

PURPOSE

The ARMED FORCES MUSEUM located in Alton, Illinois is dedicated to the preservation of military history from all services for all eras and Nations. The Museum has an extensive collection of historic military vehicles, and memorabilia.

VEHICLE COLLECTION

The Museum has an extensive and varied collection of historic military memorabilia [uniforms, personal gear and items, weapons, and literature]. Tracked and wheeled vehicles, and armor. Including a DUKW, armored personnel carriers, armored cars, a Command car, a Weasel, two fire trucks, Three Field Ambulances, several Jeeps, and Jeep Prototypes.

MEMORABILIA COLLECTION

The Museum also has an extensive collection of memorabilia which includes uniforms, weapons, personal items, and literature. Various segments of this collection are displayed in the Museum and throughout the year at civic events.

MUSEUM PROGRAM

The Museum presently engages in a program of "Living History" in which it furnishes displays of historic vehicles and memorabilia and reenactors at civic events such as Armed Forces Day and Veterans Day events. The Museum participates in historic reenactments and furnishes schools, youth and civic groups with historic displays and reenactors.

MUSEUM LOCATION

**NO. 2 CUT STREET
ALTON, ILLINOIS 62002
[618] 462-5237**

The Museum is now open at our new Headquarters where a vehicle and memorabilia exhibit is maintained for public viewing.

ORGANIZATION

The ARMED FORCES MUSEUM is a Federally chartered 501(c)(3) not-for-profit Museum. It is an all volunteer group with no paid staff. The Museum is supported solely through donations from it's members, supporters, and sponsors.

MEMBERSHIP

Membership is open to everyone who has an interest in preserving military history.

Annual Membership
Life Membership
Student Membership \$3.00/Year

DONATION PROGRAM

The Museum has a donation program in which it accepts donations of vehicles, memorabilia, volunteer services, and funds. As a not-for-profit Museum, these donations are tax deductible to the extent allowable by law.

TOURS

Group tours can be made for such organizations as:

- * Scouts
- * School classes
- * Veterans Groups

Individual visitors are always welcome

FOR INFORMATION PLEASE CONTACT:

618-462-5237

ARMED FORCES MUSEUM

Membership Application
Donation Form

Name: _____

Address _____

City: _____

State: _____ ZIP Code: _____

Telephone #: _____

Membership / Donation Options:

_____ Annual
_____ Life
_____ Student \$3.00
_____ Donation \$ _____

Armed Forces Museum of Alton, IL

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