Introduction to the WVMCC Archives and Research Overview

The Wenatchee Valley Museum & Cultural Center has a reference library and archives that are available to the public for research by request.

Researchers may study Museum collections if their qualifications and purposes are deemed appropriate. All research must be done in a supervised Museum setting unless specifically authorized in written form by the Director.

Researchers will appropriately cite the Museum as their source of information. Museum collections, including archival collections, may not be duplicated in their entirety by researchers. Portions of specific collections may be duplicated by authorization of the Collections Manager or the Director. Any duplicated materials will be appropriately stamped "Original - The Property of WVMCC--Do Not Duplicate." In addition, the researcher will sign an agreement restricting their uses of these duplicated materials to a stated purpose.

Researchers should contact the Collections Manager (<u>collections@wvmcc.org</u> or 509-888-6244) to set up an appointment.

General Research

Researchers will be given a request form to complete. A \$10.00 fee, payable by cash or check payable to WVMCC, is due when the form is returned to the Museum. There may be additional fees depending on the length and difficulty of the research request; the researcher will be informed of additional fees before the Museum proceeds with the request.

Regular services: The Collections Manager will conduct a preliminary search of the archives and provide the researcher with a digital report of the results. The researcher is responsible for reviewing the material and making selections. The Collections Manager will inform the researcher if in-person research will be required or if everything can be sent virtually. Restrictions may apply on what can be retrieved, and there is no guarantee that the information requested can be retrieved.

Research in the archives: Access to the archives is by appointment only and based on staff availability. Priority is given to those with a critical need specific to unique materials in our collections. Please plan ahead; walk-in requests are not accepted. [Please note that no new materials beyond the original request will be retrieved during an appointment.]

Research Fees & Info

Photograph Image Reproduction Fees

WVMCC sells copies of images from its Photo Archives for personal use, research, exhibition, home and business display, and for publication to non-profit and commercial entities. Researchers are NOT to use images for publication or posted on the internet without prior approval and licensing from the Wenatchee Valley Museum and Cultural Center.

Scanned Digital Images

- \$10.00 per jpeg image at 300dpi
- \$15.00 per image that needs a dpi higher than 300 or format change (ex. TIFF)

Scanned Documents

• 1-100 pages: \$5

• 101-200 pages: \$10

• 201-300 pages: \$20

• 301-400 pages: \$30

• 401-500 pages: \$40

• 500+ pages: \$50

Scanned photos/documents can be shared via e-mail attachment(s), photo/document sharing websites (ex. Dropbox), or downloaded on a provided USB drive.

Printing Fees

All copies will be provided on an 8.5 x 11-inch standard white paper page. WVMCC does not provide printing on photo paper.

(WVMCC Staff or volunteers will handle all copying, scanning, and printing)

- \$0.25 per page black & white document
- \$0.50 per page color document
- \$1.00 per page black and white photograph
- \$2.00 per page color photograph

Postage and Handling

Appropriate fees will be charged for shipping requests based on USPS pricing.

Camera use in Exhibits

Cameras may be used to photograph or film non-sensitive, non-fragile library or archival printed material or artifacts (Please note there is no filming in the Clovis exhibit.) A Footage Contract must be submitted and signed off by the Collections Manager before an agreed upon visitation date. The price of admission must be paid for entry in to the Museum to film. There will be additional fees for reproduction of the filmed material. All reproduction fees and guidelines will be listed in the Use Contract.

Photograph/Film Reproduction Pricing

Photo reproduction fees are in addition to the \$10.00 fee for use of the digital image.

In addition to the charges paid, images must appear with the following credit:

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- \$20.00 per 100 publications (additional charges for e-books and other publications in electronic format)
- \$50.00 per large format sign or plaque reproduction
- \$30.00 one-time exhibition film
- \$100.00 for distribution of film
- \$100.00 for a website or other internet usage

Rush Fees

Image requests must be submitted at least sixty days prior to the date needed to allow adequate processing time. Otherwise, a rush fee will be charged:

- \$10.00 for orders under 45 days
- \$15.00 for orders under 30 days
- \$20.00 for orders under 14 days

(Photo orders of seven days or less will not be accepted as there is not enough time for adequate turn around.)

Object Viewing

Requests to view objects in the Museum's collections are by appointment only. An Object Viewing Request Form must be submitted and then signed off on by the Collections Manager and the Operations Director. Then based on staff availability and prior approval by Collections staff, an object be viewed. Fees charged include an admission ticket with a maximum of a 30-minute visit. Any time over that will be charged hourly at \$20/hour. WVMCC reserves the right to deny any visitation should doing so cause harm to the object or if the object has known access or copyright restrictions.

Copyright Restrictions and right to deny reproductions

WVMCC reserves the right to deny reproduction should doing so cause harm to the object or if the object has known access or copyright restrictions. Researchers are responsible for compliance with laws governing copyright and literary property rights. Neither the granting of access to materials nor the copying of materials convey or imply conveyance of the right to publish or use the materials in any way.

Membership

Membership covers access to certain archives and services as determined by the Collections Staff or Director. A discount of 50% on archive services (excluding postage and handling) is offered to WVMCC members, WVMCC staff, and non-profit organizations. There will be no charge for students working on educational research for projects.

COLLECTIONS PRICING CHART

Charge	Fee
Research Request	\$10.00
JPEG image at 300dpi	\$10.00
DPI higher than 300 or format change	\$15.00
Scanned documents (1-100 pages)	\$5.00
Scanned documents (101-200 pages)	\$10.00
Scanned documents (201-300 pages)	\$20.00
Scanned documents (301-400 pages)	\$30.00
Scanned documents (401-500 pages)	\$40.00
Scanned documents (500+ pages)	\$50.00
Printed black and white document	\$0.25
Printed color document	\$0.50
Printed black and white photograph	\$1.00
Printed color photograph	\$2.00
Per 100 publications	\$20.00
Per large scale sign or plaque	\$50.00
Onetime exhibition film	\$30.00
Distributed Film	\$100.00
Use on the internet	\$100.00
Object viewing over 30-minutes	\$20.00/hour

MUSEUM ADMISSION

Adult	\$5.00
Senior	\$4.00
Child (6-12)	\$2.00
Children under 6	Free

^{*50%} discount on services for members, staff, and non-profit organizations