



Local History Coffee Table Book

I designed and typeset the interior of *Mississippi Nights: A History of the Music Club in St. Louis*. The book (self-published in December 2022) is a history of the famed music venue derived from the memories of its patrons. The content relies heavily on collages of fan-submitted snapshots, ticket stubs, band posters, and miscellaneous ephemera to make it a well sought-after 288-page coffee table memory book.

In all, I designed the interior layout (look/feel, margins, style sheets, etc.), formatted over 1,000 photos and provided photo editing on approximately 45 percent of them. I contributed to some of the copy editing in the initial stages of development, and while the authors wanted to stay as true as possible to each fan's story as submitted, I also offered some editorial feedback for coherency later in the project.

The interior design was based on a preliminary cover designed by another graphic designer that was subsequently modified/refined to be more cohesive with the final interior layout.

