



# Straight Farmhouse Private Ghost Hunts

The Friends of Garden City Historical Museum and Grimstone Inc. would like to thank you for your interest in Ghost Hunting at our historical Straight Farmhouse Museum.

**\*\*PLEASE NOTE\*\*** *Ghost Hunts are reserved for those persons age 18 and older – NO Exceptions!*

- Each participant will be required to complete a registration form (ghost hunting license) prior to admittance to the mansion.
- Cost is \$999 for the night regardless of attendance number (max 30 individuals) \$200 non-refundable deposit is needed at time of booking. The remaining amount is due at the start of the event.
- **Email: [sfh@grimstone-inc.com](mailto:sfh@grimstone-inc.com)**

Participants will be required to check in with Ghost Hunting coordinator prior to the Ghost Hunt. Picture ID with birthdate is mandatory. Admittance will not be granted to anyone without acceptable picture ID, signed license, and completed payment.

Check in Time: 8:00 – 8:15 PM

Ghost Hunting rules review and tour will begin at 8:15 PM

Ghost Hunt End Time: 1:00 AM

- Participants may leave museum grounds at any time, but will not be allowed to return.
- Soft drinks, coffee and snacks will be available for purchase at any time from gift shop. No food or drink will be permitted in the Farmhouse outside of designated areas.
- Restrooms are available onsite

Straight Farmhouse Address: 6221 Merriman Road, Garden City, Michigan

## STRAIGHT FARMHOUSE GHOST HUNT RULES

**\*\*PLEASE NOTE\*\*** Any photographic or video images captured are considered “Personal Use” only! Any commercial use of these images without the expressed written permission of the Board of Directors for the Friends of Straight Farmhouse is prohibited.

- Smoking is NOT permitted in the Farmhouse. Smoking is permitted in designated smoking areas ONLY on the grounds!
- No drugs or alcohol are to be brought on the premises. Anyone found using them or thought to be under the influence of them will be immediately escorted from the premises and banned from any future ghost hunting events.
- Ouija boards and spirit provoking are NOT to be conducted on the premises. Violators will be escorted from the premises and banned from any future ghost hunting events.
- Damage, theft, or desecration of any property will result in immediate expulsion and possible legal action plus being banned from any future ghost hunting events.
- Locked doors or marked off areas are NOT to be entered. Violators will be escorted from the premises and banned from any future ghost hunting events.
- Loud and/or disturbing behavior or behavior deemed to make others uncomfortable will not be tolerated. Violators may be asked to leave.
- If you willingly leave or are asked to leave the premises for any reason, please note that a refund will not be given under any circumstances.
- Cameras, audio recorders, and flashlights are welcome. Noise generators are not. Backpacks or large carrying cases are not allowed within the Straight Farmhouse.

#### GHOST HUNT SUGGESTIONS:

- The building is climate controlled. AC outlets are available in some locations for equipment use. If an outlet is in use, do not unplug anything from it.
- Wear sturdy, closed-toe shoes. Sandals & flip-flops not recommended.
- Each participant should carry a flashlight and it's a good idea to have extra batteries.

# 2023 PUBLIC GHOST HUNT REGISTRATION FORM

This registration agreement is by and between the applicant (referred to as the "Ghost Hunt Participant" in this agreement) and the Friends of Garden City Historical Museum (FGCHM) and Grimstone Inc.,

## “Registration Agreement” must be completed in full.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_

Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_ Email address \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

Grimstone Inc. hereby grants the Applicant the right to use the License and the party receiving the right is referred to as the GHOST HUNT PARTICIPANT. Both parties agree to the following:

### 1. GRANT OF LICENSE

This license grants Ghost Hunt Participant a non-exclusive license to participate in the Ghost Hunt at the historic Straight Farmhouse, 6221 Merriman Road, Garden City, Michigan.

### 2. PAYMENT OF LICENSE FEE

Ghost Hunt Participant hereby agrees to pay the Straight Farmhouse/Grimstone Inc. a fee which shall be **\$55.00 per participant**.

### 3. DEFAULTS

a. Failure of the participant to abide by the obligations of this agreement shall give the FGCHM and Grimstone the option to immediately cancel this agreement, providing verbal or written notice is given to the Ghost Hunt Participant.

b. The participant further agrees to refrain from being under the influence of any drugs or alcohol use, smoking inside the building, or involvement in any inappropriate behavior not in keeping with the serious nature of the Ghost Hunt.

### 4. SUPPLEMENTAL PROVISIONS

The participant acknowledges that they have read and will abide by the terms of this Agreement, the Straight Farmhouse Rules, and the Supplemental Provisions attached and made a part of this Agreement.

### 5. WARRANTIES

The FGCHM makes no warranties with respect to the Ghost Hunts. In no event will the FGCHM Board of Directors, Grimstone Inc., or supportive staff be liable for direct, indirect, incidental, or consequential damages that are in any way related to the Ghost Hunt.

### 6. CONDITIONS

As a condition of attendance, the GHOST HUNT PARTICIPANT assumes the risk of injuries to person or property arising out of his or her use of the premises and does hereby release the FGCHM Board of Directors, Grimstone Inc., supportive staff, its trustees, employees, agents, and successors from and against any claim, demand liability arising out of such injury and will protect and indemnify the Straight Farmhouse and those persons released with respect to any claim, demand or liability arising out of such injury.

### 7. CHANGES AND CANCELLATIONS

If for **ANY** reason you cannot attend the date of the Public Ghost Hunt that you have paid for you may send someone else in your place, provided that they meet the minimum age requirement and submit a completed license agreement.

### **WE DO NOT GIVE REFUNDS FOR ANY REASON.**

### 8. GENERAL CONDITIONS

This agreement contains the entire agreement of the parties and there are no other promises or written conditions in any other agreement whether oral or written. This Agreement supersedes any other prior written or oral agreement between the parties.

I hereby agree to comply with the terms and conditions of this Agreement:

**SIGNATURE OF PARTICIPANT** \_\_\_\_\_

**DATE OF HUNT** \_\_\_\_\_

**Please maintain this agreement for submission at the time of your Ghost Hunt check-in.**