

# OLD RED MUSEUM



OF DALLAS COUNTY HISTORY & CULTURE

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Open Daily 9am to 5pm.

The Old Red Museum of Dallas County History & Culture is proud to present its *Summer Saturdays Series* on the second Saturday of each month in June, July, and August. Summer Saturdays give museum visitors a unique opportunity to **REDISCOVER** Dallas through a variety of drop-in Family Workshops, activities, and exhibit openings.

Each Summer Saturday Program includes discounted museum admission, themes from Dallas County's history, guided building tours of the Old Red Courthouse, gallery scavenger hunts, crafts, and hands on activities for kids ages 4-16.

## **Summer Saturday Themes Include:**

### **Saturday, June 13, 11am to 3pm –**

*Lee and Grant* Civil War Exhibit Opening and Drop-in Workshop and Family Day

- Join us as we celebrate two of history's most noted leaders and the grand opening of our summer exhibit, *Lee and Grant*. History comes to life for children and adults alike with Civil War reenactors, demonstrations, historical music, children's games, crafts, and activities. Children can relive history by trying on historical clothes, investigating artifacts, and listening to stories from long ago.

### **Saturday, July 11, 11am to 3pm –**

*From Lincoln Logs to Hula Hoops: Children's Games Through the Decades* Drop-in Workshop and Family Day

- Early childhood favorites such as marbles, dominoes, Toss Across, Lincoln Logs, and Spirograph return as museum visitors learn about the various toys that entertained children over the years. Kids will enjoy participating in a hula hoop contest and making their own toys like whirly gigs, button spinners, and clothespin dolls.

### **Saturday, August 8, 11am to 3pm –**

*Downtown Detectives: Uncovering the Hidden Treasures in Architecture* Drop-in Workshop and Family Day

- The Dallas skyline comes to life as children and adults uncover the unique features and characteristics of the Old Red Courthouse and its surrounding buildings. Kids will enjoy creating their own stained glass window, uncovering historical features through architecture rubbings, and discovering architectural details that make Dallas buildings unique. Special guided tours of the Old Red Courthouse will offer visitors a chance to learn about the restored courtroom, restoration, room, grand staircase, and clock tower.