

MARIN HISTORY MUSEUM



Dearest friends,

I've heard from colleagues in the museum field that the Marin History Museum is often described as "a small museum that achieves big museum goals." And for that, we thank YOU-- the individuals who support our hard work. You encouraged us to persevere in these hard times, and the Marin History Museum has delivered.

We opened three exciting new exhibitions Then and Now: A Century of Change, The Marin Independent Journal: 150 Years of Ink, and Marin at War! We premiered an award-winning podcast series and re-launched the historic Bulletin magazine. Even as school budgets have been cut, we increased free visits to local classrooms. We actively care for the 20,000 artifacts, 200,000 photographic images and thousands of Library materials in our care.



Next year we plan to launch a workshop series on how to care for your family's heirlooms. We plan to launch a new lecture series, and continue our outreach to the schools. But we can't do this without your help.

One fact many people don't realize: The Marin History Museum does not receive tax dollars from the city, county, state or federal government. We rely completely on your tax-deductible contributions to continue our education, exhibition and preservation efforts.

We passionately believe in our mission: to preserve the history of Marin, and present it to the public in new and exciting ways. But without your support and donations, we cannot.

The Marin History Museum has served as the cultural steward for our County's history for the last 76 years, and we intend to continue diligently preserving Marin's legacy for generations to come.

You can demonstrate your support for this vision by sending a tax-deductible charitable donation in the enclosed envelope, or by making a contribution through our website www.marinhistory.org.

Thank you for doing your part to preserve Marin County history. Your gift will be appreciated by generations to come. Your support is the key to our success!

Sincerely,

Michelle Sarjeant Kaufman
Director

Carleton Prince
President of the Board of Directors



MARIN HISTORY MUSEUM HOLIDAY APPEAL

Yes, I'd like to contribute!



Name _____

Amount \$ _____

Address _____

My Check to Marin History Museum is enclosed.

City _____, State _____ Zip _____

I would like to pay via credit card:

Visa MC

Card number _____

Name on card _____

Exp. date _____, CID# _____

-\$130 pays for the archival storage of an historic object for a whole year.

-\$250 pays to bring 30 school children to the Marin History Museum.

-\$2,500 pays for a one-room exhibition on Marin's cultural heritage.

Detach and send to: Marin History Museum, 1125 B Street, San Rafael, CA 94901: 415-454-8538, #1
The Marin History Museum is a non-profit 501(c)3 and therefore your donation is tax deductible in accordance with IRS guidelines.