Please join the Rhode Island Historical Preservation & Heritage Commission every Saturday in September at 7:00 PM for a 60-minute Heritage Virtual Celebration on our YouTube Channel. Each week we will feature “Heritage Highlights” from cultural performance groups, cultural organizations, hands-on activities like cooking and dance demonstrations.

**RI Heritage Month’s Virtual Celebration Schedule**

**Saturday, September 4, 2021 at 7:00 PM**
* Governor Daniel McKee (Welcome Message)
* Jeffrey Emidy, RIHPHC Interim Exec. Director
* Kobi Dennis, Virtual Celebration Host
* Orlando Montalvo (Singing the National Anthem)
* Eastern Medicine Singers (Singing & Drumming)
* RI Latino Arts: Orlando Hernández (Tap Dance)
* Cambodian Society of Rhode Island
* Kelly School of Irish Dance (Dancing)
* Dance BFF (Bollywood Performance)
* Rhode Island Chinese Dragon Boat Races
* RI Day of Portugal (Cooking Demonstration)
* Rhode Island Black Storytellers
* YMCA of Greater Providence (Zumba Demo)

**Saturday, September 11, 2021 at 7:00 PM**
* Governor Daniel McKee (Welcome Message)
* Jeffrey Emidy, RIHPHC Interim Exec. Director
* Kobi Dennis, Virtual Celebration Host
* RI Latino Arts: Ashley Soto (National Anthem in Spanish)
* Secretary of State Nellie Gorbea
* Gaspee Days Committee
* Dafa New England (Drum Performance)
* Puerto Rican Institute of Arts and Advocacy Inc.
* Seoyon Kim (Korean Harpist)
* Juneteenth RI
* Tomaquag Museum: SilverMoon Mars LaRose
* Venezuela In RI (Cooking Demonstration)
* Dance BFF (Bollywood Dance Demonstration)

**Saturday, September 18, 2021 at 7:00 PM**
* Governor Daniel McKee (Welcome Message)
* Jeffrey Emidy, RIHPHC Interim Exec. Director
* Kobi Dennis, Virtual Celebration Host
* RI School for the Deaf (National Anthem in ASL)
* Azama Dance Company (Middle Eastern Dancing)
* Langston Hughes Community Poetry Reading
* St. Andrew’s Society of Rhode Island
* India Association of Rhode Island (Performance)
* Quisqueya en Acción Folklore Group (Dancing)
* French American School of RI (Singing)
* Falun Dafa (Meditative Exercises)
* Origami Demonstration by Falun Dafa
* Elliniki Yperphania Greek Pride RI (Dancing)
* German American Cultural Society (Cooking Demo)

**Saturday, September 25, 2021 at 7:00 PM**
* Governor Daniel McKee (Welcome Message)
* Jeffrey Emidy, RIHPHC Interim Exec. Director
* Kobi Dennis, Virtual Celebration Host
* Ahlyha Nicole Bright (Singing the National Anthem)
* DAEBAK (Brown University’s Korean Pop Dance Group)
* Paul Cuffee School Alumni: Orlando Montalvo
* Napua O’ Polynesia (Dance Performance and Demo)
* Arte Latino of New England (Storytelling)
* RI Latino Arts: Ashley Soto (Singing)
* India Museum: Reena Mistry (Henna Demo)
* Fraternidad Folklorica Boliviana RI (Dancing)
* Scandinavian Women’s Chorus (Singing)
* Colombia In Rhode Island (Cooking Demonstration)
* Providence Children’s Museum
* RI Day Of Portugal

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