Preserving Local History: Lend-to-Scan Day

August 17, 11:00 am to 3:00 pm

Hendricks County Museum

This Lend-to-Scan Day is vital to preserving access to the rich materials in our county. Drop off your historic photographs on the day of the event. Allow 1-2 weeks for our team to scan the items to be added to our digital collections. You will be contacted when your photos are ready for pick up.

For this event, organizers are seeking historic Hendricks County photographs that fit the themes Town, Architecture, Schools, or Business. Please limit the number of photos to 25.   Lend us your 25 photographs by dropping them off at the Hendricks County Museum, August 17th between 11:00 am to 3:00 pm. At a later date, the Museum will provide required documents to collect your contact information and data that scanners will use to identify your photographs.

Only photographs no larger than 11 inches by 17 inches will be digitized at this event.   If items brought to the August 17th event cannot be scanned at that time for any reason, or if participants have additional items of interest in other categories, participants will receive information on how to schedule a follow-up appointment for assistance or other recommendation after this event.

In addition to having photographs digitized and added to local museum digital archives, many of our county photographs are added to the Indiana Memory Collection online for viewing https://digital.library.in.gov/

Anyone can participate, but if you are not a member of the Hendricks County Museum, you will want to join!   The Hendricks County Museum will choose a member's collection to feature on our Hendricks County Museum Collection Website!   https://hendrickscountymuseum.pastperfectonline.com/

We have several options for membership and fun for everyone!
To join, visit our website at: https://hendrickscountymuseum.org/join-the-museum/
Or contact us at:
317-718-6158
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Members of the public who have questions about this event may contact the Hendricks County Museum at 317-718-6158.

More information about how to identify your items and prepare them for drop off will be added soon. Check back or check the Hendricks County Museum Website for future "Event" details.