

The Making of a Museum!

Saturday, February 16, 2019

10:00 a.m.



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Hours: Monday – Friday

10am – 5pm

Saturday

10am – 2pm

Sunday

1pm – 4pm

Our Mission

The mission of the African American Museum of History and Culture at Loray Mill is to provide the citizens of Gaston County with the opportunity to explore, examine, engage and encourage all to seek a better understanding and deeper appreciation for the contributions made and achievements attained at the local, regional and national levels.

Goal 1: To share the stories, history and sacrifices that have helped the Gaston, Regional and National audiences to achieve and have a stronger and more united voice.

Goal 2: To help the Gaston and surrounding communities learn more about the African American Culture, achievements and accomplishments.

Museum Impact

The impact of the Museum will be great. It will benefit our children to know that we had such an important presence in Gaston County. We will celebrate African American Authors and Illustrators in the Korner Book Shop. It is important for our children to know their history. "They develop an appreciation and respect for differences instead of fear."