



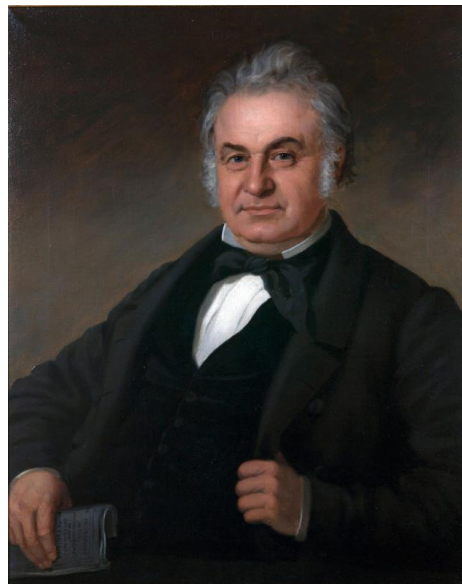
The Preservation Magazine of Greensboro

Morehead Forum Education Summit

Monday, September 12

The Governor Morehead Forum will convene a landmark event to Greensboro.

Moderated by D.G. Martin of *North Carolina Bookwatch*, the event will host Rosalind Fuse-Hall of Bennett College, Carol Quillen of Davidson College, Richard Brodhead of Duke University, Leo Lambert of Elon University, Jane Fernandes of Guilford College, and Nathan Hatch of Wake Forest University. Discussion will focus on special challenges and opportunities these institutions and others like it face in today's education climate.



In mid-August, tickets will be available for the 7:30 pm moderated discussion through the Historic Carolina Theatre's box office for \$19 plus taxes and fees. See history in the making!

An exclusive private reception and dinner from 5 pm with the six college and university presidents is limited to 60 participants. The ticket to the private event and Forum is available for \$250 per person or \$400 per couple. Please make your reservation through our PGI office 336-272-5003.

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The Other Moreheads



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Save-the-Date

Aug 3 Walking Wednesdays
Sunset Hills

Aug 10 Walking Wednesdays

7pm Thursday, August 18, The Blandwood Carriage House

Little documentation exists to provide insight on the extended Morehead family, including both freed and enslaved people, who lived in and around Blandwood Mansion in Greensboro during the early and mid-nineteenth centuries. Blandwood's owner, North Carolina's statesman John Motley Morehead, was a well-recognized politician in the American South during this period, but few of his personal papers illuminate our understanding of the lives of African Americans associated with family members. Historian Reneé Donnell recently completed a research project to extract as much information as she could related to genealogical research associated with the extended Morehead family. She will make a presentation on her methodology and findings on August 18th.

Ms. Donnell serves as an Education Specialist with Preservation Greensboro and currently hold the position of Historic Interpreter at the Charlotte Hawkins Brown Museum State Historic Site in Sedalia. Ms. Donnell has a B.S. S. in International Studies, Bethune Cookman University; and she earned an M.H. P. in Historic Preservation, University of Georgia.

Ms. Donnell will review the discoveries uncovered during her study of the Morehead family, and will focus on research methodology, challenges, and discoveries. The Morehead history is complicated, yet in many ways typical of nineteenth century South. Perhaps Ms. Donnell can inspire you to complete family genealogy, or perhaps you can share your tips and findings with others! There is no charge for this event, held in the the Blandwood Carriage House.

Questions? [Contact Us](#)

Name That Neighborhood!

How well do you REALLY know your neighborhood architecture? Some might be surprised that each neighborhood in the Gate City has distinctive architecture that sets it apart from the crowds. Play our online quiz to see how well you know the landmark buildings in Greensboro neighborhoods.

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Connect With Your Community

Caswell County Coach Trip

All Day Friday, October 14

Downtown Landmarks

Aug 13 Black Ties and Tails
(Event cancelled)

Aug 17 Walking Wednesdays
College Hill

August 18 The Other
Moreheads

Aug 24 Walking Wednesdays
Summit Avenue

Aug 31 Walking Wednesdays
Twentieth Century City

Sept 3 Saturday Fisher Park
Walking Tour

Sept 5 Labor Day - Office
Closed

Sept 8 Young People for Old
Places Mixer

Sept 10 Saturday Westerwood
Walking Tour

Sept 12 Morehead Forum
Higher Education Summit

Sept 17 Saturday Old
Greensborough Walking Tour

Sept 24 Saturday Lindley Park
Walking Tour

Sept 24 Museum Day Live!

Sept 28-30 Preservation North
Carolina Annual Meeting:
Greensboro

October 14 Caswell County
Coach Tour

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Caswell County's oldest architecture comprises several Georgian and Federal style houses built for prosperous planters and townfolk. Most of them are relatively modest, 1 or 1½-story dwellings with hall-parlor plans; only a few are 2-story residences. More abundant is architecture from the late antebellum "Bright



Leaf boom era," when Caswell County's planters and merchants invested in larger houses and generally favored the nationally popular Greek Revival style. In Caswell County, such houses often incorporate the woodwork of one of Caswell County's best known citizens-the free black cabinetmaker Thomas Day, who lived and worked in Milton from 1827 until his death about 1861, and is credited with a distinctive body of architectural woodwork as well as his famous furniture.

Join us for a coach trip on Friday, October 14 to explore the architecture of Caswell County. Reserve your seat today on a tour that includes comfortable passage, lunch, and exploration of one of our State's most architecturally rich counties.

[Contact Us to RSVP](#)

An Adventure To Cape Town!

May 26 - June 3rd, 2017

Few cities in the world boast such a distinctive setting as Cape Town, South Africa. Nestled at the foot of the legendary Table Mountain, the city features a variety of landscapes and settings ranging from the dramatic coastline of the South Atlantic to the vinicultural foothills of the Constantia Valley.

Our tour, a partnership with the Weatherspoon Art Museum and curated by Studio Traveler, will feature the art and historic architecture of this legendary city, and will include six nights accommodation, breakfasts, an assortment of lunch and dinner options, and all trip-related guides, admissions and transportation costs. Visit Table Mountain, the Bo-Kaap Historic District, the new Zeitz Museum of Contemporary Art, the Groot Constanzia Winery, and so much more!

Learn More about [Cape Town](#) and [Our Itinerary](#)

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Westerwood is a stylish neighborhood of comfortable Craftsman bungalows and Colonial Revival cottages located on tree-lined streets that lead to Lake Daniel Park. The neighborhood dates to the late nineteenth century when "Greensborough" began to expand to a ridge north and west of the small town. The high prospect of land captured the attention of high-income residents who built estates, including B. H. Merrimon's "The Cedars" and H. T. Martin's "Double Oaks." From those estates, the neighborhood expanded north and west through the prowess of Greensboro's first *star* real estate professional.

Today, the neighborhood remains convenient to center city, UNCG and Greensboro College, as well as parks and the Downtown Greenway. Thanks to its in-town location and deep sense of history, Westerwood remains a sought-after community full of architectural gems. The Secrets of Westerwood is the focus of our most recent blog article.

[Learn More!](#)

Early Bird Registration for PNC Conference!

Wed-Thus, Sept 28-30

Please consider attending all, or part, of Preservation North Carolina's Annual Meeting when it is here in Guilford County September 28-30. The staff at PNC have worked hard to develop a conference that will be useful to preservation professionals across the state, and have dedicated "Tracks" to issues related to Diversity, Commission Training, Field Sessions, Hands-On Learning, and New Tax Credits. We are fortunate to have the event in our own backyard (the last time was 2003), so this is a once-in-a-decade event for us!

Please take some time to review the conference schedule, and register BEFORE August 24 for the Early Bird price! We hope to see you in September!

[Learn more](#)

Save The Date

Celebrate 50 Years at Blandwood!

Thursday Evening, October 20

Help us celebrate 50 years of service to the community with an event at Blandwood Mansion, the place where it all started! [Contact Us](#) to volunteer your help.

Membership Keeps Us Going

Did you know? Preservation Greensboro is among the oldest city-based organizations dedicated to historic preservation in North Carolina? Your memberships and contributions keep our operations strong. Become a member...or renew today!

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Architectural Walking Tours

Be a part of our 2016 season of Walking Wednesday tours that will highlight Gate City neighborhoods through the lens of their architecture and history. Classic tours including Fisher Park, College Hill, and Old Greensborough have been joined this year by new tours including



Westerwood, Sunset Hills, Lindley Park, and the Creative Quarter. Walking tours are free of charge, and help us meet our mission of understanding the importance of history and place.

In September, our Walking Tours will begin to meet Saturday mornings at **11am**. This will accommodate the shorter daylight during evenings.

[Visit our website](#) for updated scheduling on our tour season.

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