

Liverpool Black History Month Event

Date: Sunday 27 October 2013

Title/Event: Toussaint Louverture: The Story of the Only Successful Slave Revolt in History. A Reading of Extracts

Description: First performance since 1936 of precursor to C.L.R. James's classic history of the Haitian revolution The Black Jacobins, which started life as a play with Paul Robeson in the lead.

Venue: The Bluecoat, Liverpool

(<http://www.thebluecoat.org.uk><<http://www.thebluecoat.org.uk/>>)

Nearest Train Station: Liverpool Lime Street

Time: 7.30pm

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Info: Tickets cost £5 (£4 concession) and can be bought at

<http://www.thebluecoat.org.uk/events/view/events/1747>

Date: Sunday 27–Monday 28 October 2013

Title/Event: The Black Jacobins Revisited: Rewriting History Conference

Description: To mark seventy-five years of C.L.R. James's pioneering anticolonial classic The Black Jacobins, which revolutionized the writing of colonial history, this workshop sheds new light on this underexplored foundational work.

Venue: International Slavery Museum, Liverpool

(<http://www.liverpoolmuseums.org.uk/ism/>) and The Bluecoat, Liverpool

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Nearest Train Station: Liverpool Lime Street

Time: All day Sunday and Monday, with evening performance on Sunday 27 October

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Info: Tickets cost: £60 (£45 for students/unwaged) for both days; £45 (£35 conc.) for one day. This fee will cover all catering costs, and also entrance to the performance of readings from the play Toussaint Louverture: The Story of the Only Successful Slave Revolt in History on Sunday 27 October. View full programme and buy tickets at:

<http://blackjacobins.brownpapertickets.com/>