

Become A Member!

Please help preserve the heritage of Shannon County. Membership support is vital to the continued efforts of the museum.

Memberships are tax deductible.

Please check one:

- Friend \$10.00
- Patron \$25.00
- Business \$25.00
- Student \$2.50
- Angel \$500.00
- Donation \$ _____

Would you be interested in volunteering at the museum?

- Yes
- No

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Dedicated to Preserving
the Past for the Future



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Shannon County

Museum Association

is proud to present a permanent facility to house and preserve the artifacts, skills, information, and history of Shannon County and its people in the Anna Searcy building on Main Street. Come in and visit the Museum and see the new and different exhibits available to the public.

More importantly, if you have items that are of historical interest, please contact a member of the museum board to discuss placing the item in the Museum. There are two ways that items can be on exhibit: 1) the item can be donated to the Museum and becomes the property of the Association; 2) the item can be placed "On Loan" to the Museum for a specific amount of time and remains the property of the donor. If you have items you wish to donate or place on loan, please call (573)226-3898 for more information.

There is a Historical and Genealogy Library where documents, books on different families, and histories of Shannon County are available to the public. If you have books written about your family genealogy, please consider donating a copy of them. If you have a family member who has written a book or published an article or

short story, please donate a copy to the library.



FUND RAISING

Funds for the Museum come from a variety of sources. These sources are:

MEMBERSHIPS

FUND-RAISING PROJECTS

CONTRIBUTIONS & DONATIONS

Membership in the Museum is the #1 source of income for the organization. Your support and membership is very important to the organization's efforts to support and maintain the facility. These funds will be used for operating costs. Dues levels are listed on the back of this brochure.

The Museum Association has several ongoing fund raising projects; these include a DVD of major sites in Shannon County, Lennis Broadfoot book *Pioneers of the Ozarks*, David Lewis book *Footprints Along the Current*, Alan Banks book *Indians of Upper Current River*, and Dan and Suzanne Chilton book *Blue and Gray Cross Current*. The Museum also has a gift shop shared with Franks Hughes in memory of his wife Hilma, former Secretary-Treasurer of the organization. Other fund raising projects are the Shannon County Sites book and the Shannon County Cook Book. More projects are being planned.

Keep an eye out for upcoming exhibits and events and come to support this little treasure.

New Exhibits Include:

Lennis Broadfoot Paintings

Dorothy Ennis Handmade Quilts

David Dix TV Factory

Edibeth Chilton-Ross Ozark Life diorama

Blue and Gray Cross Current Display