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Welcome to the **April 2019** issue of The Preservationist, an e-publication of [Historic Augusta, Inc!](#) This newsletter contains information about upcoming programs and projects of Historic Augusta, Inc. and the Boyhood Home of President Woodrow Wilson.

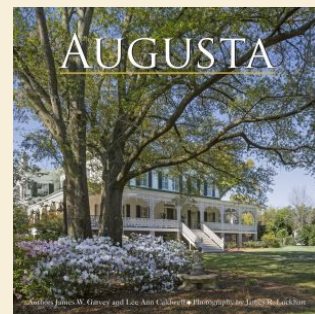
## Wilson House Open for Masters Week Tours



*Learn about Woodrow Wilson's love for golf and his role as president of the Lightfoot Baseball Club.*

Looking for something fun and educational to do with visiting friends and family? Bring your guests to The **Boyhood Home of President Woodrow Wilson**. The museum will be **open** for tours on **Tuesday, April 9th through Saturday April**

## The Perfect Masters Gift



Historic Augusta's 50th anniversary book, **Augusta**, provides an overview of the Garden City's history from the eighteenth to the twentieth centuries, with photographs both archived and current in full color. **\$54.** [Click here to order.](#)

The book is also available for purchase at **Historic Augusta, Augusta & Co., Cadence Bank** (Wheeler Road, Medical Center, and Daniel Village locations), **Queensborough Bank** (all Augusta and Evans branches), and **Shoes at Surrey.**

*All proceeds support Historic Augusta's mission and programs.*

13th, 2019, during the Masters Golf Tournament.

Located at **419 Seventh Street** in downtown Augusta, the house serves as a museum depicting the life of the 28th President as a boy growing up in Georgia during the Civil War and Reconstruction. Built in 1859, the home is now a National Historic Landmark and the oldest Presidential residence in the state of Georgia. Each room is furnished with original or period pieces, making you feel as if you have stepped back in time to the 1800s.

**Other than Masters Week, the Boyhood Home of President Woodrow Wilson is open for tours during its regularly scheduled times Thursdays through Saturdays, on the hour from 10:00 am through 4:00 pm.**

Group tours are offered by appointment. For more information, call Historic Augusta at **706-724-0436** or visit [www.wilsonboyhoodhome.org](http://www.wilsonboyhoodhome.org).

## Loft Tour Tickets Now On Sale!



***See what it is like to live, work, and play downtown!***

Historic Augusta's annual **Downtown Loft Tour** is a great opportunity to look inside historic buildings in the Augusta Downtown Historic District including residential lofts, businesses, event spaces, and

## Volunteers Needed at Preservation Month Events



Historic Augusta is currently seeking volunteers for our May events, the Downtown Loft Tour and Cotton Ball. Both events are fun opportunities to network within the community while supporting Augusta's irreplaceable architectural legacy.

**Loft Tour Volunteers** are needed to pass out programs, punch tickets, and serve as loft docents. **Loft Tour Volunteers will receive a free ticket** to use on either date while they are not working a shift.

Current **members are needed** to volunteer at the Cotton Ball. Volunteers are requested to help with raffle ticket sales, drink ticket sales, and check-in, as well as serving our signature mint juleps or driving golf carts.

If you are interested in being a volunteer at either of these events, please fill out the form on

historic rehabs.

The tour will take place on **First Friday, May 3** from **6 - 9 p.m.** and will continue on **Saturday, May 4** from **10 a.m. - 4 p.m.** Lofts can be toured in any order and tickets are good for both tour days. The tour is self-guided and a program booklet will be provided to attendees that includes a map of the buildings and brief histories of each site.

Confirmed sites for this year include the **John Fox Building, 901 Broad Street**, the **Bee Hive**, the **JB White Building**, the **Lowry Wagon Works, 941 and 943 Ellis Street**, the **Zachariah Daniel House**, and the **Marion Hatcher Center**.

Admission is **\$20 in advance** and **\$25 during the tour**.

Tickets can be purchased online at our [Square store](#) or by calling Historic Augusta at (706) 724-0436. Beginning on Monday, April 8th, tickets may also be purchased at the following locations:

- **Augusta and Co.**, 1010 Broad Street
- **Metro Coffee House**, 1054 Broad Street
- **Mellow Mushroom**, Downtown and Evans locations
- **Cadence Bank**: Evans, Fury's Ferry, West Town, Wheeler Road, Medical Center and Daniel Village branches

**Become a Member to Attend  
Historic Augusta's Cotton Ball**

our website

[http://  
www.historicaugusta.org/support-  
us/volunteer](http://www.historicaugusta.org/support-us/volunteer).

or contact **Samantha Hargrove**, Programs and Marketing Director at (706) 724-0436.

## **Support the Augusta Jewish Museum**



The newly formed **Augusta Jewish Museum's** fundraising campaign is underway! [To learn more about the museum's operations, building rehabilitation and history, visit their website.](#)

To make a [donation](#) to the Augusta Jewish Museum, visit their [Go Fund Me page](#) and share with others!

**Calling All Young  
Preservationists!**



The Georgia Trust for Historic



### ***Salubrity Hall, 2259 Cumming Road***

Historic Augusta's annual members-only garden party, the **Cotton Ball**, will be held on **Thursday, May 16, 2019** from **6:30-9:30 pm** at **Salubrity Hall**, the home of **Christine and Frank Anderson, 2259 Cumming Road**.

Mingle with Historic Augusta's friends while enjoying dinner provided by **Bonefish Grill** and live music with **Monet Robinson**. A dessert bar will feature sweets from local favorites, including **BK Cakes, Dippin' Dots, Riveroak Bakehouse**, and **Vance's Bakery Bar**.

Admission to the Cotton Ball is by current, new, or renewing membership and open to anyone interested in local preservation efforts. Please encourage your friends so they may also attend!

To check on the status of your membership, give us a call at (706) 724-0436. Or [click here](#) for more information on how to become a member or to renew your membership.

Preservation is partnering with Historic Augusta with an exciting initiative called **Inherit GA**.

Young preservation enthusiasts will engage in educational and social activities to further the preservation efforts statewide.

We need **YOU** to help plan upcoming local or regional activities! Let's get the ball rolling and your thinking caps on.

Reach out to Robyn Anderson at [robyn@historicaugusta.org](mailto:robyn@historicaugusta.org) and let's brainstorm a good date for the meet and greet.

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