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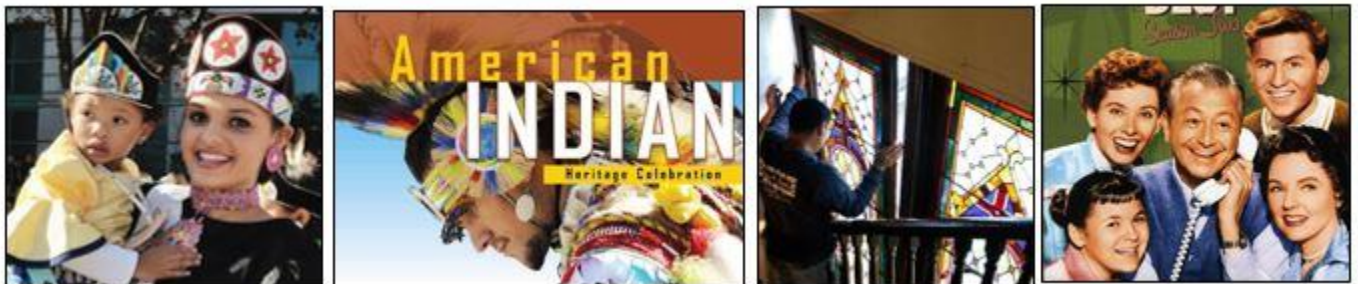
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**American Indian Celebration, Tiffany, Boomers, and More!  
NOVEMBER 2017 PROGRAMS AT THE NC MUSEUM OF HISTORY**



RALEIGH, N.C. — **It’s a TRADITION at the NC Museum of History, and it can be yours too:**

**join us for the 22nd Annual American Indian Heritage Celebration, Saturday, November 18, 11 a.m. to 4 p.m., and it’s all FREE!**

Celebrate the vitality of American Indian culture with musicians, dancers, artists, storytellers, crafts and authors from North Carolina’s eight state-recognized tribes. **This family event has been named a Top 20 Event by the Southeast Tourism Society.** The festival offers something for all ages and gives a firsthand opportunity to learn about the state’s American Indian culture (with a population of over 100,000), past and present.

**Louis Comfort TIFFANY**, one of the most creative glass designers in the late 1800s and early 1900s, declared that his lifelong goal was “the pursuit of beauty.” Experience this beauty in three ways:

- **See the Museum of History’s lobby-case exhibit *Louis C. Tiffany: Art and Innovation from the Wester Collection*** featuring famous stained-glass windows, vases, and lamps.
- **Hear Michael Strickland**, from Stained Glass Associates Inc., **speak on Saturday, November 4, at 2 p.m.** about the remarkable restoration of six Tiffany stained-glass windows at St. Paul AME Church in Raleigh.

- **Enjoy the beauty of these stunning windows from 1910 by walking** four blocks to St. Paul on Edenton Street with Michael Strickland as your guide.

**BABY BOOMERS and the American dream!** When World War II ended, most men came home to create a new American dream — a family with two kids, a dog, a car, and a home of their own. But television became the primary driver, and by 1964, 76 million boomers had been born into a new TV-influenced world.

Either you lived the dream, or you may wonder what the dream was all about. Come **hear Sandra Webbere**, manager of the NC Museum of History's Speakers Bureau, cover this absorbing topic at the museum's **History à la Carte (FREE) lunchtime program, Wednesday, November 8, noon to 1 p.m.**

## NOVEMBER PROGRAMS

### **First Fridays at the Museum**

Friday, November 3, 5-9 p.m. FREE

Come see a 25-year-old Mel Gibson in one of his first movies, [Gallipoli, at 6:30 p.m.](#) Then explore the exhibit [North Carolina and World War I.](#)

On our lobby level, the [Museum Shop](#) will be open, and beer samples from [Little City Brewing and Provisions Co.](#) will be available (while they last).

**Gallipoli description:** Two young track stars from Australia join troops to fight in World War I. The two face the brutal realities of war when they are sent to fight in the Gallipoli campaign in Turkey. *This is one in a monthly series of films meant to help interpret some of the scope and complexity of the Great War.*

### **Seeing the Big Picture**

Saturday, November 4, 2 p.m.

*Register for the program [here](#).*

**Speaker: Michael Strickland, Stained Glass Associates Inc.**

Strickland is helping restore the historic stained-glass windows of Raleigh's first African American church. After his talk at the museum, walk four blocks down Edenton Street to the church, where members will provide a tour of the beautiful windows.

\$7 per person; \$5 for MOHA/museum members. *A portion of proceeds will help continue window preservation at St. Paul AME Church in Raleigh.*

### **\*Get Your Greens On!**

Saturday, November 4, 1-3 p.m.

Leafy greens — like collards, kale, and cabbage — are staples of winter gardens in the South. Learn to identify, cook, and preserve these and other winter crops, as well as “greens in the wild” — like purslane, creasy greens, and watercress.

Support for *History of the Harvest* on Bicentennial Plaza is provided by the North Carolina Farm Bureau Federation Inc.

**Film Screening: Remarkable Journey: Founding the Asian Indian Community in North Carolina**

Sunday, November 5, 3 p.m. (FREE)

*Register for the program here.*

***Speaker: Steven Channing, Director and Coproducer***

Through lively first-person stories, this documentary and educational film project explores the pioneer generation of immigrants from India, people who are now our neighbors across North Carolina. These energetic newcomers, from one of the world’s great cultures, have helped fuel the expansion of opportunities in science and business in our region, while meeting the challenges of passing the “essence of India” on to their children.

***Remarkable Journey*** also portrays the deep multiculturalism that has allowed India to survive and grow over the past 5,000 years — in part, the story of Hindus, Muslims, Sikhs, Jains, Christians, Jews, and others, all living and working together, a vision that is often contrary to the conflict and bigotry faced in America.

***A panel discussion will follow the film screening.*** Presented with Video Dialog Inc. and the Southern Documentary Fund.

**\*Time for Tots: Early American Indian Life**

Tuesday, November 7, 10-10:45 a.m.                      Ages 3-5 (with adult)

*Register for the program here.*

\$5 per child; free for MOHA/museum members. For information, call 919-807-7979.

Learn about the lives of the first North Carolinians by handling objects, listening to stories, and making a paper turtle rattle to take home.

**This November 8 event is SOLD OUT. Thank you for your interest in Notable North Carolina Lecture Series!**

***Speaker: William E. King, PhD, University Archivist (Emeritus), Duke University***

King will follow the influential Duke family through four generations and share some of their many contributions to the Carolinas. He will also sign copies of *If Gargoyles Could Talk: Sketches of Duke University*, his own compilation of events and topics significant to the history of Duke University and higher education that he discovered in the university archives, following the presentation. Sponsored, in part, by the Raleigh News & Observer and Blue Cross and Blue Shield of North Carolina.

### **History à la Carte: Baby Boomers and the American Dream**

Wednesday, November 8, noon-1 p.m. FREE

Register for the program here and purchase a boxed lunch — or just bring your own. Beverages provided. For information, call 919-807-7969.

**Speaker: Sandra Webbere, NC Museum of History**

When World War II ended, most men came home to create a new American dream — a family with two kids, a dog, a car, and a home of their own. But television became the primary driver, and by 1964, 76 million boomers had been born into a new TV-influenced world.

*Before or after Webbere's program, make time to tour [The Boomer List](#) exhibition on your own.*

**The Boomer List: Photographs by Timothy Greenfield-Sanders** exhibit was developed by the Newseum — an interactive museum of news located in Washington, DC, and online at [newseum.org](#) — in collaboration with AARP, the exclusive sponsor of *The Boomer List* exhibit; this local presentation of *The Boomer List* was made possible by MOHA, the Museum of History Associates, and the Museum of History Foundation.

### **Young Associates Happy Hour**

Thursday, November 9, 6:30-9:30 p.m.

Meet up with Young Associates members at Neuse River Brewing Company for happy hour! Enjoy drinks, good company, raffles, and Baozi Food Truck. We'll also be offering half-price memberships: get yours now so you can save on Casino Night tickets!

For information, visit [ncmoha.com](#) or call 919-807-7847.

### **YES, we are open on Veterans Day**

Friday, November 10, and Saturday, November 11, 9 a.m.-5 p.m.

All exhibits are open, including [A Call to Arms](#) (our military history gallery), [Healing the Warrior's Heart Through Art](#), and the centennial exhibit [North Carolina and World War I](#).

*Healing the Warrior's Heart* was organized by the American Red Cross. Major supporters of the exhibit *North Carolina and World War I* are the NC Museum of History Foundation and MOHA, the Museum of History Associates.

**Note:** *A simulated battlefield environment — including bright lights, flashing lights, and loud noises — in the World War I exhibit may be disturbing to children or visitors with health concerns. In addition, some images may not be suitable for some visitors.*

### **\*Music of the Carolinas: Matthew Tooni**

Sunday, November 12, 3 p.m. FREE

Tooni, a member of the Eastern Band of the Cherokee Indians, uses ceremonial dances and a mix of traditional stories accompanied by flute to entertain audiences young and old.

**Free tickets for this concert are distributed while they last beginning at 2 p.m.**

Presented with [PineCone](#) and support from MOHA/museum members. Join [MOHA](#) before or after the concert — for half-price museum membership! In addition, enter our raffle for a prize from the Museum Shop (winner will be drawn at December's concert and need not be present).

### **\*22nd Annual American Indian Heritage Celebration**

Saturday, November 18, 11 a.m.-4 p.m.

Musicians, dancers, artists, storytellers, and authors from [North Carolina's eight state-recognized tribes](#) will gather for this popular family festival. Named a Top 20 Event by the [Southeast Tourism Society](#), the 22nd Annual American Indian Heritage Celebration offers something for all ages and presents an opportunity to find out more about the state's American Indian culture (with a population of [over 100,000](#)), past and present. Activities include craft demonstrations, hands-on activities, games, foods, and much more.

The museum is thrilled to announce that [Jana Mashonee](#), a two-time Grammy nominee and nine-time NAMA winner, will be our opening performer for the festival. Mashonee will perform from 11 to 11:45 a.m. After her performance, she will be available to sign autographs, as well as copies of her new book, *American Indian Story: The Adventures of Sha'kona*.

*Sponsored, in part, by the North Carolina Commission of Indian Affairs; by the City of Raleigh, based on recommendations of the Raleigh Arts Commission; by Blue Cross and Blue Shield of North Carolina; and by Food Lion, the United Arts Council of Raleigh and Wake County, IBM, the Triangle Native American Society, Locklear Roofing, and MOHA, the Museum of History Associates.*

*Come to the festival and join the museum today to get your MOHA membership for half price.*

Schedule of Events *coming soon!* The event's official hashtag is #AIHC2017!

### **Thanksgiving Weekend**

Friday, November 24–Sunday, November 26

**The museum is closed for the holiday on Thursday, November 23, but we're open regular hours the rest of this weekend.**

Bring your family, and see *Louis C. Tiffany: Art and Innovation from the Wester Collection* in the lobby case and *The Shape of Fashion* in the lobby, as well as exhibits on Level 3.

### **Light Up the Night Holiday Party**

Thursday, November 30, 7–10 p.m.

\$40 per member; \$50 per nonmember. Adults only, please.

For information, visit [ncmoha.com](#) or call 919-807-7847.

Join other museum members for this annual holiday celebration. Food, drinks, live music from Midnight Snack, and much more!

**\* marks programs of interest to children or families**

### **IMAGES Dropbox link, caption and credit**

File Museum of History's November programs and events:

#### **Image – American Indian Heritage Celebration**

Woman and child at the 2016 American Indian Heritage Celebration held at the NC Museum of History in Raleigh. Credit: NC Museum of History.

#### **Image – American Indian Heritage Celebration Logo**

Poster art from the 22nd Annual American Indian Heritage Celebration at the NC Museum of History, Saturday, November 18, 11 a.m.-4 p.m. Credit: NC Museum of History.

#### **Image – Church windows**

Two stained-glass windows being installed at Raleigh's St. Paul AME Church. Credit: newsobserver.com

#### **Image – Father Knows Best Actors**

*Father Knows Best* was a popular TV series that represented the "dream family" of the 1950s. The series ran from 1954 to 1960. Credit: shoutfactorytv.com

*Access images here.*

**For information about the N.C. Museum of History**, a Smithsonian-affiliated museum, call 919-807-7900 or access [ncmuseumofhistory.org](http://ncmuseumofhistory.org) or follow on Facebook, Twitter, Instagram or YouTube. The museum will be closed Thursday, November 23, for Thanksgiving.

#### **About the N.C. Museum of History, a Smithsonian Affiliate**

The N.C. Museum of History is located at 5 E. Edenton Street in downtown Raleigh. Hours are Monday through Saturday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., and Sunday, noon to 5 p.m. The museum collects and preserves artifacts of North Carolina history and educates the public on the history of the state and the nation through exhibits and educational programs. Each year more than 400,000 people visit the museum to see some of the 150,000 artifacts in the museum collection. The Museum of History, within the Division of State History Museums, is part of the N.C. Department of Natural and Cultural Resources.

#### **About the N.C. Department of Natural and Cultural Resources**

The N.C. Department of Natural and Cultural Resources (NCDNCR) is the state agency with a vision to be the leader in using the state's natural and cultural resources to build the social, cultural, educational and economic future of North Carolina. NCDNCR's mission is to improve the quality of life in our state by creating opportunities to experience excellence in the arts, history, libraries and nature in North Carolina by stimulating learning, inspiring creativity, preserving the state's history, conserving the state's natural heritage, encouraging recreation and cultural tourism, and promoting economic development.

NCDNCR includes 27 historic sites, seven history museums, two art museums, two science museums, three aquariums and Jennette's Pier, 39 state parks and recreation

areas, the N.C. Zoo, the nation's first state-supported Symphony Orchestra, the State Library, the State Archives, the N.C. Arts Council, State Preservation Office and the Office of State Archaeology, along with the Division of Land and Water Stewardship. For more information, please call 919-807-7300 or visit [www.ncdcr.gov](http://www.ncdcr.gov).

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