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St. Louis Kaplan Feldman Holocaust Museum

Monthly Newsletter, August 2026

A Showcase of Law Enforcement and Society







On Thursday, August 13, the St. Louis Kaplan Feldman Holocaust Museum partnered with the Anti-Defamation League for a showcase of Law Enforcement and Society, a nationally recognized program for law enforcement professionals.

During the training, local law enforcment explored the history of the Holocaust, the role of police under the Nazi regime, and the lessons this history holds for law enforcement today, including the importance of relationships with the communities they serve and the core values of the profession. We're grateful to all who participated in this important day of learning, reflection, and dialogue. By examining the past, we can better understand our responsibilities in the present.

Summer Volunteer Orientation is Around the Corner



Our volunteers are dedicated to preserving the legacy of the Holocaust and believe that a deeper understanding of its causes will empower visitors to make the world a kinder, safer, more tolerant place.

Our upcoming orientation on August 30, 9 AM - 2 PM, will equip volunteers with the knowledge, resources, and support needed to make a positive impact.

Interested in volunteering? For more information, email Zach Turner at ZTurner@STLHolocaustMuseum.org.

Staff Outing











On Tuesday, August 18, Museum staff stepped away from the office for a day of team building, service, and fun! We kicked off the day by volunteering with the J's Used Book Sale, helping support this exciting community event. After lending a hand, we headed to Grant's Farm for an Animal Encounters Tour, where we had the opportunity to get up close with animals and enjoy some time together as a team.

It was a wonderful day to connect with one another, give back to our community, and enjoy a little adventure outside the Museum!

Artifact Feature





Say hello to Rosie! Rosie is a German Bisque Head Composition Doll made between 1901-1930. The company's logo can be seen on the back of her neck. This company is known for their quality and realistic features. Rosie belonged to a young Jewish girl, Pauline Kraus. Pauline was born in 1924 in Austria and named the doll after her aunt who lived in Chicago. After the *Anschluss*, she and her family were in danger, and her parents made the decision to send her to safety in America. Pauline's mother wrote out the manifest of the few belongings she was taking to America. In 1939, Rosie accompanied 15-year-old Pauline and her cousin as they immigrated to America, joining Aunt Rosie. They were the only ones of their family from Austria to survive.

Join Ambassador Deborah Lipstadt at Our Gala

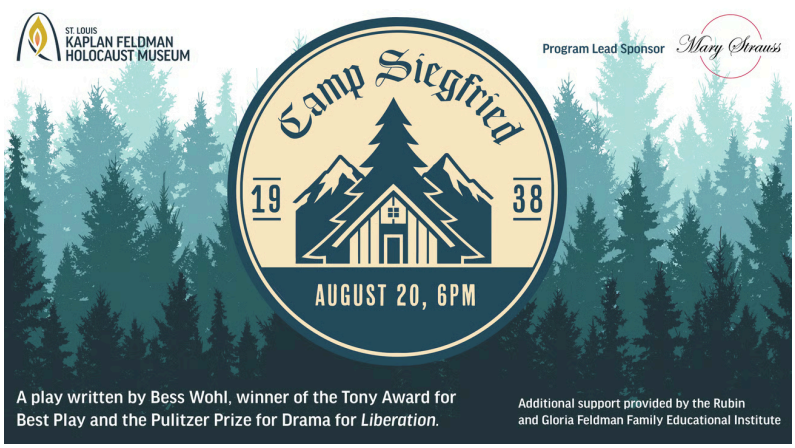


Tables and sponsorship opportunities are **limited.** To learn more, contact Jessica Fischoff at jfischoff@stlholocaustmuseum.org.

Upcoming Events

TONIGHT at 6 PM

Join the Museum on August 20, at 6 PM, for a night of theater with a staged reading of *Camp Siegfried*, a play by



Tony award winner Bess Wohl. This program is part of our "Nazis Next Door" exhibition programming.

Register Here



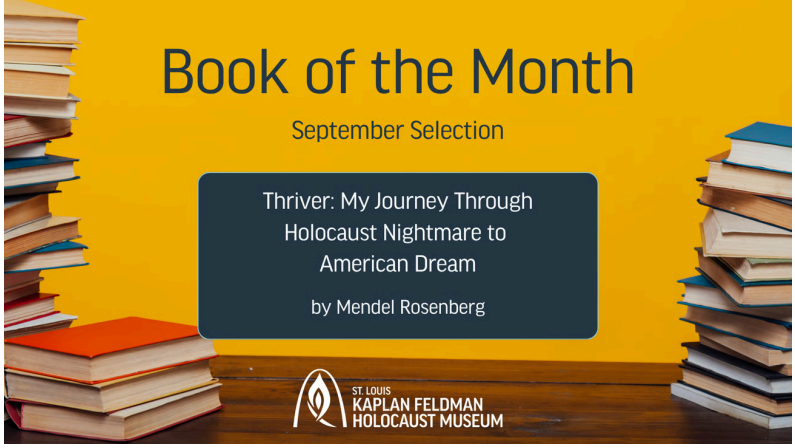
An original exhibition created by the St. Louis Kaplan Feldman Holocaust Museum, *Nazis Next Door,* explores the ways in which Missourians, particularly St. Louisans, made the choice to support or resist Nazi ideas of extremism and antisemitism right here at home.

Register Here



Members Only Program: Inside the Vault – Vital Voices, The Importance of Oral Histories on September 16. Through the larger theme of "More than Just Old Stuff" this *Inside the Vault* session will be highlighting our unique oral history collection and discussing the role of first-person testimony in museum archives. Join our Archives & Collections staff to better understand what our archives team's role is at the Museum.

More Info



Discover the inspiring memoir of Holocaust survivor Mendel Rosenberg, who shares his story so that future generations can learn to never forget the Holocaust and appreciate the freedom and opportunities they have today in the United States.

Available at our Museum Book Shop.

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