The Woods Hole Community Black History Month Committee presents

Hallowed Grounds:
Sites of African American Memories

Monday, February 1

**Project Puffin: The Improbable Quest to Bring a Beloved Seabird Back to Egg Rock**

DERRICK Z. JACKSON  
Author, photographer, and contributing columnist at the *Boston Globe*  
Noon, MBL Swope Center, Meigs Room

Derrick Jackson has been a columnist and contributing columnist at the *Boston Globe* since 1988. He was a 2001 finalist for the Pulitzer Prize in commentary, a 9-time winner of writing awards from the National Association of Black Journalists. Derrick Jackson is also a photographer whose presidential campaign images of Barack Obama were exhibited in 2010 by Boston’s Museum of African American History. His images of Obama, wildlife and landscapes earned a 2013 exhibit at Harvard University’s Graduate School of Education.

*Signed copies of Derrick Jackson’s book, *Project Puffin: The Improbable Quest to Bring a Beloved Seabird Back to Egg Rock*, as well as photographs taken by Derrick will be available for purchase at this event.*

Thursday, February 18

**Woods Hole and Martha’s Vineyard: Civil Rights Front Line**

RICHARD TAYLOR  
Author, executive in residence, and director of the Center for Real Estate at the Sawyer Business School, Suffolk University  
Noon, MBL Swope Center, Meigs Room

Writing about African Americans who have made dreams come true, Richard Taylor is author of the forthcoming book, *Martha’s Vineyard: Race, Property, and the Power of Place*. He has written for the Dukes County Intelligencer, a publication of the Martha’s Vineyard Museum, an article entitled “A Shared Vineyard Vision: Harry Burleigh, Luella Coleman and the Rise of an African American Summer Colony.” This article is adapted from his upcoming book.

Thursday, February 25

**Harambee**

Join us in our annual ethnic potluck feast celebrating every one of every race! Enjoy multicultural arts, delicious food, and entertainment.  
4:00 PM, MBL Swope Center