

DIXON HISTORIC CENTER

Research—Discovery
Heritage—Legacy
Learning—Insight
Tradition—Enrichment

Research Library • Historical Exhibits
History Lessons • Presentations
Veterans History Project Regional Center
Auditorium • Art Gallery
Surround-Sound Theater
We have a gift shop too!

- DHC is a History Research and Learning Center located in President Ronald Reagan's boyhood South Central School
- Open 9 to 4 • Monday through Friday
- Handicapped accessible
- Convenient elevator to every floor
- Completely climate controlled
- Please call to schedule a tour

Don't forget:

DHC presentations on people or events of historical significance - **free**.
One Thursday evening each month at 7:00pm! Watch for announcements.

Please join us for future classes:

Abraham Lincoln
Ulysses S. Grant
Chief Blackhawk

Sign up for a newsletter
and keep up with our
programs and progress.

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You're invited on an exciting
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meaningful history lesson.

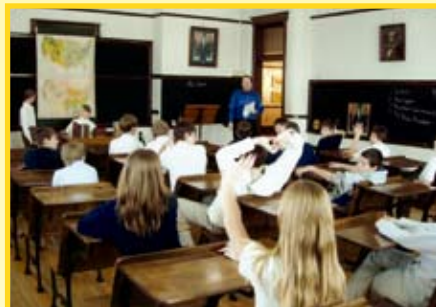
DISCOVER HISTORY - ELEMENTARY EDUCATION PROGRAM

“PRESIDENT REAGAN AND ME”

DIXON HISTORIC CENTER'S
 DISCOVER HISTORY - ELEMENTARY EDUCATION PROGRAM
 PRESENTS "PRESIDENT REAGAN AND ME"

Please consider a field trip to a piece of history...

President Ronald Reagan's boyhood school building.



Your students will walk in the same halls and sit in the same classroom as Ronald Reagan. They'll learn how growing up in Dixon helped form his values and how values formed at their age can be carried throughout a lifetime of helping others.

We'll help them discover how President Reagan helped form the world we now know. Your students will walk away feeling good about growing up in the region, plus, they'll be glad you brought them to the center to discover history.

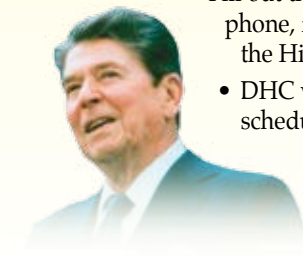
Lesson includes:

- The region as a backdrop for the formation of young Ronald Reagan's beliefs and attitude.
- How a youngster's present-day point of view can be related to Mr. Reagan's boyhood relationship to the region.
- How your student's personal values and attitudes may be formed by the same kind of interactions that young Mr. Reagan had.
- How Reagan's principles and work ethic carried him through the path to the presidency.
- How President Reagan's decisions affect how the United States now functions.
- How President Reagan's decisions formed the present-day world.

Also:

Get a picture in Ronald Reagan's classroom.

*To ignore the past
 is to lose the future.*
 Norm Winbbs



Attendance Details:

- Structured for 5th, 6th or 7th grades.
- Takes place in President Reagan's 6th grade classroom.
- Classroom seats 28 students.
- Attend morning or afternoon sessions.
- Monday through Friday throughout the school year.
- Bring one or two groups at a time.
- For one group: allow 1 hour total time at the Center.
- For two groups: allow approximately 90 minutes total time at the Center.

How to get scheduled:

- Please select a desired date and time.
- Select an alternate date and time.
- **Schedule now** for the best times to suit your class schedules.
- Or, schedule any time during the school year. We'll help make your schedule fit.
- Fill out the form at right and mail, phone, fax or e-mail the information to the Historic Center.
- DHC will call to confirm or to resolve scheduling conflicts.

**PLEASE BRING YOUR STUDENTS TO
 "PRESIDENT REAGAN AND ME"**

School: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ Zip: _____

Contact phone: _____

Contact e-mail: _____

Administrator: _____

Field trip chaperone(s): _____

Requested date: ____/____/20____

Requested time: morning afternoon

Alternate date: ____/____/20____

Alternate time: morning afternoon

Number of classes attending: 1 2

Total number of students: _____

Grades represented: 5th 6th 7th other _____

Mail, phone, fax or e-mail the above information to us.
 We hope you can come!

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There's a lot going on here to tell you about and a whole lot more coming in the following months. We'll tell you what has happened and keep you abreast of our progress so you and your students don't miss a thing.

To the address or e-mail shown above, send your name, address, and/or e-mail address. Tell us if you'd like a newsletter by mail, e-mail or both. **It's even easier to sign up at www.dixonhistoriccenter.org.**

Please tell your friends about us. It would be great to hear that even more people are interested in the history of our wonderful Illinois region.