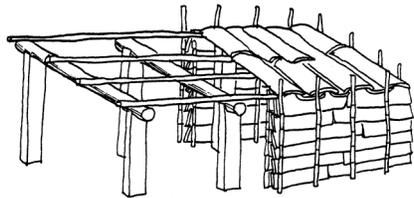


The Past **IS** a Blast!  
with the  
**EXCITING & INFORMATIVE**  
**TIME TRAVELER TRUNKS**

Our outreach boxes are to be used with tours as enrichment.

They contain:

- *Artifacts and Reproductions*
- *Historic Photographs & Documents*
- *Curriculum Notebook*



Cedar Plankhouse

The trunks focus on curriculum-based topics of interest:

- "School Days"  
*Early Schools of Skagit County*
- "Cedar, Stone and Bone"  
*First peoples of Skagit County and their material culture*
- "Memories of WWII in Skagit County for High School"  
*Artifacts, uniforms, lesson plans, memory books*
- "Stepping Out and Looking Good"  
*Dress and etiquette of the 19th century*

HOW TO BOOK A TOUR  
at the  
SKAGIT COUNTY  
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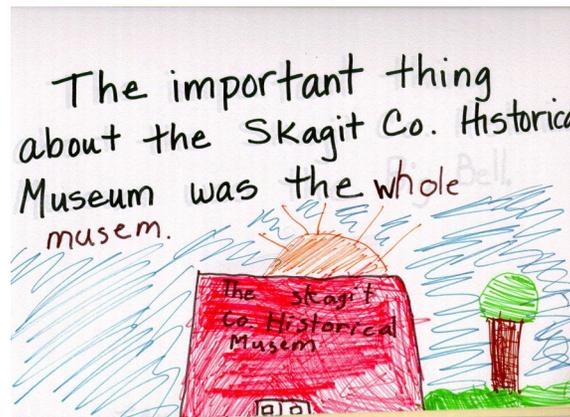
Tours are offered Thursdays & Fridays, 9:30 a.m. — 11:30 a.m. throughout the school year

Cost: \$2 per student  
Chaperones/Adults free

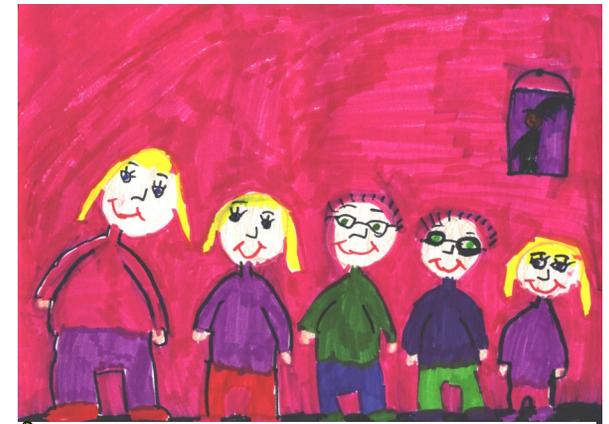
1 adult for every 5-8 students, please. Free parking for buses.

To book a tour or special program, contact Michelle Beach, Education Coordinator at 360.466.3365 Tues, Thurs or Fri or by Email:

[mbeach@co.skagit.wa.us](mailto:mbeach@co.skagit.wa.us)



EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS  
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Let us help you integrate Skagit County history into your curriculum:

- *Know Your Skagit Tours*
- *Hands On Skagit Tours*
- *Theme Tours*
- *Time Traveler Trunks*
- *Virtual General Store*

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# TOURS OFFERED AT THE MUSEUM:

## KNOW YOUR SKAGIT GENERAL TOUR (Grades 2 & up) Time: 1 hour 30 minutes

Complete tour of Museum and artifact discovery session. Includes history of the county: Native Americans, transportation, early industries, and family and settler life between 1860 and 1920. Can be a one hour tour (without a discovery session). These tours can be adjusted to meet your grade level curriculum requirement, or the special needs of your students.

Tours for younger groups or special needs can also be arranged.

**EALRs - History 2 & 2.1; Economics 1 & 2; Geography 1, 2 & 3**



### VIRTUAL GENERAL STORE

You don't need to leave your classroom for this web-based tour of our popular general store exhibit. Students and teachers can select items from the "shelves" to study their use and history. Includes teacher resources and histories of some community stores.

## HANDS ON SKAGIT ACTIVITY TOURS (3rd grade) Time: 2 hours

### SOUTH WING: First Peoples & Early Industry

- **Bottoms Up**  
Students examine models of shovel-nosed canoes, then color their own paper model.
- **Gone to Seed**  
Students analyze different types of seeds, then they make a seed packet.
- **Logging the Woods**  
Students explore logging from tree to mill and make a booklet.
- **Gold in Them Thar Hills**  
Students examine ore found in Skagit County mines and try their hand at panning.

### NORTH WING: Settler Life

- **Parlor Games**  
Students make and play games enjoyed in the 19th century family parlor.
- **Woof & Warp**  
Students learn about sheep, wool, and weave bookmarks for their classroom.
- **Butter Me Up**  
Students make butter and a booklet with tongue twisters.
- **Keeping Up with Friends**  
Students make an autograph book.

**EALRs - History 2 & 2.1; Math 2 & 2.3; Reading 3.1; Writing 2.2**

## THEME TOURS

**EARLY FAMILIES  
OF SKAGIT COUNTY**  
Primary grades 1-2 explore family life

### TECHNOLOGY & TRADE IN EARLY SKAGIT COUNTY Grades 4, 5 & up

Explore topics appropriate to each grade level. This tour can be customized, and includes some hands-on activities. Meets social studies criteria.



Michelle Beach, Education Coordinator

Skagit County Historical Museum offers a variety of educational opportunities for school age students. Students discover history from the first peoples of the area through the turn of the century (1900, that is!). Programs are curriculum-based in line with Washington State EALRs.