



EVERHART INSIDER

MAY 2023

EVENTS

Everhart 115 Community Day Takes Place Saturday, May 20



In celebration of its 115 anniversary, the Everhart Museum is hosting ***Everhart 115 Community Day***, a free community event on **Saturday, May 20** as a thank you to all of Northeastern Pennsylvania for its support over the years. The day will feature free admission from **10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.** and free arts, crafts, music, entertainment, and demonstrations from **12:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.** inside and outside the Museum.

- The painting of a community mural with assisting artist Sam Kuchwara
- Music by Doug Smith's Dixieland All-Stars
- Rocks and minerals demonstrations by Steve Carter of Penn Minerals
- Guided hikes around Nay Aug Park with Jane Frye ([Register here!](#))
- Free spring-themed photo booth

- Free celebratory cake sponsored by Riccardo's Market
- Local history scavenger by the Lackawanna Historical Society
- Turn-of-the-20th-century reenactors
- Much more to be announced!

The event also commemorates the opening of the **Founder's Gallery**, which opens **Thursday, May 18**, which showcases the life of Museum founder **Dr. Isaiah Fawkes Everhart**.

Free Planned Giving Lunch with Estate Planning Attorney Scott Lynett Friday, May 26



Attorney Scott Lynett

On **Friday, May 26**, the Everhart presents its **Spring 2023 Planned Giving Lunch**, a free event offering attendees an opportunity to know more about estate planning. The event will feature a presentation by **Estate Planning Attorney Scott Lynett** and a complimentary lunch catered by **Blackwatch Cafe**.

Lynett leads the boutique law practice Legacy Planning by The Law Office of Scott Lynett, Esq., helping families

and business owners protect their assets and build succession and estate plans that work for the people they care about. He has assisted many families in preserving their lives, legacies, and assets and ensuring that their wealth and values are passed from generation to generation.

Space is limited to the first 15 registrants.

For more information, contact Director of Development John Farkas, Ph.D. at 570-346-7186, ext. 515 or jfarkas@everhart-museum.org.

REGISTER



EXHIBITIONS

Founder's Gallery
Opens Thursday, March 18

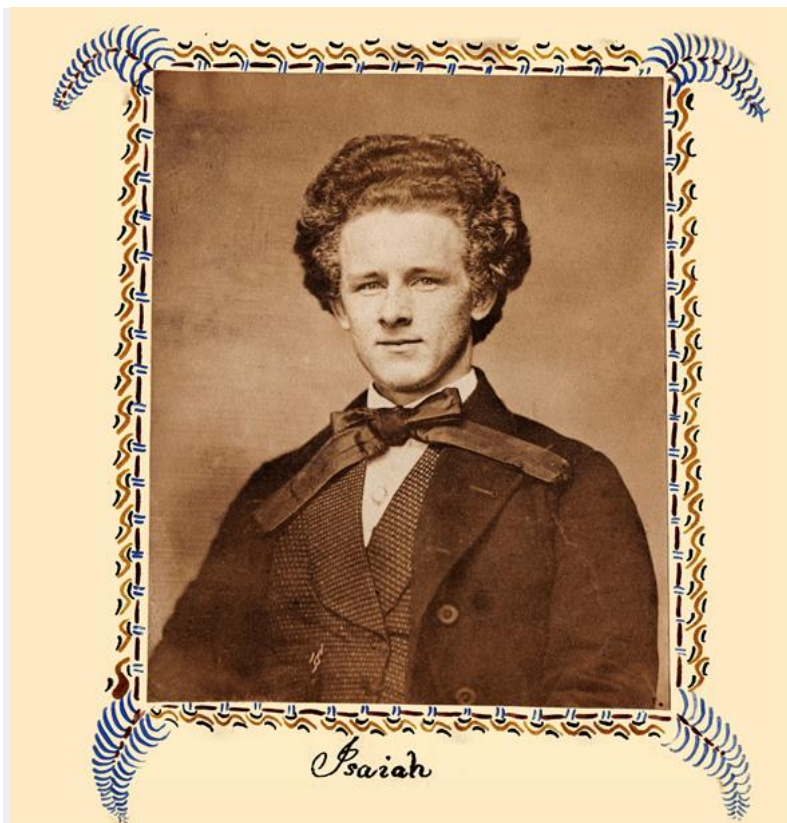


Photo of Dr. Isaiah Fawkes Everhart

Opening **May 18** to coincide with the celebration of the **Everhart's 115th anniversary**, the **Founder's Gallery**, a semi-permanent exhibition, traces Dr. Isaiah Fawkes Everhart's life from his beginnings in rural Southeastern Pennsylvania, through his career as a surgeon in the Civil War, to his settling in Scranton and establishment of the Museum that bears his name in 1908.

His story is told in his own words taken from journal entries; through objects from the Museum's collection, including the many taxidermy specimens he completed; and through rarely seen photos from the Museum's archives. For more on the Gallery and to register for a special opening ceremony on May 18, [click here!](#)

The Founder's Gallery are made possible by a generous gift of the Munley Family and Munley Law Firm in memory of Robert W. Munley, Esq.

Dorflinger Glass Gallery
Reopens Thursday, May 18



The Everhart's permanent **Dorflinger Glass Gallery** is set to reopen featuring a completely new installation on **Thursday, May 18**. A fixture of the Museum since 1973, the Gallery features glass created by the world-renowned Dorflinger glassmaking companies, which once operated in White Mills, PA, from 1852 through 1921. This new installation traces the chronology of Dorflinger Glass as represented in the Everhart's collection.

This new installation is made possible through the assistance of Dorflinger Factory Museum President, CEO, and Founder Jim Asselstine and Curator Kurt Reed.

VISITING HOURS

Monday–Wednesday: CLOSED

Thursday: 12:00 p.m.–5:00 p.m.

Friday: 12:00 p.m.–5:00p.m.
a.m.–5:00 p.m.

Saturday: 10:00

Sunday: 12:00 p.m.–5:00 p.m.

ADMISSION

Adults: \$5.00

Seniors and Students: \$3.00

Children 12 and under: FREE

Active military/veterans: FREE

PROGRAMS

Asian and Pacific Islander Month Family Workshop with Sachiko Saturday, May 13



The Artist Sachiko

On **Saturday, May 13** from **12:00 p.m.** to **1:00 p.m.**, the Everhart celebrates Asian American and Pacific Islander Heritage Month in May with the artist Sachiko in a session of the Museum's new **Monthly Family Workshop** series. Sachiko will lead an Abstract Expressionism mixed media workshop and discussion on the theme of the month.

Throughout 2023, the Monthly Family Workshop series features themed workshops one Saturday per month celebrating special monthly observances. Bring your family to enjoy arts, crafts, and activities led by guest artists at the Everhart while learning about the importance of the observances they're celebrating. These workshops are also open to individuals.

REGISTER



COMING SOON

NEPA Gives 2023 Takes Place June 1–2

NEPA Gives is an annual giving extravaganza hosted by the Scranton Area Community Foundation, Carbon County Community Foundation, The Luzerne Foundation, Greater Pike Community Foundation, and the Wayne County Community Foundation that's all about giving back to the community. On **Thursday, June 1** to **Friday, June 2**, for 24 hours—from **7:00 p.m.** to **7:00 p.m.**— donors may make secure donations to their favorite local nonprofit organizations like the Everhart through the NEPA Gives online platform with bonus funds being provided by event sponsors.

[Click here](#) for more information!





**Free Admission and Activities at the Everhart
for 2023 Electric City Flower Show
Saturday, June 10**

To coincide with the Scranton Municipal Recreation Authority's **2023 Electric City Flower Show** in **Nay Aug Park** on **Saturday, June 10**, the Everhart hosts a day of free admission from **10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.** and floral-themed activities from **12:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.**

The Electric City Flower Show is a free community event from **10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.** that features a juried flower competition among community participants as well as a variety of activities and vendors.

For more information, [click here!](#)

***Wild Bees* Opens Thursday, June 15**

Opening **Thursday, June 15**, ***Wild Bees***, a traveling exhibition of work by photojournalist and writer Paula Sharp and photographer Ross Eatman, features colorful high resolution photographs of bees of many varieties in their natural habitats exhibiting their natural behaviors. Beekeeping tools and wares from the Everhart collection are also included.



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Founded in 1908, the Everhart Museum of Natural History, Science & Art is the largest general museum in Northeastern Pennsylvania. The Everhart Museum, located in Nay Aug Park in Scranton, is a not-for-profit institution dedicated to the collection, care, and display of a diverse array of objects, including natural history, science, and fine arts. Through its exhibitions and programs, the Everhart Museum has become an invaluable regional resource for educational and cultural

opportunities. General support for the Museum is received from the Lackawanna County Office of Education & Culture, the Pennsylvania Council on the Arts, the City of Scranton, and many friends and donors.

Please consider including the Everhart Museum in your will or estate plan.

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