

Know Before You Go...

...Visiting the Museums During Covid-19

The Deke Slayton Memorial Space & Bicycle Museum and the Monroe County Local History Room & Museum will open their exhibit spaces to the public by reservation starting Thursday, July 9.

This Question & Answer section is provided to help you prepare for your visit.

When will the museums be open to view exhibits?

Starting July 9, both museums will be open to the public Thursdays, Fridays, and Saturdays 10:00-4:00 by reservation only. To schedule, please call 608-269-8680.

Why is it by reservation only?

To ensure the safety of guests and staff. Reservations allow us to control the number of people in the building at one time and maintain social distancing guidelines.

How many people are allowed per reservation time?

Each group can have 1 to 10 people.

How long is a reservation time?

30 minutes per museum.

Will I be put with people I do not know to fill a reservation time?

No.

What if I am not finished looking at the museums when my reservation time expires? Can I stay longer?

Only if the next time slot is open.

Can walk-in visits be accommodated?

No, but you may call the museums to check on reservation time availability. You can then be placed in the next available time slot.

Are masks required?

It is highly recommended, but not required, that face masks are worn while interacting.

Will restrooms be open?

Yes.

Is there an admission fee?

Both museums are free at this time, donations are appreciated.

Can I do research in the Local History Room's research library?

Yes, but by appointment only from 1-4, Monday through Saturday. Call 608-269-8680 to make an appointment.