

SUMMER HISTORY TOURS 2010



Summer Tours are Here

The Museum of History & Industry's (MOHAI) popular summer tours are back with a combination of old favorites and exciting new discoveries. From boats and buses, to beers and bays, you're sure to find a tour that fits your interests. All tours are offered rain or shine, so please plan to wear weather appropriate attire including comfortable shoes.

Unless otherwise noted, tickets for all tours can be purchased at www.brownpapertickets.org or by calling 1-800-838-3006. Day-of tickets are subject to availability and an additional \$5 charge. All tickets sales are final, and advanced registration is recommended. Please note that meeting times, locations and ticket prices vary.

July 31



July 17



July 24

SAF/MOHAI Tours

WALKING TOUR: Seattle's Herstory - Celebrating a Century of Suffrage Various times and dates during July, August & September

Join the Museum of History & Industry and Seattle Architecture Foundation (SAF) as we explore Seattle's role in Washington's equal suffrage campaign—a movement as old as the city itself. While walking through the streets of Pioneer Square, become acquainted with early Seattleites and their efforts to give women a political voice—efforts that culminated in the passage of female suffrage in Washington State in November 1910. This tour is given in conjunction with MOHAI's exhibit *Women's Votes, Women's Voices* opening in July.

- Meet at:** Seattle Justice Center located at 600 5th Ave., Seattle.
- Cost:** MOHAI Members \$10, General \$15.
- Dates/Times:** Third Thursdays, 7/15, 8/19 & 9/16 • 6 to 8 p.m.
Third Sundays, 7/18, 8/15 & 9/19 • 10 a.m. to noon.



WALKING TOUR: Clock Walk - Time, Tides and Transportation Saturday, June 26 & Saturday, August 21 • 10 a.m.

Walk along 100 years of Seattle's best street, facade, sign and art clocks as we learn about the link between time and transportation. Presented in partnership with the Seattle Architecture Foundation. Tour lasts approximately two hours.

- Meet at:** The SAF Gallery located at 1333 5th Ave., Suite 300, Seattle.
- Cost:** \$20 in advance, \$25 day of purchase
- More Information:** www.seattlearchitecture.org

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Open daily 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

GUEST PASS

One free admission.
One-time use only.
Expires September 30, 2010

MOHAI Tour Schedule

Saturday, July 3 • 3 to 5 p.m.

WALKING TOUR: Fremont Brews



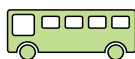
MOHAI introduces a new series of walking tours that explore two of our city's favorite pastimes, coffee and beer. Fremont historian Helen Divjak takes you on a behind-the-scenes look at some of Fremont's best known breweries and the rich history behind them. Stops include the former Redhook Brewery (now Theo Chocolates), the emerging Fremont Brewing facility, and much more! Tastings are included in the ticket price, but attendees are encouraged to bring cash for an extra happy hour pint! Must be 21 with valid ID to attend.

Meet at: Hales Brewery & Pub, 4301 Leary Way N.W., Seattle.

Cost: MOHAI Members \$15, General \$20.

Saturday, July 10 • 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

BUS TOUR: Seattle's Historic Carnegie Libraries



Celebrate your love of reading, and the institution that makes books free and accessible to all—Seattle Public Libraries—on a bus tour which will visit a selection of Seattle's historic Carnegie Libraries. Over the course of three decades, celebrated entrepreneur and philanthropist, Andrew Carnegie, donated over \$40 million dollars to build thousands of libraries across the nation—a handful of which landed in book-loving Seattle. Learn what makes each of these libraries unique. This tour lasts approximately two hours, depending on traffic.

Meet at: MOHAI, 2700 24th Ave. E., Seattle. Free parking provided.

Cost: MOHAI Members \$25, General \$30. Advanced tickets ONLY.

Saturday, July 17 • 2 to 4 p.m.

BOAT TOUR: Open to View Virginia V Cruise



To celebrate the 88th anniversary of her maiden voyage, join Historic Seattle and MOHAI on the *S.S. Virginia V*, built in 1922 for the West Pass Transportation Company to carry freight and passengers from Vashon Island to Seattle and Tacoma. Once part of a large fleet of vessels that served waterfront towns all over Puget Sound, *Virginia V* is the last surviving boat from the famous "Mosquito Fleet." Enjoy beautiful scenery and light refreshments while learning about the past, present, and future of Lake Union.

Meet at: *S.S. Virginia V*, South Lake Union, moored at the Center for Wooden Boats, 1010 Valley St., Seattle. Parking available.

Note: Boarding begins at 1:30 p.m. Boat leaves promptly at 2 p.m.

Cost: MOHAI and Historic Seattle Members and guests of members \$50, General Public \$60. Advanced tickets ONLY.

Tickets/Registration: www.historicseattle.org or call 206-622-6952

Saturday, July 24 • 2 to 4 p.m.

BOAT TOUR: A Trip Down the Duwamish River



Join guide Cari Simson, of the Duwamish River Cleanup Coalition, for a two-hour roundtrip tour of Seattle's hometown river. Learn about the cultural and natural history of the river, view habitat restoration, Superfund cleanup sites, and embark on a "critter search" around Kellogg Island to spot osprey, eagles, herons, seals and river otters. The tour boat is covered with seating and a bathroom inside; tours happen rain or shine. Please wear appropriate shoes and plan for obstacles and steep surfaces when boarding the boat.

Note: Boarding begins at 1:30 p.m. Boat leaves promptly at 2 p.m.

Meet at: Gate C of Harbor Island Corporate Center and Marina, 1001 Klickitat Way S.W., Seattle.

For driving directions, check the calendar at www.seattlehistory.org.

Cost: MOHAI Members \$25, General \$30. Advanced tickets ONLY.

Saturday, July 31 • 10 a.m. to Noon

WALKING TOUR: Backstage at the Paramount & Moore Theaters

Join a select group of patrons for an enjoyable private tour of two of Seattle Theatre Group's premier theatres—the Paramount and the Moore. Go behind-the-scenes at the Paramount with a "backstage pass" into the dressing rooms that have hosted some of America's biggest stars. Also visit with experts who will showcase the original custom built Wurlitzer and Knabe grand player piano. Following a brisk 20 minute stroll, arrive at the 102 year-old Moore Theatre on 2nd Avenue. Enjoy a step back in time at the home of the famous Orpheum vaudeville circuit as well as current touring musical groups and theatrical productions.

Meet at: Paramount Box Office, 9th Ave. and Pine Street, Seattle.

Cost: MOHAI Members \$15, General \$20. Advanced tickets ONLY.

MOHAI MINUTE

Too busy to go on a tour this summer?

Take a virtual trip to Seattle sites with a MOHAI Minute.

Visit www.youtube.com/mohaiprograms.

Saturday, August 7 • 10 a.m. to Noon

WALKING TOUR: The Evergreen-Washelli Cemetery

The beautiful grounds of Evergreen-Washelli Cemetery serve as the final resting place for some of Seattle's most influential and memorable figures, including members of the Denny party who arrived on Alki Beach over 150 years ago. Join Paul Elvig, former General Manager of Evergreen-Washelli, and Brenda Spicer to explore the lives of pioneers, activists, soldiers and entrepreneurs who helped shape the diverse history and culture of the Puget Sound region.

- Meet at:** Cemetery Entrance at 11111 Aurora Ave. N., Seattle. On east side of Aurora. Participants will be directed to parking upon entering the park.
- Cost:** MOHAI Members \$15, General \$20.

Saturday, August 14 • 3 to 5 p.m.

WALKING TOUR: Georgetown Brews



MOHAI introduces a new series of walking tours that explore Seattleites' two favorite pastimes, coffee and beer. Take an afternoon to experience the tastes, secrets, and stories of Seattle's Georgetown neighborhood through its past and present breweries. Lead by Georgetown enthusiast Kimberly Jacobsen you'll learn about how local businesses—big and small—have impacted the culture and commerce of this unique spot. From the skeletal remains of brewing giant Rainier Brewing Company, to comic book shops and taverns, this tour promises you an unexpected look at Seattle's hardest working neighborhood. Must be 21 with valid ID to attend.

- Meet at:** North end of the parking lot of Ruby Chow Park, located at S. Albro Place and Stanley Ave. S., Seattle.
- Cost:** MOHAI Members \$15, General \$20.

Summer Exhibits @ MOHAI

Women's Votes, Women's Voices • July 17 through Oct. 3, 2010

This exhibition celebrates the centennial anniversary of women obtaining the right to vote in Washington. Learn how women's voting influenced territorial and state history.

★ OPENING DAY EVENTS • Sat. July 17 • 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Celebrate the opening of this exhibit with a fun-filled day at MOHAI. Docent-lead gallery tours, family activities, and live performances that bring suffragists' struggles to life will be offered throughout the day. Free with regular museum admission.

The Art of Richard Bennett • Opens August 28, 2010

Northwest artist Richard Bennett became an accomplished printmaker early in his career and would later become one of the nation's leading illustrators of children's books. In this exhibition, MOHAI displays its rich collection of Bennett's original works.

Saturday, August 21 • 10 a.m. to Noon

WALKING TOUR: The Alaskan Way Viaduct

The Alaskan Way Viaduct section of State Route 99 has been a fixture of the Seattle waterfront for almost 60 years, serving as the original downtown bypass before the construction of Interstate 5. Damaged by earthquakes and daily wear and tear, the viaduct is nearing the end of its useful life. Join Ron Paananen, WSDOT Program Administrator for the viaduct replacement, and Kevin Bartoy, WSDOT Cultural Resources Specialist, as they discuss the changing transportation needs of Seattle, the important role of the viaduct in the growth of downtown and the waterfront, and plans to replace the vulnerable structure.

- Meet at:** Washington Street Boat Landing, Alaskan Way S. and S. Washington Street. Parking is available nearby under the viaduct.
- Cost:** MOHAI Members \$15, General \$20.

Saturday, August 28 • 10 a.m. to Noon

BOAT TOUR: Elliott Bay



Join MOHAI historian Lorraine McConaghy for a cruise through time on Elliott Bay. We begin by exploring Native Seattle and the Little Crossing Over Place, and the Hudson's Bay Company's tentative plans to build a trading post and fort in Seattle. We'll look at the settlement sites of the first two groups of Seattle, and then journey across the bay to the foot of today's Yesler Way. Using the city and the bay as our focus, we'll review the history of our present-day world class city. Bring binoculars, if you have them! Cash bar provided on board.

- Note:** Boarding begins at 9:30 a.m. Boat leaves promptly at 10 a.m. This tour is subject to cancellation if the minimum capacity is not met one week prior.
- Meet at:** Pier 55/56, 1201 Alaskan Way, Seattle.
- For driving and parking directions, check the calendar at www.seattlehistory.org.
- Cost:** MOHAI Members \$25, General \$30. Advanced tickets ONLY.

Saturday, September 4 • 10 a.m. to Noon

WALKING TOUR: SR 520 - A Crossing at the Crossroads

Join local historian Roger van Oosten for a look at the controversial and contentious past, present and proposed future of SR 520. The tour will go over, on and under the bridge and examine how it impacts neighbors, Lake Washington, the Arboretum and the local economy. You'll never think of the bridge the same way again.

- Note:** This three mile loop will include wet and muddy conditions. Please wear appropriate shoes. A picnic lunch will be provided.
- Meet at:** MOHAI's main entrance located in McCurdy Park, 2700 24th Ave. E. Free parking provided.
- Cost:** MOHAI Members \$15, General \$20.

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