

SCHOLARSHIPS FOR EXHIBIT WORKSHOP AVAILABLE!

SCHOLARSHIPS FOR AASLH “Exhibit Makeovers” Workshop in Shawnee, KS

Heritage League of Greater Kansas City is pleased to announce it is offering up to **15 scholarships to Heritage League members to attend “Exhibit Makeovers” a two-day workshop** being offered by the **American Association for State & Local History (AASLH)** and hosted by the **Johnson County Museum** on **April 12-13, 2012**.

Interpretive exhibits bring objects, images, and ideas to life for visitors through storytelling, diverse presentation media, and learning opportunities that engage multiple intelligences. In this workshop based on the book *Exhibit Makeovers: A Do-It-Yourself Workbook for Small Museums*, you'll learn the basics of exhibit planning, organization, text writing, and design. Drawing on resources of the host institution, working hands-on in small groups, you'll experiment with ways to make exhibit content meaningful and memorable for visitors.

Each workshop participant will receive a copy of *Exhibit Makeovers* (AltaMira Press, 2008).

The workshop will be held at the Johnson County Museum, located at 6305 Lackman Road, Shawnee, KS 66217-9740.

SCHOLARSHIP DETAILS:

Through special arrangements with AASLH, Heritage League members may receive a \$200 scholarship from the League to attend this workshop. League members will be responsible for the remaining \$60 fee to AASLH.

Scholarship will be granted through an application process and recipients will be notified by February 24th. After award notification, each recipient will be responsible for registering and paying the \$60 fee to AASLH before March 9th to reserve their seat at the workshop.

TO APPLY FOR A SCHOLARSHIP FROM HERITAGE LEAGUE:

- 1) Complete the scholarship application form and**
- 2) return it to: jsvadlenak@kc.surewest.net.**

APPLICATIONS MUST BE RECEIVED NO LATER THAN FEBRUARY 17th.

QUESTIONS?

For additional information about the workshop content, speaker and schedule, see <http://www.aaslh.org/ExhibitMakeovers.htm>. If you have questions about the scholarships, or to receive a scholarship application form by mail, contact Jean Svadlenak at (816) 361-5639 or e-mail: jsvadlenak@kc.surewest.net.