

THE PAST COMES ALIVE

The Oktibbeha County Heritage Museum was established in 1976 to celebrate our nation's 200th birthday. In the heart of Starkville, Mississippi, an 1874 Mobile & Ohio railroad depot houses the museum that preserves part of our community's bygone culture. In 2009, the Heritage Museum received an Award of Excellence in Historic Preservation for Interior Renovation.

PERMANENT EXHIBITS

- Native American and early county history
- Civil War, military and local aviation history
- Early home life, school, and church keepsakes
- Local agriculture and industries' evolution
- Sports Hall of Fame
- **Evans Shine Parlor**
- Jones Shoe Repair
- Main Street photos from yesteryear
- Historic doctor's office
- Coca Cola's local history
- Interactive children's corner
- Miniature railroad layout

All artifacts on permanent exhibit in the museum are from Oktibbeha County.

HOURS:

Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Group tours available by special arrangement.

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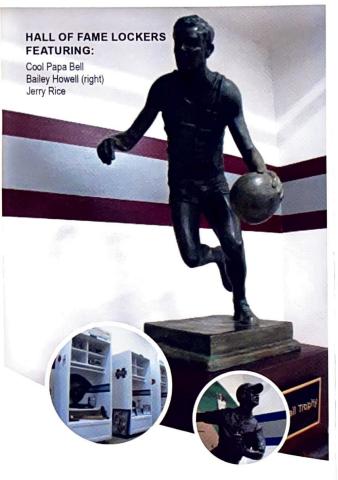




Keep up with museum events and exhibits on Facebook and Instagram @ocheritagemuseum

Please contact the museum if you are interested in becoming a museum volunteer.

celebrating the past and embracing the future



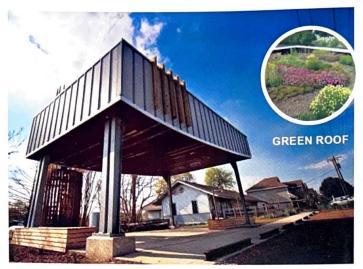
THE FRIENDS OF THE HERITAGE MUSEUM

This organization assists the museum in its mission: preserving our community's heritage and enhancing our knowledge and the preservation of our county's history and culture.

The Friends of the Museum sponsors special events and programs at the museum to help keep our museum free to the public.

You are encouraged to join the Friends of the Museum if you'd like to support the museum. Different levels of membership are offered and all contributions (membership dues, gifts, and memorials) are tax deductible.







MUSEUM GARDENS

The museum boasts an award-winning landscape designed and built by faculty and students from Mississippi State University. The improvements highlight sustainable landscape strategies and include a green roof pavilion which is available to rent for events.

The landscape improvements were funded through the efforts of The Friends of the Oktibbeha County Heritage Museum as well as donations from the City, County, corporations and individuals.