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Welcome to the second January 2016 issue of The Preservationist, an e-publication of [Historic Augusta, Inc!](#) This newsletter contains updates on the programs and projects of Historic Augusta, Inc. and the Boyhood Home of President Woodrow Wilson.

UPDATE

Preservation Awards to be held
January 26, 2016 at Historic
Augusta, Inc.



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Historic Augusta's Preservation Awards
Tuesday January 26, 2016 • 6:00 p.m.

Each year, Historic Augusta recognizes property owners who have made significant contributions to the preservation, rehabilitation, and restoration of historic buildings and sites. Eligible properties must be located in Augusta, Richmond County and must be at least 50 years old. The 2015 Preservation Awards will be presented on **Tuesday, January 26, 2016 at 6 p.m.** at Historic Augusta's headquarters, the **Joseph R. Lamar Boyhood Home, 415 Seventh Street** in Augusta, Georgia.

Please note the change of address from an earlier edition of *The Preservationist*.

Presidents' Day at the Boyhood Home of President Woodrow Wilson



The Boyhood Home of President Woodrow Wilson will be open for tours on **Monday, February 15, 2016** in honor of **Presidents' Day**. Tours will be given on the **hour and half hour** between **10 a.m. and 4 p.m.** Admission on Presidents' Day will be **buy-one, get-one of equal or lesser value for free**. Regular admission prices are \$5 for adults, \$4 for seniors, \$3 for students K-12, and free for children under age 5.

Children will enjoy fun activities including crossword puzzles and coloring pages.

See "A Boy Never Gets Over His Boyhood," a video about Wilson's life after Augusta prior to the guided tour of his Civil War era home.

Refreshments will be provided following the awards ceremony.

Ribbon Cutting for Lowrey Wagon Works held



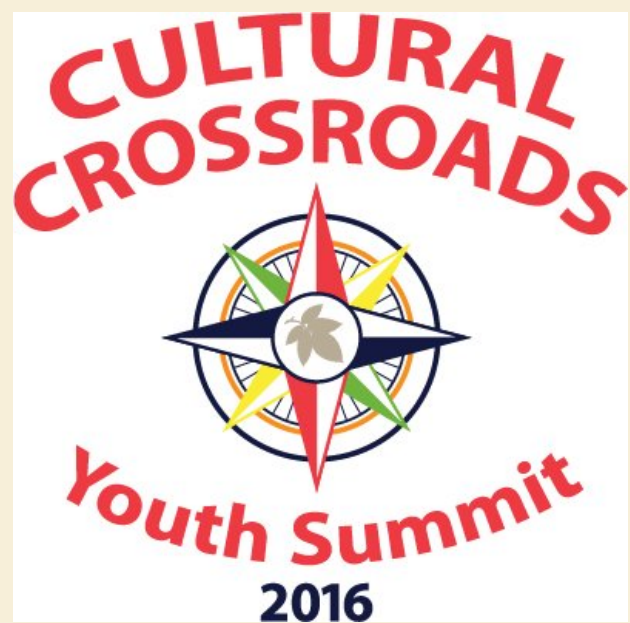
Historic Augusta took part in a ribbon cutting ceremony at 912 Ellis Street on Wednesday, January 13, 2016 in recognition of the rehabilitation of the Lowrey Wagon Works building. Built in 1860 as the Lowrey Wagon Works, the building was confiscated by the Confederacy during the Civil War and utilized as the Confederate Shoe Factory. The rehabilitation of this historic structure is an approved certified historic rehabilitation by the state of Georgia and is under review by the National Park Service for federal tax credits. The project was also made possible by support by the Georgia Cities Foundation, based in Atlanta, and rebate incentive programs through Georgia Power. To learn more about tax credits, contact Robyn Anderson at 706-724-0436 or robyn@historicaugusta.org

Renew or Upgrade Your Membership to Come to the Heritage Party

The Boyhood Home of President Woodrow Wilson is located at **419 Seventh Street** in downtown Augusta. In addition to Presidents' Day, The Boyhood Home of President Woodrow Wilson is open for tours during its regularly scheduled times Thursdays through Saturdays, on the hour from 10 a.m. through 4 p.m. Group tours are offered by appointment.

For more information, call 706-722-9828 or visit www.wilsonboyhoodhome.org.

Georgia Preserve America Youth Summit



The National Park Service established the Preserve America Youth Summit Program in 2007 to engage teens and teachers in active, hands-on learning in the fields of historic preservation, archaeology, history, and heritage tourism. This year's **Georgia Preserve America Youth Summit** will be held **June 26-29, 2016** in Augusta, Georgia, hosted by the [Watson Brown](#)



Each year, Historic Augusta asks one of our community's historic homeowners to host a cocktail party in honor of our principal supporters. This year the **Heritage Party** will be held on **Tuesday, March 15, 2016** from **6:30-8:30 p.m.** at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert M. Burch, Jr., 2627 Walton Way. All current, new or renewing members at the Donor Level (\$350) and above are mailed an invitation to attend. If you would like to check the status of your membership, renew, or join Historic Augusta, please call 706-724-0436. We look forward to seeing you at the Heritage Party.

[Click here](#) to find out more about membership.

[Foundation. Applications](#) are available online now. **The deadline to apply is April 15, 2016.** Participants are selected through a competitive application process and receive a full scholarship to the Summit, including meals, admission fees, and lodging.

During the Summit participants will:

- Explore nationally significant historic properties.
- Learn about the historic cultural connections in Augusta, Georgia.
- Participate in a hands-on learning and a service project.
- Interact with other students and preservation professionals.
- Develop strategies for interpreting and preserving historic places.
- Lead a public Town Hall Meeting.

For more information, contact **Michelle Zupan** from the Watson Brown Foundation at 706-595-7777 or visit www.georgiayouthsummit.com.

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