

Network Calumet: A Heritage Resources Journey

Saturday, October 26, 2013

8:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.

Pullman State Historic Site

Historic Clock Tower Factory Building

11057 S. Cottage Grove, Chicago, Illinois

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A web of great and historic neighborhoods like Pullman drapes the region. These places have great stories told by people and the landscapes they have made, stories enlivened and informed by the region's archives, libraries and local history centers. Stitched together, these local resources shine light on a regional story of great national import.

What the resources are and how they can come together in light of a Calumet Heritage Area reintroduced to the region at last year's conference and this spring's Calumet Summit will be the subject of this conference's presentations, conversations, and on-site explorations.

Program:

8:30 a.m. Registration | Networks Awakened | Coffee

9:00 a.m. Welcome

Mark Bouman | President | Calumet Heritage Partnership

9:05 a.m. "Calumet Archives: The Ties That Bind a Prodigal Pullmanite to Family, Community and Region" Arthur Pearson | Gaylord and Dorothy Donnelley Foundation

9:15 a.m. Conversation One: Authors and Archives

How do local archival resources help authors tell Calumet stories of national significance?

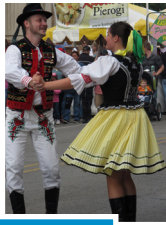
Christine Walley | Massachusetts Institute of Technology | *Exit Zero: Family and Class in Postindustrial Chicago*

Kenneth J. Schoon | Indiana University Northwest | *Dreams of Duneland: A Pictorial History of the Indiana Dunes Region*

Michael Innis-Jiménez | University of Alabama | *Steel Barrio: The Great Mexican Migration to South Chicago*

Glory-June Greiff | Public Historian | *People, Parks and Perceptions: A History and Appreciation of Indiana State Parks*

Facilitator: Jane Nicoll | Park Forest Historical Society | Park Forest House Museum | South Suburban Heritage Association



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10:45 a.m. Interactive Exhibits | Networks Revisited | Refreshments

Exhibits will be on display at this time and throughout the lunch break.

11:15 a.m. Conversation Two: Nodes and Networks

How can archives and other heritage resources connect people who care about the natural, historical, cultural and recreational assets of the region?

James Lane | Calumet Regional Archives, Indiana University Northwest | *Steel Shavings*

John Beckman | CatalystEco Consulting Group | *Pragmatic Conservation*

Tiffany Tolbert | Indiana Landmarks | *Preservation Day Camps for Kids*

Diane Banta | Rivers, Trails & Conservation, National Park Service | *Heritage on the Ground*

Facilitator: Stephen McShane | Calumet Regional Archives, Indiana University Northwest

12:30 a.m. Conversation Three: Calumet's Networked Journey Ahead

What might our Calumet Heritage network look like?

A conversation between the Conference Audience and Mark Bouman of the Calumet Heritage Partnership.

Facilitator: Gregg Hertzlieb | Brauer Museum, Valparaiso University

Closing Remarks

Mark Bouman | President | Calumet Heritage Partnership

1:00 p.m. Regional Lunch Fare | Networks Savored

2:15 p.m. – 4:30 p.m. Walking Workshops: Archives, Networks and Heritage Revealed

The walking tours will begin and end in the Pullman Factory Building.

Pullman and the Calumet Heritage Partnership will serve as case studies for our afternoon exploration of the practical life of resource archives, networks and heritage. Journey along a three segment circuit where you will meet and learn from local experts who work with the archives, built environment and other local resources to enrich and strengthen regional connections.

Segment One: The Care, Feeding and Maintenance of Archives - A tour of the Calumet Industrial Heritage Archives in the Pullman Factory and Administration Building

Segment Two: Community and Built Environment - A walk through the Town of Pullman in search of archived meanings and knowledge networks

Segment Three: Heritage Connections: Resources that Put Us on the Map - A look at the local networks and resources that turned "Pullman" into a household name

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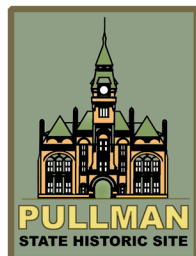
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