

# Special Events

## OrisiRisi African Folklore

OrisiRisi Performing Arts Company is comprised of Don and Tutu Harrell. The Harrells have received worldwide acclaim for their unique African-rooted performances, which blend folklore, music and education. **(Family)**

**Saturday, February 4 @ 2 PM**  
Janaf Branch ~ 441-5660

**Tuesday, February 7 @ 5:45 PM**  
Little Creek Branch ~ 441-1751

**Saturday, February 11 @ 2 PM**  
Van Wyck Branch ~ 441-2844



## The Elliott Family String Quartet

A powerful display of musicianship; this talented ensemble performs a range of music, from contemporary selections to the classics. An event the entire family will enjoy! **(Family)**

**Saturday, February 4 @ 2 PM**  
Lafayette Branch ~ 441-2842

**Wednesday, February 15 @ 4 PM**  
Barron F. Black Branch ~ 441-5806

**Thursday, February 16 @ 6 PM**  
Larchmont Branch ~ 441-5335



## Listen to the Drumbeat Lecture and Exhibit

Curator Therbia Parker, Sr. presents a lecture about African American history and an artifacts exhibit that spans from the antebellum South to the days of Jim Crow. **(Family)**

**Thursday, February 9 @ 5 PM**  
Park Place Branch ~ 664-7330

**Saturday, February 18 @ 2 PM**  
H.C. Downing Branch ~ 441-1968

**Friday, February 24 @ 2:30 PM**  
Jordan-Newby Branch ~ 441-2843

**Saturday, February 25 @ 1 PM**  
Blyden Branch ~ 441-2852



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