Wyandotte County Historical Society and Museum



Contained in our logo are objects from our collections surrounded by the unending circle of life.

Bisecting the circle is a Native American ceremonial pipe, sometimes called the peace pipe.

The buffalo skull is prominent because this animal provided the primary economic base for the Indians of the Kaw Valley river basin for millenniums before the white man came.

Symbolic of the diversity of Wyandotte County cultures is the Prairie Basket quilt pattern, with Strawberries from Strawberry Hill, Irish Shamrocks, French fleur-de-lis, Indian arrowheads and other symbols representative of our mosaic heritage.

The beautiful old fire engine has been central to our collection for many years. It represents the urban way of life which came with the European, African American and Hispanic settlers who developed Wyandotte County.

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