



EVERHART INSIDER

JUNE 2023

EVENTS

Everhart Participates in NEPA Gives 2023 June 1–June 2



The Everhart Museum is excited to participate in **NEPA Gives 2023**! During the 24-hour giving drive that lasts **from 7:00 p.m. on Thursday, June 1 through 7:00 p.m. on Friday June 2**, donors from across Northeastern Pennsylvania make donations to local nonprofits through the NEPA Gives online platform, with bonus funds provided by event sponsors. To learn more about this event, visit nepagives.org!

The support of generous donors like you is crucial to the Everhart's mission of providing natural history, science, and art experiences through educational programs, exhibitions, and events, as it has for the last 115 years.

THANK YOU in advance for your support of the Everhart and nonprofits across our region!

**Free Admission and Crafts at
the Everhart for Electric City
Flower Show
on 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 crafts 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!](#)

**Gaelic Gathering at the
Everhart
Takes Place Friday, July 14**



Come celebrate Irish traditions at the Gaelic Gathering at the Everhart, a fun 21 and older Irish-themed event on **Friday, July 14 from 5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.** The Gathering takes place on the Museum grounds in beautiful Nay Aug Park and features a slate of exciting elements:

- *Poor Man's Gambit, a lively Irish band
- *Irish appetizers from Stirna's
- *Irish beer
- *Yard games (large block jenga, cornhole)
- *Pot of Gold Raffle with \$1,000 in door prizes (\$10 per ticket)
- *Irish-Themed Signature Drink
- *Axe throwing from PA Party Rental
- *Craft soda from Parlor Beverages (root beer, birch beer, butterscotch root beer)

All is provided with the cost of registration of \$50 per person, except where noted.
Space is limited to the first 150 registrants.

REGISTER

The Everhart is currently seeking sponsors for this event! All sponsors will receive recognition and visibility on social media, the event webpage, and at the event. For more on sponsorships, click [here](#).

EXHIBITIONS

Wild Bees **Opens Thursday, June 15**



Wilkes Mining Bee by Paula Sharp

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.

For more information on this exhibition and the artists' work, click [here](#).

Founder's Gallery
Now Open on Long-Term View



Photo of Dr. Isaiah Fawkes Everhart

Coinciding with the celebration of the **Everhart's 115th anniversary**, the **Founder's Gallery**, a semi-permanent exhibition, traces Museum founder 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.

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

**Dorflinger Glass Gallery
Reinstallation Now Open
on Long-Term View**



Dorflinger Glass colored by Honesdale Decorating Company

The Everhart's permanent **Dorflinger Glass Gallery** has reopened following an extensive reinstallation, completed with assistance from [Dorflinger Factory Museum](#) President, CEO, and Founder Jim Asselstine and Curator Kurt Reed. A fixture of the Museum since 1969, this Gallery features glass created by the world-renowned Dorflinger glassmaking companies from 1852 through 1921. Dorflinger Glass operated in White Mills, PA for many of these years.

This new installation traces the chronology of Dorflinger Glass as represented in the Everhart's collection and features remarkable pieces from the Abraham Lincoln and Benjamin Harrison White Houses, as well as renowned glass colored by Honesdale Decorating Company in Honesdale, PA from 1901 to 1915.

VISITING HOURS

Monday–Wednesday: CLOSED

Thursday: 12:00 p.m.–5:00 p.m.

Friday: 12:00 p.m.–5:00p.m.

Saturday: 10:00

a.m.–5:00 p.m.

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

LGBTQ+ Pride Month Workshop with Painter Sam Kuchwara Saturday, June 17



Painter Sam Kuchwara

On **Saturday, June 17** from **12:00 p.m. to 1:00 p.m.**, the Everhart celebrates LGBTQ+ Pride Month with the artist painter Sam Kuchwara in a session of the Museum's **Monthly Workshop** series. Kuchwara will lead a session of painting terra cotta flower pots as well as a discussion of the monthly observance.

Throughout 2023, the Monthly Workshop series features themed workshops one Saturday per month celebrating

special monthly observances. Come enjoy arts, crafts, and activities led by guest artists at the Everhart while learning about the importance of the observances they're celebrating.

Cost:

Adults (18+): \$10

Seniors (60+): \$5

Youth (17 and under): \$3

REGISTER

**CONTRIBUTE TO SUPPORT THE EVERHART'S
MISSION!**

**GET FREE ANNUAL ADMISSION BY
BECOMING A MEMBER TODAY!**



Everhart Museum of Natural History, Science & Art

1901 Mulberry St., Scranton, PA 18510

everhart-museum.org

info@everhart-museum.org

570-346-7186 ext. 510

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.

[Preferences](#) | [Unsubscribe](#)