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Mother's Day at Barker Mansion

Michigan City, IN (April 20, 2004) - In celebration of Mother's Day, mothers are invited to a complimentary tour of Barker Mansion beginning Monday, May 3 and continuing through Saturday, May 8.

Tours begin with an introductory historical video, followed by a guided tour of three floors of the turn-of-the-century mansion. Scattered throughout the house are photographs of Barker family mothers and children, and also featured is a drawing room scene of a mother and her children enjoying a quiet moment.

Mothers, accompanied by another family member, will be admitted free. Regular admission fees are \$4.00 for adults and \$2.00 for youth 18 and under. Guided tours are 10:00 AM, 11:30 AM and 1:00 PM Monday-Friday and 12 noon and 2:00 PM on Saturday, May 8. The Mansion will be closed on Mother's Day, May 9.

Barker Mansion is a 1905 house museum listed on the National Register of Historic Places. The mansion is located at 631 Washington St., Michigan City, IN. For more information call (219) 873-1520.

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