# **Compass Inn Museum**

A restored 1799 stagecoach stop that tells the story of transportation and everyday life in the early 1800's is owned and operated by the Ligonier Valley Historical Society.

#### **TOURS**

## Life in early America K - 12

Focus is on early American history between the time periods of 1799-1900. Costumed docents guide the students through the restored inn, reconstructed cookhouse, blacksmith shop, carpenter shop, and barn. All buildings authentically furnished with period pieces. Students develop an understanding of how early life compares to modern-day activities. Emphasis is placed upon the importance of an individual's role in a household and the community.

## Simple Machines Pre K - 2

Focus is on how things work by using the museum collection of 19<sup>th</sup>-century simple machines. Costumed docents guide the students throughout the museum as they operate the six simple machines; pulley, lever, wheel axle, inclined plane, screw, and wedge. Students develop an understanding of properties, materials, the position and motion of objects.

#### **Tour Prices**

- (Tours are 90 minutes)
- 20 students+ is \$3.00 per student
- 1 comp. adult per 20 students
- \$7.00 per additional adult

### Field Trip Planner

 Planners include directions to the Museum, visit instructions, payment information, ideas for the classroom, and a glossary.

## **Hands-on Project Prices**

- (Projects are 30 minutes each)
- \$1.50 per /student per /project
- Candle dipping
- Hearth cooking
- Tin punch
- Herbal sachet

## **Country Store**

- Unique gifts
- Souvenirs
- Toys

No time for shopping?
Ask about our" Goody bags" to go!



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