

Eddy County Museum and Historical Society

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2015 Year-in-Review



Revenue and Finances

- \$1000 grant from First Lutheran Foundation
- \$1000 in grants from State Historical Society of ND
- \$250 grant from NR Community Foundation
- \$200 gift from North Dakota Telephone Company
- \$350 from gift shop sales and donations
- \$1100 from free will events and admissions
- \$1500 saved to Capital Projects Fund

Major Projects

- ◆ Staff trained in Collection Management Ethics, Safety Equipment, and Museum Cleaning
- ◆ Recognition of service by Joan Heckaman and Jodi Carlson at Rhubarb Festival
- ◆ Completed and opened Medical History and City Hospital Exhibit to great public acclaim
- ◆ Collections Documentation Project - completed archival work in School Building; won State Historical Society of ND grant application for continued project funding in 2016-2017
- ◆ Grew partnerships with Steam Threshers, New Rockford-Sheyenne School, American Legion, and Dakota Prairie Regional Center for the Arts
- ◆ Organization work including financial/strategic planning and capital improvement plans
- ◆ Building improvements to Depot and Church
- ◆ Successfully petitioned Eddy County for budget increase in 2016

Collection Acquisitions

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| Rug loom | Hacksaws and tools | Medical instruments |
| Manly Family collection | Red Cross documents | Travel medicine sets |
| City Hospital sign | War monument photo | Gumball machine |

*In 2015, we received a record **466 visitors** over 17 open weekends, including two social events, Steam Threshers, and many private tours.*



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