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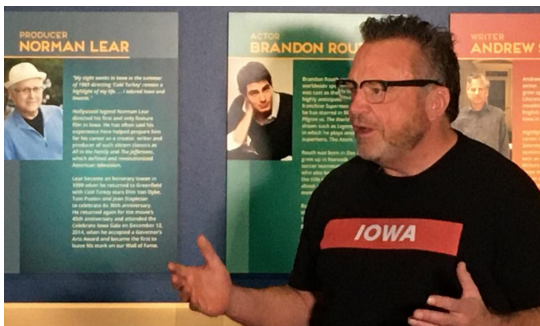
STATE HISTORICAL
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CREATING CULTURALLY **VIBRANT** COMMUNITIES



Thanksgiving may look a little different this year, and so will the Celebrate Iowa Gala

Join us from the safety of your home on Friday, December 11 for the virtual Celebrate Iowa Gala. The program features a variety of Iowa art, music, history and culture that you won't want to miss!



FEATURED: MUSEUMS

Watch Tom Arnold add his handprints to the collection of famous Iowans at the State Historical Museum of Iowa. Explore the Haitian Art Exhibit at the Waterloo Museum of Art. Finally, peek inside the updated Iowa History 101 Mobile Museum.



FEATURED: THEATER

Throughout 2020 Iowa artists and performers have remained resilient. Mirrorbox Theatre performed in Cedar Rapids every Friday evening in 2020 and will perform for you during the Gala!

FEATURED: FOOD

During the Gala we'll check in with our food and beverage partners. Support your local businesses and pick up a meal in advance to enjoy as you're watching the program!



Mark your calendar and buy your tickets today!



Friday, December 11

6 p.m. Virtual VIP Reception

7 p.m. Virtual Celebrate Iowa Gala

8 p.m. Virtual Cultural Mixer

Tickets

\$250 VIP tickets offer an all-access pass for the whole evening.

The Virtual VIP Reception includes a tribute to Denison's own Donna Reed, exclusive interviews and performances. Tune in LIVE!

\$100 Gala & Mixer tickets include the Virtual Celebrate Iowa Gala and the Virtual Cultural Mixer with live Iowa trivia, performances and a self-portrait class hosted by the Portrait Studio.

\$25 Gala tickets offer access to the main event at 7 p.m.

Each ticket provides log-in access for one household or watch party, and 100 percent of your ticket purchase is tax-deductible.

PURCHASE YOUR TICKETS HERE

Proceeds from the Celebrate Iowa Gala provide essential support for statewide education initiatives and exhibits of the State Historical Society of Iowa and the State Historical Museum of Iowa – including programs leading up to the 175th anniversary of Iowa statehood on December 28, 2021. To commemorate this historic milestone, the State Historical Society of Iowa is amplifying its virtual educational resources, online access to historical archives and new exhibit experiences for families, students, educators and lifelong learners.

For questions or more information, please email HistoricalGala@iowa.gov.

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