

**VISIT THE CHARLOTTE MUSEUM OF HISTORY FOR FREE
AND
CELEBRATE AFRICAN AMERICAN CULTURE AND HISTORY**

CHARLOTTE, N.C., Jan. 24, 2022 – Get free admission to The Charlotte Museum of History and celebrate Charlotte’s Black history and culture on Feb. 26 at the annual African American Heritage Festival, hosted by the history museum.

WHEN:

Saturday, Feb. 26

11:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

WHAT:

This year’s festival will include live music and dance performances, author talks and free admission to the museum’s latest exhibit, “A Better Life for Their Children: Julius Rosenwald, Booker T. Washington, and the 4,978 Schools that Changed America,” an exhibit of photographs and stories by Andrew Feiler.

HOW TO GO:

All events are free. More information at charlottemuseum.org/events.

The Museum will continue to implement safety precautions including requiring masks for all visitors ages 5 and up and spacing activities across the museum’s campus.

WHERE:

The Charlotte Museum of History
3500 Shamrock Drive

The African American Heritage Festival is sponsored by the Arts & Science Council. The “A Better Life for Their Children” photography exhibit is supported by grants from AT&T Foundation, PRIDE Magazine and North Carolina Humanities, an affiliate of the National Endowment for the Humanities.

About The Charlotte Museum of History

The Charlotte Museum of History exists to save and share the Charlotte region’s history, helping create a better understanding of the past and inspiring dialogue about the future. The museum is the steward of the 1774 Hezekiah Alexander Rock House and homesite, which is listed on the National Register of Historic Places and is the oldest home in Mecklenburg County. Visit charlottemuseum.org and follow the museum on [Facebook](#), [Instagram](#) and [Twitter](#). The museum is an independent 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization.

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