

Waukegan Historical Society Museum

To: Local Media
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RE: Exhibit Announcement

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The Haines Museum of the Waukegan Historical Society has a new exhibit *Waukegan Listens! From the Phonograph and Radio, to the MP3*. The interactive exhibit covers the history and evolution of music and sound players. Local history is also displayed covering the Jack Benny Radio Program, the Fansteel Factory, and local radio stations such as WKRS. Many artifacts can be viewed including a 1906 Edison Phonograph, a vacuum-tube radio, 8-track player and cassettes, and an MP3 player. The exhibit will run through January 2008. The Haines Museum is located at 1917 N. Sheridan Road in Bowen Park. The museum is open to the public from 10:00 am to 4:00 pm on Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday and by appointment. Please call in advance to set-up tours for large groups 847-336-1859.

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