

IDAHO BLACK COMMUNITY ALLIANCE  
INVITES YOU TO

**BLACK**  
**HISTORY**  
**MONTH**

**BLACK  
EXCELLENCE  
GALA**

"WE INVITE YOU TO PARTNER WITH THE IDAHO BLACK COMMUNITY  
ALLIANCE IN CHAMPIONING UNITY, EMPOWERMENT, AND BLACK  
EXCELLENCE ACROSS IDAHO."





## Dear Community Partner



It is with great enthusiasm and purpose that the Idaho Black Community Alliance (IBCA) extends this formal invitation to partner with us for our 2026 Black History Month Celebration- a month-long series of events honoring legacy, culture, and progress.

### Signature Events:

- Feb 7: Gospel Concert & Workshop – Uplifting and interactive workshop and concert, celebrating Black gospel music and heritage
- Feb 21: Black Excellence Gala – Formal evening honoring Idaho's trailblazers with live music, dinner, and a silent auction
- Feb 28: Speakeasy Cultural Experience. 1970s-themed celebration featuring art, music, and history

### 2026 Trailblazer Honorees:

- Dr. Mamie Oliver – Historian, professor, and community advocate
- Jerome Mapp – Public servant and civic leader
- Senator Cherie Buckner-Webb – Idaho's first Black legislator
- Joe B. McNeal – Community leader
- Charles Taylor – NAACP leader and community advocate

### Why Sponsor?

- Amplify local voices & culture
- Support artists, youth & small businesses
- Strengthen community equity initiatives

Fuel a movement that honors the past, celebrates the present, and inspires the future.

With gratitude and anticipation,

Trish Walker  
Chief Executive Officer  
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## BLACK HISTORY MONTH EVENTS



### **Legacy Partner - \$10,000+**

Champion equity, culture, and progress. Your support keeps Black History Month vibrant, educational, and community focused.

#### Benefits:

- Presenting Sponsor recognition at the Black Excellence Gala
- Logo on all promo materials, press, and social media
- On-stage acknowledgment: option to speak or present an award
- Full-page ad in Gala program
- Ten (10) Gala tickets with VIP seating
- Featured on IBCA website for one year

#### Impact:

Supports event production, artist initiatives, and community programs that celebrate Black achievement and foster connection.

### **Empowerment Partner - \$7,500**

Inspire future leaders and change-makers. Your support fuels education, leadership, and cultural awareness throughout Black History Month.

#### Benefits:

- Recognition during the Gospel Concert & Workshop
- Half-page ad in Gala program
- Ten (10) Gala tickets with VIP seating
- Recognition in press and digital campaigns
- Opportunity to provide branded educational materials

#### Impact:

Supports youth empowerment, workshops, and leadership development for students and emerging professionals.

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### **Unity Partner - \$5,000**

Celebrate togetherness, collaboration, and shared purpose. Your sponsorship strengthens community connections through inclusive events and storytelling.

#### Benefits:

- Logo featured on event signage and printed materials
- Ten (10) Gala tickets with VIP seating
- Inclusion in select digital and printed acknowledgments

#### Impact:

Helps bring diverse audiences together for cultural dialogue, connection, and celebration.

### **Heritage Partner - \$2,500**

Honor the legacy of those who came before us.

#### Benefits:

- Logo recognition on IBCA website and printed program
- Ten (10) Gala tickets with VIP seating
- Inclusion in select digital and printed acknowledgments

#### Impact:

Supports artists, performers, and cultural programming that preserve and share the beauty of Black history and heritage.

### **Freedom Partner - \$1,000**

Celebrate resilience, progress, and hope. Your support ensures accessibility and engagement at every level.

#### Benefits:

- Logo recognition on IBCA website and printed program
- Two (2) Gala tickets
- Inclusion in select digital and printed acknowledgments

#### Impact:

Funds community participation and access for those who might not otherwise attend. Your contribution keeps history alive through art, performance, and cultural expression.

# UNDERWRITING OPPORTUNITIES

Sponsor a specific part of the celebration and receive name recognition and branding visibility at your sponsored area:

- Entertainment Sponsor – \$3,000
- Silent Auction Sponsor – \$1,500
- Media & Photography Sponsor – \$1,000
- Decor Sponsor – \$1,000

Your partnership with the Idaho Black Community Alliance is more than sponsorship — it's an investment in empowerment, education, and equity. Together, we are creating opportunities that amplify Black voices, celebrate excellence, and strengthen cross-cultural connections across Idaho.

Our mission is simple yet powerful: to advocate, educate, and build bridges that uplift the Black community while fostering unity for all. When you give, you're not just supporting events — you're fueling transformation, legacy, and lasting impact.

Join us as we celebrate history, honor excellence, and inspire the next generation of leaders.

Contact: [trish@idahobca.org](mailto:trish@idahobca.org)

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Gala sign up: <https://www.zeffy.com/en-US/ticketing/2026-black-excellence-gala>

