



THE GUNFLINT TRAIL *Historical Society*

Artifact Donation Form

Currently, limited storage prevents the Gunflint Trail Historical Society from accepting additional artifact donations for the Chik-Wauk Museum and Nature Center. However, we are very interested in your item. To help us organize potential incoming artifact donations we ask that you complete this form so we may contact you in the future if we become able to receive your artifact.

Contact Details

Potential Donor Name: _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Artifact Details

Artifact Name: _____

Please describe the artifact as specifically as possible. Include measurements, weight, color, etc:

Please describe the historical significance of the artifact. (Date made, previous owners, usage history, etc.):

(Over)

Why do you wish to donate this artifact to the GTHS?

Is there anything else you would like us to know about the artifact?

Please check the box which best describes how you'd like to donate the artifact:

Permanently donate artifact to the Gunflint Trail Historical Society for the GTHS. No use restrictions.

Permanently donating artifact to the Gunflint Trail Historical Society with specific use restrictions. (Please specify:

_____)

Establish short term loan.

Establish long term loan. (Please specify details of such a loan:

_____)

Please attach at least *two* color photos of the artifact.

Thank you for considering the Gunflint Trail Historical Society. Your contributions help us preserve “the Legacy of the Northwoods.”

Please sign:

Name

Date

By signing this form you agree:

- To let a GTHS representative review your item and decide if the item is in keeping with the GTHS mission. (Please note, in most cases, a final decision on your item will not be made until the artifact is reviewed in person. A GTHS representative may notify you with questions about your artifact.)
- To keep the artifact in your possession until contacted by the GTHS.
- To notify the Gunflint Trail Historical Society as soon as the item becomes unavailable for GTHS use.
- That unless a later written agreement is reached, the GTHS may contact you at any time within five years of date above about use of your artifact for GTHS/Chik-Wauk Museum purposes. At the end of five years, you will be asked to renew your interest in donating the item. It will be the GTHS’s responsibility to notify you at this time.
- That this form indicates an interest between yourself (“Potential Donor”) and the GTHS to exhibit your artifact in the Chik-Wauk Museum. The agreement does not indicate a commitment or obligation on behalf of the GTHS to exhibit your artifact.

Submit completed form to:

Gunflint Trail Historical Society
Attn: Museum Chair
28 Moose Pond Drive
Grand Marais, MN 55604

or info@gunflintrailhistoricalsociety.org

Please contact the GTHS at 218-388-9915 with any questions you may have.