

# *Gardner Historical Museum, Inc.*

*Listed in the State and National Register of Historic Places*



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<http://www.gardnerhistoricalmuseum.com>

Dear Museum Friends(s):

The 2018 Membership Campaign objective is to contact museum friends in the area and broaden our membership base by sharing our goals to improve, grow and preserve history for generations to come. We would respectfully ask that you consider including the Gardner Historical Museum in your budget planning. Your assistance is valuable to not only the Museum, but to the community. And, if you have been a member in the past, we hope you will renew your support.

We've included our 2018 Membership and Contribution form. On this form is an area you can use to make a monetary donation and/or donate time or talent as a Museum Volunteer. We are a 501(c)3 non-profit organization, therefore your donation is tax deductible. Please know that both the Gardner Historical Museum and the Bray House are staffed by volunteers and funded solely by memberships, donations and grants.

The generosity of our supporters over the years have enabled us to expand our complex, make improvements, add new members, upgrade our website, conduct special tours and train new volunteers. Because of one special supporter, we were able to pay off the balance of our mortgage on the Museum. Our next goal is to pay off the mortgage on the Bray House, which was purchased in late 2010.

Upon receipt of your donation and/or your volunteer support, a Museum representative will contact you to discuss. If you are unable to make a monetary donation, we would be happy to share other ways you might offer assistance to the Museum.

If you have questions or comments, please leave a message for Nancee at the Museum at 913-856-4447 or by email at [gardnerhistoricalmuseum@juno.com](mailto:gardnerhistoricalmuseum@juno.com).

Sincerely,

Linda Loyd  
Chairman

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**2018 Membership and Contribution Form**

Name (s)

**Enclosed Membership:**

Address

\$30 Single (65+)

\$100 Pioneer

City

\$35 Single

\$250 Wagon Master

State

Zip Code

\$40 Family:  
(all at one address)

\$500 Plainsman

Telephone

\$50 Trailblazer

\$1000 Jayhawker

Email

\$ \_\_\_\_\_ Additional contribution to be used  
for mortgage payments and/or operating  
expenses, or as specified.

Signature

Please make checks payable to and return to:

**Gardner Historical Museum,  
Inc.  
P.O. Box 442  
Gardner, Kansas 66030**

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**Now, more than ever, we also need support with donations  
of time and/or talent.**

Will you volunteer to:

1. Staff the Museum for one 3-hour shift: \_\_\_\_ per week, \_\_\_\_ per month, \_\_\_\_ per quarter, \_\_\_\_ occasionally
2. Perform computer/office work: \_\_\_\_ at the Museum/Bray House, \_\_\_\_ at home, \_\_\_\_ 1-2 shifts per week, \_\_\_\_ 1-2 shifts per month, \_\_\_\_ occasionally
3. Do general cleaning: \_\_\_\_ weekly, \_\_\_\_ monthly, \_\_\_\_ quarterly, \_\_\_\_ occasionally
4. Assist with special events with contributions of time or food donations as requested:  
Yes or No (please circle one)
5. In the Spring at the Museum and Bray House, would you be willing to do: \_\_\_\_ yard work, \_\_\_\_ outside repairs