

MONROE COUNTY MUSEUM SYSTEM BOARD OF TRUSTEES
Regular Meeting
Wednesday, February 21st – 7 pm

Monroe County Museum
126 South Monroe Street
Monroe, Michigan 48161

AGENDA

1. Call to Order
2. Roll Call
3. Approval of Agenda
4. Approval of Minutes from Regular Meeting of January 17th, 2024
5. Public Comment
6. Committee Updates
 - 6.1. Executive Committee
 - 6.2. Awards Committee
 - 6.2.1. Presentation of Awards to 2023 Recipients
 - 6.3. Building Committee
 - 6.4. Markers Committee
 - 6.5. Projects Committee
7. New Business
 - 7.1. MCMS Reports
8. Old Business
 - 8.1. Meeting Work Session - UPDATED Actionable Objectives to Strategic Plan Goals (Attached)
9. Public Comment
10. Board Comments
11. Adjournment

Next Meeting:

Wednesday, March 13th, 2024 @ 7 pm
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2024 MONROE COUNTY MUSEUM SYSTEM BOARD OF TRUSTEES	2024 COMMITTEES
Chair Brian Egen, District 6 Vice Chair Jeremy Potter, District 1 Secretary Michael Humphries, District 8 Immediate Past Chair Hobby Nels Trustee Emeritus Richard Micka Trustee Thomas Heywood, District 2 Trustee Mary Strevel, District 3 Trustee L William Conner, District 4 Trustee Michelle LaVoy, District 5 Trustee Anne Noland, District 7 Trustee Nick Guthrie, District 9	Executive Committee Chair: Brian Egen Members: Jeremy Potter, Michael Humphries, Hobby Nels, Andrew Clark, and JJ Przewozniak Awards Committee Chair: Michelle LaVoy Members:, Thomas Heywood, Mary Strevel, and Andrew Clark Markers Committee Chair: Jeremy Potter Members: Brian Egen, Nicholas Guthrie, Michael Humphries, Lynn Reaume, and Andrew Clark Projects Committee Chair: Michael Humphries Members: Bill Conner, Brian Egen, and Andrew Clark

Mission Statement of the Monroe County Museum System

At the Monroe County Museum, we fuel and cultivate our visitors' curiosity through the exploration of Monroe County's rich and varied stories, joining together to unearth meaning and illuminate relevant connections between the past, present, and future.



ACTIONABLE OBJECTIVES TO SUPPORT GOALS

February 21, 2024

Rank	Objective
1	Develop and implement a collections storage plan.
2	Stewardship of MCMS historic structures
3	Develop an interpretive plan for Monroe County Museum building, including exhibits (with accessibility plan and Universal Design guidelines)
4	Establish a housekeeping and maintenance plan for museum, collections, and historic structures.
5	Create a disaster response and recovery plan for museum, collections and historic structures.
6	Develop a written policy to systematically collect, organize and transfer documents of the institution's history and development.
7	Create a marketing plan (potentially outsourced) • Create a community profile, using already existing sources for demographics, trends, etc. • Develop a community engagement strategy for talking to members of the community. • Develop and implement a visitor evaluation plan.
8	Develop a code of ethics based on national museum standards and practices.
9	Network with other community entities to identify potential new museum audiences.
10	Develop and implement a MCMS Friends Group.
TBD	Review directional signage along roadways.
TBD	Document decisions and procedures related to acquiring, loaning, locating, using, deaccessioning and disposing of collections.
TBD	Develop policy of guidelines on customer service expectations for paid and unpaid staff.

MONROE COUNTY MUSEUM SYSTEM
BOARD of TRUSTEES
MEETING MINUTES

January 17th, 2024 at 7:00 p.m.
at the Monroe County Museum, 126 South Monroe Street, Monroe

Present: Brian Egen, Chairman Jeremy Potter, Vice-Chairman Michael Humphries, Secretary
Nick Guthrie, Member Michelle LaVoy, Member Anne Noland, Member
Richard Micka, Emeritus Hobby Nels, Past Chairman

Excused: William Conner, Member Tom Heywood, Member Mary Strevel, Member

Museum Staff: Director Clark J.J. Przewozniak, Deputy Director Lynn Reaume, County Historian

Guests: Rick Grassley, GSMC Jeanne Micka, Sawyer Homestead

Roll was called and there was a quorum.

There was an introduction by the Chairman to Anne Noland, new member of the board, who was also a retired County of Monroe Treasurer employee.

Elections: Chairperson: B. Egen was nominated by M. Humphries. With no other nominations in the call, motion was made to elect B. Egen again for Chairperson, seconded by J. Potter. The vote was unanimous, with one abstention.

Vice-Chairperson: J. Potter was nominated by N. Guthrie. With no other nominations in the call, motion was made by N. Guthrie, seconded by M. Humphries and the vote was unanimous, with one abstention.

Secretary: J. Potter nominated M. Humphries. There were no other nominations in the call, and the motion by J. Potter was seconded by H. Nels and passed unanimously, with one abstention.

Approval of the Agenda: Motion was made to accept as written by M. Humphries, seconded by H. Nels and passed.

Approval of Minutes of December 13, 2023 Meeting: J. Potter made a motion to accept the meeting minutes as written, seconded by N. Guthrie and passed.

Public Comment #1: none

Presentation: GSMC member, past president and Committee Chairman for the grant awards, submitted a short presentation on the organization and success of the recent Historic Project award, which digitized and put on-line many Monroe County old newspapers. Microfilm was used for an easier transfer to digitized form. Over 14,000 pages were digitized and these newspapers are available to the public, free. The cost was \$3,195.00, with the Grant covering 85% of the costs. Find them at monroemi.historyarchives.online/home. More newspapers are being considered for another Grant application this year. There was discussion concerning newspapers more recent than 70 years ago.

Committee Updates: Executive: Chairman Egen said the group has not met.

Spirit of Service Awards Committee: Chairperson LaVoy said the due date for applications is March 30th. Winners may be invited to the February meeting to meet the board, with a larger Fall (October) public event for the two years of award winners.

Building Committee: Chairman Egen said that Director Clark with Mike Bosanac and Aundrea Armstrong in December. Old buildings are not a high consideration for a new building. There is a need for clarification from the County Board.

Historical Markers Committee: Chairman Potter said the markers picked up from Sewah are waiting for installation. The “War with a Happy Ending’ (Erie) will be reinstalled in Erie, not on private property.

Projects Grant Committee: Chairman Humphries reported that the applications are live; there is a \$60,000 in total for fundung.

New Business: Staff Reports: N. Guthrie made a motion to accept the reports as presented, seconded by J. Potter; approved.

Old Business: There was discussion about the 2023 work session. Director Clark suggested a membership to add support for the museum, to help fundraise and fill in for county staff. Possibly incorporate the S.O.S. group or a stable, structured and supportive organization. Chairman Egen asked for an outline to better understand; how does it fit into the strategic plan? Suggestion example would be to operate a gift shop.

Public Comment #2: J. Micka announced the Sawyer Homestead Founders Day in May.

Board Comments: All welcomed new Trustee A. Noland.

It was revealed that Director Clark is to present at the Local History Conference in March on the “Custers From Monroe.”

Chairman Egen said the next board meeting is Wednesday, February 21st at 7:00 p.m.

With no other business to discuss, motion was made by N. Guthrie to adjourn, seconded by M. LaVoy and the meeting was concluded at 9:08 p.m.

Lynn W. Reaume
Acting recording secretary
52 January 2024

MONROE COUNTY MUSEUM SYSTEM
Director's Report
Submitted by Andrew Clark, Director
Wednesday, February 21st, 2024

Organizational Operations

County Museum: Hours of operation are Sunday to Saturday, 10 am to 5 pm.

County Archives: Research is by appointment and via phone, mail, and email.

Territorial Park: Closed for the season. Will reopen Memorial Day Weekend 2024.

Vietnam Veterans Museum: Closed for the season. Will reopen Memorial Day Weekend 2024.

St Antoine's Historic Site: Grounds are open year round.

Upcoming Closures

No intended closures before March meeting.

Maintenance and Operations

Museum and Archives

Museum staff – primarily Mike – have been chasing the odor that spreads around the building during heating season. (It is very reminiscent of several dead mice.) We thought it was emanating from the boiler but after a number of consultations with boiler experts we were able to determine that isn't the cause. Mike cleaned out the roof drains and stink pipes and put a two foot extension on the pipes as we thought the smell was being sucked in the rooftop units as the stink pipes were quite short. That didn't fully resolve the issue but the stink diminished. We (and the HVAC folks seem to be in agreement) think we've isolated the issue to cracks in the roof drains but it will require additional exploration to confirm. Presently, the only fix appears to be opening up the walls and replacing the pipe.

Met with a contractor about repairs to the front entrance to make it fully functional again as well as adding a door with panic bar in the basement. Several options were discussed and I'm awaiting a proposal from the contractor for next steps.

Photocopier in the main office has completely failed despite many attempts to repair it. Working with the contractor, County IT, and the County Administrator to purchase a new one.

Territorial Park

Buildings closed for the winter.

Vietnam Veterans Memorial and Museum

Buildings closed for the winter.

St Antoine's Historic Site Memorial

Nothing to report.

Exhibits

Some items are in the works but otherwise nothing of great significance to report at present.

2024 Territorial Park Trail Project

No updates from Mannik-Smith. County has issued the RFP for tree removal along the trail development; Territorial Park appears to not be impacted, as the trail will be going in on the north side of North Custer.

2024 Eclipse

Programs staff are working on some eclipse related programming for March. Our allotment of eclipse viewing glasses was delivered.

So far it appears the center of activity in the City of Monroe will be at the Battlefield Visitor Center. Viewings can take place out on the park grounds with live feeds from NASA if the day proves overcast.

Awards Program

Nothing to report.

Building Program

Nothing to report.

Markers Program

Erie Township has agreed to the installation of *"War" with a Happy Ending* somewhere on the grounds of the township hall. They're conferring with the county road commission about one location and will get back with me once they have everything sorted. They've asked for a supplemental exhibit regarding the Toledo War for inside the township hall which I've agreed to producing.

Historical Projects Fund

I've had a few calls about interest and a couple organizations have indicated that they're currently working on applications. No known issues from any applicant at the moment.

Personnel Updates

Guest Services Coordinator Heather Piegza has announced her departure. Her last day of employment will be Friday, February 23rd.

MONROE COUNTY MUSEUM SYSTEM
Deputy Director's Report for January 2024
Submitted by Jeffrey J. (JJ) Przewozniak
Thursday, January 15, 2024

As the January cold lends itself so naturally to indoor pursuits, I applied myself to the development of several work plans for the spring and early summer, including projects at Territorial Park, a forthcoming museum activity station, spring programming and events, and R&D for new and improved outreach programs. The gaps between the aforementioned pursuits were a perfect fit for a mélange of museum miscellany and etcetera.

Miscellany:

- *YesterWays* continues on Saturdays. January saw the return of the knitting workshop, inspired by a navy blue wool sweater in our collection (Accession # 72.1.31.1) that was hand knit for the war effort in about 1918, and worn by Erwin Wagner who served with the U.S. Navy in France. Thanks to the Programs Division for excellent execution of the program and innovative improvements.
- Thanks to all staff who contributed to the rapid strike and organized packing of all the Christmas décor in a timely manner the week of January 7.
- On Saturday, January 20, Andy and I attended the annual commemoration of the Battles of the River Raisin at the RRNBP. Thanks to our friends at the NPS for allowing us to promote the MCMS at the event, and congratulations to the staff, volunteers, and participants for another successful commemoration.
- On Saturday, January 27, History Acres (Capac, MI) hosted a hog butchering educational workshop. It was an all-day affair focusing on heritage breed history, 19th-century butchering techniques, and historical meat preservation methods. Dana and I attended as part of the MCMS, and all other participants in the class were MCMS volunteers. Thanks to our hosts Jeremy and Felicia, and to Chairman Egen for his support.
- On a related note, following the workshop, a salt-curing station was set up at the schoolhouse, where programs division staff tend our new supply of heritage pork every few days. The meat will be a mainstay of our historic foodways demonstrations throughout the season, both during fair week and at RRTP. At the time of this writing the curing is mostly finished.
- Participation in *One Book, One Community* meetings continues.
- In my December report, I forgot to mention that in December, our *YesterWays* program was featured in an article on the National Association of Counties. [The article can be read here.](#)

LOCAL HISTORY DIVISION Report
For January, 2024

We were open by appointment with 6 visitors, 4 walk-ins and about 18 GSMC members.

Topics included the Duncanson family & Rotary Club of Monroe, Frenchtown Square Mall (etc), Boy Scout Klondike Derby & pancakes, Michigan Pioneer Society, Wolf Brothers Dairy, Ida. Surnames were Wolf, Alcock, Finley, Keeney, Schmidt, Nied, and Neidermeier.

We all helped take down the Christmas displays we set up.

Rachel processed 37 obits from 9 requests. She handled 10 phone call requests and 19 emails. Surnames included Campbell, Cloum, Moyer, Ilgenfritz, Clark, McGlathery. She worked the front desk, also working on the weekends, and handling visitors. Topics include the military, people topical files and searching for a birthday article with a date a request quoted (not always spot-on).

Robert had 23 outside calls and answered 11 emails, and started processing the Jean Siebarth accession of photographs and genealogy materials. He continued processing the William Capaul collection images. He also watched the front desk as needed and vacuumed water in the basement from the rains. There was a possibility of a critter at Third Street, so he checked on the animal trap there but did not find anything. He continued to take climate readings at the buildings.

Accessions during January:

2024.1 Jack Ready: ball ornaments sold by the Monroe County Museum & Historical Society

2024.2 Museum Staff: images from the Nutcracker event from December 2022

No transfers or deaccessions for January.

I started processing the extensive Everett Payette Collection we received from the Monroe News/Gannett last year. It is an incredible trove of his work! I am posting some on our Facebook page, and have gotten a good response, including from his daughter who was glad to see him remembered. One box equals approximately 950-1000 images and negatives, and that's box one done! He covers old photos he copied, plus 1940s-1970s which are filling a gap in our photography collection.

County Obituary page: January 2024: 8,521 page views (up).

Lynn W. Reaume, County Historian
31 January, 2024

February 16, 2024

Monroe County Museum System Board of Trustees

Guest Services Division Report ♦ January 2024

The Monroe County Museum welcomed **200** visitors in the month of January: **102** adults, **60** seniors, **9** youth, and **29** children. **40% (81)** people were first-time visitors! The most popular visitation day was **Wednesday**, bringing **58** visitors to the Museum. Visitors hailed from Frenchtown Township, Lansing, Lincoln Park, Monroe, Plainville, Romulus, Temperance, and Ypsilanti. Out of state visitors arrived from Florida, Georgia, Indiana, Maryland, New York, Ohio, Oklahoma, Oregon, and Texas. We also had a visitor from the United Kingdom!

The Frenchtown Spinners met on January 17, with **9** people attending.

Yesterways continued on Saturdays with the theme *Knit Your Bit!* Taking inspiration from the WWI-era knit sweater in our collection, visitors were taught how to knit and left with enough material to create their own wristlet. In January,

Recurring tasks for January included submitting invoices and reimbursements for payment, depositing our monthly donations and archival fees at the County Treasurer's Office, submitting requests for new vendors, and ordering office supplies, archival items, and supplies for Yesterways.

This will be my last Division Report, as I have accepted a full-time position as the Visitor Services Coordinator at Fair Lane: Home of Henry and Clara Ford. My last day at the Monroe County Museum System will be Friday, February 23. I have enjoyed my time here for the past three and a half years, and I look forward to hearing about future programs and events! Thank you to Andy Clark for the opportunity to serve in this role.

Respectfully submitted by Heather Piegza, Guest Services Coordinator

Monroe County Museum System Engagement Report - December 2023

Monroe County Museum

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD Total
Visitation	236	372	367	313	260	282	326	307	399	222	145	478	3707
Visitation Data	In December, we welcomed 478 visitors to the museum - 104 seniors, 241 adults, 28 youth, and 105 children. 152 people were visiting for the first time! Saturday was the most popular day of the week, bringing in 167 people total. Michigan visitors hailed from Bay City, Bedford, Carleton, Dearborn, Dundee, Erie, Flat Rock, Frenchtown Township, Hillsdale, LaSalle, Maybee, Milan, Monroe, Newport, Portland (MI), Royal Oak, Taylor, Tecumseh, Temperance, West Bloomfield, Woodhaven, and Wyandotte. We also had visitors from Alaska, Arkansas, DC, Georgia, Illinois, Maryland, Minnesota, Ohio, Oklahoma, Pennsylvania, and Wisconsin!												
Notes	The Monroe County Museum operates from 10am to 5pm, Sunday through Saturday. The Frenchtown Spinners Guild meets on the third Thursday of each month.												

Monroe County Archives

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Papermill School

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD Total
Visitation					0	254	294	186	94				828
Notes	Visitation numbers are based on visitors entering Papermill School, which was open from May 25 to September 2.												

Territorial Park

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD Total
Visitation	1876	1800	2121	3033	3874	5460	4257	3780	3379	4394	2260	1756	37990
Notes	Visitation numbers are based on the vehicle counter at Papermill School.												

Vietnam Veterans Memorial

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD Total
Visitation	2366	2413	2232	3470	4412	4618	5283	4466	3456	3119	2389	2248	40472
Notes	*Counter removed due to fencing project. June, July, and August numbers are estimates based on 2022 data. **Data for August 1-18 (based on 2022 data) & August 19-31 (based on actual data).												
	Visitation numbers are based on the vehicle counter at Heck Park.												

Vietnam Veterans Memorial Museum

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD Total
Visitation					0	23	19	46	5				93
Notes	The VVMM opened on Memorial Day Weekend and will be open 10-4 on Saturdays through the end of September.												

Monroe County Fair

	July 30	July 31	August 1	August 2	August 3	August 4	August 5	Visitors to the South Exhibit Building averaged 15/hour at 12 hours/day.	YTD Total
Eby House	528	466	943	724	672	974	717		5024
South Exhibit Bldg.	180	180	180	180	180	180	180	Visitors to the Tool Barn averaged 22/hour at 12 hours/day.	1260
Tool Barn	264	233	472	362	336	487	359		2512
Notes	The 2023 Monroe County Fair ran from July 30 through August 5.							TOTAL FAIR VISITORS	8796

St. Antoine's

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD Total
Visitation													0
Notes	No data exists as there is no vehicle counter on site.												

Monroe County Museum System In-Person/Virtual Programs Engagement Report

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD Total
Education Kit Usage	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	1	1	0	5
Field Trips (attendees)	0	0	0	1	1	407	0	0	95	25	0	96	625
MCMS2U Visits	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	5
YesterWays	12	10	25	28	4	on hiatus						37	116
Notes	Museum Visitations: December 19 - Team Solutions, Monroe (12 adults); December 21 - Monroe Middle Schoolers (80 kids, 6 adults) YesterWays Themes - Knitting, Painting, Historic Stitches, Lotus Illuminations, Hair Wreaths, and Pomanders												

Monroe County Museum System Special Events Attendance

Participation in the 2023 NPS River Raisin Battles Commemoration (January 21)	685
Duncanson YesterWays evening event with Stacy Hall (February 18)	35
Maple Sugaring at the River Raisin Territorial Park (March 11, 18, 25)	90
Urwin Lecture (March 10)	50
Screening of <i>Glory</i> & Urwin Talk (March 11)	30
DNR Wildlife Encounter (March 25)	40
Earth Day Event at MCCC (April 22)	225
Downtown Monroe Business Network: Art in April (April 28)	57
Agriculture Day at the Monroe County Fairgrounds (April 28)	450
Downtown Monroe Business Network: Downtown Monroe Wine Crawl (July 21)	5
Carleton Library Living History Event (July 22)	90
<i>Farewell, Summer!</i> Living History Event at the RRTP (September 16)	50
Center for French Colonial Studies Conference (October 8)	30
Octobernight at the RRTP (October 13-14)	509
Downtown Trick or Treat (October 28)	321
Leatherworking Workshop (November 4)	10
Downtown Monroe Business Network: Girlfriends' Night Out (November 9)	21
Downtown Monroe Tree Lighting, museum visitors (November 17)	515
Nutcracker/Rotary Club event (December 1)	20
<i>Ghosts of Christmas Past</i> (December 2)	75
<i>Cocoa with the Conductor</i> (December 9)	50
Chestnut Roasting at the Eby House/Vintage Christmas Market (December 10)	250
Special Events total	3608

Totals for all sites (including all in-person and virtual events and programs)

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD Total
Visitation	4519	4626	4775	6885	8546	11044	12072	15770	7479	7798	4824	4510	92848
Special Events Attendance	685	35	210	732	0	0	95	0	50	830	941	395	3608
TOTAL	5204	4661	4985	7617	8546	11044	12167	15770	7529	8628	5765	4905	96456

Monroe County Museum System Social Media Engagement Report													
Facebook	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD Total
Post reach	6158	9923	7395	4588	744	8483	14883	7120	22107	49620	12792	7706	151519
Post engagement	1688	1296	3008	811	65	1692	4240	5903	2782	1821	343	972	24621
New followers	25	34	59	48	47	17	13	62	64	35	24	19	447
Total followers	6174	6196	6255	6293	6336	6341	6349	6405	n/a	n/a	6524	6543	6543
Instagram	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD Total
Accounts Reached	13	6	267	13	6	3	6	4	237	4259	14	6	4834
Profile visits	19	7	21	18	4	4	1	2	27	31	12	6	152
Total Followers	838	845	860	862	864	864	866	867	n/a	n/a	875	877	877
YouTube	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD Total
Hours Watched	103.4	78.1	110.6	62.6	48.1	54	15.5	16.8	31.2	42.6	24.6	28.9	616.4
Impressions	7093	2971	10254	11305	3413	4487	2583	1647	4869	3795	2529	2631	57577
Views	374	230	637	331	189	240	148	124	311	259	169	173	3185
Most popular video	September - Octobernight 2023 ; October - Searching for Le Griffon - with Ric Mixer; November - Searching for Le Griffon - with Ric Mixer; December - Searching for Le Griffon - with Ric Mixer												

Monroe County Museum System - Detailed 2023 Visitation Data	
Notes	In 2023, the Monroe County Museum welcomed visitors from 44 different Michigan cities, 30 states, and 6 countries.

Michigan Cities		States		Countries
Adrian	Marquette	Alabama	Michigan	Finland
Bay City	Maybee	Alaska	Minnesota	Germany
Bedford	Milan	Arizona	Missouri	Japan
Belleville	Monroe	Arkansas	New Jersey	Scotland
Bloomfield	Newport	California	Ohio	South Africa
Burton	Ottawa Lake	Colorado	Oklahoma	United States
Canton	Port Huron	District of Columbia	Oregon	
Carleton	Portland (MI)	Florida	Pennsylvania	
Dearborn	Riverview	Georgia	South Carolina	
Detroit	Rochester	Illinois	Tennessee	
Dundee	Rockwood	Indiana	Texas	
Erie	Royal Oak	Iowa	Utah	
Exeter	Saline	Kentucky	Virginia	
Flat Rock	Southgate	Louisiana	Washington	
Frederic Twp.	Spring Lake	Maryland	Wisconsin	
Frenchtown Twp.	Taylor			
Grand Rapids	Tecumseh			
Hillsdale	Temperance			
Ida	Wayne			
Jackson	West Bloomfield			
LaSalle	Woodhaven			
Lincoln Park	Wyandotte			

Monroe County Museum System Engagement Report - January 2024

Monroe County Museum

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Visitation	200												200
Visitation Data	In January, we welcomed 200 visitors to the museum - 102 adults, 60 seniors, 9 youth, and 29 children. 81 people were visiting for the first time! Wednesday was the most popular day of the week, bringing in 58 people total. Michigan visitors hailed from Frenchtown Township, Lansing, Lincoln Park, Monroe, Plainville, Romulus, Temperance, and Ypsilanti. Out of state visitors included people from Florida, Georgia, Indiana, Maryland, New York, Ohio, Oklahoma, Oregon, Texas, and the United Kingdom!												
Notes	The Monroe County Museum operates from 10am to 5pm, Sunday through Saturday. The Frenchtown Spinners Guild meets on the third Thursday of each month.												

Monroe County Archives

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD Total
Interactions													0
Obit Requests													0
Visitation													0
Notes	<u>Interactions</u> include emails and phone calls, while <u>Visitation</u> includes scheduled appointments, drop-ins, and members of the Genealogical Society of Monroe County (GSMC), who meet at the Museum on Wednesdays. The MCA is available by appointment only, Tuesday-Saturday.												

Papermill School

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD Total
Visitation													0
Notes	Visitation numbers are based on visitors entering Papermill School, which was open from May 25 to September 2.												

Territorial Park

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD Total
Visitation	1944												1944
Notes	Visitation numbers are based on the vehicle counter at Papermill School.												

Vietnam Veterans Memorial

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD Total
Visitation	2250												2250
Visitation numbers are based on the vehicle counter at Heck Park.													

Vietnam Veterans Memorial Museum

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD Total
Visitation													0
Notes	The VVMM opened on Memorial Day Weekend and will be open 10-4 on Saturdays through the end of September.												

Monroe County Fair

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St. Antoine's

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD Total
Visitation													0
Notes	No data exists as there is no vehicle counter on site.												

Monroe County Museum System <i>In-Person/Virtual Programs</i> Engagement Report													
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD Total
Education Kit Usage	0												0
Field Trips (attendees)	0												0
MCMS2U Visits	0												0
YesterWays	21												21
Notes	N/A												

Monroe County Museum System Special Events Attendance													
Special Events total													0

Totals for all sites (including all in-person and virtual events and programs)													
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD Total
Visitation	4415	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4415
Special Events Attendance	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	4415	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4415

Monroe County Museum System *Social Media* Engagement Report

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YouTube													
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD Total
Hours Watched	26												26
Impressions	2115												2115
Views	154												154
Most popular video	Searching for Le Griffon - with Ric Mixer												