The Symposium celebrates
Black Love with a week of events, including:

Sept. 11: “A Night at the Movies”
with Director Doug McHenry, Professor Kevin Willmott, and Dr. Nicole Hodges-Persley
6:30PM-8:30PM • Lawrence Public Library

Sept. 12: Screening • Pariah
with Dr. Robert Minor, Dr. Randal Jelks, and Dr. Katie Batza
6:00PM-8:00PM • Pine Room, Kansas Union

Sept. 14: Dr. Pamela Newkirk • Journalist
“A Love No Less: Recovering the Relics of African American Romance”
5:30PM-6:30PM • Spencer Museum of Art

Sept. 15: Dr. Mark Anthony Neal • Cultural Critic
“From ‘Tea Cake’ to ‘Hollywood’:
Hurston, Queen Sugar and When Black Masculinity is Grown”
9:00AM-10:00AM • The Commons, Spooner Hall

Sept. 15: Dr. Anthony Sparks • Writer/Producer
“Radical Love/Everyday Blackness:
Zora Neale Hurston and Her Televisual Descendants in the 21st Century”
7:30PM-8:30PM • Lawrence Arts Center

Sept. 16: Dr. Tera Hunter • Historian
“Black Love and Marriage in Bondage and Freedom”
9:00AM-10:00AM • The Commons, Spooner Hall

Sept. 18: Marathon Reading • Their Eyes Were Watching God
12:00PM-9:00PM • Various downtown Lawrence locations

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