



Coliseum Museum Grand Opening a Success

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Oregon, IL –

The Coliseum Museum of Art, Antiques & Americana located in historic downtown Oregon, IL successfully opened their doors with a grand opening celebration on Friday, July 14.

Attendees from as far as the Quad cities filled the newly renovated and redesigned 100-year-old building for the event that featured a ribbon cutting ceremony, music by “NewShoes”, food by Jen’s Artisan Breads, and beverages by Ogle County Brewery.

Speakers included Oregon Mayor Ken Williams, CMAAA Board President & School District #220 Superintendent Dr. Tom Mahoney, and CMAAA Executive Director, Michael Glenn. Attendees also enjoyed a special seven-minute video highlighting the building and city history.

On July 19, CMAAA will begin regular operating hours of Wednesday – Saturday, 10:00am – 5:00pm. Additional information can be found on the website, www.cmaaa.org and Facebook page, www.facebook.com/ColiseumMuseum/

The CMAAA mission is to present Art, Antiques, Americana and history through permanent and rotating exhibits, workshops, music, theater and more.

Attached images in jpg include the ribbon cutting, Mayor Ken Williams, food table, and crowd viewing video.

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