

Castle Rock Paranormal investigation

Present:

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- Richard Estep
- Kathleen Paulson
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Weds 11/4 2008 "Victoria's House", 420 Jerry St, Castle Rock (Castle Rock Chamber of Commerce)

21:00 Arrival and walkthrough. 360 of building. Locate utilities, view old barn.

21:30 Interview board members.

22:00 Baseline readings.

- Meeting room 75 F throughout
- Ground floor 67 F throughout
- Top floor 69 F throughout (Richard, temp)
- EMF (trifield AC and Natural DC) by Miranda and Kathleen, normal throughout
- Radiation levels background across spectrum (Richard)

22:10 Stephen places microphones and cameras on upper floor, covering bathroom where buzzing has been reported.

22:15 Buzzing heard emanating from upstairs bathroom/closet. Traced to be HVAC moving warm air.

23:15 Digital voice recorders left on all three floors, along with camcorders.

23:40 Took reference photos inside and out, all floors.

23:50 EVP session, conference room.

00:12 Control object (wine glass/bottle/plate) placed in President's office

00:14 EVP session basement.

00:50 EVP session, upstairs front office

01:30 Took second set of temperature/EMF/radiation readings, all within normal limits.

1:52 Called it.

Boulder County Paranormal conducted an investigation into possible paranormal activity at “Victoria’s House”, currently the Castle Rock Chamber of Commerce building. Victoria Anderson Honnold was raised in the house and inherited it following the death of her father and mother, taking up residence there in 1911 and remarrying in 1919. She died in the house on 12/9/1942 of a stroke.

Chamber of Commerce events coordinator Deb Tucker reported that a cabinet door opened slowly, without apparent cause, during a meeting. Colleague Judy Parson reported hearing noises late at night that “sounded like somebody snoring”. Employees also report a buzzing sound coming from the upstairs bathroom that was reminiscent of “ a swarm of bees”, which once again occurred during the evening hours. Phones are also reported to ring frequently with no caller to be found on the line.

Our team arrived at 21:00 and conducted a complete walkaround of the building. We noted a confluence of power lines on several sides and a storage garage on the rear aspect. We isolated the utility entrance point.

We had the opportunity to interview employees and board members at 21:00, and get a guided tour of the structure. Baseline readings were taken at 22:00 on all floors. They remained consistent throughout the course of our investigation:

- Meeting room 75 F throughout
- Ground floor 67 F throughout
- Top floor 69 F throughout (Richard, temp)
- EMF (trifield AC and Natural DC) by Miranda and Kathleen, normal throughout
- Radiation levels background across spectrum (Richard)

22:10 Stephen places microphones and cameras on upper floor, covering the bathroom where buzzing has been reported.

22:15 Buzzing was heard emanating from upstairs bathroom/closet. Traced to be the HVAC moving warm air. Although we cannot state with certainty that this is the cause of the former reports of buzzing, but it does provide a rational explanation that fits anecdotal evidence.

23:15 Digital voice recorders were left on all three floors, along with camcorders locked off to cover the rooms and corridors.

23:40 The team took reference photos inside and out, all floors.

23:50 EVP session, conference room. Attempts were made to communicate with any entity that might be present in the building.

00:12 Control object (wine glass/bottle/plate) placed in President’s office. It was not moved throughout the course of the investigation.

00:14 EVP session conducted in the basement.

00:50 EVP session, conducted upstairs in the front office

01:30 Took second set of temperature/EMF/radiation readings, all within normal limits.

01:52 Concluded investigation.

ANALYSIS

Careful analysis of the audio sound files recorded during the EVP sessions and also those left running in at various locations throughout the building revealed nothing of a paranormal nature. The files were scrutinized carefully and “cleaned up” using digital audio software, to enhance clarity. Nothing inexplicable appeared on the recordings.

Upon review of the still photographs, no anomalies were detected on any of the images.

Following lengthy analysis of the video footage, playback also revealed no anomalous imagery or sound artifact.

In conclusion, our investigation uncovered nothing which might be considered paranormal in nature.