



ORANGE COUNTY DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING JR. INITIATIVE

2026 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		JULY	
MLK General Membership Meeting	January 8 - 3:30 p.m.	MLK General Membership Meeting	July 9 - 3:30 p.m.
OC Annual MLK Proclamation Presentation	January 13 - 9:00 a.m.	AUGUST	
Annual MLK Commemorative Luncheon -APA	January 16 - 11:00 a.m.	MLK General Membership Meeting	August 13 - 3:30 p.m.
Orlando Jaycees Annual Parade	January 17 - 10:00 a.m.	Community Engagement Project - "Back 2 School w/County Districts"	TBD
Annual City of Eatonville Parade	January 17 - 2:00 p.m.	SEPTEMBER	
Annual Pappy Kennedy Breakfast	January 19 - 7:30 a.m.	MLK General Membership Meeting	September 10 - 3:30 p.m.
US Hunger MLK Day of Service	January 19 - 9:00 a.m.	Hispanic Heritage Month Begins	September 15
Annual Black History Month Proclamation	January 27 9:00 a.m.	OCTOBER	
Annual Zora Neale Hurston Festival	January 30-Feburary 1	MLK General Membership Meeting	October 8 - 3:30 p.m.
FEBRUARY		Hispanic Heritage Month Ends	October 15
MLK General Membership Meeting	February 12 - 3:30 p.m.	NOVEMBER	
MLK AA Renaissance (Part 1): Youth Series	February 28	MLK General Membership Meeting	TBD: November 12 - 3:30
Orange County Regional History Center	TBD	Fusion Fest 2025	November 29 - December 1
Black History Committee "Lunch on the Lawn"		DECEMBER	
MARCH		MLK General Membership Meeting	TBD: December 10 - 3:30
MLK Initiative Membership Meeting	March 12 - 3:30 p.m.		
MLK AA Renaissance (Part 2): Youth Series	March 28		
APRIL			
MLK Initiative Membership Meeting	April 9 - 3:30 p.m.		
MLK AA Renaissance (Part 3): Youth Series	April 18		
MAY			
Annual Asian Pacific American Heritage Month	May 1 -31		
Asian American Heritage Month Celebration	TBD		
MLK General Membership Meeting	May14 - 3:30 p.m.		
MLK AA Renaissance (Part 4): Youth Series	May 16		
JUNE			
MLK General Membership Meeting	June 11 - 3:30 p.m.		
OC BCC Juneteenth Proclamation Presentation	June 16 - 9:00 a.m.		
OC MLK Juneteenth Celebration	June 17		