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# Chautauqua 2018-19 Documentary Film Series announced

One country's struggle for free press, changing landscapes of rural America and more to be screened

BOULDER, COLO. (October 4, 2018) – Colorado Chautauqua Association (CCA), steward of Boulder's cultural gem, the Colorado Chautauqua National Historic Landmark, is pleased to announce its 2018-19 Documentary Film Series.

Join us for an intimate movie night and discover new ideas and cultures, followed by a post-screening discussion. This year's series kicks off with the life story of legendary climber Fred Beckey and continues through April with a look at the changing landscapes and shifting values of rural America, as seen through the mind's eye of Wendell Berry. The cozy atmosphere of the 125-seat historic Chautauqua Community House (b.1918) provides the perfect setting to enjoy a film.



## **DOCUMENTARY SERIES LINE UP**

### Oct 19 - Dirtbag

Watch the life story of Fred Beckey, one of the greatest climbers of all time. Watch the trailer <u>here</u>. <u>Read</u> more...

## Nov 9 - Happening

Embark on a journey into the dawn of the clean energy era. Watch the trailer here. Read more...

## Dec 8 - Frame by Frame

Follow four Afghan photojournalists as they navigate the realities of building their country's first free press. Watch the trailer here. Read more...

## Jan 25 - California Typewriter

Take a look at the typewriter loyalists and consider your relationship with technology. Watch the trailer here. Read more...

#### Feb 22 - How We Grow

Dig into the stories of these ambitious young Colorado farmers building community around locally grown food. Watch the trailer here. Read more...

## Mar 8 - The Human Element

Follow acclaimed photographer James Balog as he documents those affected by climate change disasters. Read more...

## Apr 26 - Look & See

View the changing landscapes and shifting values of rural America, as seen through the mind's eye of Wendell Berry. Watch the trailer here. Read more...

## TICKET INFORMATION:

- All events take place in the Chautauqua Community House.
- All events: 7:00 PM
- All tickets: \$12.00 (\$9.00 Chautaugua Concert Member)
- Purchase tickets online now at www.chautaugua.com.
- The public is welcome to become a member at any time.
- All tickets are subject to a service fee.

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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.

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