

## About the Center

*The McKeesport Heritage Center is a museum and research facility dedicated to preserving the history of McKeesport for future generations. We are a non-profit organization, founded in 1980. In 1991 we moved to our present facility in Renziehausen Park. We have six museum rooms open to the public with memorabilia from local families, organizations and businesses. We maintain research materials that are available to our members, including issues of The Daily News, our local paper, dating from 1884 to the present, as well as extensive archival materials. We sponsor numerous programs throughout the year, including our annual Founders Day Program and a Black History Month Program. We participate in city programs that are held in Renzie Park, including International Village and the Festival of Trees. We are always adding to our collection and initiating new programs as part of our community outreach. We appreciate all support for these endeavors.*



**McKeesport Heritage Center**  
1832 Arboretum Drive  
Renzie Park  
McKeesport, PA 15132

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Museum Exhibits  
open to the Public:

Tuesday, Wednesday and  
Thursday 9 am—5 pm

Saturday, 9 am—3 pm

Free Admission to Museum  
Research Free to Members or  
\$15 per day.

1832 Arboretum Drive

In Renzie Park

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# Come Join Us

## Research

Members have onsite access to our archival and genealogical records at no charge. Research done by our staff is charged at a rate of \$15 per hour for non-members and \$10 per hour for members. Our records include:

- Copies of the local newspaper, *The Daily News*, on microfilm from 1884 to the present
- Local cemetery and funeral home records
- Allegheny County Census from 1790-1930
- McKeesport High School Yearbooks
- City Directories
- City Tax Records
- Archival Collections
- And much more!

## Museum Collections

Our collections include items related to local schools, businesses, and people, and many of our items are on display. We have archival and photographic materials as well as items and memorabilia ranging from the first one room school house in McKeesport, built in 1832, to a scale model of the National Tube Company. Visit us to see our permanent and rotating displays.

## Membership

Membership in the Center supports the preservation of the rich history of the McKeesport area. Join us and relive the nostalgia of days gone by, research your past or attend our special events and educational programs.

Member Benefits include:

- Access to archival and genealogical materials
- Bi-monthly newsletter
- Invitations to special events
- Free or reduced admission for programs
- Discounts on research done by staff

## Volunteer

We are always looking for volunteers. We have opportunities for people interested in research, data entry, event planning, hospitality, fundraising, conducting tours, presenting programs, and numerous other projects.

## Rental Space

The Center includes a meeting room which is available for rentals. This room includes state of the art audio visual equipment for lectures. The room can also be set up for banquets. Contact the center for rental details.



## Membership Application

### Membership Categories: Annual Fee

<input type="checkbox"/> Individual	\$25
<input type="checkbox"/> Family Membership	\$35
<input type="checkbox"/> Contributing	\$50 and up
<input type="checkbox"/> Benefactor	\$250 and up
<input type="checkbox"/> Life Membership (one time fee)	\$500 and up
<input type="checkbox"/> Additional Charitable Donation	\$ _____

Total: \_\_\_\_\_

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Name

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Address

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Phone

Mail this form with applicable payment to the address below, or drop it off at the center during our open hours.

Please Make Checks payable to the McKeesport Heritage Center.

Please enclose self-addressed, stamped envelope.

I am Interested in Volunteering, please contact me.

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