Much of the cultural heritage of the Bear River Heritage Area is documented in its small museums, managed by dedicated volunteers and members of the local Daughters of the Utah Pioneers chapter, called a "camp". With a mission to preserve precious artifacts and educate the public, the museums survive on small grants, donations and sales of gifts and books. In some towns, look for historic cabins and other buildings which have been preserved and furnished by the DUP. These sites are usually only open on holidays like July 4th or 24th, but most volunteers are willing to provide a tour by appointment. Space is often limited, but what’s inside these museums will pique your interest.

**Bear River Valley Museum and Cultural Center**
- The museum highlights the story of Tremonton's Borgstrom Brothers, whose real life experience was reflected in the film "Saving Private Ryan".
- Open: Mon-Fri 1-4
- Location: 150 S. Tremont St., Tremonton, UT
- Information: 435.854.7406; www.brvmuseum.org

**Box Elder Museum of Natural History**
- Featuring an extensive collection of fossils and minerals, and early mining history.
- Open: Mon-Thurs 8-5, Fri 8-12
- Location: Hervin Bunderson Center, 631 E. 200 N., Brigham City, UT
- Information: 435.226.1439

**Brigham City Museum and Gallery**
- A rotating art gallery features contemporary and folk arts from the Intermountain West. A yearly quilt invitational includes international artists.
- Open: Tues-Fri 11-6, Sat 1-5
- Location: 24 N. 300 W., Brigham City, UT
- Information: 435.226.1439

**Cache DUP Museum**
- Cache Valley pioneer artifacts from 1860-1900.
- Open: Tues-Fri 1-5; Sat 10-1
- Location: 160 North Main Street, Historic Downtown Logan, UT
- Information: 435.752.5139 or 435.770.4977

**Franklin Relic Hall and Historic District**
- Relic Hall houses over 2,500 pioneer artifacts and a collection of crayon portraits of Mormon Pioneers.
- Open: Memorial Day to Labor Day, Tues-Sat 11-3
- Location: 113 East Main Street, Franklin, ID
- Information: 208.646.2459

**Georgetown DUP Museum and Relief Society Hall**
- Housed in the first public building built in Georgetown.
- Open: By appointment
- Location: 161 Third NW St., Georgetown, ID
- Information: 208.847.1752

**Holbrook Brick Store at Chesterfield**
- Chesterfield is a historic town in southeastern Idaho founded in 1880. The renovated Holbrook Store houses a Daughters of Utah Pioneers (DUP) museum.
- Open: Mon-Sat 10-6, Memorial Day to Labor Day
- Location: Bancroft, ID
- Information: 208.648.7177

**Hyrum City Museum**
- Anasazi and Shoshone artifacts, fur trapping, valley religion, education and community development.
- Open: Wed & Sat 10-3, Tues & Thurs 12-6
- Location: 50 West Main St., Hyrum, UT
- Information: 435.245.0208

**Laketown Relic Hall**
- Current meeting place of Camp Ithaca of the DUP.
- Local artifacts curated and kept on display.
- Open: July 24th holiday
- Location: 185 East 1st St., Laketown, UT
- Information: 435.946.3378 or 435.994.2325

**Lewiston DUP Museum**
- The Leavitt Layne Camp of the DUP has restored this cabin and granary.
- Open: By appointment
- Location: 2640 W. 2000 S., Lewiston, UT
- Information: 435.258.2273 or 435.994.0391

**Millville Museum**
- Municipal museum, organized through the efforts of Millville residents.
- Open: By appointment
- Location: 300 S., Millville, UT
- Information: 435.258.2273 or 435.994.0391

**Oneida Pioneer Museum**
- Featuring fifty restored photographic crayon portraits of Oneida County settlers.
- Open: Tues-Sat 1-5
- Location: 27 Bannock St., Malad, ID
- Information: 208.766.9247 or 208.406.6172
Paradise DUP Museum
Managed by the Sagwitch camp, which was named after Shoshone Chief Sagwitch.
Open: Decoration Day, Trout and Berry Days
Location: 8970 S. 200 W., Paradise, UT
Information: 435.245.3842 or 435.770.2641

Paris Historical Museum
Early pioneer artifacts from the Mormon settlers who first settled the region.
Open: Weekdays 10-4, Memorial Day to Labor Day
Location: 24 W. 2nd St., Paris, ID
Information: 208.945.0959

Rains and Trails Museum
Montpelier’s railroad history, City of Bern cheese making history.
Open: Memorial Day Weekend to Sep. 25th
Location: 322 N. 4th St., Montpelier, ID
Information: 208.847.3800
www.oregontrailcenter.org

Randolph DUP Relic Hall and Jailhouse
Managed by the Crawford Mountain DUP Camp, a fascinating array of artifacts.
Open: By appointment
Location: 135 S. 100 E., Randolph, UT
Information: 435.881.5417

Richmond DUP Museum and Relic Hall
Originally LDS Church tithing office, now maintained by the James Andrew Drusilla Hendricks Camp.
Open: Black and White Days
(3rd weekend in May)
Location: 26 South State Street, Richmond, UT
Information: 435.232.2463 or 435.764.5776

Soda Springs DUP Museum
Mining tools, American Indian artifacts, pioneer clothing, WWI photos from local residents.
Open: By appointment
Location: 50 Center Street, Soda Springs, ID
Information: Sanders Furniture, 208.547.3706

South Bannock Historical Center Museum
The stories of seven influential communities in South Bannock County, including Shoshone-Bannock tribal history.
Open: Daily, 12-5
Location: 110 E. Main, Lava Hot Springs, ID
Information: 208.776.5254
www.lavahistoricmuseum.weebly.com

Union Pacific Depot Museum
Railroad history, located in the 1906 Brigham City Train Depot. Together with Golden Spike National Historic Site, the museum complements the narrative of the completion of the Union Pacific Railroad.
Open: Mon & Thurs-Sat 1-5
Location: 833 West Forest St., Brigham City, UT
Information: 435.723.2989

World of Puppetry Museum
Featuring over 150 puppets from around the world. Punch and Judy puppet show 1st and 3rd Saturdays.
Open: 1st and 3rd Saturdays, 1-4
Location: Fine Arts Center, 58 South 100 West, Brigham City, UT
Information: 435.723.0740
www.bcfineartcenter.org

UTAH STATE UNIVERSITY
Two larger museums you won’t want to miss!
Nora Eccles Harrison Museum of Art
Modern, post-modern, and contemporary art culture of northern Utah and the western United States, including American Indian arts.
Location: 650 North 1100 East, Logan, UT
Information: 435.797.0163
www.artmuseum.usu.edu

USU Museum of Anthropology
Maintained primarily by university students, with the mission to educate the public about diverse cultures and human behavior.
Open: Tues-Fri 10-4 & 1st Sat 1-4
Location: Utah State University, Old Main, Room 252, Logan, UT
Information: 435.797.7545
www.anthromuseum.usu.edu

ADDITIONAL RESOURCES:
American West Heritage Center
www.awhc.org

Daughters of Utah Pioneers International
www.dupinternational.org

Daughters of Utah Pioneers Museum
300 N. Main St. Salt Lake City, UT

Golden Spike National Historic Site
www.nps.gov/gosp/index.htm

Idaho State Historical Society
www.history.idaho.gov

National Oregon California Trail Center
www.oregontrailcenter.org

Northwestern Band of the Shoshone Nation
www.nwbsshoshone.com

Oneida Stake Academy Foundation
www.oneidastakeacademy.com

Utah Division of State History
www.heritage.utah.gov/history

Utah State University Special Collections and Archives
https://archives.usu.edu

Bear Lake County Historical Society
208.847.3240 or 435.881.2089

Cache Valley Historical Society
www.cachevalleyhistory.com

Caribou Historical Society
208.547.4587

Franklin County Historical Society
208.852.3177

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Box Elder County Tourism
Brigham City, Utah 435.734.3315
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