

SUMMER SCHOOL IS COOL

AT  
THE

**DRAKE  
SCHOOL  
MUSEUM**

Corner of  
Valley Road &  
Fowler Road.  
Honor, MI

**OPEN**  
**JULY & AUGUST**  
Saturday & Sunday  
1:00 P.M. - 4:00 P.M.

Would you like to  
explore historic  
photos and  
archives of  
Benzie County  
& Beyond?

It says  
here it's  
all in the  
online  
catalog!



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## BENZIE AREA HISTORICAL MUSEUM EXHIBITS

Exhibits of our life and heritage here in Benzie County are lively, authentic, engaging, and creatively tell our story. (If room? Our unique history is well represented with exhibits featuring Pulitzer-Prize winning author and Benzonia-bred Bruce Catton, the Ann Arbor Railroad and Carferries, resorts and summer camps, logging and sawmills, agriculture, education, textiles, and the Grand Army of the Republic. The Museum also includes the many tools and materials used in daily life throughout the years including stoves, ice boxes and refrigerators, and other appliances.)

### SEASONAL EXHIBITS

#### KART RACING

For four years, 1960-1963, the Beulah- Benzonia Chamber of Commerce hosted an International Kart Federation sanctioned Kart Road Race on a half-mile course in downtown Beulah.



### REVISITING THE SINKING OF THE ANN ARBOR #4 100 YEARS AGO



Often called an unlucky boat, learn why some historians think she had plenty of luck on her side.

#### LOWERING OF CRYSTAL LAKE

Sesquicentennial of the fascinating true story of a man, a plan, a canal, a beach and a panorama!



#### BENZIE AREA HISTORICAL SOCIETY

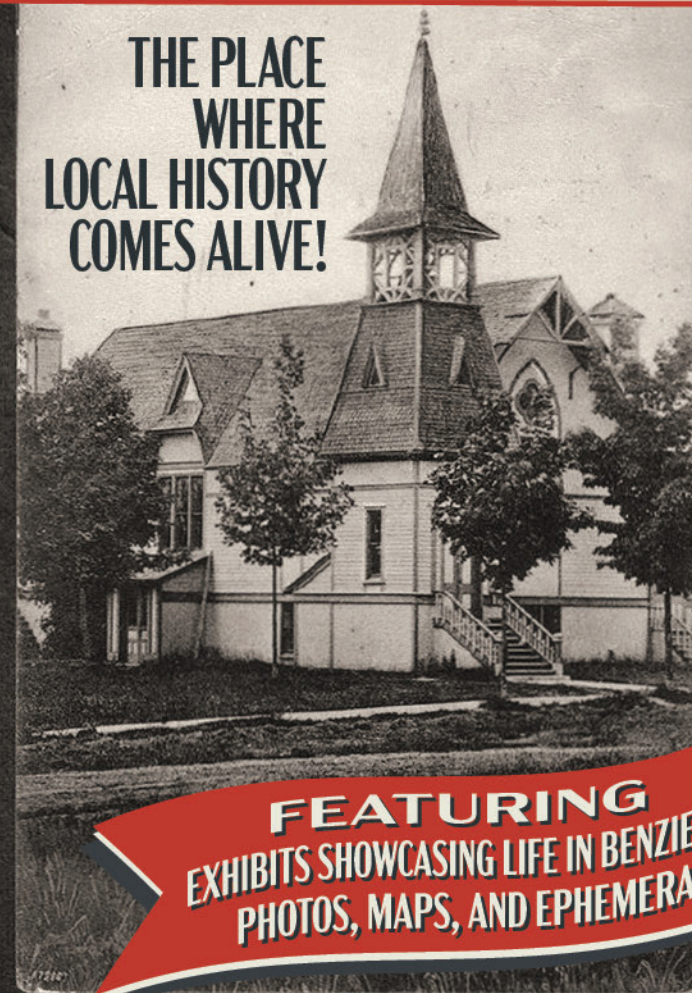
The mission of the Benzie Area Historical Society is to connect people to the past through the vibrant story of our region. By collecting, preserving, and interpreting the history of the Benzie area, we link past with present and inspire future generations.

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## VISIT THE BENZIE AREA HISTORICAL MUSEUM

THE PLACE  
WHERE  
LOCAL HISTORY  
COMES ALIVE!



**FEATURING**  
EXHIBITS SHOWCASING LIFE IN BENZIE  
PHOTOS, MAPS, AND EPHEMERA

**OPEN** TUES - SAT | 11:00 a.m. - 4:00 P.M.  
6941 Traverse Ave | Benzonia, Michigan



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JOIN US FOR THE **BENZONIA ACADEMY LECTURES**

IN PERSON or via ZOOM [www.benziemuseum.org](http://www.benziemuseum.org)

THURS.  
**JUNE 08**  
7:00 P.M.



## CAR FERRIES IN ICE

PRESENTED BY GRANT BROWN

THURS.  
**JULY 13**  
7:00 P.M.



## THE LOWERING OF CRYSTAL LAKE

PRESENTED BY STACY DANIELS

THURS.  
**AUG 10**  
7:00 P.M.



## WOMEN, POWER, AND THE AMERICAN FOOD REVOLUTION

PRESENTED BY LAURA SHAPIRO

THURS.  
**SEPT 14**  
7:00 P.M.



## A BENZIE BOY'S 50 PLUS YEARS' ENGAGEMENT WITH THE ACHOLI PEOPLE OF NORTHERN UGANDA

PRESENTED BY RON ATKINSON

THURS.  
**OCT 12**  
4:00 P.M.



## 1906: A SUMMER TO REMEMBER

DONATED HISTORICAL PHOTOS BRING A FAMILY TO LIFE

PRESENTED BY STEVE VEATCH & CHERI DUNDON

JUNE - OCT. AT THE **MILLS COMMUNITY HOUSE**  
891 Michigan Avenue | Benzonia, MI

THURS.  
**NOV 09**  
4:00 P.M.



## THE PARADOXES OF AN ANISHINABE ANTHROPOLOGIST

PRESENTED BY KATRINA FURMAN, MPA

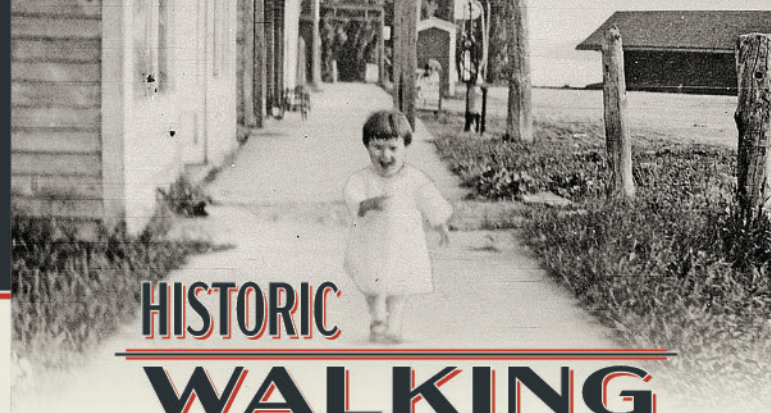
THURS.  
**DEC 14**  
4:00 P.M.



## THE UKRAINE

PRESENTED BY BRIAN MCCALL

NOV. & DEC. AT THE **FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH OF BENZONIA**  
901 Barber Street | Benzonia, MI



## HISTORIC WALKING TOURS

• FOREST AVE. | FRANKFORT •  
JUNE 11, JULY 9, & AUGUST 13 @ 2:00 P.M.

• ELBERTA •  
JULY 5, AUGUST 23, & SEPTEMBER 13 @ 7:00 P.M.

• BEULAH •  
JULY 11 @ 7:00 P.M.

• THOMPSONVILLE •  
JULY 26 @ 7:00 P.M.

• HONOR •  
AUGUST 15 @ 7:00 P.M.

• LEELANAU AVE. | FRANKFORT •  
SEPTEMBER 3 & 4 @ 2:00 P.M.

Reservations required.  
Please visit our website.



## HEADSTONE CLEANING

WITH JANE PURKIS  
SUNDAYS @ 2:00 P.M.

DATE	CEMETERY
JUN. 25	BRUNDAGE/INLAND TWP.
JUL. 23	CRYSTAL LAKE EAST
AUG. 20	ALMIRA/LAKE ANN TWP.
SEPT. 10	GILMORE TWP.
SEPT. 17	WELDON TWP.

For a list of supplies to bring,  
please visit our website.

JOIN US FOR A **MUSEUM OPEN HOUSE**

OLD FASHIONED FUN & GAMES!

AND THE **BENZIE COMMUNITY BAND CONCERT**

PERFORMS ON THE LAWN • WEDNESDAY

**JULY 19**

OPEN HOUSE 6:00 P.M.  
CONCERT 7:00 P.M.

PRE-REGISTER ON OUR WEBSITE  
SO WE HAVE ENOUGH TREATS!



TAKE A GUIDED **TOUR** OF THE



## S.S. CITY OF MILWAUKEE

THURSDAY | AUGUST 3 | 11:00 A.M.  
MANISTEE, MICHIGAN

\$30 PER PERSON.  
INCLUDES LUNCH.

REGISTER ON OUR WEBSITE.  
RESERVATIONS REQUIRED.  
SPACE IS LIMITED.

JOIN US FOR THE **2023**

## ANNUAL MEETING AND VOLUNTEER APPRECIATION

THURSDAY | SEPTEMBER 21

6:30 P.M. - 7:00 P.M. RECEPTION  
7:00 P.M. ANNUAL MEETING & PROGRAM

AT THE **MILLS COMMUNITY HOUSE**

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