



Aransas County has a fascinating multi-cultural history. This culture is expressed through people's activities and the industries developed. Its people are resilient having overcome many natural difficulties. They express themselves through their art, music, food, buildings, fishing, hunting, bird watching and community activities. Industries past and present include fishing, seafood, meat packing, ship building, oil production and tourism. The History Center's task is to relay this narrative in an engaging manner so that people understand our past and can make knowledgeable present-day decisions based upon the experiences of the past. Please become a member and be a part of this important task.

The Friends of the History Center for Aransas County is a 501(c)3 non-profit corporation located in a historic Rockport, Texas 1870s home that is a venue of Aransas Pathways. Through presenting 3 specialized new Exhibits each year with associated programs virtually every two weeks, publication of books, historic cruises and other special events, the History Center during its five years of operation has become a center of community activity and learning. To enable visitors to understand the overall history of Aransas County, we are developing a new long-term exhibit giving an overview of the story of Aransas County through videos, artifacts, signs, murals and interactive displays.



**Come and be a Member of the Friends of the History Center and be a part of the history of Aransas County.**

**Levels of Membership:**

*\$150- Business Membership*

- Name and link to your website on our landing page
- Electronic copies of our newsletters
- Notices of all events at the History Center

*\$500- Business Sponsorship*

- All the above, plus
- Your name on a brick paver placed outside the history center
- 10% discount on any item in our sales area
- Complimentary copy of our new Foodways book or any other book in our sales area

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- Your name and logo on all newsletter naming you as a Corporate Sponsor
- Special private tour of the History Center for your employees conducted by one of our docents