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“Representative Farley Santos secures funding for Danbury Museum community programs.”

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The Danbury Museum would like to thank Representative Farley Santos, Speaker Matt Ritter, and Majority Leader Jason Rojas for their advocacy in creating a funding pathway for the Danbury Museum to provide two years of grade-level, curriculum appropriate, elementary school field trips for Danbury students. Additionally, this funding will cover the costs of the summer 2024 and 2025 cursive camp experience at the Danbury Museum. The Danbury Museum strives to remove the financial barrier for our students so that they may experience equity in action and develop a better understanding of our community, both past and present.

“I’m thrilled to have secured this $50,000 Youth Services Prevention Initiative Grant funding for the cursive camp and for the school trips to the Danbury Museum and Historical Society. As a student growing up in Danbury, I found these trips to the Museum to be a wonderful learning experience and I want to ensure that every child gets this same opportunity. This grant will go a long way in creating equity for all kids regardless of their family’s financial situation. I’m grateful to Executive Director Brigid Guertin and Board Members Roberto Alves and Bob Doyle for their steadfast advocacy of the museum and partnership in making this happen.”

Brigid Guertin responded “We can’t thank Representative Santos enough. The board, staff, members, and volunteers of the Danbury Museum are all ecstatic to have the opportunity to impact several thousand Danbury students over the course of the next two years. Representative Santos, Speaker Matt Ritter, and Majority Leader Jason Rojas have delivered for our Danbury students and community!”

Please visit the Danbury Museum website at DanburyMuseum.org, and follow us on social media as we offer transparent details about the creation and funding of these programs!

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Representative Santos exploring just a few of the many artifacts at the Danbury Museum.

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