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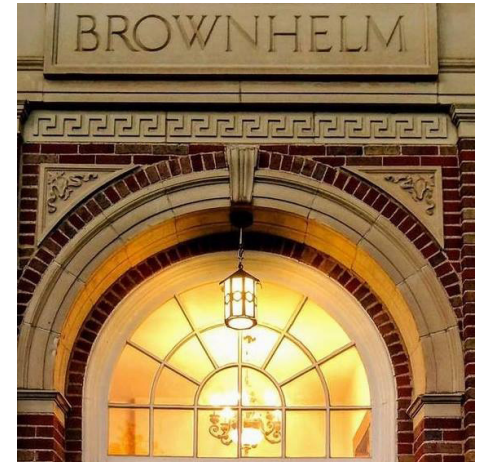
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About The Brownhelm Historical Association

The Brownhelm Historical Association (BHA) was formed in March 1993 as an organization dedicated to preserving the rich history of the people, places, and events of Brownhelm Township, Ohio.

Over the last quarter-century, the BHA has reclaimed "The Lost Cemetery" on



Historic Church

Lake Road in Vermilion, now called Brown's Lake Road Cemetery, and restored the German Evangelical and Reformed Church on Claus Road, now known as the Brownhelm Heritage Museum.

The organization is currently working to repair and restore gravestones in each of the township's three historic cemeteries.

Since 2008, the BHA has worked tirelessly to restore the former Brownhelm School (1889-1988), now known as the Historic Brownhelm School & Museum. This building serves as the association's home for monthly meetings, educational programs, genealogical research, historical displays, special events, and more!



Historic School

The BHA also acts as an essential repository of archival and historical collections for the citizens of Brownhelm Township. The organization has an extensive collection of ancient artifacts relating to life in the area dating back to the early 19th century, and many residents have entrusted their family's genealogical collections to the BHA, which are available to researchers upon request.

In addition to preserving the history of the area, the BHA hosts multiple historically themed educational events throughout the year as well as social events for the citizens of Brownhelm Township and surrounding communities. The Brownhelm Historical Association is a valuable asset to the community and strives to keep the history of Brownhelm Township and its people at the forefront of all its actions.

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