



Solomon Valley Museum Musings

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- **Glasco Historical Museum**
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Museum Musings --The first planning meeting for our Glasco Community Historical Society was in March 1997. We acquired the former Glasco Men's Club on Main Street. Much repair was needed. We installed a new metal roof, new floor, and exposed the inside rock west wall. Some windows were closed in, and we replaced two doors on the rear of the building. The restroom was replaced and enlarged. We have a new heating and air conditioning system. Some repair was done to the outside rock walls and the basement entry door was replaced. The building was rewired and new lighting and fans installed.

We have many interesting displays. We have an extensive collection of military uniforms and memorabilia, including over 400 pictures of area military veterans in their uniforms. We have many advertising items given by Glasco businesses through the years, and a large collection of hand tools. We have displays describing Polly Dell fabric painting stencils and Trailcraft Canoe information. These two businesses were started in Glasco. There are many other items and pictures on display.

We meet once a month, the second Thursday morning, 7:30 a.m. at the Pepper Pot café in Glasco for a breakfast meeting. Our meetings are open to the public. We do not receive any tax money. We are proud of what we have accomplished with volunteers, dues, donations, and memorials. We are a 501(c)3 organization. Visitors are always welcome. If you would like to visit our museum, please call 785-568-2467 or 785-568-2410. These numbers and others are posted on our front door and these members will open the museum for visitors.

by Marlene Grittman

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