

## 2018 Events, Exhibits, Programs, and Activities: (events and dates subject to change at Society discretion)

- **Victorian Valentine:** Hear a true local story of Victorian love lost, learn about Victorian courting customs and the Victorian language of flowers. Receive a red carnation, choose a reproduction Victorian Valentine to keep, and enjoy a glass of champagne. 21 and older! February 14 at 6:00 or 7:00p.m. Reservations required. The 1875 Vera Estey House at 16 Third Street.
- **FREE Presentations on topics of local historical interest:** The presentations begin at 5:30 p.m. at the Hampton Inn, 768 Main Street, Presque Isle.
  - Wednesday, March 7 – Bisque Dolls and Frozen Charlotte
  - Wednesday, June 6 – Victorian Hair Work
  - Wednesday, September 5 – The History of Button Collecting
  - Wednesday, December 5 – Victorian Mourning Rituals
- **Narrated City-Wide Historic Tours aboard Molly the Trolley:** Tours begin at 9:00 a.m. at the Historic Fire Station, 11 Church Street, Presque Isle and last approximately 3 hours. Tickets are \$5.00 each and **reservations are required.** (Minimum 5 reservations required for trolley trip to be “a Go”.)
  - May 12, June 9, July 14, August 11
- **FREE Guided Walking Tours of Historic Downtown Presque Isle:** The tours begin and end at the Vera Estey House, 16 Third Street, Presque Isle at 10:00 a.m. The tours last approximately two hours and cover two miles. On street parking is available. Reservations suggested.
  - April 28, May 26, June 23, July 28, August 25 and September 22
- **Guided Tours of the 1875 Vera Estey House Museum:** The one-hour tours begin at 1:00 p.m. at 16 Third Street. On-street parking is available. Tickets \$5.00 each. Spots are limited. Reservations suggested.
  - April 28, May 26, June 23, July 28, August 25 and September 22
- **Guided Walking Tours of Historic Fairmount Cemetery:** The tours begin at 5:30 p.m. at the Civil War Monument in Fairmount Cemetery on US Route 1 just south of the city proper. Parking is available across the street at the Chamber of Commerce. Tickets \$5.00 each. Reservations suggested. Hear the history of the cemetery, about its Victorian influences and the stories of some of Presque Isle’s interesting historical figures interred within.
  - May 11, June 8, July 13, August 10, and September 7
- **Summer History Camp for Kids, ages 8 to 12:** \$150 per camper. Daily from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. includes lunch. Crafts, tours, rides on Molly the Trolley, outdoor games. Develops social skills, character and self-confidence while learning more about the history of Presque Isle. Space is limited! Camp held at Maysville Museum, 165 Caribou Rd, Presque Isle.
  - Monday, June 25 – Friday, June 29 (Deadline for registration June 15)
- **The Amazing Mystery History Tour:** This two-hour tour takes you to 14 sites you may not ever have seen or heard about around town aboard Molly the Trolley. Tickets \$10.00 each. **Reservations required.** Monday, September 3 departing the Historic Fire Station at 11 Church Street at 1:00 p.m.
- **Fall Foliage Tours aboard Molly the Trolley:** Tours depart the Historic Fire Station, 11 Church Street at 1:00 p.m. Tickets \$10.00 per person. **Reservations required.**
  - October 7, October 13, and October 14
- **Haunted Lantern History Tours:** Guided “slightly scary and kinda’ creepy” nighttime tours of historic downtown Presque Isle by lantern light. Tours begin at the Historic Fire Station, 11 Church Street, \$5.00 per person
  - Friday, October 19 and Saturday, October 20 – 6:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m. Walking Tours
  - Friday, October 19 and Saturday, October 20 – 6:30 p.m. and 7:30 p.m. for Molly ToursThe tours aboard Molly are by **reservation only** and must be pre-paid; seats limited.
- **Roosevelt Day at the Museum:** Celebrate President Theodore Roosevelt’s 160<sup>th</sup> birthday by perusing our fascinating Roosevelt collection. Light refreshments, special guests. \$10.00 per person. October 27 from 6:00 – 8:00 p.m. at the Maysville Museum, 165 Caribou Road.
- **All aboard the Holly Trolley!** Ride on Molly the Trolley in Presque Isle’s Holiday Light Parade. Saturday, December 1. Seats limited. **Reservations required.** \$10.00 per person. Boarding 1 hour prior to parade start at UMPI.
- **Victorian Christmas at the Estey:** Take a self-guided tour of the 1875 Vera Estey House Museum all decked out for the holidays with hand-made Victorian era decorations and an historical interpreter in period costume in each room performing a task from the late 1800s germane to that room. \$10.00 per person. December 14 and 15 from 6:00 to 9:00 p.m.

Molly the Trolley is available for charter for class and family reunions, birthday parties, weddings, and more. Inquire today!

**Visit the Maysville Museum, 165 Caribou Road, open Mon – Sat 10:00 am to 2pm April through October! FREE!**