



GENERAL ORDERS No. 4

RE: December 2023 Meeting

Main Presentation: This month Christopher Kolakowski will lead us on a *Tour of the Wisconsin Veterans Museum Archives*. Christopher is the Director of the Wisconsin Veterans Museum and has graciously offered the MHRT to tour the WVM archives, which he claims contains *90% of what's not on display at the museum*. Here are some important notes regarding the tour:

- We will meet on Thursday, December 14th at 5:30pm at the Wisconsin Veterans Museum Archives Facility; *note the change in meeting time*
- Facility location is: 204 Thornton St., Madison WI 53703; *note the change in meeting location*
- There is limited parking at the facility location. You can park on the street if parking lot is full
- The tour will last about 1 hour.
 - Wear comfortable shoes as there is a lot of walking. There are no handicap restrictions
- There is no charge for the tour
- For those interested, we will meet afterwards at the Vintage Brewing Company - East at 7pm for dinner from the menu and light refreshments. Address is: 803 East Washington Ave., Madison, WI 53703
- When making meeting reservations, indicate your name, # of attendees and whether you will be dining at the Vintage (optional)

Date: December 14, 2023 (second Thursday)

Place: Wisconsin Veterans Museum Archives Facility, 204 Thornton St., Madison WI 53703. See map below.

Social: 5:30 PM

Meeting Reservations: Please make you reservations by Tuesday, December 12, 2023. Indicate your name, # of attendees and whether you will be dining at the Vintage after the tour. You can make meeting reservations via email:

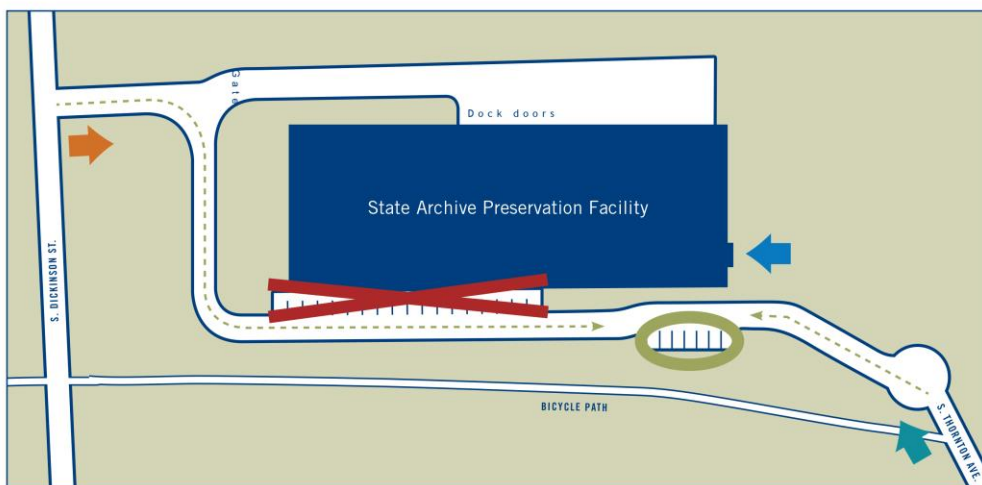
Madison.history.roundtable@gmail.com, website (Contact/Dinner Reservations) or by calling Rich Fronek at **608-669-0970**.

DO NOT REPLY TO THE EMAIL MEETING NOTICE TO MAKE RESERVATIONS.

Wisconsin Veterans Museum Archives Location and Parking

STATE ARCHIVE PRESERVATION FACILITY ACCESS & PARKING

204 SOUTH THORNTON AVENUE, MADISON, WI 53703



- ← Front door entry vestibule
- 201 South Dickinson Street entrance (no signage)
- Visitor parking stalls (seven available, first-come, first-serve)
[Note: If no parking stalls are open, use nearby street parking]
- 204 South Thornton Avenue entrance (no signage)
- ✗ Employee parking only (violators will be ticketed/towed)



Upcoming Events:

- **January 11, 2024 – MHRT Meeting – *History of Immigration in Wisconsin* – Jim Iliff**
- **Book Sale** – We will be offering a book sale at the monthly meetings. Each book is \$1, take as many as you like. You are also welcome to bring a book for sale. Proceeds go to the MHRT.

Publicity: Find out about the Madison History Roundtable at our web site <https://www.madisonhistoryroundtable.com>, Facebook (search on Madison History Roundtable) and email madhrt@googlegroups.com. Spread the word to your friends, colleagues and co-workers.

Membership: The 2023 - 2024 season dues continue to be \$30. The season runs September – May. Dues are used to cover the operating and speaker expenses of the Madison History Roundtable. You can mail your dues to the **MHRT Treasurer – 9 Flad Circle, Madison, WI 53711**. If you have a personal PayPal account, you can send in your dues to the MHRT PayPal email address: wsayles1950@gmail.com. Attending the meetings are free and the public is welcome. Guests can check us out before deciding if they want to become a member.

MHRT Fundraising Campaign

For the 2023 – 2024 season, we are embarking on a fundraising campaign. As of the November meeting, we have raised \$200 towards our goal of \$500. Funds raised will be used to support speaker fees and honorariums. You can mail your contribution to the **MHRT Treasurer – 9 Flad Circle, Madison, WI 53711**, or if you have a personal PayPal account, you can send your contribution to the MHRT PayPal email address: wsayles1950@gmail.com. Thank you in advance for your contribution to the MHRT.

MHRT Website: Check out our web site at: <https://www.madisonhistoryroundtable.com>. You can find information on the MHRT schedule, list of speakers and meeting dates amongst other information. You can also “signup” for MHRT membership. We will be periodically be updating the web site with meeting notices, upcoming events and activities. Let us know what other information you might want posted on the site.

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