

MARSHALL COUNTY MUSEUM

Plymouth, Indiana

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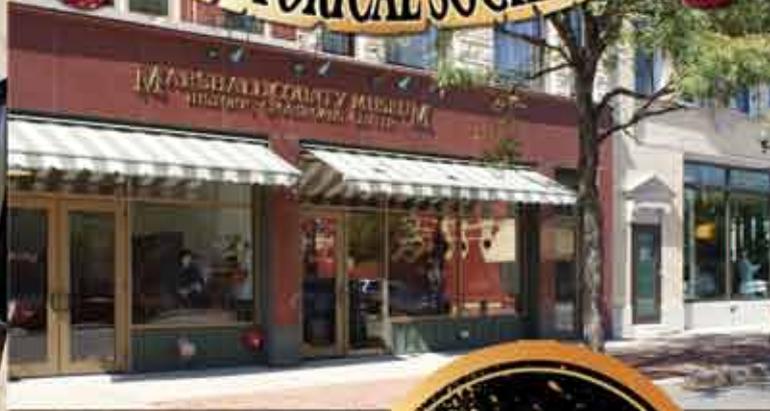


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Explore a Treasury full of Exhibits and Interactive Displays

An amazing place where the questions

WHO? WHAT?
When? Where?
WHY? and How?
are answered

All Aboard! The Train Room

The allure and intrigue of trains makes for a very special room that comes to life with the sights and sounds of the rail.

Thanks to several gentlemen from the community and their shared hobby, you'll see and hear four model trains and a trolley chugging around the tracks on a forty foot board amid miniature town merchants and utilities. The scenery can be controlled by Museum visitors with the push of buttons.

Listen for the whistles in the distance upon your visit or call the Museum for the current train room schedule.

“Under a world of **WHISTLES**, **WIRES** and **steam** Caboose-like **they go** ruminating through Indiana...” Hart Crane



Wild

Get closer than you ever could in nature to some of our animal friends.

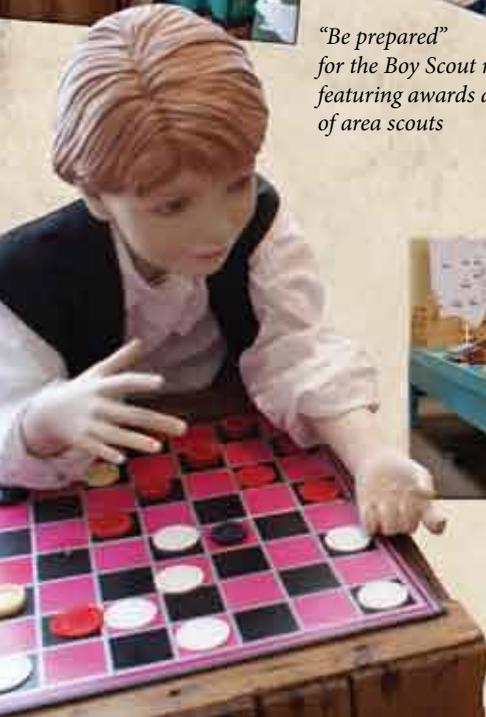
Taxidermy case filled with wildlife



Make viewing artifacts here in Marshall County that represent past events and traditions part of your life-long history lesson.



"Be prepared" for the Boy Scout room featuring awards and uniforms of area scouts



"Discover-by-doing" the hands-on activity room welcomes kids to get a feel for history

The Transportation Room

Let's Go!

View the U.S. 6 Grand Army of the Republic Highway, Michigan Road, Lincoln Highway, Dixie Highway, and Yellowstone Trail all crossing in Marshall County. These routes provide evidence of our country's significant automotive and road building history. Along the drive, travelers discover landscapes showcasing both rural and urban areas, quaint and grand architecture, and vistas that provide glimpses from the past.



...the act of **moving** something from one location to another

Visit the original 1950s Candy Kitchen soda fountain for viewing in the Transportation Room



Genealogy Department

Discover your roots in one of the best research departments in the state. With personable one-on-one attention, this

Surname index file with just under 1,000,000 entries



wonderful resource is at your disposal to search records dating back to 1836.

Military Quarters

A collective display to honor those who have served our country in the past and the sons and daughters preserving our freedoms today.



Wars and their stories represented in the military room include: Civil War, WWI, WWII, Korean War, Vietnam, and Desert Storm.

Uniform and memorabilia donated by residents of Marshall County including David W. Heister and Dr. Otis Bowen