



The Wave

Newsletter of the Hamburg Township Historical Society—Sep 2026

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MUSEUM HOURS

Saturdays

10:00am—2:00pm

Tours or research by
appointment.

Email

hthsandmuseum@gmail.com

Leave your name, phone,
and a brief description of
your request. A museum
representative will respond
promptly

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Hamburg Historical
Museum



This stellar community event is brought to you by the Hamburg Township Museum and sponsored for your enjoyment by:

Bank of Ann Arbor and Pizza Sponsor, the Hamburg Pub

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DIVE INTO YOUR HISTORY

A Night of History, Fundraising, Cars, Food, and a Free Movie

SEPTEMBER 19, 2026

A NIGHT AT THE MUSEUM

A COMMUNITY EVENT FOR ALL AGES



Featuring from 7-9 pm

- A silent auction with fantastic items for bidding

Area businesses, organizations and individuals that have already contributed include:

Lakeland Golf & Country Club

Whitmore Lake Tavern

Wild Indoors Pet Supply

Shoner Plumbing

DuaVino

Mimis Diner

Hamburg Hardware

Movie Night Basket/Janet Ely

2 hours of genealogy
training/research/Shelby Blair

Zukey Lake Tavern

Hamburg Garage

Mac's Marina

Dresden & Company/Pat Corr

- Display of mint vintage cars
- Food, Unique Vendors, open museum for self-guided tours



And from 9-11 pm - Stay for the FREE showing of the

2006 classic Night at the Museum!



The movie will be shown on the museum ceiling (bring a pillow, watch from the floor) or watch on a large monitor (seated). The show is free. Please register to reserve a spot as seating is limited. Use this Eventbrite Link:

<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/1997506238932?aff=oddttdtcreator>.

Or email hthsandmuseum@gmail.com and leave your name, number of seats, floor or seated, and a contact number.

Proceeds from this event will be used to maintain the historic museum building, collections, and future events allowing us to continue to preserve and present the history of the Hamburg region. Hamburg Township Historical Museum is a non-profit, 501(c)(3) organization.



COMING IN NOVEMBER

As the nation recognizes veterans and their families, Hamburg Township Museum will also honor its heroes in exhibits and with names scrolling on museum screens. To be part of this recognition, please submit the following information for individuals who are or were Hamburg residents:

Name of Veteran, Years of Service (example 1942-1946)

Optional:

- Name of conflict: i.e., Civil War, World War II
- Branch of Military

Email to: hthsandmuseum@gmail.com

You will receive an email confirmation of receipt



THE HISTORY HUB



Did You Know? Early Hamburg's "Winter Apples"

Long before modern grocery stores, early Hamburg homesteaders relied on their personal orchards to survive the harsh Michigan winters. Families carefully harvested fragrant "**Winter apples**" late each autumn. These hardy, thick-skinned varieties were wrapped in straw and packed into dark root cellars. If kept perfectly cool, these local apples would stay crisp and sweet well into the following spring, providing vital winter nutrients to the township's earliest settlers! AI generated

...The farmland was great for growing fruit trees so almost every farm had an orchard and Hamburg became well known for apples that could be shipped by train all over Michigan. Phyllis Lindblade, past owner of Hamburg Antique Store and local historian

DIVE INTO YOUR HISTORY



The museum is open every Saturday from 10am – 2pm. You may stroll the galleries at your leisure to learn the history of the Hamburg Township region. Admission is free.

Sep – 19 – 7pm – 11pm

A Night At The Museum

Sept 27 – 10am – 3pm

Car & Truck Show for Bennett's Beavers

Location: Golden Septic & Landscaping Supplies, M-36 & Hamburg Rd.

Oct –10 – 1pm

Hamburg Village Tour

Walk the village, hear the history, watch the website and FB for registration.

Oct 24 – 3pm

Witches Hat Tea

Hear Suzanne Hines, founder of the Hamburg Township Museum, as she presents Halloween history and customs while you enjoy tea and treats with friends and neighbors. Watch for registration

Nov – National Veterans and Military Families Recognition

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Dec –12 – 12pm - 7pm

Christmas in the Village

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BUSINESS PARTNERS – the businesses below continue to support the Hamburg Township Historical Society and Museum through membership, sponsorships, services, or donations. Want your business to be part of this group? Go to hamburgmuseum.org and bring your business on board.



In this edition we recognize, Bank of Ann Arbor, Creature Control, Hamburg Pub, Lakeland Golf and Country Club, Wild Indoors Pet Supply and Zukey Lake Tavern for services or support of upcoming September events.

Advanced Systems	Water	https://awtworks.com/
Alan's Asphalt		https://www.bankofannarbor.com/
Bank of Ann Arbor		https://www.bankofannarbor.com/
Boomers Party Store		https://www.grubhub.com/
Captain Scotty's Boat Tours		https://captainscottysboat.com/
Carpet Depot		https://www.carpetdepot.bz
COSTCO		https://www.costco.com/
Creature Control		https://www.creaturecontrol.com
Dairy Queen		dairyqueen.com
Erin McKenzie, Realtor		https://www.mirootsgroup.com/ Keller Williams, Brighton
Hamburg Coney Island		https://hamburgconey.restaurants.world.com
Hamburg Pub		https://www.facebook.com/p/Hamburg-Pub
Hamburg Township Library		https://www.hamburglibrary.org/
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Lakeland Golf and Country Club		Clubhttps://www.lakelandsgolf.com/
Livingston Eye Care		https://www.livingstoneyecare.com/
Stacy Hewitt, Realtor		https://stacyhewittpinkagent.com/
Todd's Landscaping		https://www.toddsservices.com/
Wild Indoors Pet Supply		Suppliesthewildindoorspetsupplies.net
Zukey Lake Tavern		http://www.zukeylaketavern.com/

