

OUTSIDE GROUNDS

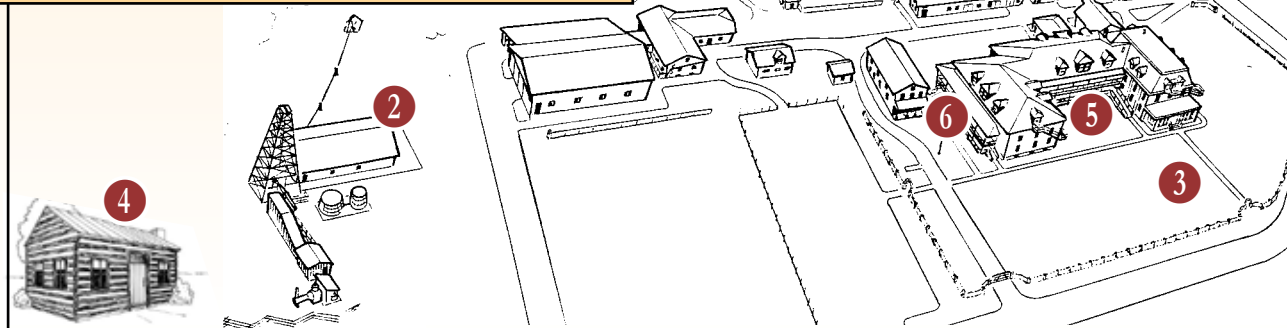
The 50-acre grounds of the Wood County Historical Center include a variety of areas for reunions, ceremonies, picnics, and special events. This lush and unique backdrop is often used by photographers for senior photos, family gatherings, or artistic projects. Popular rental areas include:

- Herb garden **1**
- Boomtown & Oil Derrick **2**
- Lyle Fletcher Arboretum **3**
- Log Cabin **4**
- Center or East Wing Porches **5** **6**
- Corn Barn (*coming soon*) **7**
- Shelter House (*coming soon*) **8**

Many original outbuildings still adorn the property including the Lunatic Asylum, Pestilence House, and Ice House. These buildings provide a unique and lovely backdrop, and can be open for viewing during business hours.

Hold Harmless and Indemnification

In consideration of the Wood County Commissioners granting permission to have a ceremony, reception, or other function performed at the Wood County Historical Center, the organization/guest on behalf of themselves, and all their guests in attendance agree to indemnify and hold harmless Wood County, its Board of County Commissioners, board members and employees of the Wood County Historical Society, and all Wood County employees, agents, heirs and assigns from and against all claims, damages, losses and expenses including reasonable attorney's fees in the event that they or any of their guests, family, relatives and all other persons attending said ceremony, receptions, or other function would have cause to bring an action arising out of bodily injury, illness, death or property damage while on Wood County property.



Grounds Rules & Regulations:

- Grounds are maintained by the Wood County Park District and are open to the public from dawn to dusk.
- Reservations are necessary to avoid conflicts with Museum and Park events.
- One handicap-accessible portable rest room is located in Visitor Parking Lot.
- Please do not stand or sit on the Brandeberry stone wall surrounding the property. This wall is an original structure built in the early 1900s.
- Please do not pick any flowers, plants, or herbs from the grounds. Leaf collection is permitted.
- Please dispose of any trash in one of the many trash cans throughout the site.

Prohibited:

- Firearms.*
- Open flame* (candles, fire pit). Grills are acceptable
- Tape, nails, tacks or anything attached to Museum walls or ceilings. Picture rail and hooks are available.
- Live plants.
- Animals inside Museum. Service animals permitted.
- Smoking inside Museum.
- Food and drink must be confined to the Meeting Rooms or Kitchen and is prohibited in the Museum.
- Alcohol is not permitted on the grounds or inside museum.
- The Staff reserves the right to contact the Wood County Sheriff's Office or Wood County Park District Rangers for any infraction or disruption.

* *Special arrangements can be made for reenactment and scout groups that camp on the grounds.*

Facility Use Policy

Rentals, Tours, and Programs

WOOD COUNTY Historical Center & museum



THE WOOD COUNTY HISTORICAL CENTER & MUSEUM
 13660 County Home Road
 Bowling Green, Ohio 43402
 Conveniently located off I-75 at exit 179

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RENTAL FEES Indoor and Outdoor

Deposit: \$100.00

- Deposit is due 14 days after making a verbal commitment to hold the reservation.
- Your deposit will be returned to you within 14 days after your event if the facilities are left in proper condition and all expectations are met:
 - Arrive and leave on time.
 - Vacuum all areas used (if applicable).
 - Wipe off tables.
 - Leave room or grounds in same condition as when you arrived.
 - Clean up any kitchen mess (if applicable).
 - Remove any tables, chairs, or accessories that you brought with you.

Minimum 4-hour Rental: \$150.00

During normal business hours,
9 am - 5 pm, 7 days a week.

Full Day 8-hour Rental: \$300.00

During normal business hours,
9 am - 5 pm, 7 days a week.

Additional Hour: \$25.00 each hour

Additional hours outside of normal business hours is subject to staff availability.

Additional Information:

- >> Final payment is due 14 days prior to event.
- >> All checks made payable to WCHS.
Credit and debit cards accepted.
- >> WCHS Members at the Patron level or higher receive one free 4-hour rental annually during regular business hours.
- >> Discounts available for Wood County agencies.

AMENITIES:

Any rental of the Historical Center will include these amenities at no extra cost:

- Inside Tables and Chairs (*includes set-up*)
- Garbage and Recycling Containers (*includes removal*)
- Use of kitchen including refrigerator, freezer, oven, microwave, sink, and counters
- Wi-fi (must provide own laptop)
- Podium (floor or table-top)
- American Flag
- ADA-accessible restrooms
- Wheelchairs (2)
- Projection Screen
- 110 Electrical Access (inside or outside in select locations). For 220 electric, there is an extra \$25 fee.
- Parking

ALSO AVAILABLE:

Additional amenities are available for additional rental costs:

- Projector (*must provide own laptop*)..... \$25
- Sound System & Microphone \$25
- Television & DVD..... \$25
- Outdoor Chairs (120) and benches..... \$50
- 30-minute Staff Presentation..... \$25
- Self-guided museum tour\$5/person
- Outdoor 220 Electrical Box \$25
- Electric Claranova Piano..... \$25

Meeting Room:

- Room Size: Approximately 17-1/2' wide by 60' long
- Seats 100 at round tables; 140 lecture style
- Tables and chairs provided. Set-up and tear-down included.
- Carpet, Windows, External and internal doors

Tables:

- (12) card tables (seats 4)
- (12) rounds (seats 6)
- (6) 6' rectangular tables (seats 8)

Chairs:

- Indoors: (100) metal folding chairs and set-up included with rental
- Outdoors: (120) metal folding chairs available for additional \$50, set-up not included.

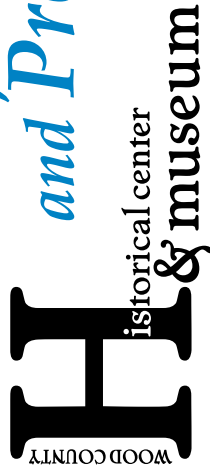
You are responsible for:

- Extension cords, power cords
- Dollies, carts, & help with loading and unloading
- Plates, Cups, Napkins, Silverware, Glassware
- Coffee, Coffee Pot, Warmers
- Food and Beverage
- Tablecloths, linens

PAYMENT & CANCELLATION POLICY

- Deposit is due 14 days after making reservation.
- Final payment is due 14 days prior to event.
- Any cancellation made prior to 48 hours the start of your event will receive a full refund of deposit and rental.
- Any cancellation made within 48 hours of the start of your event will forfeit the deposit, but full rental fee will be returned.

Rentals, Tours, and Programs



MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE & SEND TO:
WOOD COUNTY HISTORICAL SOCIETY
13660 County Home Road
Bowling Green, Ohio 43402
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Download this rental agreement at:
www.woodcountyhistory.org/today_rentals.html

RENTAL CONFIRMATION - Please print, complete, and submit with deposit.

Name of Organization: _____

Contact Person: _____

Address: _____
(Deposit, if returned, will be sent to this address. Include City, State, and Zip Code)

Phone: _____

E-mail: _____

Event Date(s): _____

Rental Start/End Time: _____ Event Start/End Time: _____
(Include time allotted for set-up and tear-down)

Number of People: _____

Age Range: _____

Rental Areas

- Meeting Room
- Other Museum Space
- _____
- Grounds: Herb Garden
- Grounds: Oil Derrick
- Grounds: Log Cabin
- Other Grounds

Amenities (extra fee)

- Projector (*must provide laptop*) (\$25)
- Sound System & Microphone (\$25)
- Television & DVD (\$25)
- Outdoor Chairs (120)/benches (\$50)
- 30-minute Staff Presentation (\$25)
- Self-guided Museum Tour (\$5/ person)
- Outdoor 220 Electrical Box (\$25)
- Electric Claranova Piano (\$25)

Amenities (no cost)

- Tables & Chairs (*inside*)
- Kitchen (*fridge, frzer, oven, microwave, sink*)
- Wi-fi
- Podium
- American Flag
- Wheel Chair
- Projection Screen

For Educators: School: _____ Teacher: _____

Grade(s): _____ Subject: _____

I have read the rules and regulations of the Wood County Historical Center & Museum's Rental Policy and will abide by the rules for the duration of my stay.

Signed: _____ Date: _____

Museum Representative: _____ Date: _____

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***** **FOR MUSEUM USE:** *****

Park Notified (date): _____ mowing | snow removal | rangers

Staff Responsible at Event: _____ Recorded in Museum Calendar

Volunteers/Tour Guides needed: _____

DEPOSIT RECEIVED copy made for Events Binder

Date Received: _____

Amount: \$100.00

chk#/cash: _____

RENTAL PAYMENT RECEIVED

Minimum 4-hour Rental: \$150.00 _____

Full Day 8-hour Rental: \$300.00 _____

Additional Hour: \$25.00 / hour x _____ hours = _____

Total Rental Payment DUE: \$ _____

Date Received: _____ copy made for Events Binder

Amount: _____

chk#/cash: _____

DEPOSIT RETURNED - PLEASE READ DEPOSIT POLICY IN RENTAL AGREEMENT!

Date Mailed: _____

Amount: _____

chk#/cash: _____

copy made for Events Binder