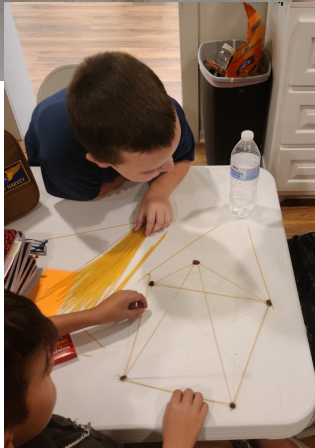


STEM on the Frontier Wraps Up

This summer at the Bosque Museum, we expanded our camp selections to include STEM on the Frontier. STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math) education has been a big focus in schools over the past few years, so we gave our historical spin on it. Over four days, campers invented, tested, and used their imagination looking at inventions of the past.



Pictured here are campers having fun at camp. The campers on the left are investigating a sample cotton boll before creating their own cotton gin. The top right photo is campers building a water filter out of natural materials. The bottom right photo is our Cabin Challenge team winners hard at work. Teams were challenged with building log cabin models in a variety of shapes. STEM on the Frontier will be back in 2024 - we'll see you there!



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New in the Temporary Gallery

The Accession: Preserving Bosque County History One Object at a Time

Have you ever wondered how we keep track of all 13,000+ of our objects? Are you curious about what goes on in the Jacob Olson Museum Annex? Our latest installment in the Temporary Gallery will answer all your questions.



The Accession: Preserving Bosque County History One Object at a Time is a deep-dive into the “How” of protecting and preserving the history of Bosque County. The exhibit features a sampling of the objects we have taken into our custody over the past few years, along with the step-by-step process of how something gets from an attic to the Annex. *The Accession* is a ‘sneak peek’ into our collections, and a chance to see objects before they undergo conservation preservation work and enter the collections spaces.

The equipment necessary to accession an object

Admission to see *The Accession* is included with your General Admission ticket. The exhibit runs from July 20 - October 29. Come by and check it out for yourself!

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NUTCRACKER VILLAGE AT THE BOSQUE MUSEUM

An infantry of life-sized nutcrackers in the Museum Pavilion will help ring in the holiday season again in 2023. You may have enjoyed the village last year, but this year will be bigger and better, with nutcrackers both inside and out!

If you are interested in sponsoring a nutcracker, the cost is \$500. We will house them throughout the year, and you will get recognition at the village. Sponsors can select a design of their choice (within reason), or can collaborate with our team to find one that suits you. Hurry, though - sponsor forms must be in by September 30 in order for your nutcracker to be guaranteed to make their 2023 appearance.

For more information, forms, or a payment link, head to our website <https://bosquemuseum.org/copy-of-christmasjuly> today!

Upcoming Events

- Annex Open House:** Free, Saturday, September 16, 11 am – 2 pm
- Educator's Reception:** Free, Tuesday, October 10, 5:30 pm - 7 pm
- Blue Star Museum:** Free through September 3 for active-duty military and their families.

Lomax Gathering



John A. Lomax

John Avery Lomax, raised in Meridian, was a folklorist and musicologist of note in the early 20th century. He documented the burgeoning music scene of the American South.

Join us for a concert at Meridian’s John A. Lomax Musical Amphitheater, where we will showcase the legacy left by John A. Lomax. Pipp Gillette and Kristyn Harris will sing songs and tell tales as John Lomax III narrates the evening with tales and tunes about how the work his grandfather did in the early 20th century changed modern music forever.

November 18; Prices & Times TBA

Mallory Ransom; Summer Student Employee

Mallory joined the Bosque Museum in June and began to fill her summer days doing what she likes best - working in a museum. Her first task was to finish our lithic tool exhibit. Then she used her accessioning skills to whittle down our backlog. Wow - What a task that was! And last but not least, thanks to Mallory, the museum’s temporary gallery became the learning place for how the museum accepts, catalogs and preserves its donations and gifts. Come by for a visit and take a peek at her awesome work. Mallory was a huge asset to the museum and staff this summer. She's back at Baylor now, finishing up her Master's Degree in Museum Studies. The Bosque Museum would like to thank the Clifton Higher Education Fund for funding Mallory's position with us this Summer. We'll sure miss her and hope she pops in for a “howdy” now and then.

