Drake Well Museum and Park



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"Drake Well Museum and Park Presents Something More Saturdays: Pithole Grounds Tours"

On Saturday, June 24, 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 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.

June's Something More Saturday will feature guided grounds tours at Historic Pithole City. Tours will depart the Pithole Vistior Center (14118 Pithole Road just off Route 227 near Plumer, PA.) at 11:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m. Visitors to Drake Well Museum and Park will receive free admission to Historic Pithole City by presenting their admission sales receipt.

According to Museum Educator Sarah Goodman, "Normally visits to Historic Pithole City are self-guided so this program is a unique opportunity for folks to experience Pennsylvania's legendary oil boomtown with one of the museum's expert guides."

In addition, visitors will enjoy discovering the blacksmith's role in the the oil region. The Oil Valley Blacksmith Association will hold demonstrations at Drake Well Museum's Blacksmith Shop from 10:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m.

Located off Route 8 south of Titusville, Drake Well Museum and Park is open year round. 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).

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

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