



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

The 2020 Edward J. Cashin Memorial Woodrow Wilson Lecture and Annual Symposium Celebrate the Centennial of Women's Suffrage Nov. 6 & 7



The annual **Edward J. Cashin Memorial Woodrow Wilson Lecture** will be presented virtually on **Friday, November 6th at 6:30pm** when renowned music historian, Michael Lasser, speaks on "Sufrage in Song." Mr. Lasser, a music historian, will discuss songs written and performed in support of the Women's Suffrage Movement with musical examples provided. Mr. Lasser's lecture kicks off a virtual version of the annual symposium produced by a consortium of Augusta's leading history and cultural organizations since 2011. Please view on our [Facebook page](#).

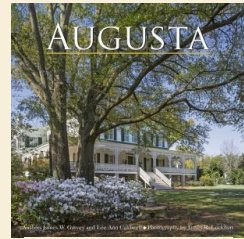
Saturday, November 7th will continue with two lectures beginning at 10:00am.

Lisa Landers will present a lecture on "The Women's Suffrage Movement in the Progressive Era South." She will be followed by Dr. Sonya Ramsey whose lecture, "Church Ladies, Club Women, and Political Sorors: Black Women's Struggle for Voting Rights, 1913 to the Present," views the Suffrage Movement through the lens of race.

All three lectures may be viewed on our [Facebook page](#). Participating organizations will include: the Augusta Museum of History; Historic Augusta, Inc; Lucy Craft Laney Museum of Black History; and the Morris Museum of Art. Their organizational efforts are supported by the Augusta-Richmond County Historical Society; Augusta University Center for the Study of Georgia History; and The Imperial Theatre.

Michael Lasser, lecturer, writer, broadcaster, and music critic, is the author of several books, the most recent of which, *City Songs and American Life, 1900-1950*,

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was published in 2019. His nationally syndicated, Peabody Award-winning show, *Fascinatin' Rhythm*, is celebrating its fortieth year on NPR.

Lisa Landers, the head of Georgia Historical Society's educational programs and educational outreach for K-12 students and teachers, holds a Bachelor of Arts degree in History and Political Science from Auburn University and a Masters of Arts in Education from the University of Alabama at Birmingham.

Dr. Sonya Ramsey is Associate Professor of History and Women's and Gender Studies at the University of North Carolina at Charlotte. She is the Co-Editor, Book Reviews for *The History of Education Quarterly*. In 2000 she earned her Ph.D. in United States History from the University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill.

The Edward J. Cashin Memorial Woodrow Wilson Lecture is made possible in part by funding from Augusta University Center for the Study of Georgia History.

Historic Augusta's 2021 Endangered Properties List To Be Announced Virtually, Tuesday, November 16th at 11:00am

Historic Augusta will present our 2021 Endangered Properties List via social media and on our YouTube Channel. The list of four properties is intended to bring awareness to immediate threats of demolition, development pressure and deferred maintenance. A brochure which will explain each property is forthcoming and will provide updates on previously listed properties.

Historic Augusta's Annual Membership Meeting To Take Place Virtually, Thursday, November 19th at 6:30pm

Members are encouraged to attend our annual membership meeting Thursday, November 19th at 6:30pm. If you are a member you should have received a postcard with login information via zoom. The business meeting will include Annual Reports, Historic Preservation Awards and Election of Officers and Trustees. Please contact us at (706) 724-0436 or at info@historicaugusta.org with any questions you may have. If you are not yet a member and would like to be one, please call us at (706) 724-0436, or visit our website at <https://historicaugusta.square.site/>.



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The Book Tavern

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Boyhood Home of President Woodrow Wilson Updated Operations



Guided tours are offered by appointment only

on Wednesdays, Thursdays and

Fridays between the hours of 10:00am and 4:00pm. Tours will begin on the hour with the last tour beginning at 4:00pm.

For the health and safety of our staff and guests and to be in compliance with current local, state, and national public health policies, the following procedures must be followed.

Guests must make a reservation for a guided tour for a selected date at a selected time. Reservations can be made by calling Historic Augusta as



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(706) 722-9828. We may not be able to accommodate walk-up patrons; walk up patrons must call (706) 722-9828 to make a reservation for the next available tour.

Guests must pre-pay for their tour to secure the reservation at the

time of scheduling. Only credit cards will be accepted as a form of payment.

Each guided tour is limited to 6 total guests in their party. These guests should have a known relationship to one another, either family or friends.

Guests must bring their own facial covering (mask or scarf) and the facial covering must be worn for the duration of the tour.

Guests will call (706) 722-9828 upon arrival to alert the tour guide. All tours will begin in front of the Boyhood Home of President Wilson located at 419 7th Street. Parking is provided for guests in the adjacent lot at Historic Augusta.

Guests are not permitted to touch any surface in the museum other than

the staircase railing

for safety. Hand sanitizer will be provided to guests while in the house.

We appreciate your support of Historic Augusta and the Boyhood Home of President Woodrow Wilson. We thank you for your willingness to abide by our new policies to ensure the museum is operated safely and enjoyed by all who visit.

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