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Welcome to the October 2017 issue of The Preservationist, an e-publication of [Historic Augusta, Inc!](http://HistoricAugusta.com) This newsletter contains information about upcoming programs and projects of Historic Augusta, Inc. and the Boyhood Home of President Woodrow Wilson.

**Make Your Reservations Now to  
"Walk with the Spirits"  
October 28-29, 2017**



Historic Augusta's annual cemetery tour, **Walk with the Spirits**, returns this October! Reserve your spot to "Walk with the Spirits" through Saint Paul's historic colonial churchyard on **Saturday, October 28 and Sunday, October 29**, and experience history come alive! During a 45-minute guided tour with a "spirit" dressed in period costume, patrons will join Historic Augusta on a special trip through Augusta's past and learn about the city's most

**Historic Augusta's  
Annual Meeting to be  
held November 2,  
2017**



Please make plans to attend **Historic Augusta, Inc.'s Annual Meeting** on **Thursday, November 2, 2017** at the **Augusta Country Club**, 655 Milledge Road.

This meeting will include updates about upcoming projects and programs, committee reports, elections, and our annual Preservation Awards ceremony. There will be light hors d'oeuvres and a cash bar beginning at **5:30 p.m.** The business meeting will follow.

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notable citizens. Along the route, additional spirits will enlighten the group with details of their lives and accomplishments.

[Click here to read about the spirits featured in this year's tour.](#)

Tours begin every 20 minutes from 1:20 pm each day, with the last tour commencing at 4:00 pm. Tickets are \$15 per person, but group discounts are available for groups of 10 or more. Reservations are recommended.

[Click here to make a reservation!](#)

Please consider offsetting our expenses by sponsoring a character or even our mailing and printing costs. "Walk with the Spirits" has continued to grow each year, with participants now exceeding 500! One of the many benefits of sponsorship is an opportunity to **"Sip with the Spirits."** Immediately following the final tour on Sunday, sponsors are invited to the home of **Cheryl and Sam Tyson, 2403 William Street**, for cocktails and mingling with the cast of characters and other sponsors.

[Click here to become a sponsor!](#)

**To make a tour reservation, sponsor the event, or for more information, contact Historic Augusta at 706-724-0436.**

***Perfectly Aged a Huge Success!***



## Properties List 2018

Historic Augusta's **11th Annual Endangered Properties List** will be announced on **Tuesday, October 31, 2017, at 10:30 am.**

Join us at  
**the Court of Ordinary**,  
immediately left of the Temple at  
525 Telfair Street,  
for a first look at the  
2018 Endangered Properties List!

[In the meantime, click here to check on the status of current endangered properties.](#)

## Volunteers Needed



Are you interested in being a **volunteer at the Walk with the Spirits** Tour of Saint Paul's Cemetery on October 28 and 29? Historic Augusta needs your help assisting with check-in, refreshments, and passing out tour booklets. If you or your civic group are able to donate just a few hours of your time (or if we can help you fill a volunteer hour commitment), please contact Samantha Hargrove, Programs and Marketing Director at [samantha@historicaugusta.org](mailto:samantha@historicaugusta.org)

**Quick Links**

Nearly 400 preservation-minded guests attended Historic Augusta's benefit auction, *Perfectly Aged*, which was held on September 14th at Saint Paul's River Room. We are so grateful to everyone who attended or sponsored the event, as well as to the wonderful committee of volunteers and donors that made this night such a success! Thanks to our supporters, *Perfectly Aged* successfully raised the funds we needed to continue preserving and protecting Augusta's historic heritage!

If you attended this event and would like to share photos or anecdotes for the winter issue of Historic Augusta's print newsletter, please email [Samantha@historicaugusta.org](mailto:Samantha@historicaugusta.org).

## Now Scheduling Fall Tours at The Boyhood Home of President Woodrow Wilson



His family called him Tommy, but you know him better as Mr. President.

Summer is officially over and cooler weather is on the horizon! **Schedule a visit** to the Boyhood Home of President Woodrow Wilson and **take a break in the garden**. Then enjoy lunch or dinner on Broad Street.

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Tours are given every Thursday - Saturday from 10:00 am - 4:00 pm. Tickets are \$5 for adults, \$4 for seniors, and \$3 for students (K-12). Group discounts are also available for groups of 10 or more.

Woodrow Wilson, the 28th president of the United States, grew up in Augusta, Georgia. His home, the Woodrow Wilson Boyhood home, was built in 1859 and is now a National Historic Landmark that serves as a house museum depicting life during the Civil War and Reconstruction eras. The museum is both an educational facility and historic attraction. Each room is done in the tableaux style, making you feel as if you have stepped back in time to the mid 1800's. **Please call (706) 724-0436 to make a reservation.**

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