membership Meeting	February 13 - 3:30 p.m.
"Lineage + Legacy: Scott Joplin's Treemonisha" Orange County Regional History Center	February 20 - 6:30 p.m.
Black History Committee "Lunch on the Lawn"	February 23 - 11 a.m.
Central Florida Dragon Parade	February 25 - 11 a.m.

MARCH	
MLK Initiative Membership Meeting	March 13

APRIL	
MLK Initiative Membership Meeting	April 10
*Adults & Autism "MLK Initiative w/NonPareil Institute"	April 25

MAY	
Annual Asian Pacific American Heritage Month	May 1 - 31
Asian American Heritage Month Celebration	May 6 - 7:30 a.m.
MLK General Membership Meeting	May 8

JUNE	
MLK General Membership Meeting	June 12
Annual OC MLK Initiative Juneteenth Celebration	June 14 - 10 a.m.
Orange County BCC Juneteenth Proclamation Presentation	June 17 - Board Meeting

JULY	
MLK General Membership Meeting	July 10
OC MLK African American Renaissance Series - Part 2	TBD

AUGUST	
MLK General Membership Meeting	August 14
Community Engagement Project - "Back 2 School w/The Districts"	TBD

SEPTEMBER	
MLK General Membership Meeting	September 11
Hispanic Heritage Month Begins	September 15

OCTOBER	
MLK General Membership Meeting	October 9
Hispanic Heritage Month Ends	October 15

NOVEMBER	
MLK General Membership Meeting	November 13
Fusion Fest 2025	November 29 - December 1

DECEMBER	
MLK General Membership Meeting	December 11
End of Year Planning Begins	

Activities and Events are Subject to Change with Notice