



Kammer Log Cabin

In the late 1850s, Conrad Kammer built a log home in Casco Township to the southwest of Port Huron. Generations of Kammers lived in this house. Over the years, many additions and improvements were made to keep pace with changing times and fashions. The original log walls with mud daubing had become completely hidden by two different layers of exterior siding.

In 1981, Robert Nellis bought the cabin. When he began to tear down what was then a house, he discovered the log cabin underneath the siding. Rather than destroy it, Mr. Nellis donated it to the Port Huron Museum and it was moved to the Museum grounds. The Museum has restored the historical structure to its approximate appearance during its early years as a pioneer home. It is currently used for educational programs and special events.

Pioneer Birthday Party

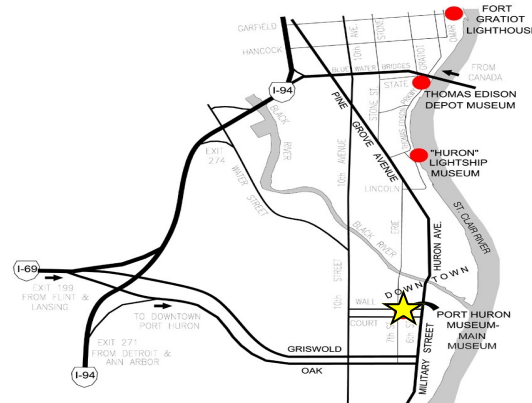
Step back in time at the Kammer family cabin with a pioneer themed party. Dress like a pioneer, create rag dolls and make your own ice cream. Your party will even take place in an authentic 1850s German log home!

All parties are 2 hours in length with 1 1/2 hours of guided activities and a 1/2 hour for cake ice cream and presents (not provided). Prices begin at \$120.00 for up to 10 children and 4 adults. Each additional child is \$6.00. To book your party, call (810) 982-0891, ext. 118 or send an email to reservations@phmuseum.org.

Admission

	One Site	PHM Membership (3 sites)	Premier Membership (3 sites + FGLS)
Student/Senior	\$5.00	\$25.00	\$40.00 Save \$10
Adult	\$7.00	\$35.00	\$50.00 Save \$20
Family*	\$20.00	\$45.00	\$75.00 Save \$25

Active Military with ID and children 4 and under - no charge
*Family = 2 adults and up to 4 children, \$2 for each additional child



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Adults \$25 - Senior/Student \$15 - Family* \$45

Visit All of Our Museum Sites

Thomas Edison Depot Museum - 810-455-0035
510 Edison Parkway, Port Huron

Fort Gratiot Light Station County Park- 810-216-6923
2802 Omar, Port Huron

HURON Lightship Museum - 810-984-9768
located in Pine Grove Park
800 Prospect, Port Huron

Prices and times are subject to change

For More Information:

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Website: www.phmuseum.org

PORT HURON MUSEUM

CARNEGIE CENTER MUSEUM

1115 Sixth Street
Port Huron, Michigan 48060



Hours of Operation

Sept. 17, 2016 - Feb. 5, 2017 ~ Tuesday - Saturday

10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Feb. 6 ~ Site closed for renovations and will reopen upon project completion.

Closed select holidays; please call or check website for updates.

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Experience Our History

Andrew Carnegie, one of the most important philanthropists of his era, led the enormous expansion of the American steel industry in the late 19th century. After he sold his steel business he devoted his life to large scale philanthropy, with special emphasis on local libraries, world peace, education, and scientific research.

In 1902, the City of Port Huron secured \$45,000 from Andrew Carnegie, with the intention of using the money to erect a municipal library. A grand Beaux-Arts-style structure was built using Indiana limestone in 1904. At the library's dedication, Melvil Dewey, the creator of the widely-used book classification system known as the *Dewey Decimal System*, delivered the opening address. After the City Library merged with the St. Clair County Library, the building was slated for demolition. Through the dedicated efforts of concerned volunteers, the building was saved and opened its doors May 3, 1968 as the Port Huron Museum of Arts and History.

Workshops and Programs

The Port Huron Museum offers exciting workshops and programs throughout the year. Many temporary exhibits feature workshops that are perfect for classroom; field trips and weekend lectures for all ages. Please call (810) 982-0891, ext. 118 or check our website www.phmuseum.org for more information.



Travelling and Permanent Exhibits

The Carnegie Center is home to over 15,000 objects and archival items relating to the history, pre-history, and culture of the Blue Water Area. There is a little something for everyone; our unique exhibits meet the interests of both the young and young at heart.

The Marine Gallery was restructured in 2011 and displays over 50 handcrafted ship models, as well as their corresponding history. Original Tiffany glass still graces the ceiling of the mezzanine and second floor rotunda.

Discover the beautiful hand carved wood paneling in the McMorran room, which was purchased by George Gordon Moore from England at a cost of \$125,000. Before Moore's home was torn down, Bernard Kuhn and Carl Lasher gave the paneling to St. Clair County Community College who, in turn, gave it to the Museum.

Local enthusiasts will enjoy the collection of local history located through out the museum. Including many photographs, artifacts, model ships, and so much more.

Each year, the Museum offers several temporary and travelling exhibits in the main floor galleries. These exhibits present history, science, and stories of local interest. Check our website for current shows and events.



Field Trips, Group Tours, and Rentals

For groups of 20 or more people, please contact the Port Huron Museum Visitor Services Coordinator, at (810) 982-0891, ext. 118 or reservations@phmuseum.org for information regarding discounted group rates, to schedule group tours, and to book your party, meeting, or reception.

Pioneer Day

Step back in time and spend a day in our authentic 1850's log cabin, learning what life would have been like as a Michigan pioneer. During the 4 hour program, you will participate in a variety of activities and chores that children did during pioneer times including, making soup, dipping candles, creating a tin punch, writing in a journal with a quill, and playing pioneer games.

Cost for groups of 20+: \$8.00 per student, chaperones & teachers FREE

Can't Travel? A similar program can be presented in the classroom!

For questions or to schedule a Pioneer Day, call (810) 982-0891, ext. 118 or send an email to reservations@phmuseum.org



Volunteers Needed

Do you have a few hours a week or month to volunteer? Contact the Port Huron Museums Visitor Services Coordinator, at (810) 982-0891, ext.118 or email volunteer@phmuseum.org for information and opportunities.