



Welcome to the **December 2020** issue of The Preservationist, an e-publication of [Historic Augusta, Inc!](http://HistoricAugusta.com) This newsletter contains information about programs and projects of Historic Augusta, Inc. and the Boyhood Home of President Woodrow Wilson.

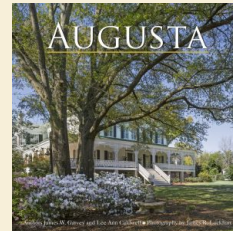
Wilson House Halls Decked



The Boyhood Home of President Woodrow Wilson is decorated for Christmas in the style of the 1920s with evergreens and festive decorations. 1920 marks Wilson's last year as U.S. president when women gained the right to vote.

December tours of the Boyhood Home of President Woodrow Wilson are offered as usual on **Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays** except for December 24th and 25th when the museum will be closed. In addition, **two Saturdays will be included on December 12th and 19th. Reservations are required** for the guided tours and **limited to six people** to ensure social distancing. Tours begin on the hour from 10:00am and 4:00pm. Masks must be worn for the duration of the tour, and hand sanitizer will be available. Admission price is \$5 for adults, \$4 for seniors, and \$3 for students.

The Augusta book makes a perfect gift for the holidays.



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),

**Shoes at Surrey
Crowne Jewelers**

**Design Images & Gifts
Surrey Center Pharmacy**

**Morris Museum of Art
Charleston Street**

Windsor Jewelers

**Southern Lighting Gallery
Boardroom Clothing Co.**

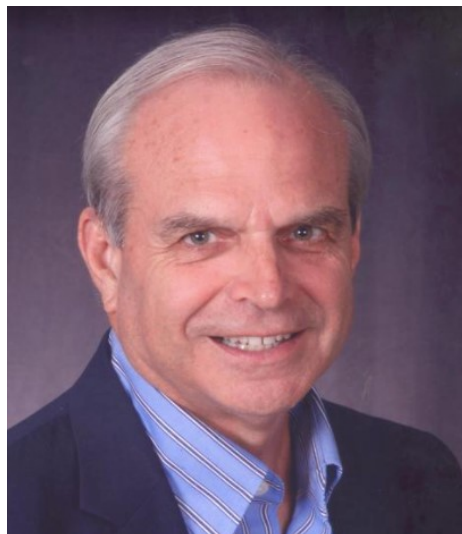
Capsule

**York Cottage Antiques
Low Country Clothier**

Many thanks to **Spade and Trowel Garden Club** for their work in decorating the museum.

Historic Augusta Announced the Recipients of Six Awards Given At Annual Meeting Last Month

Historic Augusta recognized outstanding historic preservation projects each year throughout Augusta and Richmond County. This year, **the Bill and Marie Bush Friend of Preservation Award** was given to **Bryan Haltermann**.



Mr. Haltermann served as president of Historic Augusta from 1993 until 1996 and established a model for successful rehabilitation in the Broad Street corridor which encouraged many additional projects and the revitalization of the central business district. The Bush Award was established in honor of Historic Augusta founders Bill and Marie “Frenchie” Bush in 2012 and is awarded at the discretion of the **Awards Committee to recognize outstanding service to Historic Augusta and its mission of historic preservation in Augusta and Richmond County.**

The 2020 recipients of Historic Preservation Awards are as follows:

Sacred Heart Cultural Center
Pecan Row
Weinberger's Furniture
Curtain Call
Persnickety Interiors
Wesley Cadle, Inc.
The Book Tavern

All proceeds support Historic Augusta's mission and programs.



The Historic Augusta Partners in Preservation

program invites you to **support historic preservation** in Augusta and Richmond County, Georgia, while **gaining valuable exposure for your company**. Annual packages begin at **\$2500** and increase to **\$5000** and **\$10,000**. Custom packages can be negotiated. Annual sponsors of Historic Augusta, Inc. receive the greatest level of exposure to our audience through exclusive print and digital advertising, as well as **group admission to our top events, with a 10-20% cost savings!** If you would like to join us as a Partner, please contact Robyn Macey at macey@historicaugusta.org or 706-724-0436.

All proceeds support Historic Augusta's mission

as follows:

Twin Gables, 920 Milledge Road. Twin Gables is a Dutch Colonial Revival style home built in 1910-1911 as a winter residence. The original architect of the home was Henry Ten Eyck Wendell and the landscape architect was Julia Lester Dillon. Used by the Medical College of Georgia as the President's home since 1984, it was purchased by Mr. and Mrs. Brian Rhodes in 2018. The home has been rehabilitated into a private single family residence and retains many character-defining features including moldings, hardwood floors, and other interior architectural elements. Renovation architects Christopher Booker and Associates. General contractor Aaron Price. Award presented to **Therese and Brian Rhodes.**



The Morgan Building, 204 13th Street. Located in the Augusta Downtown Historic District. Built 1914 by Mrs. James B. Morgan, the building is notable for being owned and developed by a woman as her own residence and an income producing apartment house. This project is a certified historic rehabilitation receiving both state and federal tax credits and is now six income-producing apartments. Architect: Jim Webb of Studio 3 Design Group: Peach Contractors. Design: Rhonda Pullis. Award presented to **Rhonda and Jack Pullis.**



211 Greene Street. Located in the Pinched Gut Historic District, the house was built in 1917 by Milledge Murphey

after the Great Augusta Fire. Murphey owned the

Historic Augusta's mission and programs.

Quick Links

[More About Historic Augusta](#)

[Membership Information](#)

[Historic Augusta's Endangered Properties](#)

after the Great Augusta Fire. Murphey owned the wholesale grocery "Murphey & Co." which was located at 628 Broad Street. The house was largely vacant after 1994 and was purchased in 2018 by the current owners who have saved much of the interior character-defining features including hardwood floors, plaster, moldings, windows, and mantles. Contractor: Gilchrist Construction, LLC. Designer: Jennifer Joseph. Award presented to owners **Leah and Joe DiRenzo**.



The Marshall House, 901-903 Broad Street. Located in the Augusta Downtown Historic District. Constructed circa 1884, the building served as the Marshall House Hotel and various first floor commercial businesses. Years of modification resulted in the three-story portion being covered in stucco and the second and third floors vacant for decades. Removal of the stucco was required to receive certification for state and federal rehabilitation tax credits. Reconstruction of exterior features was based on historical photographs. The rehabilitation has resulted in a restaurant anchoring the Broad Street corner and a forthcoming bakery. The second and third floors are income producing apartments featuring original hardwood floors, mantles, and moldings. Architects: Christopher Booker and Associates, Cheatham Fletcher and Scott (Laziza restaurant). 2KM Architects (Vance Bakery) Contractor: Haltermann Partners, Inc.; DPM Construction (Laziza restaurant); Heavener Construction (Vance Bakery) and Robertson Restoration. Award presented to **Bryan Haltermann**.



A new construction award was presented to the **Lutheran Church of the Resurrection** for the completion of the new **Reiser Fellowship Hall**, finished in 2019. This category was developed to acknowledge new buildings placed in a historic district or adjacent to historic

buildings placed in a historic district or adjacent to historic structures that complement the area. Design by Johnson, Laschober, and Associates PC. Construction completed by Brown Construction.



Please Consider Historic Augusta for a Year-End Donation

We are so grateful to our members and sponsors. Thanks to you, we are able to continue saving irreplaceable buildings from the past in Augusta and Richmond County. If you would like to make a tax-deductible donation to Historic Augusta, please do so by [clicking here](#). Your contributions are greatly appreciated!

Historic Augusta, Inc.

Email: info@historicaugusta.org

Phone: (706) 724-0436

Web: <http://www.historicaugusta.org>

[Click to view this email in a browser](#)

If you no longer wish to receive these emails, please reply to this message with "Unsubscribe" in the subject line or simply click on the following link: [Unsubscribe](#)

[Click here](#) to forward this email to a friend

Historic Augusta, Inc.
415 Seventh Street, P.O. Box 37
Augusta, Georgia 30903-0037
US

[Read](#) the VerticalResponse marketing policy.

vertical DELIVERED
response BY
Try It Free Today!