

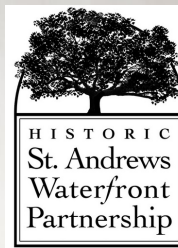
## MISSION STATEMENT

*For visitors of all ages, the Panama City Publishing Company Museum preserves and exhibits local history, cultural resources, the vintage printing craft, the stories of George and Lillian West and how they influenced the development of Bay County.*



### *Joining the Panama City Publishing Company Museum*

- *helps fund historic preservation in St. Andrews*
- *supports educational outreach and workshops*
- *funds educational supplies and discovery labs*
- *provides support for special museum projects*
- *sponsors exhibits and collections care*



**PANAMA  
CITY  
PUBLISHING  
COMPANY  
MUSEUM**

**BECOME A  
MEMBER**

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# About the Museum

The Panama City Publishing Company building was constructed by George and Lillian West in 1920 in the heart of St. Andrews. The building served as home to Panama City's first newspaper, the Panama City Pilot, as well as the St. Andrews Bay News and Lynn Haven Free Press.

After George West's death in 1926, "Miss Lillian" continued to run the business. Charles "Buddy" West, George's great-great grandson continued the tradition until 2005, when he sold the building to the City of Panama City.

The building was renovated and opened to the public as a museum in 2008. It contains over 70 major items as well as photos, newspapers and documents produced by George and Lillian West. The original presses and type collection are on display and regularly used by volunteers, including Buddy West, who print cards, posters and art.



Members of the Publishing Company Museum sustain programs that support the preservation of St. Andrews history, the history of printing and publishing and engage our community. The Publishing Museum, the Print Shop, permanent and rotating museum exhibits, educational and historic programs and workshops, as well as other community events -- are made possible through memberships

## MEMBERSHIP LEVELS

(membership is based on a calendar year, but the membership drive will begin each October)

### Friend of the Museum-\$20 annually

- Car Decal

### BUSINESS MEMBERSHIP - \$200

- Listing in Newsletter
- Special thanks on Facebook pages
- Special Decal for window

### REPORTER LEVEL-\$75 annually

- 10% discount on regularly priced Museum merchandise
- Membership Card
- Car Decal

### EDITOR LEVEL - \$150 annually

- All of the above +
- 1 Shopping Tote

### PUBLISHER LEVEL - \$250 annually

- All of the above +
- 1 "Gems Gleaned"

### PULITZER PRIZE LEVEL - \$500 annually

- All of the above +
- 1 ticket to Gala Celebration

### GEORGE AND LILLIAN WEST SOCIETY - \$1000 annually

- All of the above +
- Autographed copy of "George Mortimer West, His Path in History"
- Free rental of facilities up to 3 times

### LIFETIME MUSEUM MEMBER - \$2500

- All of the benefits listed above, your name on a unique plaque to be presented at the Gala and your name on a plaque at the Museum recognizing Lifetime members.

**LEGACY GIVING** - When you include the Panama City Publishing Company Museum in your estate planning, you are investing in preserving the history of Panama City and St. Andrews. Please consider us in your plans.

Preserving our history  
for future generations

