

SUMMER 2023 EVENTS:

<ul style="list-style-type: none">• The BBI Historical Society will be opening the library and museum as of July 1st. Volunteers are always needed and welcome during open hours Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays from 10:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. NHS credit is available for high school students to stay during open hours.
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Story Hour will be held at the Hoover Building on Wednesdays from 11:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. beginning July 5th through July 26th.
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• We will be kicking off mid-summer with the Annual Ice Cream Social and Booksale Fundraiser on Saturday, July 15, 2023, from 2:00 – 4:00 p.m. We need volunteers to help with set up, scooping, and clean up. NHS credit is available for high school students.
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Please join us as we celebrate Highlights of Mike White's BBI Flora Photography of our island to be on display in the museum/library from mid-July to mid-August.
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Coming soon! The Historical Society will be hosting a Visiting Michigan Author Special Event on Friday, July 21st at 7:00 p.m. Please join us as Will Swartz discusses his book, <i>A walk Across Michigan – Hiking the Michigan Shore-to-Shore Hiking Trail</i> in the Wagner Room. Chips and bottled water will be provided. We will have a silent auction with new goods and service items for you to bid on. The event is free, but donations are always appreciated!
<p>Visit the link for more on Will Swartz: https://www.awalkacrossmichigan.com/products/paperback-a-walk</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Erin Bartels, a Michigan Notable Author, and a few other visiting authors will be coming to BBI tentatively on Saturday, August 5th to discuss their books. We will also be offering a mini writer's workshop led by the visiting authors and some island authors for those who are trying to start or finish that story! Plans are in the works, and we will notify you here on Facebook when we have the date and details confirmed. This event only will require registration.• https://erinbartels.com