



Open May 6–October 9, 2020

Revolutionary Times. Treasures from the past come to life at this 18th-century fort and fur trading village, reconstructed based on historic maps and more than 60 years of archaeological excavations. As you walk through Colonial Michilimackinac, you are stepping back in time to 1777, as the British prepared to end the American Revolution with a decisive blow. Here, you will see and hear how residents of this community participated in that campaign while defending their homes from new threats.

*Mackinac City*



Open May 7–October 11, 2020

Made to be seen. A point in the storm and guiding beacon since 1889, Old Mackinac Point Lighthouse helped passing ships navigate through the treacherous waters of the Straits of Mackinac. Authentically restored quarters and exhibits, including the original lens, a film, *Shipwrecks of the Straits*, the Straits of Mackinac Shipwreck Museum, and a brand new exhibit on the second floor of the house make this “Castle of the Straits” a true gem of the Great Lakes.



Open May 8–September 27, 2020

Have an adventure. Discover the past. Discover nature. Discover it all at Historic Mill Creek Discovery Park, where visitors can witness the power of the creek harnessed to cut timber into lumber at one of the oldest industrial sites on the upper Great Lakes. Additionally, soar like eagles on the Eagle’s Flight Zip Line, trek through the treetops on the Forest Canopy Bridge and climb the layers of the forest on the Treetop Discovery Tower on the Adventure Tour. Special safety restrictions apply to the Adventure Tour.



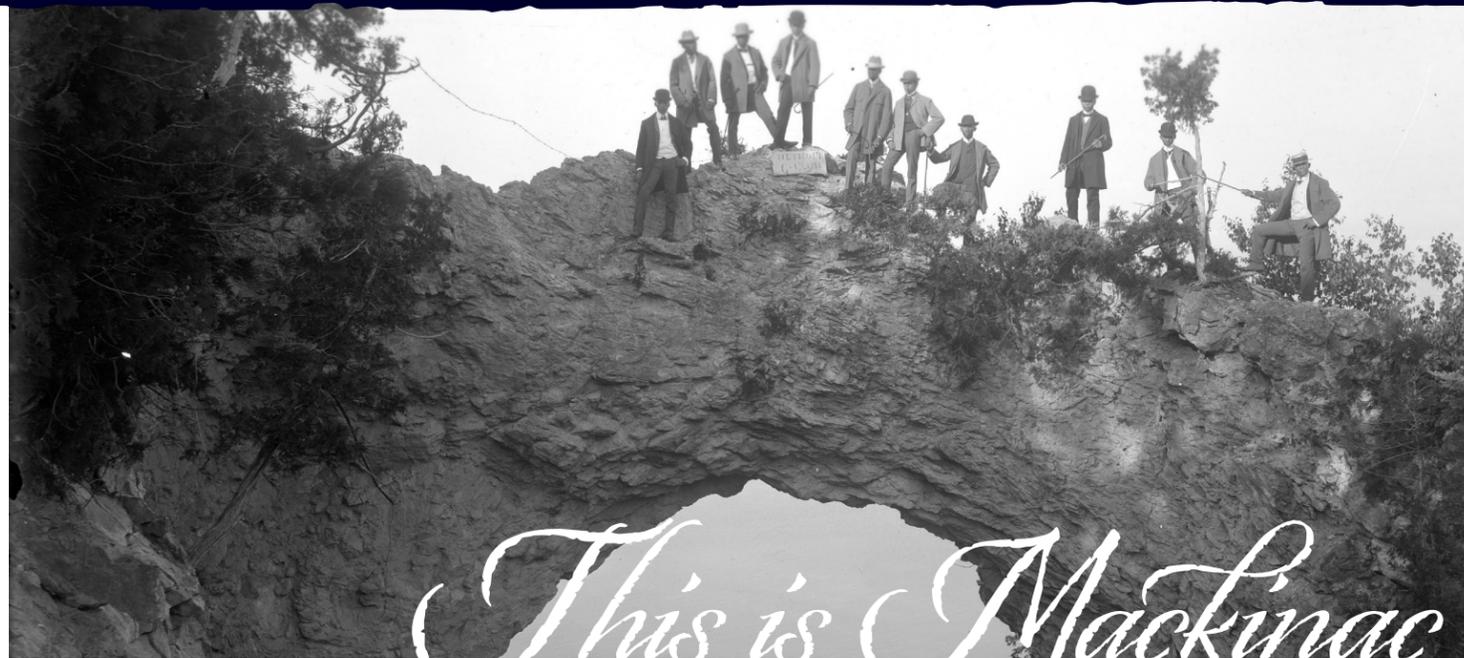
“Two of the top state parks in Michigan - Mackinac Island & Michilimackinac!”

– U.S. NEWS & WORLD REPORT

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# THIS IS WHERE HISTORY LIVES & YOUR MACKINAC MEMORIES BEGIN



**M**ackinac State Historic Parks is a family of living history museums with one-of-a-kind experiences on Mackinac Island and in Mackinaw City. From high-flying adventure and hands-on history to live interpretation and unique exhibits, Mackinac State Historic Parks is an essential part of your Pure Michigan®

experience. For centuries, generation after generation of people have come to Mackinac. Join us throughout the 2020 season as we celebrate 125 years of Mackinac State Historic Parks with special programs, gala celebrations, and dynamic events celebrating Mackinac's rich historic heritage.



Open May 1-October 25, 2020

**I**conic. The cannon blasts, the rifles fire, the soldiers march and history comes alive. The oldest public building in Michigan and 13 other historical structures boast exhibits explaining everything from military training and battles, to medical treatments, to family life within the fort.

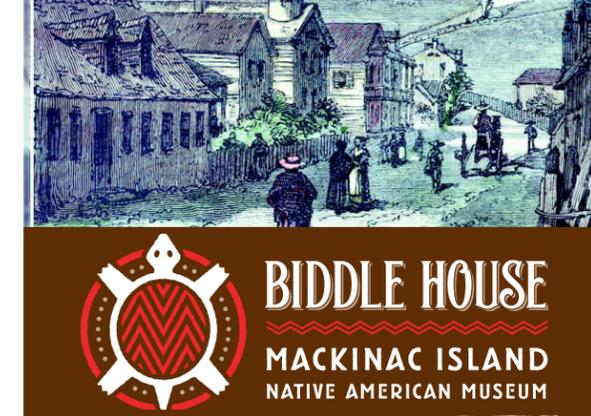
Regular demonstrations and tours by costumed interpreters are scheduled throughout the day, with special programs for both adults and kids highlighting different aspects of the fort's history.



Open May 4-October 11, 2020

Be inspired. Nowhere else does such a rare and exceptional collection of Mackinac-related art and photography come together to tell Mackinac's story. New for 2020, a special juried exhibition based on the theme "A Day in the Park."

*Mackinac Island*



Open May 5-October 11, 2020

**A** time of change. Step into the home of Agatha and Edward Biddle, merchants who moved in around 1830. This was a time of change, and the 1830s were critical to the Biddles for another reason: as an Anishnaabek woman, Agatha and other indigenous people witnessed their culture subjected to immense change. The decade transformed the Anishnaabek, linking old ways with Michigan's modern indigenous cultures.



Open June 6-August 22, 2020

**M**ore of Mackinac. This leisurely stroll down Market Street on downtown Mackinac Island includes the American Fur Company Store & Dr. Beaumont Museum, Benjamin Blacksmith Shop, and the McGulpin House, Mackinac's oldest private residence.

## 2020 Admission

FORT MACKINAC: Adult \$13.50 / Child (Age 5-12) \$8.00

HISTORIC DOWNTOWN MACKINAC (BIDDLE HOUSE, THE RICHARD AND JANE MANOOGIAN MACKINAC ART MUSEUM AND HISTORIC DOWNTOWN MACKINAC): Adult \$8.50 / Child (Age 5-12) \$5.50 (included in Fort Mackinac ticket)

COLONIAL MICHILIMACKINAC: Adult \$12.50 / Child (Age 5-12) \$7.50

OLD MACKINAC POINT LIGHTHOUSE: Adult \$8.50 / Child (Age 5-12) \$6.00

HISTORIC MILL CREEK DISCOVERY PARK: Adult \$9.50 / Child (Age 5-12) \$7.00 / Adventure Tour \$9.50 per person

MICHILIMACKINAC COMBO: Visit Colonial Michilimackinac AND Old Mackinac Point Lighthouse - Adult \$19 / Child (Age 5-12) \$12.50

MAINLAND COMBO: Visit Colonial Michilimackinac, Old Mackinac Point Lighthouse AND Historic Mill Creek Discovery Park - Adult \$29 / Child (Age 5-12) \$18.50

FORT & FORT COMBO: Visit Colonial Michilimackinac AND Fort Mackinac - Adult \$25 / Child (Age 5-12) \$14.50

Mackinac Associates is a nonprofit friends group created to preserve and share Mackinac's heritage. A season pass membership is available for \$85. Visit [mackinacassociates.com](http://mackinacassociates.com) to learn more.

Convenient dining and one-of-a-kind museum stores at many sites. All of Mackinac State Historic Parks' sites are accessible. Outdoor sites welcome well-behaved pets. All sites are smoke free.

For more information call:

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