

Dixon Ticonderoga National Museum, Fine Art Gallery & Student Activity Center



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FREE OF CHARGE
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Open Weekdays Only
10:00am – 3:00pm
By Appointment Only

The Museum

Our collection includes original prints, photographs, old letters and ads, manufacturing artifacts and much more. Learn about the two extraordinary and talented men who helped found our company - Joseph Dixon, Master Inventor, and Louis Prang, who was a major advocate of art in schools and Father of the American Christmas card.

Some highlights of our collection include:

A 1795 stock certificate for the Philadelphia & Lancaster Turnpike Company - the first highway ever built in the United States.

A Ford Model T ignition coil box which was manufactured by the American Crayon Company for many decades.

A photo of our crayons floating in outer space on Space Shuttle Columbia.

Dixon Election Pencils on a string which were used to mark ballots in elections in the early 1900's – including the vote for Women's Suffrage.

Video I-pad Center

Our video I-pad center is a combination of the old and the new with vintage Dixon radio ads, our jazzy Ticonderoga jingle and a modern Pencil Rap video. We have videos showing how a pencil is made and the different supply chains that are needed to do this as well as an historic re-enactment of Ethan Allen and the Green Mountain Boys and a current day video of Fort Ticonderoga, NY.

Directions: Take I-4 to Exit 98 Lake Mary - Heathrow.

If you are coming from the south, turn right on Lake Mary Blvd. and then take the 1st left onto Primera Blvd. Turn left on Crescent Executive Court.

If you are coming from the north, turn left on Lake Mary Blvd. and then take the 1st left onto Primera Blvd. Turn left on Crescent Executive Court.

The Art Gallery

The highlight of our Fine Art Gallery is our Norman Rockwell oil painting, *Grandfather & Grandson*, which was just restored to its original beautiful condition. Dixon originally owned three Norman Rockwell paintings, all of which were stolen from the Jersey City office in the 1970's, but only this one was recovered in the 1980's.

We also have oil paintings by Tom Lovell, Kenneth Pauling Riley, Frederic Coffay Yohn, Harvey Thomas Dunn and Alan Stephens Foster.

Our gallery includes pencil drawings by Earl Horter, Samuel Chamberlain and Ernest Watson as well as chalk and watercolor paintings by John Bradshaw Crandell and Frances Tipton Hunter.

1st Floor Classroom Activity Center

After seeing our Museum, Fine Art Gallery and I-Pad Video Center on the 5th floor suite, school classes will go to our 1st floor Activity Center where they will work with our art products on age appropriate projects and lesson plans.

