News Release

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Smithsonian Magazine Museum Day & Annual Used Book Sale

Lakewood, WA – On Saturday, April 4, watch the museum come to life as living historians participate in a national event, coordinated by the Smithsonian Magazine. Volunteers live and work as soldiers, officers, wives, children and friends of the garrison.

Complimentary admission to Lakewood residents and those with Museum Day passes. To get your own pass, visit https://www.smithsonianmag.com/museumday/museum-day-2020/ for more details. Quarters 1, 2, 3, and 4 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Additionally, the book sale will begin at 10 a.m. and continue until 4 p.m. and be held in Quarters 2. See updated displays and get bargains on a wide variety of books. Complimentary admission, but donations are appreciated.

Fort Steilacoom occupies an important position in the history of early America and the Pacific Northwest. The fort played a significant role in the settling of Washington Territory. Beginning with its construction in 1849 and ending with its closure in 1868, Fort Steilacoom served as a beacon of American power and promise, promoting the migration of settlers to Washington & securing American interest in the region. Historic Fort Steilacoom Association is a non-profit organization and all donations are tax deductible. The Historic Fort Steilacoom Association’s mission is: Sharing and preserving the first U.S. Army Post in the Puget Sound Region with area guests.

For more information, visit http://www.historicfortsteilacoom.org.
Historic Fort Steilacoom is located on the grounds of Western State Hospital at: 9601 Steilacoom Blvd SW, Lakewood, WA 98498

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