

Weaving a Nation

Nebraska Chautauqua | Norfolk 2024

Explore the lesser-known stories from our country's rich tapestry of backgrounds in commemoration of the upcoming 250th anniversary of the United States! Presented by Humanities Nebraska.

All events are free, family-friendly and open to the public.

PRE-CHAUTAUQUA EVENTS

July 17 at 10:00 a	Youth Reading Circle: <i>Sign of the Beaver</i> * (for kids ages 8-12)	at Norfolk Arts Center
July 17 at 4:00 p	Youth Film Series: <i>Sign of the Beaver</i> (all ages)	at Norfolk Public Library
July 23 at 6:30 p	The Plains Tribes and the Homestead Act	at Norfolk Public Library
July 24 at 10:00 a	Youth Reading Circle: <i>Sarah, Plain and Tall</i> * (for kids ages 8-12)	at Norfolk Arts Center
July 24 at 4:00 p	Youth Film Series: <i>Projectionist's Choice</i> (all ages)	at Norfolk Public Library
July 30 at 6:30 p	Pre-Chautauqua Book Discussion: <i>Rediscovering Turtle Island</i>	at Norfolk Public Library
July 31 at 10:00 a	Youth Reading Circle: <i>Sounder</i> * (for kids ages 8-12)	at Norfolk Arts Center
July 31 at 4:00 p	Youth Film Series: <i>Sounder</i> (all ages)	at Norfolk Public Library
August 1 at 10:00 a	Bucket Drum Class	at Northeast Community College (NCC)
August 1 at 6:30 p	Intro to Salsa Dancing Class	at Elkhorn Valley Museum

NEBRASKA CHAUTAUQUA EVENTS: AUGUST 2 & 3

August 2 at 12:00 p	<i>Rediscovering Turtle Island</i> talk with author Taylor Keen	at Norfolk Public Library
August 2 at 10:00a/1:30p	Youth Paper Weaving and Collage Class* (grades 5/6 or 7/8)	at Norfolk Public Library
August 2 at 6:15 p	An Evening with El Vaquero (plus music, dance, reception)	at NCC Cox Activity Center
August 3 at 9:30/10:30 a	Downtown Norfolk History Walking Tours	Meet at the McMill Building
August 3 at 9:00a-4:00p	Unraveling American History Breakout Sessions (see details on back)	at Norfolk Public Library
August 3 at 10:00a/1:30p	Free Form Weaving Class (ages 17-Adult)	at Elkhorn Valley Museum
August 3 at 6:30 p	An Evening with Abigail Adams and Chief Big Elk	at NCC Cox Activity Center

*Registration required

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SATURDAY, AUGUST 3, BREAKOUT SESSIONS AT NORFOLK PUBLIC LIBRARY

9:00 a	Women's Rights and the Saucy Mrs. Adams Presented by Jessica Downing-Ford	Room A
10:00 a	Storytelling in the Hispanic Tradition Presented by Linda Garcia	Room A
10:00 a	Nebraska: Weaving a State Presented by Sara Crook	Room B/C
11:00 a	Origins of American Cowboy Culture Presented by Angel Vigil	Room A
12:00 p	Lunch Break <i>(Food available for purchase at area restaurants)</i>	
1:00 p	Mexican-Americans in Nebraska Presented by José Garcia	Room A
1:00 p	Black Homesteaders on the Great Plains: Life Liberty and the Pursuit of Happiness Presented by Amber Kirkendall	Room B/C
2:00 p	The Legacy of Japanese Immigrants in Nebraska Presented by Vickie Schaepler	Room A
2:00 p	"Ins" and "Outs" of the Nebraska Hall of Fame Presented by Sara Crook	Room B/C
3:00 p	But, Who Lived Here in 1491? Indigenous Archeology in Nebraska Presented by Rob Bozell	Room A
3:00 p	Lewis & Clark: What Was Their Value Worth? Seaman, York, Sacagawea, & Pomp Stories Presented by Renae Hunt	Room B/C

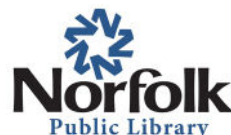
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