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GEORGE BUSH Presidential Library and Museum, George Bush Drive West College Station, Texas, USA

FEATURED EXHIBITS



Stripes & Stars:
A Graphic History of
an American Icon
July 3, 2001 -
October 30, 2001
Drawn from the personal
collection of Sam
Francisco graphic artist Mr. Kit Hinrichs, over 150
amazing American artifacts from two centuries display
the stripes and stars of the flag of the United States.
Interpretations of the flag motif continued to
surface, resulting in a rich visual history of a true
American icon. From beaded leather gloves to charm-
ing coin banks from one-of-a-kind weather vanes to
vibrant violin cases, this exhibit will have you whistling
Yankee-doodle-dandy.



Stripes & Stars:
Brazos Valley Student Art Contest
July 3, 2001 - October 30, 2001
See the next generation's delightful take on the stripes
and stars of the American flag. Fifty student artists
created wonderfully diverse patriotic images for this
exhibit. Three jurors awarded nine first place winners.
Come see if you agree.



Stripes & Stars:
"Looking Up: Flag Series"
The Paintings of
Stephanie Sale
July 3, 2001 -
October 30, 2001
Strength, vivid colors and
technical virtuosity are the words that come to mind as
you view the patriotic paintings of Stephanie Sale.
Her crystal-clear images and unusual compositions are

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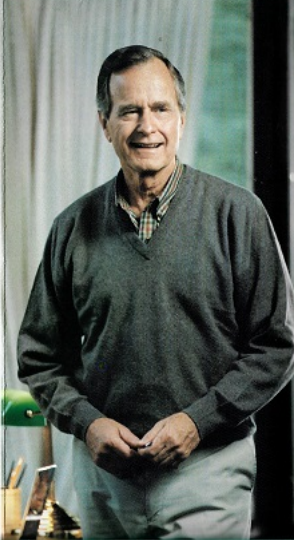
Museum Hours:
Monday - Saturday 9:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Sunday 12:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Closed Thanksgiving Day, Christmas Day, and New Year's Day

Parking at the museum is free. The museum is fully
accessible and wheelchairs are available from the museum.

General Information:
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Welcome to the George Bush Presidential Library and Museum.

The story of George Bush is a fascinating one of adventure, courage, dedication, and service. Our museum exhibits reveal the unique influences and challenges which shaped George Bush's life and presidency. On a larger scale, this museum encompasses much of U.S. history since 1941. Through artifacts, film, photographs, documents, music, sound effects, and interactive video and computerization, this special museum experience is both educational and entertaining. Some of the larger museum features include a World War II Avenger Torpedo Bomber, a 1947 Studebaker, a slab of the Berlin



President Bush's Camp David and Air Force One offices. The presidential exhibits document George Bush's exceptional leadership during times of crisis—the reunification of Germany, the collapse of the Soviet Union, and the Gulf



War. The importance of family, friends, and politics also are a part of the museum's colorful story. Yet, the overall theme of the museum is the nobility of public service exemplified by the lives of George and Barbara Bush.



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Picturing the Century
One Hundred Years of Photography from the National Archives
October 6, 2001 - February 10, 2002

This exhibit commemorates the end of the twentieth century with a selection of historic photographs from the vast holdings of the National Archives and Records Administration. These photographs vividly capture the sweeping changes of the last hundred years in ways that are remarkably broad and candid. They depict everyday and high political drama, society's failings as well as its triumphs, war's ugliness as well as its heroism.



The White House in Miniature
November 19, 2001 - February 19, 2002

There is nothing miniature about this model. It is huge. At fifty-five feet long and twenty feet wide, this model is an eye popper. This exquisitely furnished replica of the White House has drawn record-breaking crowds all over the country. The Zweifels family, with the blessings of the White House, has devoted thirty years of their life researching, executing, moving and maintaining this extraordinary gift to the people of the United States. Born to





Like the other presidential libraries, the George Bush Library and Museum is also a research institution, totally integrated into the academic environment of Texas A&M University. The Bush Library's collections include 38,000,000 pages of official and personal papers, 1,000,000 photographs, 2,500 hours of videotape, and 70,000 museum objects. These rich primary sources document George Bush's distinguished public career as Congressman, Ambassador to the United Nations, Chief of the U.S. Liaison Office in China, Chairman of the Republican National Committee, Director of Central Intelligence, Vice President, and President. Utilizing these collections, scholars will write the history of this exciting era. The museum includes 17,000 square feet of space with a changing exhibit gallery. Included in the museum's exhibits are items ranging from a 1925 film of George Bush's first steps in Kennebunkport, Maine to records and memorabilia from his tenure as the 41st President of the United States. In addition, a special section is dedicated to former First Lady Barbara Bush and her efforts on behalf of literacy, AIDS prevention, and volunteerism.



The museum also contains a classroom designed especially for students from kindergarten through high school. A staff education coordinator combines Texas social studies curriculum with drama, art and written expression to create programs which teach students about the presidency, American history, and our government. Operated by the National Archives and Records Administration (NARA), the George Bush Presidential Library and Museum is the tenth presidential library in the United States. Texas is the only state to house two such facilities, including the Lyndon B. Johnson Library and Museum located on the University of Texas campus in Austin.

