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Hampton History Museum Hosts Virtual Book Launch, Film Premiere in February

Hampton, VA - The Hampton History Museum will host a virtual book launch and a film premiere for their February events. Tune in to Facebook Live on February 7 for a virtual talk by Christopher Newport University Professor Jonathan White for the launch of his new book, "A House Built by Slaves: African American Visitors to the Lincoln White House". Visit the museum between February 21-27 for the first viewing of "The Dixie 3: A Story on Civil Rights in Nursing."

[A House Built by Slaves: African American Visitors to the Lincoln White House](#) Monday, February 7, 7 p.m.

Join Christopher Newport University professor and author Jonathan White for the release of his latest book, "A House Built by Slaves: African American Visitors to the Lincoln White House." Hear about the relationship that developed between Abraham Lincoln and the Black community during the Civil War.

The book will be available for purchase in the gift shop for \$26. Hampton History Museum members receive a 10% discount. To reserve a copy, and have it signed by the author, call 757-727-6824.

[The Dixie 3: A Story on Civil Rights in Nursing](#) February 21-27

Visit the Great Hall for a free, week-long showing of "The Dixie 3: A Story on Civil Rights in Nursing." Produced and directed by local filmmaker, Denetra Hampton, the 35-minute film is based on the 1963 landmark civil rights case occurring at Dixie Hospital in Hampton, Virginia. "The Dixie 3" opens up dialogue about racism and bias in nursing, medicine and healthcare in a historical context.

For Nurses By Nurses Productions is partnering with the Hampton History Museum for its first viewing of the film. Accompanying the film showings will be a display of the

“behind-the-scenes” making of the film. The public can view the film throughout the day in the museum’s Great Hall from February 21 through February 27, Monday - Saturday 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m., Sunday, 1:00-5:00 p.m.

For more information, visit hamptonhistorymuseum.org.

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Partially bordered by the Hampton Roads harbor and Chesapeake Bay, Hampton, with the 344,000 sq. ft. Hampton Roads Convention Center and the award-winning Hampton Coliseum, is located in the center of Coastal Virginia and the Hampton Roads metropolitan area. Hampton is the site of America's first continuous English-speaking settlement, the site of the first arrival of Africans in English North America, and is home to such visitor attractions as the Virginia Air & Space Science Center, Fort Monroe National Monument, Hampton History Museum, Hampton University Museum, The American Theatre, among others.