



# FILM FESTIVAL

## BLACK PANTHER PARTY FOR SELF-DEFENSE

Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, October 3, 4, 5, 2012

The Black Panther Party was a progressive political organization that stood in the vanguard of the most powerful movement for social change in America since the Civil War: that dynamic episode generally referred to as The Sixties.

Join us as we honor the 46th Anniversary of the BBPSD with documentary film screenings, panel discussions featuring former members of the Los Angeles Chapter of the Panthers, and a Keynote Address by artist and former Black Panther Minister of Culture, Emory Douglas.



**Location: Sala de la Osa Room**  
In Satellite Student Union  
(corner Lassen St & Zelzah Ave—G9 on CSUN Map)

### SCHEDULE OF EVENTS:



#### WEDNESDAY, OCT 3:

- 8:15 am - *Legacy of Torture* screening & discussion
- 9:30 am - *Eyes on the Rainbow* screening & discussion
- 11:00 am - Keynote Address by Emory Douglas, Artist and Minister of Culture for BPPSD from 1967—1980s
- 1:00 pm - Students Perform: "Chimurenga," Spoken Word performed by Maya Singleton, followed by Open Mic
- 2:00 pm - *41st and Central* screening & discussion

#### THURSDAY, OCT 4:

- 11:00 am - *Passin' It On* screening & discussion
- 12:30 pm - *COINTELPRO 101* screening & discussion
- 2:00 pm - *Eyes on the Rainbow* screening & discussion

#### FRIDAY, OCT 5:

- 11:00 am - *41st and Central* screening & discussion
- 1:00 pm - Closing Thoughts, L.A. Panthers

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## Black Panther Film Festival begins

By **Carla Adelman**

October 3rd, 2012

Section: **News**

The 2012 Black Panther Party for Self-Defense Film Festival began today in the Satellite Student Union.

Hank Jones, former member of the Black Panther Party, introduced the film "Legacy of Torture, The War Against the Black Liberation Movement." Due to audio difficulties the movie was not shown and Jones answered questions for an hour.

During the 1960s and 1970s, Jones was incarcerated twice and said the New Orleans Police Department tortured eight Panthers until they had no choice but confess to what they did not do. In 1975, their case, having no evidence and torture involved, was thrown out. But then in 2003, the government relabeled them as "domestic terrorists." Finally in 2007, the courts vindicated them.

"What are you going to do about this? This is your world," Jones said. "The law should be for all people equally."

Jones and Emory Douglas, another former Black Panther who will be speaking during the event, travel around the nation speaking to young people to hopefully keep these atrocities from happening again.

The festival will continue on Thursday and Friday.

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## Black Panther Film Festival continues for second day

By [Julia Vazhenina](#)

October 4th, 2012

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Hank Jones, a former member of the Black Panther Party, tells students how he hopes the documentary "Passing It On" will inform them about the Civil Rights movement. Photo credit: Julia Vazhenina / Daily Sundial

[CSUN's Department of Pan African studies](#) held the second day of the 2012 Film Festival of the Black Panther Party for Self-Defense Thursday at the Satellite Student Union.

The festival was conducted in honor of the 46th Anniversary of the Black Panther Party with a screening of the documentary film "Passing it On" and a post-screening discussion with former member of the Black Panther Party, Hank Jones.

## Black Panther film festival wraps up on third day

By **Nathan McMahon**

October 5th, 2012

Section: **News**



Former Black Panther Party members address students and faculty at a Q&A following the screening of the documentary, *41st and Central: The Untold Story of the L.A. Black Panthers*. Photo credit: Nathan McMahon / Daily Sundial

The three-day Black Panther film festival wrapped up at the Satellite Student Union on campus Friday afternoon with a second screening of the documentary "41st and Central: The Untold Story of the L.A. Black Panthers."

Former Black Panther party member, Roland Freeman, introduced the film and gave context to it.