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High Plains Chautauqua
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The American Spirit: An Endless Quest

DENVER – High Plains Chautauqua returns once again to Greeley, Colorado this August. The annual multi-day event hosted by Colorado Humanities recreates turn-of-the-century traveling Chautauqua tents that brought education and entertainment to communities in the form of lectures, concerts and plays. This year’s event entitled “The American Spirit: An Endless Quest” will be held on August 4-8 at Aims Community College in Greeley, and concludes a three-year series on American identity from colonial times through the 20th century.

Daytime programs will complement the theme with hands-on activities, storytelling, discussion groups, exhibits, live music and other entertainment. Each evening, national-recognized living historians will bring to life Americans who embody the spirit of 20th century America--Theodore Roosevelt, Albert Einstein, Cesar Chavez and Martin Luther King, Jr., and others. All programs and event are free and open to the public.

