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Fundraising Dinner Focuses on Prohibition in Nebraska

Tickets for the Sarpy County Museum's Aug. 12th fundraiser dinner are now available. While prohibition is often connected to the roaring 20s, it started here in Nebraska one hundred years ago in 1917. Nebraska went dry more than a year before the rest of the country, and stayed dry for a year after the rest of the country. Naturally, the theme this year is centered on the speakeasy with the Sarpy Speakeasy.

Entertainment will be provided by Three Day Weekend, a jazz combo from Papillion. Cost for the event, catered by Fareway of Papillion, is \$30 per person or a table of 6 for \$150. Tickets are available at the museum or online and payable by cash, check or credit/debit card. Participants will also enjoy a wine pull, door prizes and raffle opportunities at the fundraiser. The dinner is being held at Bellevue University on the lower level of the administration building. Doors open at 5:00 pm with dinner served at 5:30 pm.

About the Sarpy County Museum

The Sarpy County Museum, incorporated in 1953, is committed to protecting, preserving and promoting Sarpy County's rich history. It does this by hosting a variety of free programs, archiving local records and assisting with genealogy research. The museum is generously funded by Sarpy County and continues to rely on donations from members, volunteers and community supporters. The museum is a non-profit 501(c)3 organization. For more information, contact the Sarpy County Museum, 402-292-1880 or museum@sarpycountymuseum.org.

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