



WELCOME TO THE NATIONAL BASEBALL HALL OF FAME AND MUSEUM

honor to share with you our love of baseball magic of the Hall of Fame, which since 1939 has been the spiritual home of the game we love. As the nonprofit institution, the Hall of Fame is dedicated to preserving the history of America's game and celebrating the legendary players, managers, umpires and executives who have made it a fan favorite for more than 150 years.

Our three floors of exhibit spaces, you will experience baseball history through the artifacts on display, which showcase important individual and team moments on the field as well as the game's cultural impact on our society. You will walk through baseball's legends in the Plaque Gallery, which celebrates individual legacies of greatness through plaques conveying the accomplishments of our greatest players. You will take a journey through time, turning to bygone eras and your own memories, allowing stories and recollections to be shared across generations.

Enjoy your visit, please consider joining the Hall of Fame's Membership Program. In that way, we can help us serve our mission of Preserving the Game, Honoring Excellence and Connecting Generations.

You for visiting Cooperstown and the Hall of Fame.

VISIT OUR MUSEUM STORE AND BOOKSTORE
AND TAKE A PIECE OF HISTORY



Our Museum Store and Bookstore feature a wide variety of Hall of Fame merchandise, as well as items from your favorite team or Hall of Famer.

The Museum Store can be found to the right of the main lobby, and the Bookstore is located behind the Hall of Fame Plaque Gallery in the Library Atrium.

Shop from home by visiting the official Hall of Fame online store at
SHOP.BASEBALLHALL.ORG

BECOME A MEMBER TODAY

To join, visit the Information Desk,
Museum Bookstore or Museum Store

Benefits include:

FREE ADMISSION	10% SHOPPING DISCOUNT
FREE YEARBOOK	MAGAZINE SUBSCRIPTION

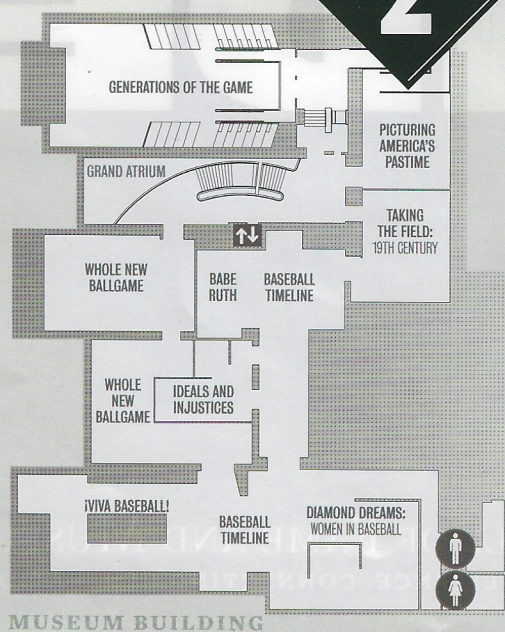
Available online at:

GUIDE

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We suggest beginning your visit on the second floor, moving to the third floor and then returning to the first floor.

GENERATIONS OF THE GAME: WELCOME FILM

This 16-minute film in our state-of-the-art Grandstand Theater sets the stage for your visit.

PICTURING AMERICA'S PASTIME

View a selection of remarkable and engaging baseball photographs from the Hall of Fame's unparalleled collection.

TAKING THE FIELD: THE 19TH CENTURY

An in-depth look at baseball's beginnings, explore the game's evolution, early amateur roots and transition to professional players and teams.

BASEBALL TIMELINE

Travel through history via artifacts and documents that highlight the game's greatest heroes and teams, exploring how baseball has changed throughout the years.

BABE RUTH: HIS LIFE AND LEGEND

Experience the larger-than-life history of George Herman Ruth.

IDEALS AND INJUSTICES:

A CHRONICLE OF BLACK BASEBALL

Explore this educational exhibit featuring photographs and artifacts from the pre-Negro leagues era of barnstorming, the Negro leagues, the road to integration and beyond.

DIAMOND DREAMS: WOMEN IN BASEBALL

Learn about the important roles women have played at every level of baseball on and off the field, from the 19th century to the modern era.

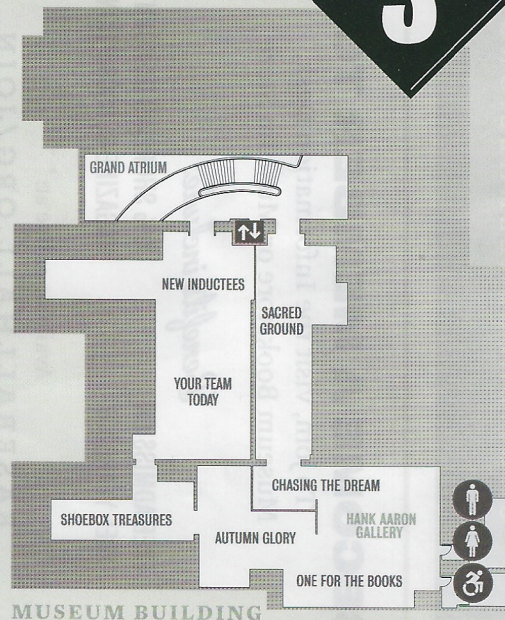
¡VIVA BASEBALL!

Celebrate the history of baseball in Latin America and the story of Latino players in the major leagues in this bilingual (English & Spanish) exhibit.

WHOLE NEW BALLGAME

Exploring the last 50 years of the game, reliving great moments, celebrate the super-stars and baseball's cultural impact.

3RD



SACRED GROUND

Celebrate today's stadiums, relive ballparks of yesteryear and see why a trip to the ballpark is such a memorable experience for fans.

HANK AARON GALLERY OF RECORDS CHASING THE DREAM

Explore Hank Aaron's historic baseball career, from his minor league days to his pursuit of the all-time home run record and his vast philanthropic efforts.

ONE FOR THE BOOKS

Celebrate baseball's most cherished records and milestones while delving into the surprising stories behind them.

AUTUMN GLORY: A POSTSEASON CELEBRATION

View artifacts from historic World Series moments, rings from championship teams through the years and highlights from the most recent Fall Classic.

SHOEBOX TREASURES

Baseball cards come to life in an exhibit that tells the story of the joy and camaraderie that so many collectors have found in the hobby.

YOUR TEAM TODAY

Modern game-used artifacts from every major league team are presented in 30 lockers.

NEW INDUCTEES

Take an in-depth look at each of the new inductees into the Hall of Fame through artifacts related to their careers and careers.

Photography and Video

Flash photography and video recording are encouraged throughout the Museum.

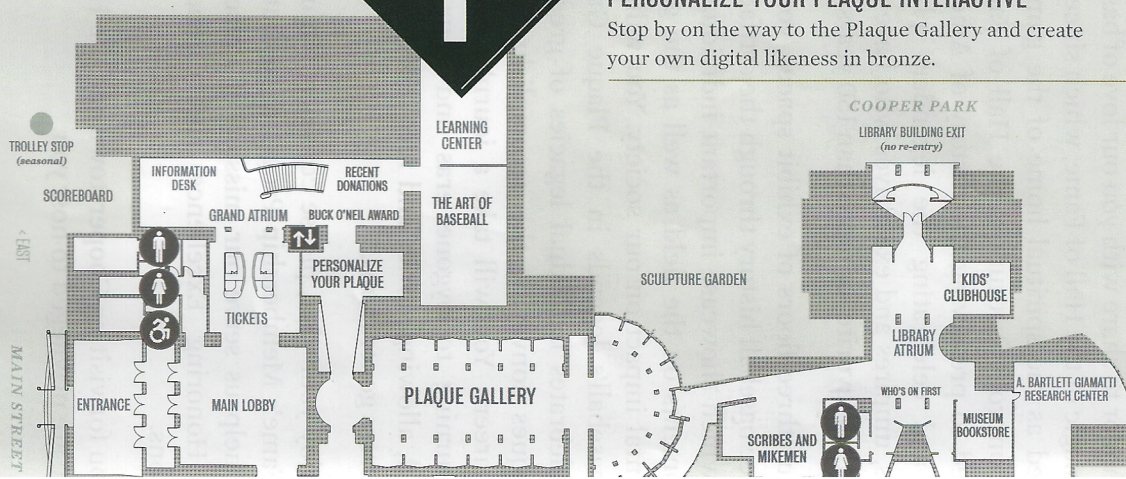
Returning to the Museum

Come and go as frequently as you'd like during your visit. Just be sure to get your hand stamped at the ticket counters before exiting the Museum.

Restrooms

Accessible facilities are located in the Main Lobby of the Museum (including a family restroom) and on the third floor. Additional facilities are located in the Library building and on the Museum's second floor. If you need special restroom accommodations, please see any member of our staff.

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BUCK O'NEIL LIFETIME ACHIEVEMENT AWARD

The Buck O'Neil Lifetime Achievement Award features a statue of the Hall of Famer at the first-floor staircase lobby.

PERSONALIZE YOUR PLAQUE INTERACTIVE

Stop by on the way to the Plaque Gallery and create your own digital likeness in bronze.

PLAQUE GALLERY

Bronze plaques of baseball's greatest players, managers, umpires and executives line the mahogany oak walls of this hallowed hall, the centerpiece of the museum honoring the luminaries of the game.

THE ART OF BASEBALL

Original works of art—paintings, sculptures and renderings—celebrate the game.

SCRIBES AND MIKEMEN

Celebrate the legendary storytellers, broadcasters and writers who bring baseball into our lives.

BASEBALL AT THE MOVIES

Enjoy the combination of two American passions that have thrilled audiences since the dawn of moving pictures.

GIAMATTI RESEARCH CENTER

Museum visitors can access a treasure trove of research materials.