



Opening day, May 24, 1964

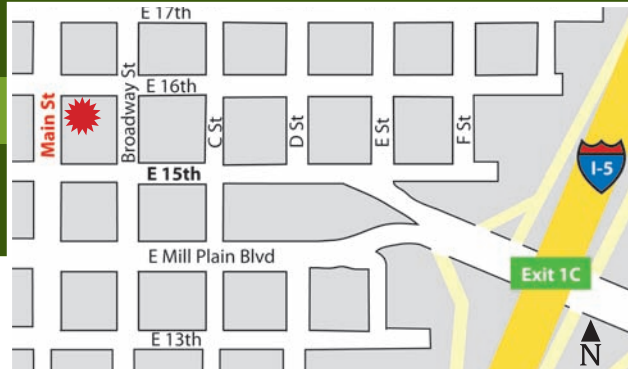


*Preserving the Past.*

*Shaping the Future.*

### You Can Make a Difference...

- ✦ Purchase and maintain an annual membership
- ✦ Support museum events by sponsoring, volunteering or participating in museum programs
- ✦ Shop the museum store for unique quality gifts
- ✦ Volunteer your time and resources
- ✦ Give the gift that lasts all year long: purchase gift memberships



### Directions:

Take Mill Plain Blvd. Exit 1C from I-5. Travel West about 1/3 mile. Turn right (North) on Main St. and travel for one block to the Museum.

### Hours of Operation:

Tuesday thru Saturday 11am - 4pm  
Additional hours on First Thursday Evenings (Feb. - Nov.) from 5pm -9pm

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Gold Spike Ceremony, SP&S Railroad. 1908





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# PAST

**“The breath of the collection for a museum of this size is truly remarkable.”**

- Susan Tissot, Executive Director

### About us

The Clark County Historical Museum opened its doors to the public for the first time, May 24, 1964. Located in Vancouver’s 1909 Carnegie Library the museum is operated by the Clark County Historical Society which began their historic preservation work in 1917. The stately beaux arts-style building is listed on the National Register of Historic Places and was the original home to the Fort Vancouver Regional Library.

### Connecting the Collection to Education

The Society collects, preserves and showcases a broad based collection of regional artifacts, photographs, documents and ephemera dating from 1200 A.D. to 1985. Our primary goal is to make the collection relevant and accessible to present and future generations. By partnering with local schools, universities, government agencies and other organizations portions of the museum’s collection are now available on-line and in the classroom, connecting



### Public Programs and Events

Our rich community history comes alive as part of today’s world with public programs and events held throughout the year. Programs include changing exhibits, “First Thursday Museum After Hours”, seasonal

walking tours and annual family-friendly events. For program and event information contact the museum or visit our web site.

### Join us in Preserving your History Membership has its rewards!

Join and/or treat your family and friends to a Clark County Historical Society Membership. Members enjoy free admission to the Museum and Research Library, invitations to special events, a complimentary copy of our Clark County History Annual and a discount in the Museum Store on most items.

# FUTURE

With your help, we can  
preserve the past and inspire the future.

Yes I want to support history!

Name

Address

City

State

Zipcode

Phone

Email

- I am becoming a new member
- I am renewing my membership
- I am purchasing this membership as a gift for: \_\_\_\_\_

### Annual Memberships

- \$25 Student (non-voting)
- \$40 Friend (Individual)
- \$60 Family Membership
- \$100 Associated
- \$250 Historian
- \$500 Curator
- \$1000 Steward
- \$2500 Visionary

IN ADDITION, I would like to contribute to the Clark County Historical Society & Museum’s long-term financial stability.

Enclosed is my additional donation of: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

My donation is in honor of: \_\_\_\_\_

My donation is in memory of: \_\_\_\_\_

Check enclosed  VISA/Mastercard

VISA/MC # \_\_\_\_\_ Exp. Date \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Please send me information about:

- Volunteer opportunities
- Including CCHM in my will/trust
- Making a gift to CCHM through bequest, annuity, trust, insurance, securities or real estate.

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