

Thursday Morning Driving Tour – Durham Museum

Cost: \$13 per person

<https://durhammuseum.org/>

Scooters and wheelchairs are available on a first-come, first-served basis

The Durham Museum is located inside the beautiful Art Deco Station from the 1930's. When you enter the museum you will be in awe of all the history. On the right is the gift shop housed inside the original ticket booth. Look up and see the beautiful Art Deco details. The museum has traveling and permanent displays. See 1940's storefronts, artifacts from the region, and the Byron Reed collection which has some of the rarest coins you will ever see. Walk through different eras of train cars. The museum is full of all kinds of wonderful and fascinating things.

We will start our tour with an hour-long tour conducted by one of their tour experts who will walk us through the museum explaining the interesting history and facts. After the tour, you will be able to go back and see the displays closer on your own. There is a vintage-style soda fountain and candy shop. Make sure to stop by and get lunch or an ice cream. Once you are done, head back to the hotel on your own. However, there are some other interesting places to visit in the area. The maps will have them listed for you.

NOTE: We will have a set time for the guided tour. Maps will be available beforehand.

Because of traffic, we will not be able to cruise in a line as usual. We will leave as a group at 9 am but with traffic, we know our line will break. Make sure you are in the museum lobby by the set time for the tour. The tour may go on without you.