



## Chicago: The 40th Anniversary Concert

**Tuesday, December 4**  
**7:30–10:00 p.m.**

The band Chicago will celebrate their official 40th-anniversary concert at the Museum. At this members-only event you will hear some of Chicago's greatest hits in an exclusive and intimate setting. Not a member? Join today and get your tickets while they last. Special prices for new members include a one-year membership.

[Purchase tickets and learn more](#)

## DJ Spooky



## JOIN

### DID YOU KNOW...

Members can learn about what's going on at the Museum on November 29 at the **Members' Annual Meeting** featuring Museum president Gary T. Johnson and trustee Sharon Gist Gilliam.

[Join today!](#)

## SHOP



## EVENTS

### NOVEMBER

**1 Thursday**  
[ITK: The Great Chicago Smoking Ban](#)

**6 Tuesday**  
[Comedy Speaks](#)

**7 Wednesday**  
[Chicago Treasures: Jim Beulshi](#)

**10 Saturday**  
[Fakes, Phonies, and Frauds Bus Tour](#)

**Saturday, November 17**  
**7:00 p.m.**

New York-based writer, musician, and conceptual artist Paul D. Miller, aka DJ Spooky, will be premiering his newest multimedia work, *Subliminal Strings: Link City* at the Museum. This performance will offer a rich tapestry of sound and images that explore the idea of "the city" as a form in constant flux.

[Learn more](#)

## A NOTE *from the* PRESIDENT

"Adlai Stevenson's Lasting Legacy" is a program I am moderating at the Museum, featuring four panelists who personally knew the presidential candidate from Illinois. We will explore the need for the U.S. to lead by example in today's dangerous world. This program will take place on Monday, November 12, in the Museum's auditorium at 5:30 p.m. Tickets are \$20 for Museum members. Reservations can be made through the Chicago Council on Global Affairs.

[Make a reservation](#)

## Chicago and Comedy Series



**Tuesdays, November 6 and 13**  
**6:30 p.m.**

Join the Museum and The Second City as we present two different programs that look at the roots of Chicago comedy. "Comedy Speaks" on November 6 will feature Richard Kind, Andrew Alexander, Susan Messing, Mick Napier, Tim Kazurinsky, and Mike Hagerty. "Tuesday Night Live" on November 13 will feature a discussion between Rachel Dratch and Tim Meadows.

[Learn more about these programs](#)

**11 Sunday**  
[Project Sunday](#)

**13 Tuesday**  
[Tuesday Night Live](#)

**14 Wednesday**  
[Social World of Women](#)

**17 Saturday**  
[DJ Spooky Concert](#)

**29 Thursday**  
[Members' Annual Meeting](#)

## DECEMBER

**2 Sunday**  
[Film: It's a Wonderful Life](#)

[Brown Line 'L' Tour](#)

**4 Tuesday**  
[Chicago's anniversary concert](#)

**6 Thursday**  
[In the K/Now](#)

**8 Saturday**  
[Members' Holiday Party](#)

**9 Sunday**  
[Project Sunday](#)

[The Loop 'L' Tour](#)

**15 Saturday**  
[Devil in the White City \(members' exclusive\)](#)

**16 Sunday**  
[Holiday Concert](#)

[Green Line South 'L' Tour](#)

**31 Monday**  
[Quilts exhibition closes](#)

## Chicago History Minute

### November 1855

In November of 1855, Northwestern University held its first classes. Its first wooden building was in Evanston,

## Jim Belushi



**Wednesday, November 7**  
**7:00–8:30 p.m.**

The Museum welcomes **Jim Belushi**, Chicago native, popular and highly successful comedian, actor, writer, producer, and musician, for the last installment of our Chicago Treasures series. He has performed on Broadway, television, and in numerous movies and will discuss how his Chicago roots have affected his career.

[Get tickets to this event](#)

## Adopt an Artifact



This holiday season, adopt an artifact and share a piece of Chicago's history with a friend or loved one. Six treasures are available for adoption:

- Norman Rockwell's *Mrs. Catherine O'Leary Milking Daisy*
- Madame Ophelia Ooglepuss from *Kukla, Fran and Ollie*
- Scepter presented to Daniel Burnham
- Urn designed by Frank Lloyd Wright
- Michael Jordan's jersey and shoes
- Chicago's platinum album for *Chicago's Greatest Hits 1982–1989*

[Learn more about adoption](#)

## The Great Chicago Smoking Ban

named for John Evans, one of the University's founders.

[Learn More](#)



# In the K/Now

**Thursday, November 1**  
**6:30–8:00 p.m.**

Whether you are breathing easy or still huffing and puffing over the upcoming ban, debate how it will affect life in Chicago.

[I want my voice heard! Learn more](#)

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