



Transcending Time

CARVER COUNTY HISTORICAL SOCIETY

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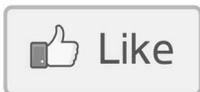
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Membership Update & Donations

For the most up to date information:

Like us on Facebook.

We are at 645 likes. Can you help us reach 775 in honor of our 75th anniversary?



"We keep moving forward, opening new doors, and doing new things, because we're curious and curiosity keeps leading us down new paths.

Walt Disney

The CCHS receives two American Association for State and Local History Awards of Merit for Excellence in History



Left to right: John Dichtl, AASLH President and CEO, Wendy Petersen-Biorn, Darlene Fasching and Julia Rose, AASLH Chair

Two Wars on the Frontier

First published in 2014, *Two Wars on the Frontier* is already in its 3rd printing. The book is the compiled diaries of A. J. Carlson, a member of the 9th Minnesota, Co. H. The book, and editors Darlene Fasching and Wendy Petersen-Biorn, have now received both the Minnesota Alliance of Local History Museums' (MALHM) award and the American Association for State and Local History (AASLH) award for excellence in History for their work on the book.

CCHS Web Redesign

The website redesign project has now received three awards (MN Council for nonprofit Dot.org award, MALH, and AASLH) for technology innovation and excellence in history. Accomplished through a Legacy grant and with the aid of local business, Creature Works, this interactive and engaging website has received much acclaim. The site was constructed following two years of surveys of members to determine their needs.



AASLH

American Association for State and Local History



Learning may lead
to new insights
and fun!!!

Education Department News

With Heidi Gould

All Hallow's Eve/Halloween

Join the Carver County Historical Society and Carver County Parks for a fun and safe Halloween event.

Practice your archery skills using pumpkin targets, play Halloween themed games, make origami bats and fuzzy spiders, and more! Build scarecrows, paint, and get your very own treat bag.

Costumes are encouraged- then you're all set for trick-or-treating afterwards.

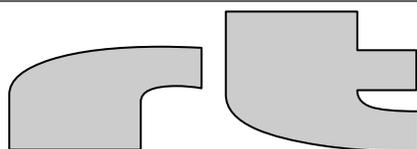
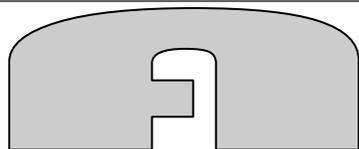


Date: Saturday, October 31

Time: 1-3pm

Location: Lake Waconia Park, Event Center

Cost: \$5/person



For the Visually Impaired

Multi-Sensory Art: Art for the Visually Impaired

Experiential learning is learning through the reflection on "doing". It also focuses on the experience of the individual. This class will incorporate various sights, sounds, smells, movement and tactile exercises to unleash individual creativity, discussion and artistic exploration. Select items from the historical society's collection will be incorporated into lessons linking objects and art materials (unique textures, distinct smells, sound art, and contrasting colors for those who still have limited vision, etc.) Students will make discoveries, explore objects, experiment with various art materials, and expand their creativity through the process of connecting senses with experience.



Date: Saturday, October 24 **Time:** 1-3pm

Location: CCHS **Cost:** \$30/person

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