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Raise the Roof of the Chautauqua Auditorium

Help us protect irreplaceable places like the Chautauqua Auditorium – a 1898 lofty, open architectural wonder.



BOULDER, Colo. (July 27, 2018) - Since 1898, the Chautauqua Auditorium has provided a place for the local community and its visitors to gather and enjoy speakers, films, dance performances and world-renowned musicians from around the globe. Our Auditorium, with its lofty, open architecture and incredible acoustics make our performances truly an "only-in-Boulder" experience - unique, organic and real.

Celebrating our 120th anniversary, it is time to replace the roof of this special place. Help the Colorado Chautauqua Association (CCA), steward of Boulder's cultural and historical gem the Colorado Chautauqua National Historic Landmark, preserve the Chautauqua Auditorium for future generations and purchase a raffle ticket for a chance to win a brand-new <u>City Commuter: Black Edition electric</u> bike., valued at \$4,300. Generously donated by Pedego Boulder.

Raffle tickets start at only \$20.00! Support CCA by clicking here to learn more.

To learn about the many ways to support CCA click here.

The Colorado Chautauqua Association is a 501(c) (3) nonprofit organization that preserves, perpetuates and improves the site and spirit of the historic Chautauqua, enhancing its community and values through cultural, educational, social and recreational experiences. The chautauqua experience is based on lifelong learning, love of nature, voluntary simplicity, and music, oration and the arts. Historic significance, traditions, cultural relevance, respite and enrichment are among the community benefits provided by the Colorado Chautauqua. CCA serves as the steward of historic Chautauqua. It leases from the City of Boulder and has full responsibility for preservation and use of 26 acres of Chautauqua Park, home to many public buildings, gardens and 99 cottages, 58 of which are available for rental through the Association. The Colorado Chautauqua was designated a National Historic Landmark in 2006. The Colorado Chautauqua Association is a Scientific & Cultural Facilities District (SCFD) Tier II organization. For more information about the Colorado Chautauqua and the CCA visit www.chautauqua.com or www.facebook.com/coloradochautauqua.

For access to historic or event photos, or to arrange interviews with executive director Shelly Benford, please contact Shannon Bock at <u>Shannon.bock@chautauqua.com</u> or 303.952.1638.