

20TH ANNUAL DORIS DUKE
HISTORIC
PRESERVATION
Awards

Friday, September 11, 2026 • 6:30pm

**CELEBRATING TWO DECADES OF RECOGNIZING EXCELLENCE
IN HISTORIC PRESERVATION ACROSS OUR COMMUNITY**

Since 2006, the Newport Restoration Foundation and the City of Newport have recognized exemplary historic preservation projects and the dedicated individuals behind them that carry forward the legacy of NRF founder Doris Duke.

**The 2026 President's Award honors Tom Perkins for his lifetime of excellence
in historic preservation.**

Hosted at Doris Duke's iconic estate, Rough Point, the Doris Duke Historic Preservation Awards is the signature event that caps off Newport's summer season — elegant, intimate, and unmatched in its spectacular oceanfront setting. With a curated guest list of civic leaders, cultural stewards, and philanthropists, the evening offers rare access to a discerning and influential audience.

**Sponsoring the Doris Duke Historic Preservation Awards connects your
business with a community that values excellence, heritage, and craftsmanship
and supports critical preservation work.**

For six decades, the Newport Restoration Foundation has restored, preserved, and shared more than 80 historic sites in the Newport community. Your sponsorship of The Doris Duke Historic Preservation Awards supports NRF's work impacting the community by sustaining cultural and architectural heritage, advocating for climate change resiliency, telling our shared history, and investing in historic preservation trades skills-building.

Key benefits of sponsorship:

- **Align your brand** with a legacy of craftsmanship, resilience, and community-driven preservation.
- **Power preservation** work that protects Newport's unique character and economic vitality for generations to come.
- **Showcase your business** to NRF's full audience of over 80,000 visitors to the NRF website annually, 10,000+ subscribers to our monthly newsletter, and 18,000+ subscribers to NRF's social media platforms with a monthly reach of over 100,000 combined.
- **Network with local leaders** and potential clients in an exclusive setting at one of Newport's most storied estates.

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	Presenting \$50,000	Leadership \$25,000	Platinum \$10,000	Gold \$5,000	Silver \$2,500	Bronze \$1,500
Tickets to DDPA & reception	10	8	6	4	2	2
Tickets to attend the pre-party, "Cocktails & Jazz," featuring food, specialty drinks, and live music in Doris Duke's Solarium	10	8	6	4	2	
Name & logo recognition in DDPA event program and signage	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Name & logo recognition in NRF's 2025 Annual Report	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Name or click-through logo on NRF website, inclusion in media releases and social media posts & tags	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Name & logo recognition on DDPA video monitor and verbal recognition of sponsorship at the event	✓	✓	✓			
Name & logo recognition onsite and in printed programs at both Rough Point and Vernon House for the 2026/2027 season	✓	✓				
Dedicated email to 10,000+ subscribers with click-through logo link	✓	✓				
Speaking opportunity at DDPA ceremony	✓					
Opportunity to host a private event at Rough Point	✓					

2025 Doris Duke Historic Preservation Awards Sponsors included:





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YES, WE WOULD LIKE TO BE A 2026 DDPA SPONSOR

We would like to sponsor at the following level:

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| ☐ \$50,000 Presenting Sponsor | ☐ 5,000 Gold Sponsor |
| ☐ \$25,000 Leadership Sponsor | ☐ 2,500 Silver Sponsor |
| ☐ \$10,000 Platinum Sponsor | ☐ \$1,500 Bronze Sponsor |

Please list my/our names(s) as (please print):

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☐ Please find a check enclosed (payable to Newport Restoration Foundation)

☐ Please charge a total of \$_____ to my/our card

Credit Card #: _____ Exp. Date: _____ Security Code: _____

Street Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Return form and any payment to:

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Deadlines: Printed inclusion: September 1, 2026

Questions?

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