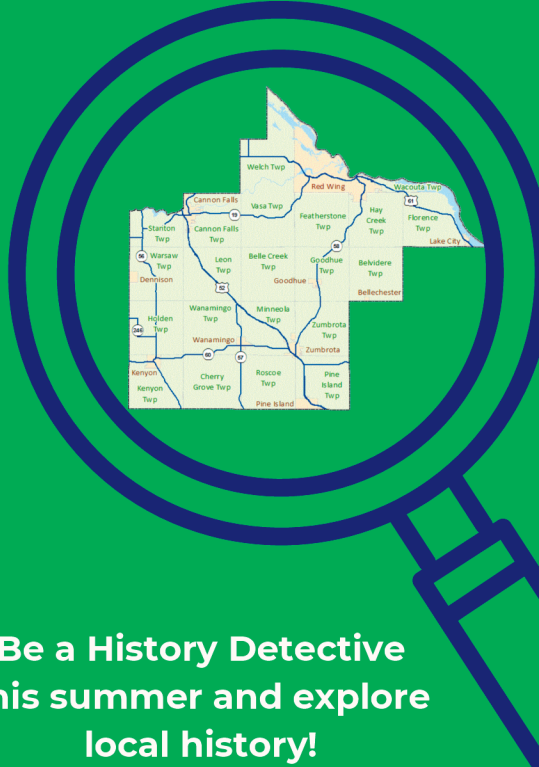


Goodhue County History Detective 2026

May 30th-
August 29th

Ages 14 & Under



**Be a History Detective
this summer and explore
local history!**

**Embark on a scavenger hunt
across 5 museums in Goodhue
County to earn stamps.**

Collect them all & turn in your booklet at the Goodhue
County History Center in Red Wing to receive a prize!
Plus, enter a drawing for a grand prize!

Detective's Name: _____

Age: _____



Participating Museums



Goodhue Area Historical Society

105 North 4th St, Goodhue, MN
Thursday 1 PM-4 PM
Sunday 1 PM-4 PM



Goodhue County Historical Society

1166 Oak St, Red Wing, MN
Tuesday-Friday 10 AM-4 PM
Saturday 10 AM-3 PM



Kenyon Area Historical Society

107 Gunderson Blvd, Kenyon, MN
Summer Hours:
May 16-17, 1-3pm
June 20-21, 1-3pm
July 18-19, 1-3pm
Aug 15-16 1-3pm
Rose Fest tours: August 21-22
(Fri & Sat) 1-3pm



Pine Island Area Historical Society

314 North Main St, Pine Island, MN
Monday 9 AM-11:30 AM
First Sunday of the Month
1 PM-3:30 PM (Closed July 5th)

*Open during Pine Island Cheese
Festival June 5th-June 7th



Zumbrota Area Historical Society

55 East 3rd St, Zumbrota, MN
Saturday 10 AM-1 PM



****Please Note: Some museums may have admission costs for children or adults.**

Goodhue Area

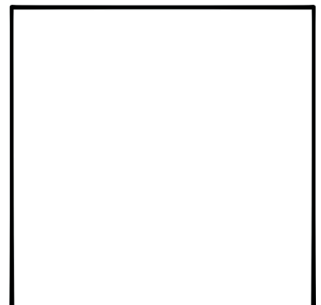
Did you notice the Goodhue Depot when you came into town?
What was the original name of the railroad that stopped there?

Find the Majerus Portable Grain Elevator.
Where was it manufactured?



What company manufactured the threshing machine?

Bonus: Take a photo by the 1899
Goodhue School bell near the entrance.



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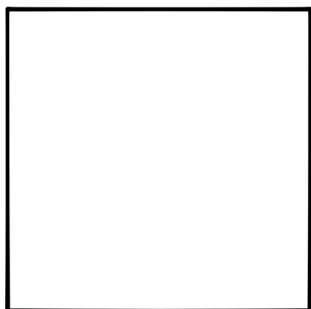
Goodhue County

What is the name of the waterway that runs under downtown Red Wing?

What year was Reidell Shoes founded? What do they make?

Which 2 presidents can be found in our one room schoolhouse?

What does “Dakota” mean?



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Bonus: Check out the park outside and take a picture overlooking downtown Red Wing!

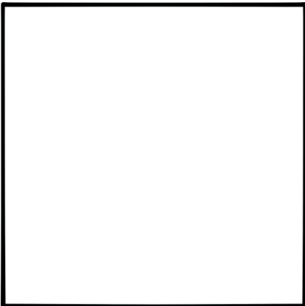
Kenyon Area

What year was the Gunderson House built?

What is one object in the sitting room that plays music?

What is the object in the upstairs bathroom that looks like a mini bathtub?

What were the brass pipes in the downstairs bathroom used for?



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Name one person who can be seen in the pictures hanging in the parlor.

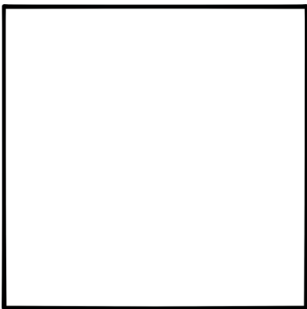
Pine Island Area

The Pine Island History Center was formerly the Collins-Glamm house. Check out the kitchen! Early houses did not have kitchen cabinets. What is the separate room called that is used to store food, dishes, and pans?



What machine is used to make rugs?

Pine Island was once called the Cheese Capital. Find the Cheese Factories map!



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Bonus: Take a photo of yourself next to the display of all the Cheese Festival buttons.

Zumbrota Area

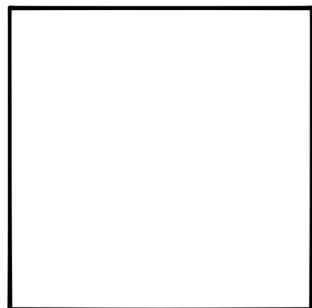
What Civil War item on display was played at both the second inauguration and the funeral of President Abraham Lincoln?

What is the name of the trophy located near our school display that was awarded to the winner of the Zumbrota and Kenyon boy's annual basketball game?

The only functional covered bridge in the State of Minnesota is in Zumbrota. What year was the Zumbrota Covered Bridge built?



Bonus: Check out the Zumbrota Railroad crossing sign in our yard and take a picture!



Stamp



Color the Scene!

History Detective Word Search:

Find the words listed below!



Cheese Capital

Detective

Covered Bridge

Goodhue

History

Gunderson House

Kenyon

Pine Island

Museum

Railroad

Zumbrota

Red Wing



Detective Notes



Did you discover any other fun facts during your museum visits? Keep track of them here!

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Remember to turn in your completed booklet at the Goodhue County History Center in Red Wing for a prize!

Prize Collected

Staff sign off: _____



Upcoming Events!



Goodhue Area Historical Society



Sunday, July 19th 1 PM-4 PM

Open House with Wheat Trail Program & Ice Cream



Goodhue County Historical Society

Saturday, June 13th 12 PM-3 PM



Free Family Fun Day: First Responders Day & Touch A Truck

Tuesday, June 23rd 9:30 AM-11 AM



Lawn Games Day with the Red Wing Public Library in Central Park



Saturday, July 11th 12 PM-3PM

Free Family Fun Day: America 250 & Ice Cream Social



Wednesday, August 12th-Friday, August 14th

GCHS @ Goodhue County Fair in Zumbrota



Upcoming Events (Continued)



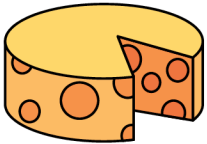
Kenyon Area Historical Society

Thursday, August 20th & Friday, August 21st 7 AM-2 PM
Rose Fest Garage Sale



Pine Island Area Historical Society

Friday, June 5th- Sunday, June 7th 12 PM-5 PM
Pine Island Cheese Festival Open House
(Closed during the parade on Sunday)



Zumbrota Area Historical Society

Saturday, July 18th
Annual Garden Tour

