

Festival of Trees

Hoosier Holidays at Home

Thank you for joining us for Festival of Trees. Your support is a gift that allows us to create programs all year long. This year we are celebrating that Life is a Gift. In this bag you will find:

- Origami Craft including paper and instructions
- Snowflake Craft Including coffee filter and instructions
- Winter Scene Coloring page
- Coloring Contest Coloring page
- Discussion guide for families to use while crafting
- Tips for recording and sharing family stories

From pine trees to Indiana's furry critters the gift of life is all around us! It's important to take time to reflect on the positive moments of the past year and look for the celebrations all around us. Use the discussion guide as you work on crafts to dig deeper into 2020 is bound to be a different holiday season for many Hoosiers. We at the Indiana Historical Society hope that your family will enjoy these activities at home.

At the Indiana Historical Society, we want to know how you and your family are understanding and experiencing during this holiday season. Consider contributing photos, writings, drawings, and even short videos to our *Telling Your Story: Documenting COVID-19 in Indiana* collecting initiative. Items in our collection let us hear the voices and see the people from our past who are living all the ranges of human experience and emotion. Future researchers and visitors to the Indiana Historical Society will have you to thank for sharing a part of your lives with them as they work to understand our current lived experience. For more information, visit <https://indianahistory.org/telling-your-story-documenting-covid-19-in-indiana/>

Happy holidays from the Indiana Historical Society!