



## Drake Well Museum and Park

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#### “Drake Well Museum and Park Presents Something More Saturdays: Engine Start-Up Day”

On Saturday, April 29, Drake Well Museum and Park and Friends of Drake Well, Inc. will present Something More Saturdays, a monthly program offering visitors unique and entertaining learning experiences not included in a typical visit to the museum. Scheduled from 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. on the last Saturday of every month, Something More Saturday programs are included in the museum’s regular admission fees. Groups can take advantage of the program’s Special Group Admission Rate. Purchase two adult tickets for \$20.00 and receive three free youth tickets.

April’s Something More Saturday will feature Engine Start-Up Day. Join us as we put the steam engine that powers the replica of Drake’s engine house and the nearly 100-year-old Olin engine that powers the Central Power exhibit back into operation for the summer visitation season. The 10hp Klein engine that powers the museum’s Silver Run Pump Station will also be in operation for the day.

In addition, visitors will enjoy hands-on activities and demonstrations from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. Come try your hand at origami, the Japanese art of paper folding. Those who take part in this popular 19<sup>th</sup> century activity will transform an ordinary sheet of paper into a unique creature with a few basic folds. And, don’t miss the opportunity to discover the blacksmith’s role in the the oil region. The Oil Valley Blacksmith Association will hold demonstrations in the museum’s Blacksmith Shop.

Located off Route 8 south of Titusville, Drake Well Museum and Park is open year round. Spring and summer hours are Tuesday through Saturday from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. and Sunday from noon to 5:00 p.m. Drake Well Museum and Park is administered by the Pennsylvania Historical and Museum Commission in partnership with Friends of Drake Well, Inc. and is part of the Pennsylvania Trails of History® ([www.PATrailsofHistory.com](http://www.PATrailsofHistory.com)).

For more information about Something More Saturdays or other museum programs, visit [www.drakewell.org](http://www.drakewell.org), call (814) 827-2797, or find us on Facebook at Drake Well Museum.

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