



Dear Friends of the Kerr Memorial Museum,

Warm greetings to you! As we welcome a new season we're thrilled to share fresh opportunities and updates. We invite you to partner with us in preserving a true Oakmont treasure: The Kerr Memorial Museum. As a restored late-Victorian home, the museum is a time capsule showcasing daily life for a middle-class family of that era, the medical practice of Dr. Kerr, and more.

Maintaining the structure, property, educational programs, community events, and the conservation and acquisition of artifacts requires significant work and resources. Your generosity has been vital in supporting these projects:

- Custom railings for the rear porch. These make museum access safe and attractive. Garden revision and expansion has shaped inviting sanctuaries that stand up to deer and other natural predators.
- Covering the cost of Riverview's 3<sup>rd</sup> grade class tours to ensure that we continue to bring bygone lives and events to life creating life-long learners and history lovers.
- The introduction of the Virginia Kerr and Kerr Memorial Museum signature tea blends. These tins are dressed in seasonal ribbon and available year-round at the Kerr office. Upgrades to our retail system have allowed the Kerr to accept credit card purchases.
- The first annual free May Day Celebration. This fun event brought the community together to learn the May Day dance, do crafts, engage in a self-guided tour of the Kerr, and more. Board members and volunteers contributed to the Oakmont and Pittsburgh regions by offering presentations at public and private events.

Your support will directly impact our ability to keep the Kerr Museum thriving. This year will bring much needed repair of the porch floors as well as renovations to the Kerr office. Please contribute by check payable to **Dr. Thomas Kerr Foundation** and return it in the enclosed envelope. Or use the QR code to make a secure online donation. Remember to subscribe to our Kerr Memorial Museum e-newsletter. Sign up at [www.kerrmuseum.com](http://www.kerrmuseum.com).

Our featured exhibit **"DOCTOR IS IN": Medical Practices during Dr. Kerr's Professional Career 1893 to 1931** runs through August 2026. Register for a tour and learn about the medicines, science, and practices available at the time Dr. Kerr treated patients. We cannot wait to share the artifacts we found in the house pertaining to medicine at the dawn of the 20<sup>th</sup> c.

Thank you for considering this opportunity to preserve the Kerr Memorial Museum's history. Together, we'll continue the legacy of the Kerr family ensuring their contributions to our community are remembered for years to come.

With gratitude,

The Kerr Memorial Museum Board

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