



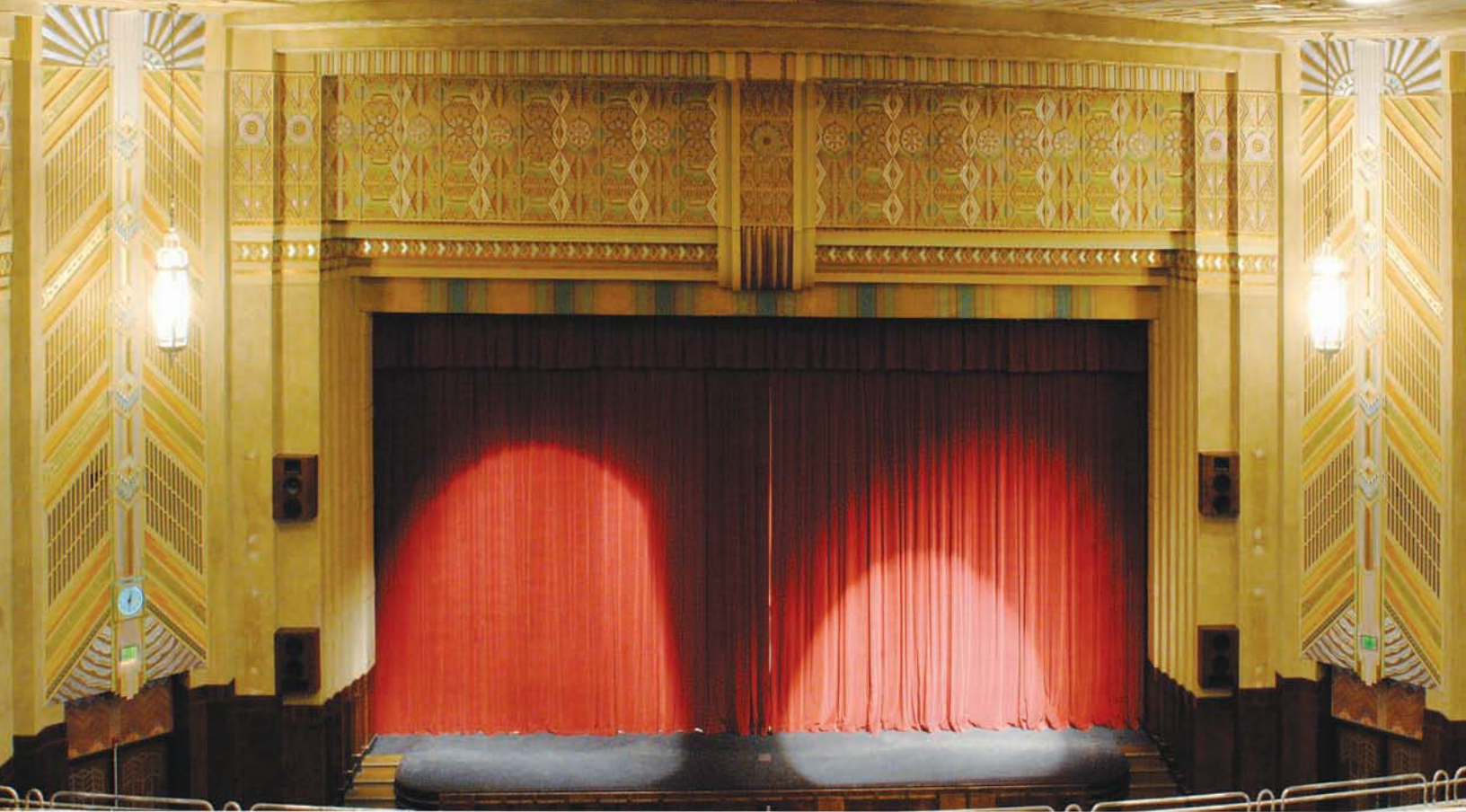
"Over the decades, citizens have pointed to Ogden High School as a source of memory and meaning. When it was built in the 1930s, the school, and more specifically the auditorium, became a community gathering place and source of civic pride.

The restoration of the school is a high priority as evidenced by public hearings held by the Board of Education in 2005. The overwhelming sentiment is that the funding should not fall wholly to the taxpayers, but also to those in the community who passionately support the restoration; thus the need for a capital campaign for that purpose."

Noel R. Zabriskie, Superintendent, Ogden School District

HISTORIC OGDEN HIGH SCHOOL

The Campaign to Preserve a Community Icon



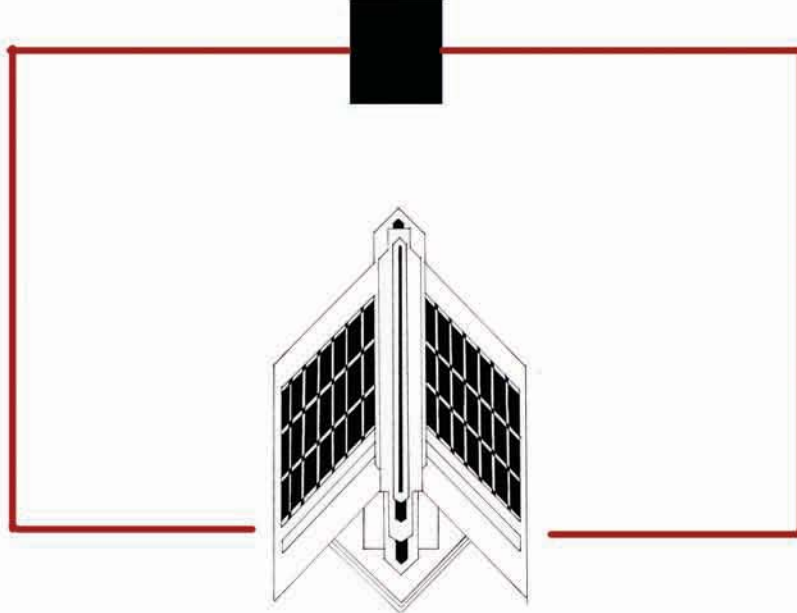
McCullough speaking at OHS

A PROUD HISTORY

"Bravo to the Ogden School Foundation. Your campaign for the restoration of Ogden High School deserves whole-hearted support. Imagine how other cities would like to be able to claim such an icon as the Ogden High School! As an emblem of the importance of public education - and the pride of the community in its young men and women there are few schools to compare anywhere in the country. This is an example of historic preservation at its very best."

David McCullough, Pulitzer Prize Winning Historian.





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For over 70 years, historic Ogden High School has given much to the City of Ogden and its people - from jobs and hope in the midst of the Great Depression, to educational and vocational training and entertainment and cultural celebrations.

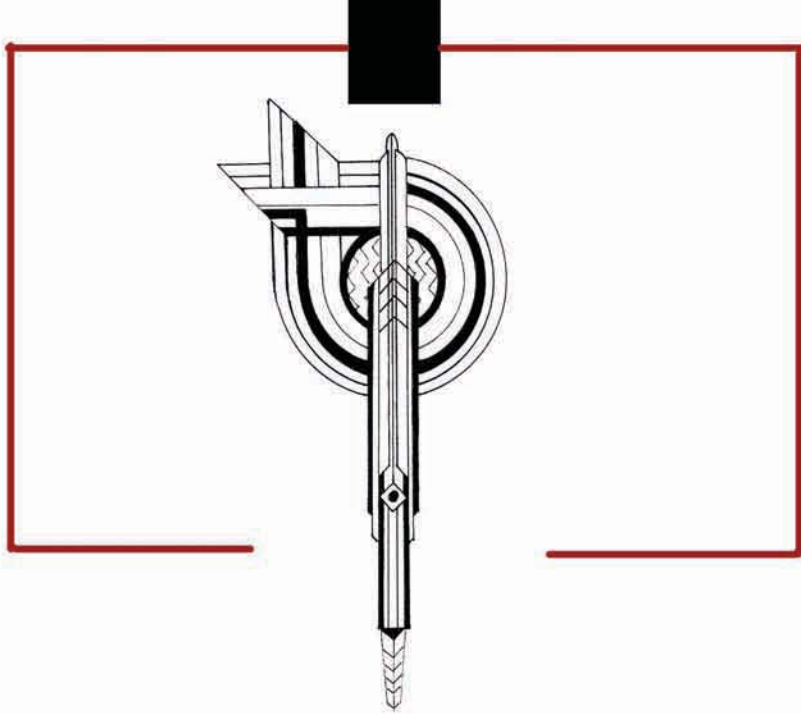
The school's architectural features, with their distinctive zigzag and geometric designs, are some of the state's most stunning examples of the Art Deco style, and have qualified the school for listing on both the National Register of Historic Places and Ogden City Register of Historic Resources.

Loyalty to this beloved community icon transcends school boundaries, extending to residents and visitors alike.

In addition to the school's educational mission, Ogden High School has hosted many extraordinary events, including:

- * Ogden Community Concert Series; special guests have included piano greats Van Cliburn, Grant Johannessen and Arthur Rubenstein, and Metropolitan Opera Prima Donna Soprano Leontyne Price.
- * Fall Author Event; readings by renowned authors such as Ray Bradbury, Amy Tan, David McCullough, Chaim Potok and others.
- * Other visiting artists and programs; the Utah Shakespearian Festival, and filming of major motion pictures and television shows.





A DRAMATIC PUBLIC COMMITMENT

This treasured icon has endured the active use of more than 115,000 students over its lifetime and is showing its age. In addition to normal wear and tear, the school also needs modernizing to address current educational, space, technology, and safety needs.

Ogden voters have already shown a tremendous commitment to maintaining Ogden High School as a functioning school by passing a bond to fund the first phase of what will ultimately be a \$70 million upgrade (in today's dollars). The school district and Board of Education have expressed a strong commitment to support future bonds to ensure the entire project is completed.

As is fitting, these bond monies will support upgrades that specifically impact the functionality and learning environment of the school. However, these public funds will not cover the most pressing historic renovations.

*Ogden High School was built in 1936 as part of
President Roosevelt's Public Works Administration program*





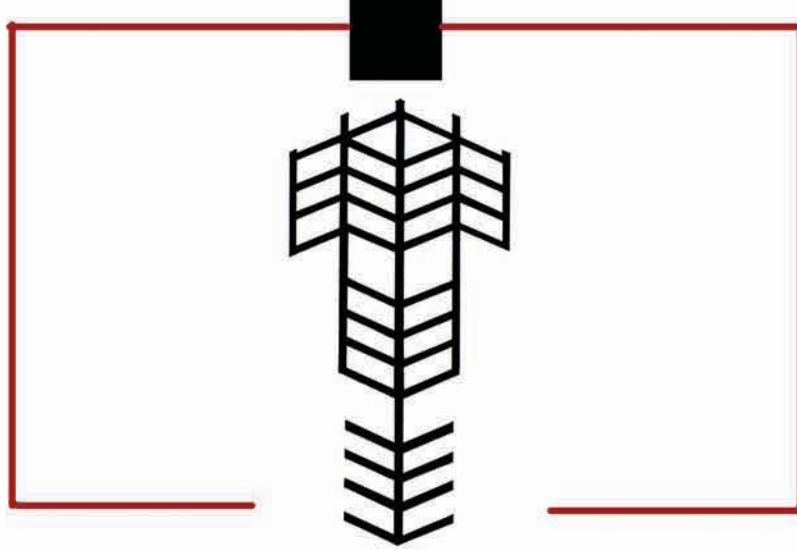
HISTORIC PRESERVATION: A CRITICAL PRIORITY

After seven decades of continuous use, many of the school's celebrated features are suffering from serious deterioration. Architects have recommended that two of the most historic and publicly significant features be addressed immediately.

Auditorium: Seating nearly 2,000 people, the Auditorium is the most recognized and valued feature at Ogden High School. It contains stunning decorative plaster and painting, metal and woodwork. However, unless renovations happen soon, the Auditorium's beauty and functionality will be compromised.

Exterior Features: Some of the most severely impacted areas are the outside windows and doorways. Exposure to decades of wind, rain, sun and snow has corroded the striking artistic details. The original single-pane glass is brittle and offers very little insulation from the elements.





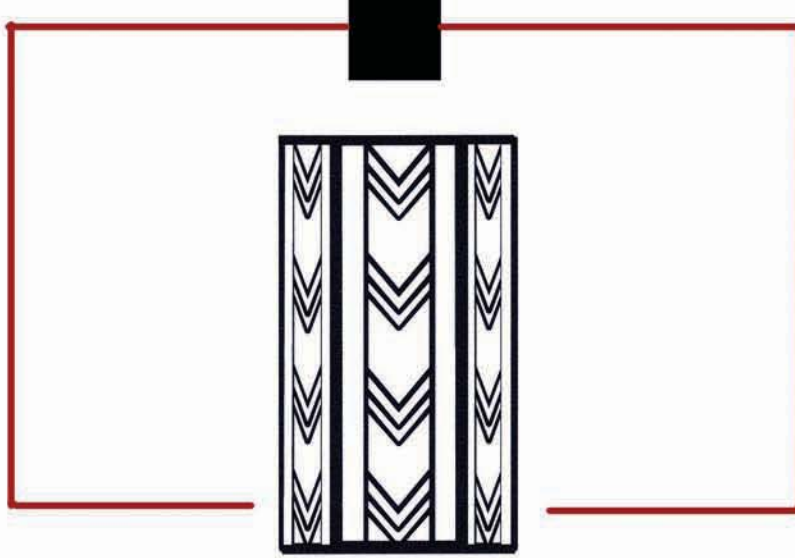
PRESERVING THE PAST, LOOKING TO THE FUTURE

To safeguard the historic features and ensure these spaces remain both beautiful and functional, renovation plans include the following:

- * Repair or replace, clean and/or paint interior finishes in the Auditorium
- * Retrofit the Auditorium to meet current seismic codes
- * Add modern features such as air conditioning, and update heating and electrical systems, new rigging, stage lighting, controls, and a sound system
- * Replace exterior windows with energy efficient, historically appropriate windows and restore exterior doors

The planned renovations will have an enormous impact on the historic integrity of Ogden High School, and assure that it remains a working school for many years.





A LASTING IMPACT

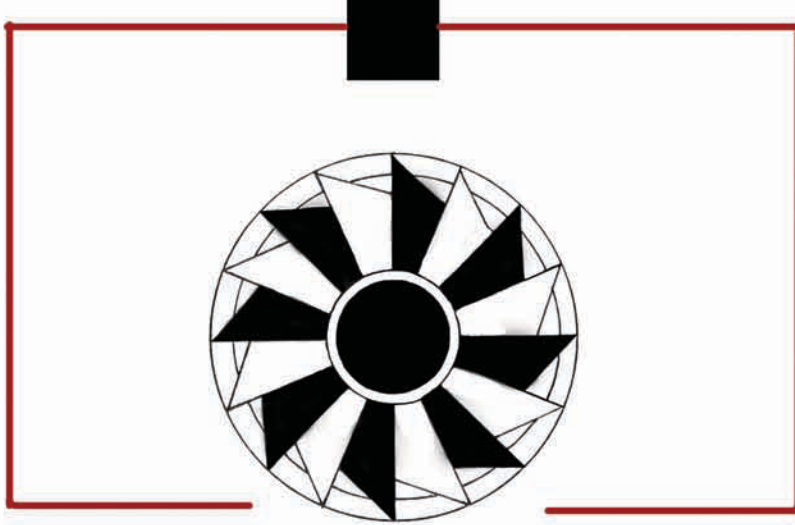
*The restoration plans
will accomplish
several important
objectives.*



Historic Legacy: The combination of public funds from the bond and the private capital campaign will address the school's most immediate needs. It will ensure that the structure remains in its original use, which is the best outcome for any historic preservation project. There will be no further debate about the future of Ogden High School, ensuring its historic legacy continues for years to come.

Artistic Icon: Preserving the artistic elements of the school will enhance the learning environment, and assure Ogden High School continues to serve as a cultural icon in the city, state, and beyond.

Safe and Sound: Life-safety and usability upgrades will ensure the continued viability of the school as an educational and community resource.



BECOME PART OF A HISTORIC LEGACY

*As the fundraising arm of the Ogden School District,
Ogden School Foundation is one of the most successful
educational foundations in the state and serves
as a model to other districts.*

With phase one of the school's overall upgrades covered by a generous public bond, other resources must be identified to support the historic preservation projects previously outlined. After commissioning a feasibility study that indicated strong private support for the initiative, the Ogden School Foundation has launched *The Ogden High School Capital Campaign to Preserve a Community Icon*. It will invite support from individuals, corporations and foundations. Various donor recognition opportunities will be available.

Please join us in helping to assure that historic Ogden High School continues to stand as an enduring symbol of learning, artistic beauty, and civic pride.

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