

The Mayberry Confidential

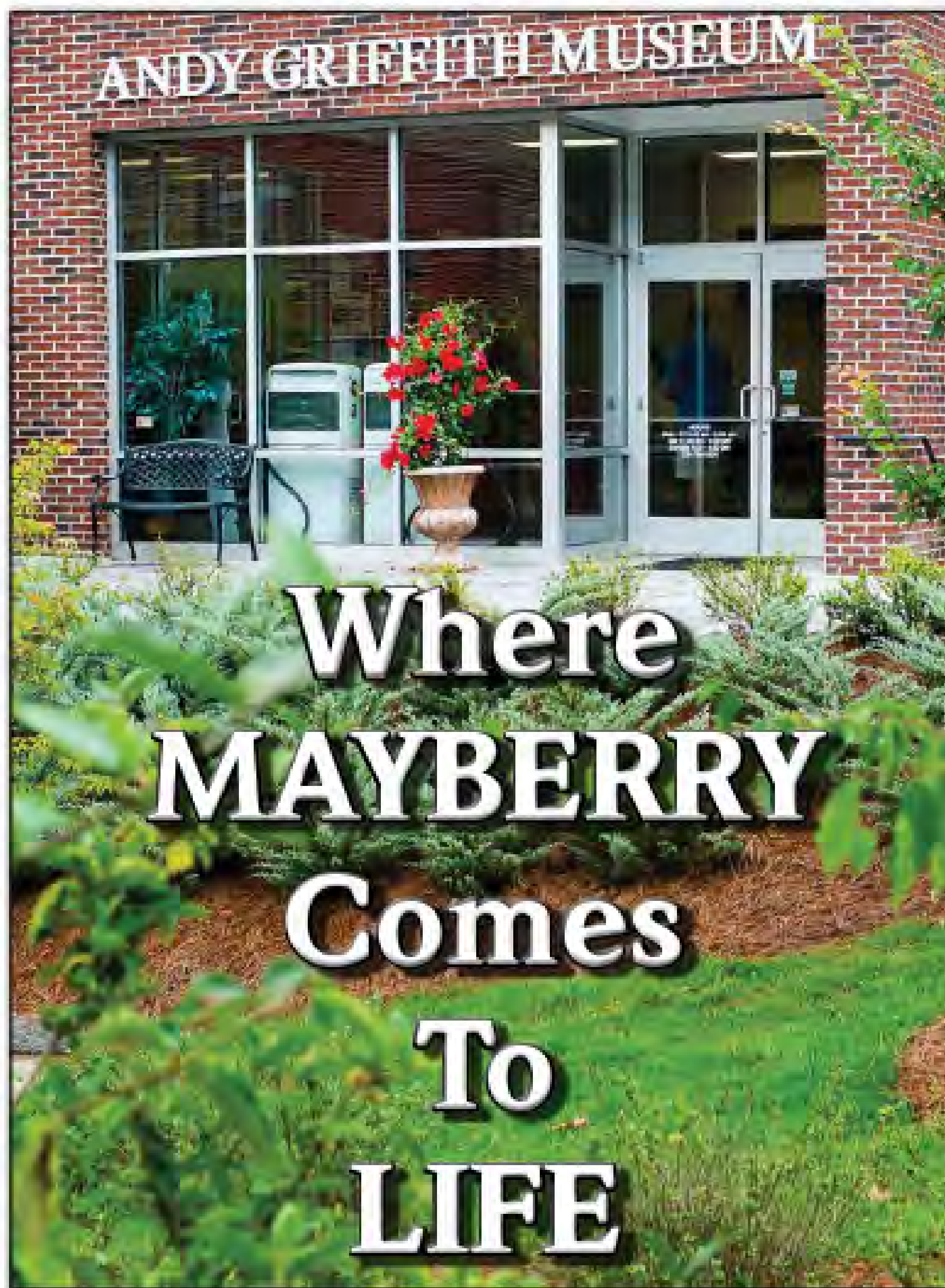
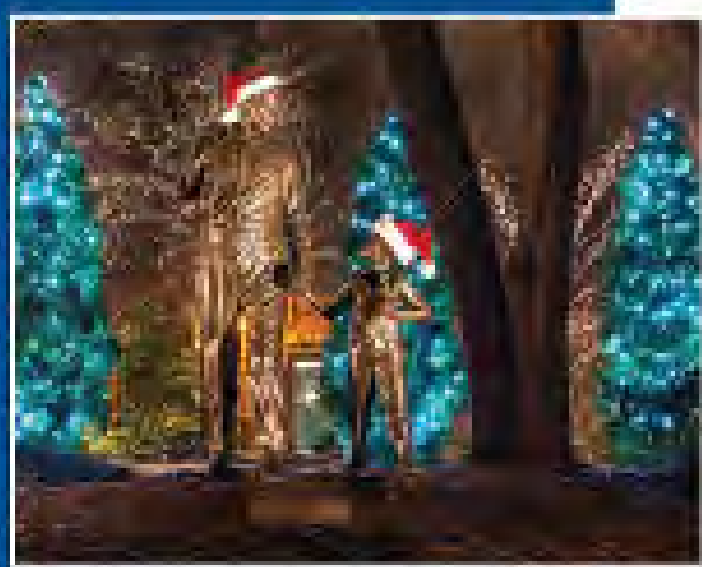
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MOUNT AIRY, NC



187

Number of events that are covered by the 2014 Season Pass!

60,000

Number of guests who visited the Andy Griffith Museum last year!

115,200

Number of views on Facebook "Happy Birthday to Betty Lynn" post

25

2014 will be the 25th Annual Mayberry Days!

20,000

The SAC will reach over 20,000 Surry County students with cultural arts programs sponsored in part by the Arts Ball and the Mayberry Days Bake Sale!

20,522

Number of Likes on SAC Facebook pages

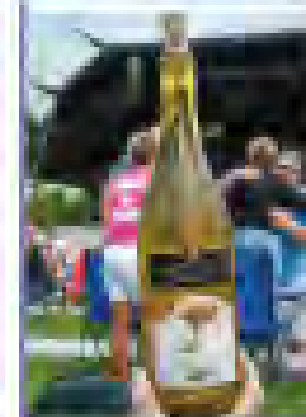
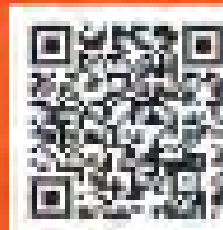
25 EXPERIENCES *in* MOUNT AIRY

For Individuals, Families & Groups

2014 SEASON PASS

STILL \$100! On Sale Now ~ Make Great Gifts!

The pass includes weekly jams, the Merry-Go-Round, monthly old-time dances, monthly Voice of the Blue Ridge, events in the 2014 Summer Series, and other selected events! Children 12 and under are admitted free to events covered by the Season Pass that are held at the Blackmon Amphitheatre. The children must be accompanied by parents or guardians. Children are not admitted free when events are moved inside unless otherwise posted. Keep up with Summer Series events on the Blackmon Amphitheatre Facebook page www.facebook.com/BlackmonAmphitheatre.



Shelton Wine and Dairy Center Hot Dogs & Snacks at selected Summer Series events.



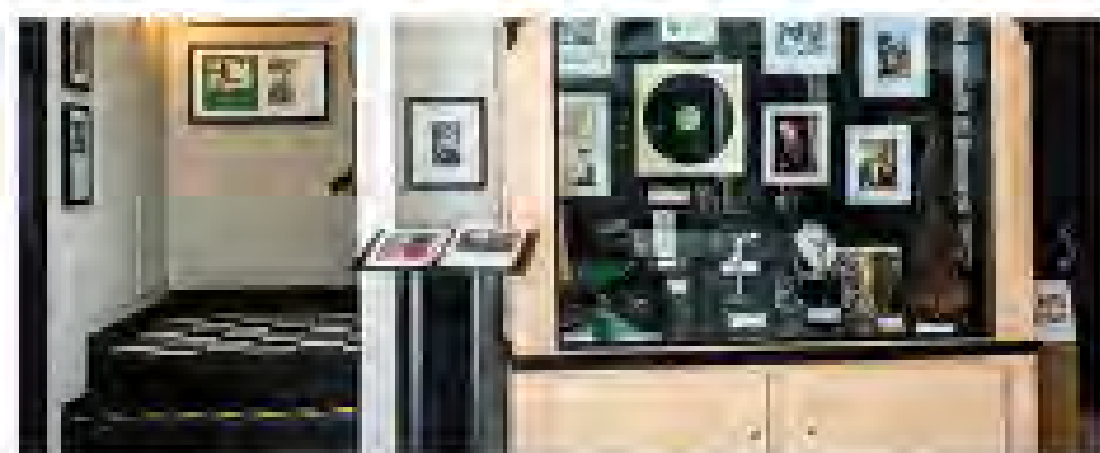
1 DAILY ANDY GRIFFITH MUSEUM, ANDY GRIFFITH MUSEUM THEATRE and SIAMESE TWINS EXHIBIT

Monday-Friday 9:00-5:00 pm Saturday 10:00-4:00 pm Sunday 1:00-4:30 pm

Closed on Thanksgiving Day and Christmas Day

\$3 Admission/\$5 Admission with audio guide

Above admission fee includes Old-Time Music Heritage Hall, the Andy Griffith Museum Theatre (mural), Andy Griffith Museum, and the Siamese Twins Exhibit



2 DAILY OLD-TIME MUSIC HERITAGE HALL at the HISTORIC EARLE THEATRE

Monday-Friday 11:00-3:00 pm Saturday 9:00-4:00 pm Sunday 1:00-3:30 pm

Closed Thanksgiving Day, Christmas Day, July 4th, Friday-Sunday 2nd weekend in October

\$3 Admission/\$5 Admission with audio guide

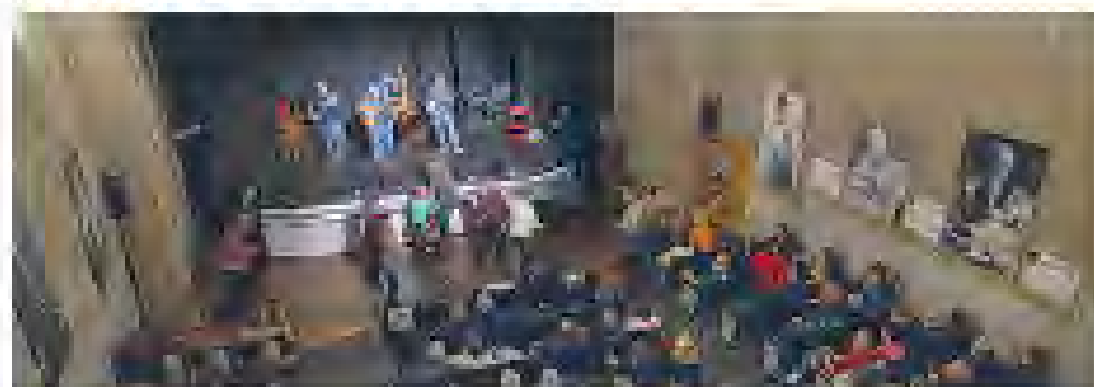
Above admission fee includes Andy Griffith Museum, the Andy Griffith Museum Theatre (mural), and the Siamese Twins Exhibit



3 WEEKLY YOUTH FIDDLE and GUITAR LESSONS

Thursdays, 5:30 pm Fiddle Classes
Thursdays, 6:15 pm Guitar Classes
Historic Earle Theatre, Free

Visitors are welcome to observe and/or participate in the lessons. No reservations required.
Jim Vipperman Instructor
This program is sponsored in part by a TAPS grant from the North Carolina Arts Council.



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WEEKLY JAMS

Tuesdays, 7:00 pm, Old-Time Jam, Free
Thursdays, 7:00 pm, Jam and Open Microphone, Old-Time/Bluegrass/Gospel/Country, Free
Saturdays, 9:00-11:00 am, Jam (before Merry-Go-Round), \$5 (includes Merry-Go-Round, Andy Griffith Museum and audio guide), Historic Earle Theatre

Groups are welcome at the free weekly jam sessions on Tuesday and Thursday evenings at the Historic Earle Theatre in Downtown Mount Airy. Award winning musicians host the Tuesday old-time jams. Dancers are welcomed! The Thursday jams are hosted by Tim Chadwick. Once a month, a Thursday jam participant is selected to receive recording time in the studio of local artist, John Rees. John has recently moved back to Mount Airy from Nashville TN!

5

WEEKLY MERRY-GO-ROUND

Saturdays, 11:00 am-1:30 pm
Historic Earle Theatre, \$5 (includes Andy Griffith Museum and audio guide)

The Merry-Go-Round is the second longest currently running live radio broadcast in the nation! The longest is the Grand Ole Opry. The Merry-Go-Round can be heard online at www.wpaq740.com



6 WEEKLY GOLDEN NOTES
Tuesdays, September – May, 10-11 am
Siamese Twins Exhibit Room, Free
Sing along with the Golden Notes every Tuesday morning at 10:00 am from September through May in the Siamese Twins Exhibit room. This adult chorale group directed by Sylvia Lowry welcomes visitors. The group performs annually at the Surry Arts Council Fund Drive Kick-Off.

7 WEEKLY STORYBOOK THEATRE
Thursdays, June 12-July 31, 2014, 6:00 pm
Andy Griffith Museum Theatre, Free
Enjoy family friendly weekly performances, every Thursday, at 6:00 pm from June 12 through July 31, 2014. Shows are held in the Andy Griffith Museum Theatre and include a cast of familiar storybook characters. Visitors are welcome and reservations are not necessary. This program is supported in part by the Cindi and Andy Griffith Endowment.



8* MONTHLY BASKET MAKERS
2nd Tuesdays, 7:00 pm
Siamese Twins Exhibit Room
Club members meet monthly OR
MAKE YOUR OWN BASKET – any time!
Visitors may schedule an experience and make your own basket with Surry County's Basket Guild member(s) instructing. All materials provided. Instruction must be scheduled at least 2 weeks in advance. \$45 per person*
Call 336-786-7998 for scheduling or email Jessica@surryarts.org

9 MONTHLY MOUNT AIRY PHOTO CLUB
3rd Tuesdays, 7:00 pm
Siamese Twins Exhibit Room or Excursion
This group welcomes guests and visitors at their monthly meetings where topics of interest to digital photographers are discussed. Check Jessica@surryarts.org to confirm location or to be added to the monthly email list.



10* ANDY GRIFFITH MUSEUM GUIDED TOURS
Enjoy a guided tour of the museum by Emmett's daughter, Terri Champney. Terri is at the museum most Thursdays. Tours can be arranged in advance for groups. \$5 per person



11* ANDY GRIFFITH PLAYHOUSE AND MUSEUM GARDEN TOUR
Enjoy a tour of the Andy Griffith Playhouse and Museum gardens designed by Landscape Architect Chip Callaway. The gardens contain native North Carolina plants and are designed for year round bloom. Tours will be led by local master gardeners. Groups up to 25, \$150. Reservations required

12* ANDY GRIFFITH PLAYHOUSE BACKSTAGE TOUR
Bobby Bodford, Surry Arts Council Artistic Director, will lead Backstage Tours of the Andy Griffith Playhouse. Stand on stage where Andy gave his first performance as a third grade student at Rockford Street School. If you're quiet, you can hear Andy singing. Groups up to 30, \$100. Reservations required



13 THEATRE at the ANDY GRIFFITH PLAYHOUSE
Individuals, families, and groups are encouraged to enjoy shows at the Andy Griffith Playhouse. Special arrangements can be made in advance to meet and greet cast members. There is a show in production at all times, year round. See the theatre schedule for dates, times, and prices. Group rates available for selected shows.



14 SUMMER THEATRE ADVENTURES for YOUTH
These summer children's drama adventures are perfect times for grandparents to invite grandchildren for a perfect summer experience. Parents won't believe their little star when they come for the performance. Other summer children's activities are hosted. Call to inquire. Prices vary. Scholarships are available from the Kester Sink Birthday Fund.

15* BLUE RIDGE AND BEYOND - STORYTELLING
Enjoy an experience with local storytellers. One hour session, Groups up to 40, \$150

16* SIAMESE TWINS EXHIBIT
Enjoy a guided tour led by a descendant of the world famous Siamese Twins, Eng and Chang Bunker. Groups up to 25, \$150. Reservations required





17 **MONTHLY VOICE OF THE BLUE RIDGE**
3rd Saturday, 7:30 pm
Historic Earle Theatre, \$7 or Season Pass
Individuals, families, and groups are invited. The concerts pay tribute to Mount Airy radio icon, Ralph Epperson and take on the format of a live radio broadcast. Selected audience members spin the wheel each month and win prizes and enjoy the music of Travis Frye and Blue Mountain. A guest band is also featured at the concert each month.



18 **MONTHLY OLD-TIME DANCE**
1st Saturday, 7:30 pm
Historic Earle Theatre, \$5 or Season Pass
Award winning old-time bands lead this monthly dance. Groups are welcome!



19 **OLD-TIME MUSIC AND DANCE GROUP TOUR EXPERIENCE**
Award winning old-time bands will lead your group in a two hour music and dance experience. Enjoy a UNC-TV Folkways Documentary hosted by David Holt explaining Surry County's role in old-time music around the world. Take an audio guided tour of the Old-Time Music Heritage Hall. Learn to two-step, flat foot, and square dance – to Surry County old-time music! Band, Dance instruction, Old-Time Music! \$10/person, Minimum \$350

20 **CLOGGING**
Samantha Wilhelmi will lead your group in a clogging demonstration. Samantha is an award winning clogger and instructor. Samantha teaches classes for all ages and welcomes newcomers. Samantha guarantees a workout along with an introduction to clogging! Groups, \$150. Inquire about weekly classes Jessica@surryarts.org.



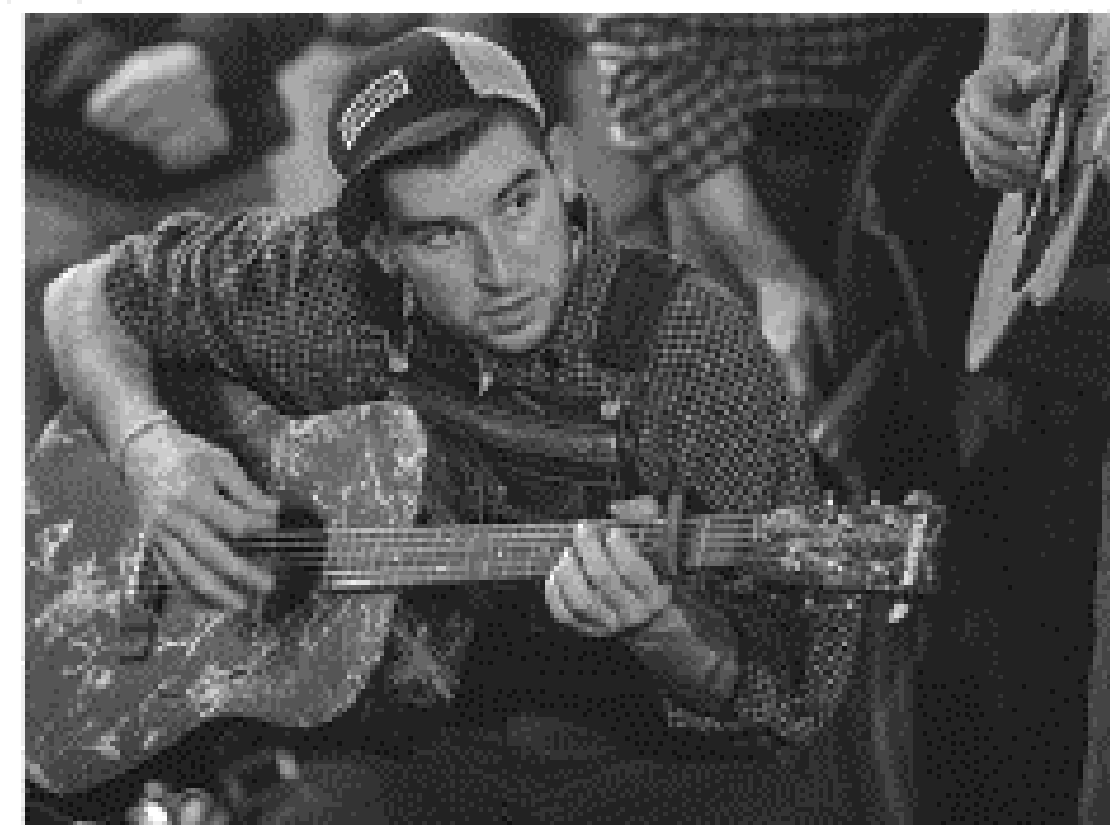
21 **MAYBERRY PAINTS**
Led by local artist
Each participant will be guided through the steps to achieve a completed painting in the 2-3 hour workshop. Ready to hang canvas and all materials are included. Minimum class size 16, \$45 per person. Reservations required



22 **BLACKMON AMPHITHEATRE SUMMER SERIES**
There is something for everyone in this series. Beach, R&B, Country, Oldies, Top 40, and more!
www.facebook.com/BlackmonAmphitheatre



23 **\$5 MOVIES at the HISTORIC EARLE THEATRE**
Don't miss the best popcorn in town in the theatre that hosted one of the premieres of Andy's first movie, *A Face in the Crowd*. The theatre is located a cross from the world famous Snappy Lunch in the middle of Downtown Mount Airy. Info Line 336-786-2222 or www.facebook.com/Earletheatre



24 **TOMMY JARRELL FESTIVAL**
February 28 and March 1, 2014
Join us at the Historic Earle Theatre as we celebrate the life and music of old-time music icon Thomas Jefferson Jarrell with workshops, dances, documentaries, concert, and more.
www.facebook.com/Earletheatre, www.surrycountymusic.com



25 **25th ANNUAL MAYBERRY DAYS**
September 25-28, 2014
Join us for the biggest Mayberry Days celebration ever! Joy Ellison has already announced that she will be joining us for the first time!
www.mayberrydays.org

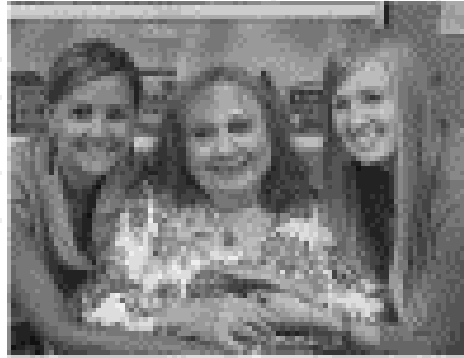
* **INDIVIDUAL, FAMILY, and GROUP EXPERIENCES** require advance registration and advance payment of non-refundable fees. 336-786-7998 or Jessica@surryarts.org

ON STAGE MOUNT AIRY 2013-2014

SEPTEMBER 2013

BETTY LYNN at ANDY GRIFFITH MUSEUM

Autographs and Photo Opportunities
Friday, September 20, 2013,
12:30-1:30 pm
Andy Griffith Museum,
Admission \$3



THE WEDDING OF THE SIAMESE TWINS

Sat., September 21, 3:00 pm
Sun., September 22, 3:00 pm
Mon., September 23, 7:30 pm
Tues., September 24, 7:30 pm
Historic Earle Theatre,
\$10 or Season Pass



VOICE OF THE BLUE RIDGE

Travis Frye and Blue Mountain with
None of the Above
Sat., September 21, 7:30 pm
Historic Earle Theatre, \$7 or Season Pass



MAYBERRY DAYS 2013

September 25-29
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AUDITIONS for

THE SOMEWHAT TRUE TALE OF ROBIN HOOD

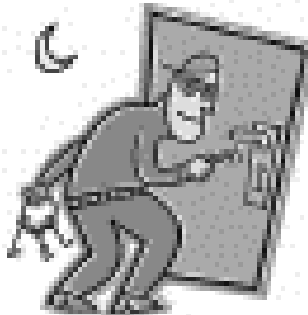
Monday, September 30, 6:30 pm
Tuesday, October 1, 6:30 pm
Andy Griffith Playhouse

OCTOBER 2013

AUDITIONS for

THE GREAT NURSING HOME ESCAPE

Tuesday, October 1, 4:00 pm
Andy Griffith Museum Theatre



OLD-TIME DANCE with ROUND PEAK RAMBLERS

Saturday, October 5, 2013, 7:30 pm
Historic Earle Theatre, \$5 or Season Pass

AUTUMN LEAVES FESTIVAL

October 11-13, 2013

CRAIG SOUTHERN AND PHOENIXX

October 12, 2013, 7:00 pm
Blackmon Amphitheatre, Free

FAMILY MOVIE MONSTERS, INC. - (G)

Thursday, October 17th, 2013
Historic Earle Theatre, 10:00 am Free, 4:00 pm \$2

BETTY LYNN at ANDY GRIFFITH MUSEUM

Autographs and Photo Opportunities
Friday, October 18, 2013, 12:30-1:30 pm
Andy Griffith Museum, Admission \$3



OPIE AWARDS

Saturday, October 19, 2013, 7:00 pm
Andy Griffith Museum Theatre

VOICE OF THE BLUE RIDGE

Travis Frye and Blue Mountain with guests
Zephyr Lightning Bolts
Saturday, October 19, 2013, 7:30 pm
Historic Earle Theatre, \$7 or Season Pass

PUMPKIN DECORATING WORKSHOP

Pumpkins and materials provided! All ages
Friday, October 25, 2013, 4:00 pm
Andy Griffith Museum Theatre, \$5
Limited to first 50 to Register

AUDITIONS for A CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS CAROL

Monday-Tuesday, October 28-29, 2013, 4:00 pm
Andy Griffith Playhouse

HALLOWEEN MAGIC SHOW by Magic Ray Hardee

Thursday, October 31, 2013, 3:30, 4:30, & 5:30 pm
Historic Earle Theatre, Free
Costume trophies to be awarded!

NOVEMBER 2013

THE SOMEWHAT TRUE TALE OF ROBIN HOOD

Friday-Saturday, November 1-2, 2013, 7:30 pm
Sunday, November 3, 3:00 pm
Andy Griffith Playhouse, \$10

MUSIC, MOMMY and ME (Preschool)

Friday Weekly, November 1-22, 2013, 10:00 am
Photo Gallery, \$25 per 4 week session.
Register 336-786-7998 or Jessica@surryarts.org

OLD-TIME DANCE with ZEPHYR LIGHTNING BOLTS

Saturday, November 2, 2013, 7:30 pm
Historic Earle Theatre, \$5 or Season Pass

BETTY LYNN at ANDY GRIFFITH MUSEUM

Autographs and Photo Opportunities
Friday, November 15, 2013, 12:30-1:30 pm
Andy Griffith Museum, Admission \$3

VOICE OF THE BLUE RIDGE

Travis Frye and Blue Mountain with SC Broadcasters
Saturday, November 16, 2013, 7:30 pm
Historic Earle Theatre, \$7 or Season Pass

FAMILY MOVIE THE SWORD IN THE STONE - (G)

Thursday, November 21, 2013
Historic Earle Theatre, 10:00 am Free, 4:00 pm \$2



THE GREAT NURSING HOME ESCAPE

Performed by the Good Times Drama Club
Thursday-Friday, November 21-22, 2013, 3:00 pm
Andy Griffith Museum Theatre, Free

MOUNT AIRY CHRISTMAS PARADE

Saturday, November 30, 2013, 9:30 am
Downtown

DECEMBER 2013



THE NUTCRACKER performed by

NY Theatre for Young Audiences
Sunday, December 1, 2013, 4:30 pm
Andy Griffith Playhouse, \$10

GINGERCOOKIE HOUSE WORKSHOPS

All materials provided
Friday, December 6th,
4:00 pm, All Ages
Andy Griffith Museum
Theatre, \$5
Reservations Required,
Attendance Limited



DOWNTOWN HOLIDAY ART WALK

Saturday, December 7, 2013, 10:00 am - 5:00 pm

OLD-TIME DANCE with SLATE MOUNTAIN RAMBLERS

Saturday, December 7, 2013, 7:30 pm
Historic Earle Theatre, \$5 or Season Pass

A CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS CAROL

Friday, December 13, 2013, 7:00 pm
Saturday-Sunday, December 14-15, 2013, 3:00 pm
Andy Griffith Playhouse, \$10

FAMILY MOVIE THE POLAR EXPRESS - (PG)

Thursday, December 19, 2013
Historic Earle Theatre, 10:00 am Free, 4:00 pm \$2

BETTY LYNN at ANDY GRIFFITH MUSEUM

Autographs and Photo Opportunities
Friday, December 20, 2013, 12:30-1:30 pm
Andy Griffith Museum, Admission \$3

VOICE OF THE BLUE RIDGE

Travis Frye and Blue Mountain with Rich 'n Tradition
Saturday, December 21, 2013, 7:30 pm
Historic Earle Theatre, \$7 or Season Pass

BREAKING UP CHRISTMAS Jam and Dance

Thursday, December 26, 2013, 7:00 pm
Saturday, December 28, 2013, 7:00 pm
Tuesday, December 31, 2013, 7:00 pm
Historic Earle Theatre, Free

JANUARY 2014

BREAKING UP CHRISTMAS Jam and Dance

Thursday, January 2, 2014, 7:00 pm
Saturday, January 4, 2014, 7:00 pm with Back-Step
Historic Earle Theatre, Free

FAMILY MOVIE HAPPY FEET

Thursday, January 16, 2014
Historic Earle Theatre, 10:00 am Free, 4:00 pm \$2

BETTY LYNN at ANDY GRIFFITH MUSEUM

Autographs and Photo Opportunities
Friday, January 17, 2014, 12:30-1:30 pm
Andy Griffith Museum, Admission \$3

VOICE OF THE BLUE RIDGE

Travis Frye and Blue Mountain with
Slate Mountain Ramblers
Saturday, January 18, 2014, 7:30 pm
Historic Earle Theatre, \$7 or Season Pass

AUDITIONS for DEARLY BELOVED

Monday-Tuesday, January 27-28, 2014, 6:30 pm
Andy Griffith Playhouse

ELLIOT ENGEL *The Vanderbilts: ALL of them!*

Wednesday, January 29, 2014, 6:30 pm
Dinner followed by Presentation
Trio Restaurant, \$55 per person
Reservations 336-786-7998 or Jessica@surryarts.org,
Space limited

FEBRUARY 2014



WPAQ ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION

Saturday, February 1, 2014, 7:00 pm
Historic Earle Theatre, Free

MAGGIE PETERSON AND RONNIE SCHELL

Autographs and Photos
Wednesday-Thursday, February 12-13, 1:30-3:00 pm
Andy Griffith Museum, \$3 Admission

SURRY ARTS COUNCIL FUND DRIVE KICK-OFF

Thursday, February 13, 2014, 12:00-1:00 pm
Andy Griffith Museum Theatre

LOVE LETTERS performed by

MAGGIE PETERSON and RONNIE SCHELL

Friday, February 14, 2014, 6:30 pm
Dinner followed by performance
Cross Creek Country Club, \$55 per person

VOICE OF THE BLUE RIDGE

Travis Frye and Blue Mountain with Michael Reno Harrell
Saturday, February 15, 2014, 7:30 pm
Historic Earle Theatre, \$7 or Season Pass

FAMILY MOVIE THE LOVE BUG - (G)

Thursday, February 20, 2014
Historic Earle Theatre, 10:00 am Free, 4:00 pm \$2

BETTY LYNN at ANDY GRIFFITH MUSEUM

Autographs and Photo Opportunities
Friday, February 21, 2014, 12:30-1:30 pm
Andy Griffith Museum, Admission \$3



BLACK HISTORY MONTH CELEBRATION

Friday, February 21, 2014, 7:00 pm
Andy Griffith Playhouse



ARTS BALL with BAND OF OZ

Silent Auction, Dinner and Dancing
Friday, February 28, 2014, 6:30 pm
Cross Creek Country Club, \$75 per person

ARTS BALL SILENT AUCTION DINNERS



The proceeds of the Arts Ball support in-school programs in 24 schools in Surry County. Over \$32,000 was raised for school programs. The dinners auctioned at the Arts Ball

raised over 1/3 of the total revenue and were a huge hit! These events range from chicken and dumplings at Mary Emily and Wayne Cooke's to a wine tasting at Julie and John Adams' to an outdoor dining experience at the Lyon's farm. These events are open to everyone. Preview bidding is from noon until 6:00 pm before the Arts Ball.



TOMMY JARRELL FESTIVAL

Workshops, Documentaries, Dance, Concert

February 27 – March 1, 2014

Thursday, February 27, Jam, 7:00 pm, Free

Friday, February 28, Dance, 7:30 pm, \$5 or Season Pass

Saturday, March 1, Concert, 7:00 pm, \$10 or Season Pass

Historic Earle Theatre, www.theearle.org

MARCH 2014

JAMES GREGORY "FUNNIEST MAN IN AMERICA"

Friday, March 7, 2014, 7:30 pm

Andy Griffith Playhouse, \$28 General Admission,

\$35 Reserved

PROFESSOR BROWER LECTURE OPIE'S HOBO FRIEND

Saturday, March 8, 2014, 2:00 pm

Andy Griffith Museum Theatre,

Free with Museum Admission \$3

AUDITIONS for

JOSEPH AND THE AMAZING TECHNICOLOR DREAMCOAT

Monday-Tuesday, March 10-11, 6:30 pm

Andy Griffith Playhouse

DEARLY BELOVED

Friday, March 14, 2014, 7:30 pm

Saturday-Sunday,

March 15-16, 2014, 3:00 pm

Andy Griffith Playhouse, \$10



VOICE OF THE BLUE RIDGE

Travis Frye and Blue Mountain with The Morris Family Band (Celtic)

Saturday, March 15, 2014, 7:30 pm

Historic Earle Theatre, \$7 or Season Pass

FAMILY MOVIE BEAUTY AND THE BEAST - (G)

Thursday, March 20, 2014

Historic Earle Theatre, 10:00 am Free, 4:00 pm \$2

BETTY LYNN at ANDY GRIFFITH MUSEUM

Autographs and Photo Opportunities

Friday, March 21, 2014, 12:30-1:30 pm

Andy Griffith Museum, Admission \$3

APRIL 2014

OLD-TIME DANCE with ZEPHYR LIGHTNING BOLTS

Saturday, April 5, 2014, 7:30 pm

Historic Earle Theatre, \$5 or Season Pass



ARTS DAY

The Surry County JAM program was featured in Raleigh at Arts Day 2013!

www.artsnc.org for information on 2014 Arts Day in Raleigh



PROFESSOR BROWER LECTURE

THE EDUCATION OF ERNEST T. BASS

Saturday, April 12, 2014, 2:00 pm

Andy Griffith Museum Theatre,

Free with Museum Admission \$3



DOWNTOWN MOUNT AIRY ART WALK

Saturday, April 12, 2014, 10:00 am-4:00 pm Artists in selected venues

www.mountairyartwalk.com

DOWNTOWN MOUNT AIRY ART WALK

Children's Workshop, "Paint like Jackson Pollock"

T-shirt and mural!

Saturday, April 12, 2014, 11:00-12:00 noon

All ages as long as supplies last

Photo Gallery, Lower Level Andy Griffith Playhouse, Free

FAMILY MOVIE HOP - (PG)

Tuesday, April 15, 2014

Historic Earle Theatre, 10:00 am Free, 4:00 pm \$2

BETTY LYNN at ANDY GRIFFITH MUSEUM

Autographs and Photo Opportunities

Friday, April 18, 2014, 12:30-1:30 pm

Andy Griffith Museum, Admission \$3

VOICE OF THE BLUE RIDGE

Travis Frye and Blue Mountain with Back-Step

Saturday, April 19, 2014, 7:30 pm

Historic Earle Theatre, \$7 or Season Pass

SEA-CRUZ

Friday, April 25, 2014, 7:30 pm

Blackmon Amphitheatre, \$10 or Season Pass

JOSEPH AND THE

AMAZING TECHNICOLOR DREAMCOAT

Saturday, April 26, 2014, 7:30 pm

Sunday, April 27, 2014, 3:00 pm

Monday, April 28, 2014, 7:30 pm

Andy Griffith Playhouse, \$10

THE EMBERS

Wednesday, April 30, 2014,

7:30 pm

Blackmon Amphitheatre,

\$10 or Season Pass



MAY 2014

THE CRAIG WOOLARD BAND

Thursday, May 1, 2014, 7:30 pm

Blackmon Amphitheatre, \$10 or Season Pass

THE MAGNIFICENTS BAND

Friday, May 2, 2014, 7:30 pm

Blackmon Amphitheater, \$10 or Season Pass

BUDBREAK WINE FESTIVAL

Downtown Mount Airy

Saturday, May 3, 2014, Downtown

OLD-TIME DANCE with SLATE MOUNTAIN RAMBLERS

Saturday, May 3, 2014, 7:30 pm

Historic Earle Theatre, \$5 or Season Pass



ENVISION
Saturday, May 3, 2014, 7:30 pm
Blackmon Amphitheatre, \$10 or Season Pass



THE HOLIDAY BAND
Thursday, May 8, 2014, 7:30 pm
Blackmon Amphitheatre, \$10 or Season Pass

CAROLINA BREAKERS
Friday, May 9, 2014, 7:30 pm
Blackmon Amphitheatre, \$10 or Season Pass

PROFESSOR BROWER'S LECTURE
RAFE HOLLISTER SINGS
Saturday, May 10, 2014, 2:00 pm
Andy Griffith Museum Theatre,
Free with Museum Admission \$3

ATLANTIC GROOVE
Saturday, May 10, 2014, 7:30 pm
Blackmon Amphitheatre, \$10 or Season Pass

FAMILY MOVIE THE LION KING
Thursday, May 15, 2014
Historic Earle Theatre, 10:00 am Free, 4:00 pm \$2

LIQUID PLEASURE
Thursday, May 15, 2014, 7:30 pm
Blackmon Amphitheatre, \$10 or Season Pass

BETTY LYNN at ANDY GRIFFITH MUSEUM
Autographs and Photo Opportunities
Friday, May 16, 2014, 12:30-1:30 pm
Andy Griffith Museum, Admission \$3



THE CATALINAS
Friday, May 16, 2014, 7:30 pm
Blackmon Amphitheatre, \$10 or Season Pass

VOICE OF THE BLUE RIDGE
Travis Frye and Blue Mountain with None of the Above
Saturday, May 17, 2014, 7:30 pm
Historic Earle Theatre, \$7 or Season Pass

AUDITIONS DISNEY'S THE LITTLE MERMAID JR.
Sunday-Monday, May 18-19, 2014, 4:30 pm
Andy Griffith Playhouse

BAND OF OZ
Wednesday, May 21, 2014, 7:30 pm
Blackmon Amphitheatre, \$10 or Season Pass



JIM QUICK AND COASTLINE
Thursday, May 22, 2014, 7:30 pm
Blackmon Amphitheatre, \$10 or Season Pass

MARK ROBERTS BAND
Friday, May 23, 2014, 7:30 pm
Blackmon Amphitheatre, \$10 or Season Pass

TIM ELLIOTT AND CCB (Country)
Saturday, May 24, 2014, 7:30 pm
Blackmon Amphitheatre, \$10 or Season Pass

LEGENDS OF BEACH
Friday, May 30, 2014, 7:30 pm
Blackmon Amphitheatre, \$10 or Season Pass

JUNE 2014

THE ATTRACTIONS
Friday, June 6, 2014, 7:30 pm
Blackmon Amphitheatre, \$10 or Season Pass



MOUNT AIRY FIDDLERS CONVENTION
Friday-Saturday,
June 6-7, 2014
Veterans Memorial Park
www.mountairyfiddlersconvention.org



STORYBOOK THEATRE
Thursday, June 12, 2014, 6:00 pm
Andy Griffith Museum Theatre, Free
Sponsored in part by the
Cindi and Andy Griffith Endowment

FANTASY BAND
Friday, June 13, 2014, 7:30 pm
Blackmon Amphitheatre, \$10 or Season Pass

PROFESSOR BROWER'S LECTURE
BARNEY AND THELMA LOU, PHFFT!
Saturday, June 14, 2014, 2:00 pm
Andy Griffith Museum Theatre, Free with Museum
Admission \$3



THE CASTAWAYS
Saturday, June 14, 2014, 7:30 pm
Blackmon Amphitheatre, \$10 or Season Pass



ARTS ALIVE The Magic of the ARTS, Ages 3-5
Monday-Thursday, June 16-19, 2014, 9:30-12:30
Andy Griffith Playhouse,
\$35 Members/\$45 Nonmembers

STORYBOOK THEATRE

Thursday, June 19, 2014, 6:00 pm
Andy Griffith Museum Theatre, Free

FAMILY MOVIE TOY STORY

Thursday, June 19, 2014, 10:00 am and 4:00 pm
Historic Earle Theatre, \$2

SPARE CHANGE

Friday, June 20, 2014, 7:30 pm
Blackmon Amphitheatre, \$10 or Season Pass

BETTY LYNN at ANDY GRIFFITH MUSEUM

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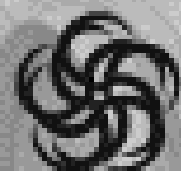
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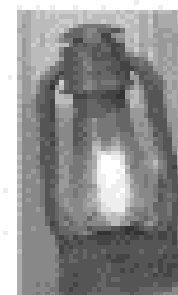
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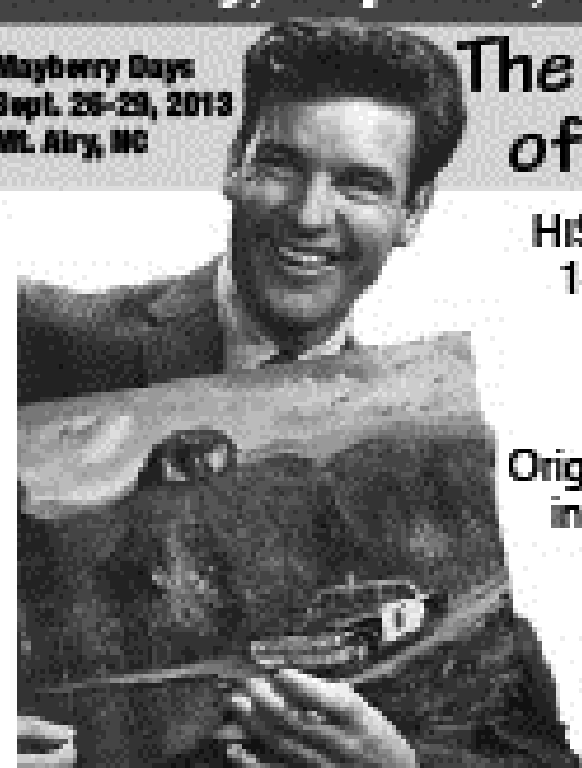
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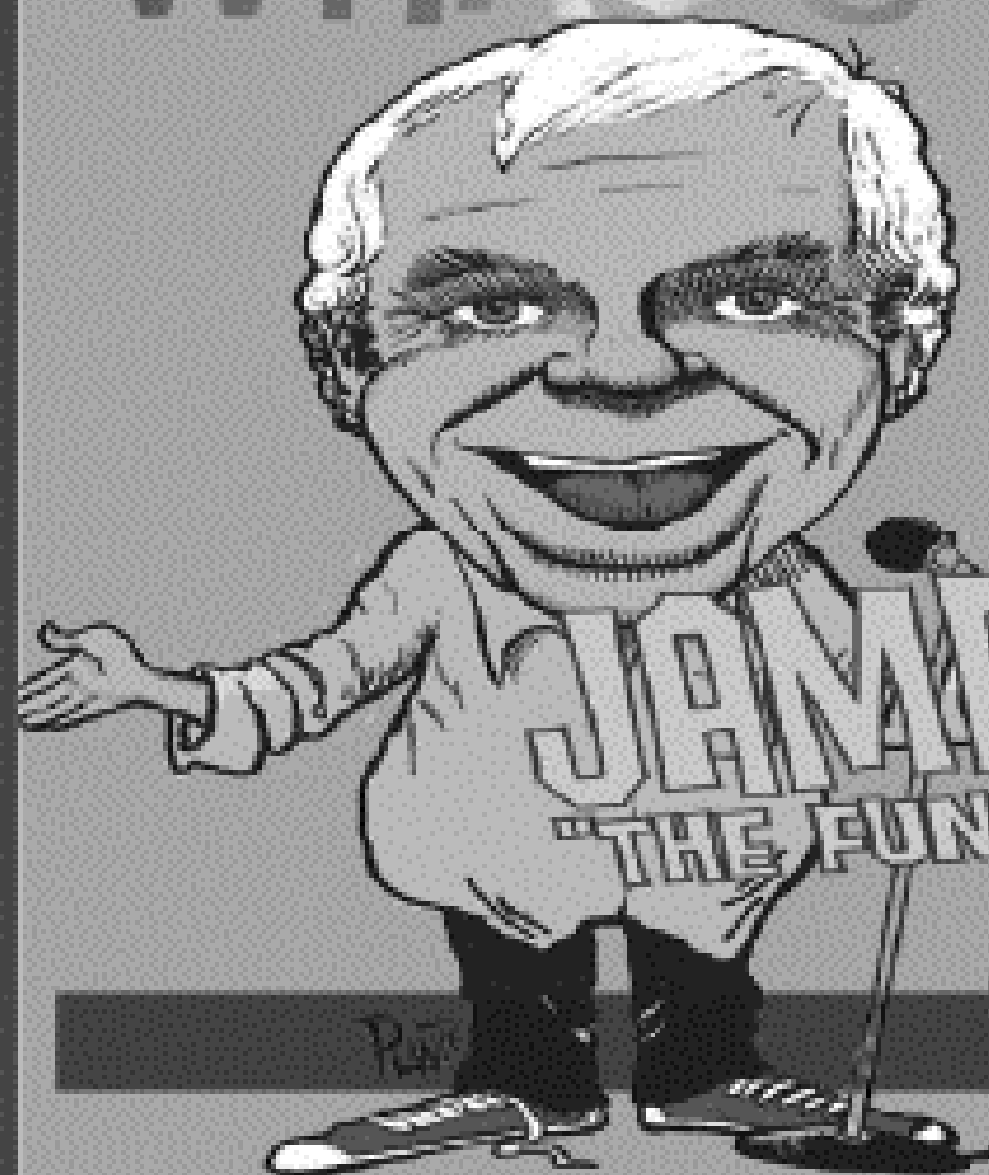
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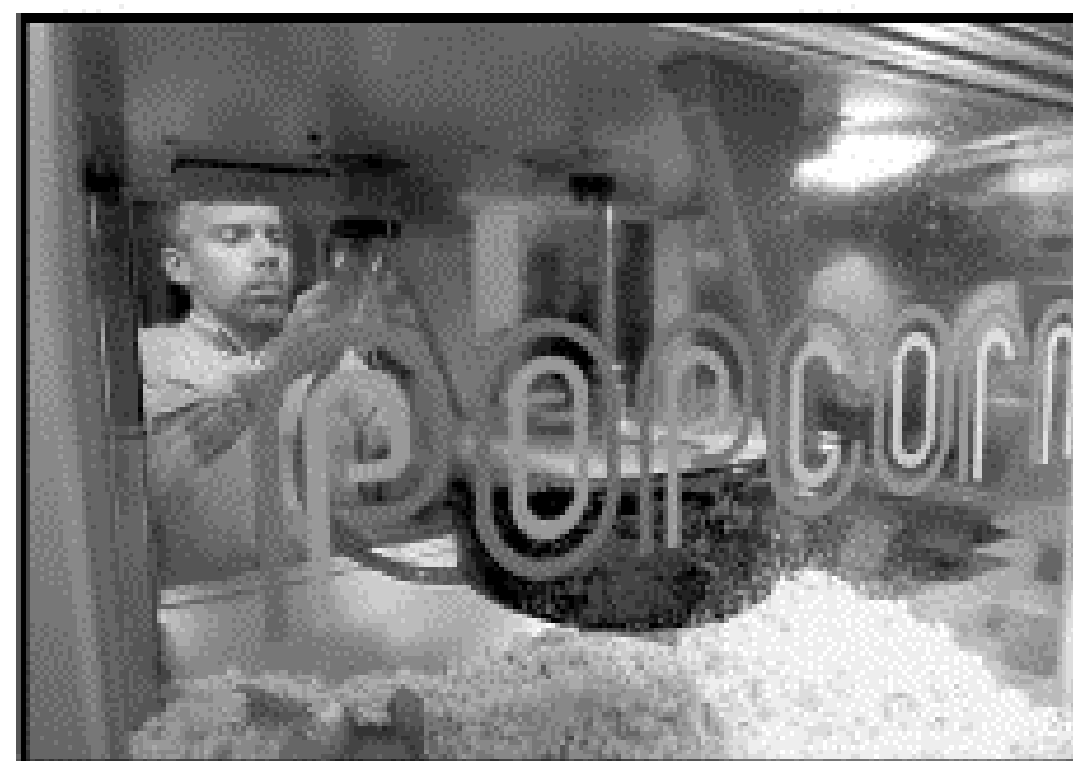
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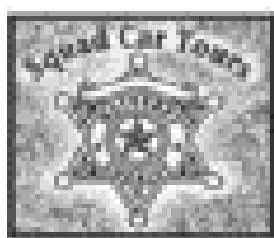
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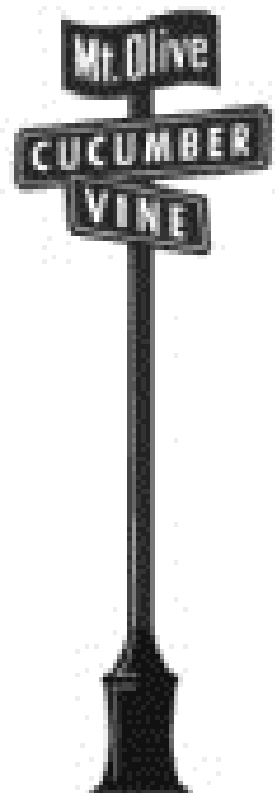
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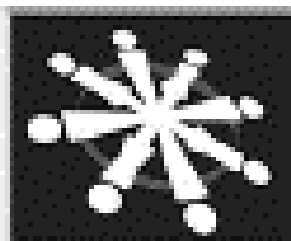
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Where Mayberry Comes to Life

By Jim Clark

This time a year ago, the Mayberry world was still reeling from the recent, heartbreaking losses of George Lindsey, Doug Dillard, Andy Griffith, Snappy Lunch owner Charles Dowell and other beloved friends. Between then and now, more losses have left large holes in the collective heart of Mayberry. In December, superfan Jim Ballance, a pillar of TAGSRWC's Barney Chapter and a fixture at most Mayberry Days, passed away.

Then in January, we lost Emmett Forrest, a beloved, lifelong resident of Mount Airy, a friend for life of Andy Griffith and countless others, and the essential benefactor and founding curator of the Andy Griffith Museum.

Emmett is being remembered throughout this year's Mayberry Days. The festival kicks off Thursday with the golf tournament renamed in his memory. And the festival closes on Sunday morning with a celebration of his life at the Blackmon Amphitheatre. With his collection at the Andy Griffith Museum, the best compilation of Andy Griffith and "Andy Griffith Show" artifacts and memorabilia in the world, Emmett has left Mount Airy and its thousands of visitors a tremendous gift to be enjoyed year-round for generations to come.

Most important of all, Emmett, Jim Ballance and all the other wonderful people we've recently lost have left us precious memories of our times with them. Among the most treasured

times with these friends has always been Mayberry Days each September.

At no other time during the year do more friends of Mayberry, stars and fans alike, come from as many places to be together and celebrate "The Andy Griffith Show." In Mount Airy, we come as close as we likely ever can to feeling as though we are actually in Mayberry.

And so, for instance, when you have that thrill of your first glimpse of Betty Lynn (now a resident of Mount Airy) during this year's Mayberry Days, you'll have no doubt that you are in exactly the right place at exactly the right time. You'll be able to wave to Thelma Lou, and have Betty readily respond with her endearing smile and trademark twinkle, as she gives a friendly wave back. It is at moments like that, that you know you've made it to where you want to be. You're in Mount Airy. You're at Mayberry Days!

As always when we gather for Mayberry Days, I enjoy reflecting on all the good times that so many of us have shared at this festival over the years. And even more, I know there will be memorable new times with friends old and new again this year. Why? Because Mount Airy is where Mayberry comes to life like nowhere else. And at no time is that more true than during the wall-to-wall fun that is Mayberry Days.

Let the smiles of this year's Mayberry Days begin. "Yoo-hoo! Hey, Thelma Lou!"



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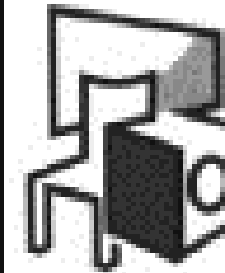
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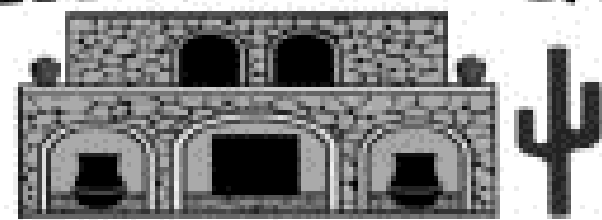
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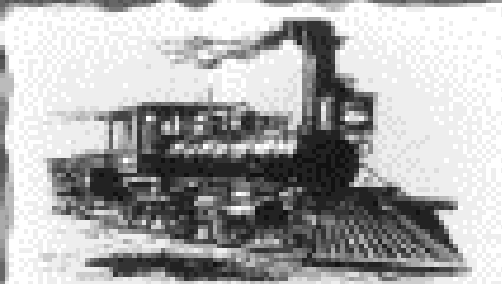
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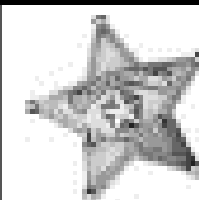
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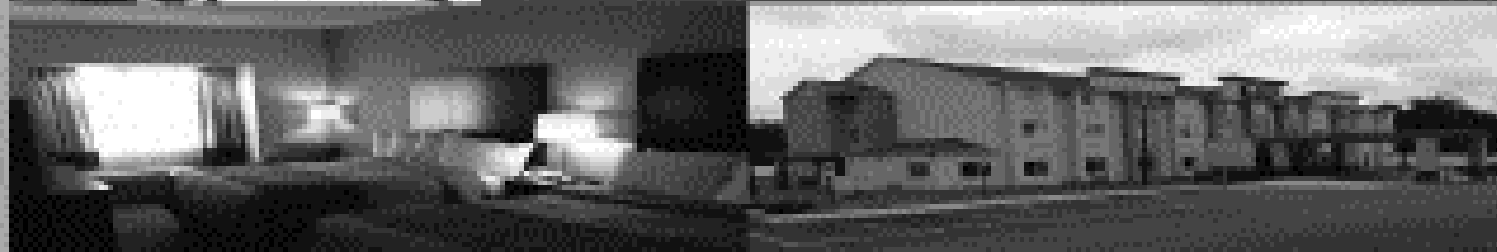
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Eng Bunker's Will Copy

Eng Bunker's Will

I Eng Bunker of the County of Surry and state of North Carolina being of sound mind and memory and knowing the uncertainty of all human events and especially life do make and declare this to be my last will and testament constitute and appoint my beloved wife Sally Ann Bunker my true and lawful executrix who after paying the necessary expenses of a decent burial for myself shall pay all my just and lawful debts out of my personal estate.

Item I bequeath and devise to my wife Sally Ann Bunker on account of the tender love and affection I have for her all my lands to have and to hold hold and enjoy during her natural life and should my beloved wife Sally Ann Bunker die before my minor children because of age then it is my desire that the lands remain unsold in order that my minor children may enjoy the rents and profits of my land and may have a home during their infancy and after the death of my wife and after my infant children shall become of age then the said land may be equally divided among all my children.

Item I will bequeath and devise all my house hold and kitchen furniture all horses cows pigs and all cattle of whatsoever kind that is now on the farm also all farming utensils to my wife during her life and after her death should she die before my infant children come of age it is my desire that the above named personal property remains for the benefit of my infant children and that none of the above mentioned property be sold until after the death of my wife and until the minor children shall become of age.

Item I will and bequeath all my money that may be on hand or owed the estate at my death to be divided among my children equally and it is further my desire that after the death of my wife and after my minor children shall become of age that all my property both real and personal be equally divided among all my children.

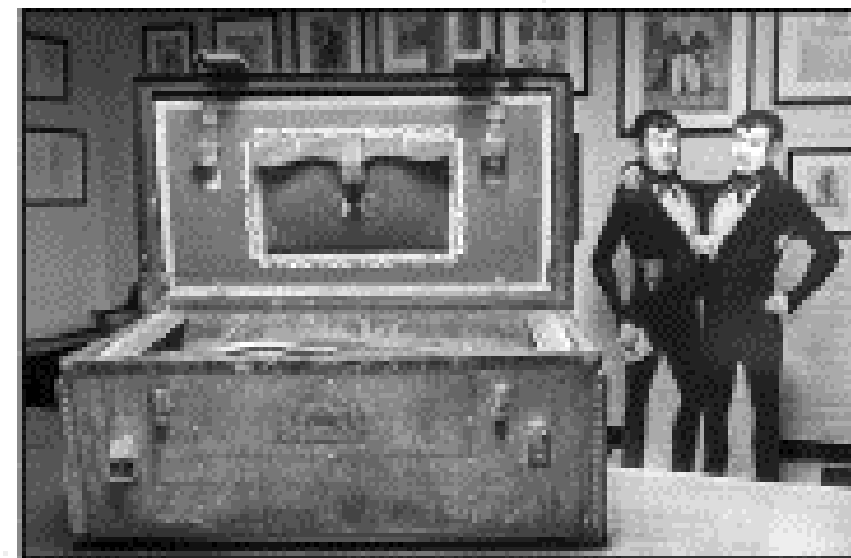
In testimony whereof I have put into act my hand and seal this 27th Day of November A.D. 1868

We the undersigned (seal) do affix our names as (signed) Eng Bunker

Witnesses in the presence and at the request of the testator to his last will and testament

Robert S. Gilmer

(signed) H.O. Alfred



Chang Bunker Will Copy

Chang Bunker's Will

I Chang Bunker of Surry and State of North Carolina being of sound mind and memory and knowing the uncertainty of my earthly existence do make and declare this to be my last will and testament in manner and form as follows that is to say.

First – I will and devise to my wife Adelaid Bunker on account of the love and affection I have for her, all my lands to have hold and enjoy during her natural life and should my wife Adelaid Bunker die before my minor children because of age then it is my will and desire that my lands remain unsold and the rents and profits thereof be expended for the maintenance, support and education of all my children who shall remain single and unmarried and should the rents and profits of my lands be more than necessary for the support of my single and infant children and wife the it is my will and desire that the remainder of the rents be equally divided among all my children and after the death of my wife and after all my infant children shall have arrived at full age then I will and devise all my lands to all my children equally to have and to hold to them and their heirs in full transfer forever.

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In testimony I have herewith set my hand and seal this 13th day of May 1871 – Chang Bunker (seal)

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The EARLE is now the home of the Old-Time Music Heritage Hall that is open seven days a week. The Hall exists to preserve, promote, and protect Surry County's Old-Time Music tradition. The Hall features exhibits, portraits of Surry County Old-Time Music icons, audio guided tours, weekly lessons, workshops, and a documentary that is played continuously daily. The UNC-TV Folklife documentary is hosted by David Holt and is available online www.theEarle.org or www.surrycountymusic.com. The exhibit and the documentary highlight Surry County Old-Time Music icon, Tommy Jarrell.

The Historic EARLE Theatre hosts the weekly Merry-Go-Round, second only to the Grand Ole Opry as the longest currently running live radio

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Thursdays, 5:30 pm Free youth fiddle lessons; 6:15 pm Free youth guitar lessons (visitors welcome)

Thursdays, 7:00 pm Open Microphone and Jam.

On September 26th, John Rees will begin offering a monthly donation of recording time to a band and/or individual who performs at the Jam. John is a 30-year veteran on the Nashville music scene. He has played with Donna Fargo, Skeeter Davis, and was an original member of "The Occasions." He is a songwriter, producer and session player, and owns and operates a leading gospel music label in Nashville, God's Child. We're so glad to have him and his family back home in Mount Airy!

The Historic EARLE Theatre is also the site of Mayberry Days events, all of the events at the Tommy Jarrell Festival, school programs, live music events, and many other shows. Join us!

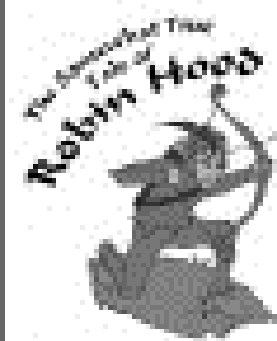
Call 336-786-2222 or check www.facebook.com/Earletheatre to confirm weekly schedules

THEATRE at the ANDY GRIFFITH PLAYHOUSE...

There is certainly something for everyone – and something for all ages. Artistic Director, Bobby Bodford has something auditioning or in rehearsal at all times, year round. Bobby will take you backstage at the Andy Griffith Playhouse, any time! Ken White continues to put Andy Griffith Museum overflowing items all over the walls. It's definitely worth a visit. Bobby also has year round theatre adventures for young people. Megan Johnson begins working with toddlers in her "Music, Mommy and Me" classes and Bobby picks up with preschool drama presentations, ongoing youth theatre workshops, Arts Alive, and Summer Theatre Adventures. Call 336-786-7998 or email Bobby@surryarts.org if you want to get involved! Actors, stage crew, set-builders, tech support staff, and artists are needed and welcome. See the schedule beginning on page 4 for audition dates.



The Wedding of the Siamese Twins follows the storyline of the life and romance of Eng and Chang Bunker. Laugh and cry with two of Surry County's most famous personalities. Saturday-Sunday, September 21-22, 2013 3:00 pm, Historic Earle Theatre
Monday-Tuesday, September 23-24, 2013 7:30 pm, Historic Earle Theatre



The Somewhat True Tale of Robin Hood is a frantically funny, Monty Pythonesque retelling of the classic tale of Sherwood Forest's most famous resident. Friday, November 1, 2013, 7:30 pm, Andy Griffith Playhouse
Saturday, November 2, 2013, 7:30 pm, Andy Griffith Playhouse
Sunday, November 3, 3:00 pm, Andy Griffith Playhouse



Join a misfit band of "inmates" as they hatch a master plan to escape their dreary nursing home and find their youth in *The Great Nursing Home Escape*. Thursday, Nov. 21, 2013, 3:00 pm in the Andy Griffith Museum Theatre
Friday, Nov. 22, 2013, 3:00 pm in the Andy Griffith Museum Theatre



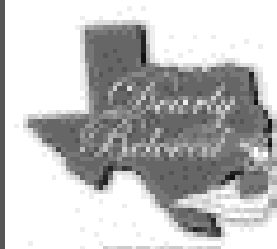
The Nutcracker tells the story of Clara, a young girl on the brink of womanhood whose dreams are both childlike and tinged with romance. Sunday, December 1, 2013, 4:30 pm, Andy Griffith Playhouse
New York's Ballet for Young Audiences will welcome ten of Will Shover's Surry Arts Council dancers to join in selected scenes.



A Children's Christmas Carol – Dickens' perennial holiday favorite has been adapted for children of all ages. Friday, Dec. 13, 2013, 7:00 pm, Andy Griffith Playhouse
Saturday, Dec. 14, 3:00 pm, Andy Griffith Playhouse
Sunday, December 15, 3:00 pm, Andy Griffith Playhouse



Maggie Peterson and Ronnie Schell will bring their prodigious talents to *Love Letters*, a unique and touching play that follows a correspondence between two people who grew up together and went their separate ways, but continued a life-long relationship. Friday, February 14, 2014 at Cross Creek Country Club; dinner served at 6:30 pm, show following. Reservations required! John Adams will direct Maggie and Ronnie!



Dearly Beloved - With the small town rumor mill working overtime, their own marital problems, and an eloping bride, it will take all the grit and good-humor the Futrelle sisters can pull together to pull off the perfect wedding. Friday, March 14, 2014, 7:30 pm, Andy Griffith Playhouse
Saturday, March 15, 2014, 3:00 pm, Andy Griffith Playhouse
Sunday, March 16, 2014, 3:00 pm, Andy Griffith Playhouse



Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat – The Biblical saga of Joseph and his coat of many colors comes to vibrant life in this stunning musical by Tim Rice and Andrew Lloyd Webber. Saturday, April 26, 2014, 7:30 pm, Andy Griffith Playhouse
Sunday, April 27, 2014, 3:00 pm, Andy Griffith Playhouse
Monday, April 28, 2014, 7:30 pm, Andy Griffith Playhouse



Journey with Disney's *The Little Mermaid JR* to a magical underwater kingdom where the beautiful young mermaid Ariel longs to leave her ocean home – and her fins – behind and live in the world above with the handsome Prince Eric. Friday, June 20, 2014, 4:00 pm, Andy Griffith Playhouse
Saturday, June 21, 2014, 4:00 pm, Andy Griffith Playhouse
Sunday, June 22, 2014, 4:00 pm, Andy Griffith Playhouse



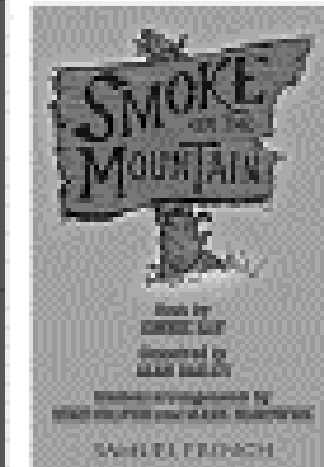
The jungle is jumpin' with jazz in Disney's *The Jungle Book Kids* which finds the human boy, Mowgli, along with his accomplices Bagheera and Baloo, running from the ferocious Shere Khan. Saturday, July 19, 2014, 2:00 pm and 4:00 pm, Andy Griffith Playhouse



With equal measures of pluck and positivity, little orphan *Annie* charms everyone's hearts, despite a next-to-nothing start in a 1930's New York City orphanage run by the cruel Miss Hannigan. Saturday, August 2, 2014, 7:30 pm, Andy Griffith Playhouse
Sunday, August 3, 2014, 3:00 pm, Andy Griffith Playhouse
Monday, August 4, 2014, 7:30 pm, Andy Griffith Playhouse



X marks the spot for swashbuckling adventure, pirates, and buried treasure in our adaptation of the classic *Treasure Island*. Tuesday, August 12, 2014, 3:00 pm, Andy Griffith Playhouse
Wednesday, August 13, 2014, 3:00 pm, Andy Griffith Playhouse



Smoke on the Mountain – 1938 in NC's Smoky Mountains finds the Sanders Family visiting Mount Pleasant Baptist Church to witness through their bluegrass music and testimony and, in the process, they reveal their hilariously imperfect weaknesses. Saturday, September 20, 2014, 3:00 pm, Andy Griffith Playhouse
Sunday, September 21, 2014, 3:00 pm, Andy Griffith Playhouse
Monday, September 22, 2014, 7:30 pm, Andy Griffith Playhouse
Tuesday, September 23, 2014, 7:30 pm, Andy Griffith Playhouse

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ANDY GRIFFITH MUSEUM

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218 Rockford Street, Mount Airy, NC 27030

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Admission \$5 with Audio Guide, \$3 without

MAYBERRY FRIENDS! CHARLES DOWELL and RUSSELL HIATT

New Stars were dedicated during Mayberry Days 2013 on the landing of the Andy Griffith Museum.

These special Mayberry Friends are Charles Dowell and Russell Hiatt.



Charles Dowell started out sweeping floors in 1943 when he was fourteen. The Snappy Lunch opened in 1923. It's the only business in Mount Airy that was mentioned on *The Andy Griffith Show* that is still in business today. For many years, Charles served as an ambassador for Mayberry and Mount Airy. The media loved him – and his world famous pork chop sandwich. Charles chatted with thousands of fans of TAGS, hundreds of locals, and dozens with the media. Guests over the years of course included Andy Griffith, Larry Jones (president of TV Land), Oprah Winfrey, actors on TAGS, and the list goes on. Mary Dowell is running the Snappy Lunch now. Charles has meant the world to the Surry Arts Council, the Mayberry fans, and the city of Mount Airy. His star will continue to remind us of the contribution that he made to the Mayberry world!



Russell Hiatt is next door to the Snappy Lunch. Since 1990 when a Surry Arts Council volunteer put a Floyd's sign on the front of his window, "Floyd's" City Barber Shop has been visited by thousands. Who would have thought that the sign would stay past that first Mayberry Day and those first walking tours. It stayed and Russell and Floyd's are truly parts of thousands of visitors' lives. Russell has taken over forty-thousand photos for his wall of fame. According to Russell, "he just took 16,000 down." There is no doubt that the atmosphere in the Barber Shop is a lot like the atmosphere of Floyd's Barber Shop on *The Andy Griffith Show*. We are all cheering Russell as he approaches his 90th birthday in January. That will be another opportunity to celebrate and another opportunity to thank one of our very important Mayberry ambassadors. Thank you Russell!

ANDY GRIFFITH MUSEUM THEATRE MURAL

The museum is now boasting another attraction! Greensboro artist Chip Holton painted a 270-degree Mayberry mural on the three walls surrounding the stage in the Andy Griffith Museum Theatre. Holton, artist in residence at the O. Henry and Proximity hotels, transformed the walls on the lower level of the Andy Griffith Museum into an architectural retrospective of Mayberry. He spent a month recreating several scenes of the idyllic town – in Holton's words "evoking subtle nostalgia." The mural came about serendipitously, much like the way things always seemed to come about in Mayberry.

Bobby Bodford, the new artistic director at the Surry Arts Council had worked with Chip and summoned him to help with set design for his upcoming production of *Cinderella*. A huge fan of the show, Holton was touring the facilities and said "you need a mural down here". This was ironic because the arts council was in the process of keeping the space open to visitors and hosting more events in the space.

A brief negotiation took place and Holton got out the ladder and went to work. His work is not to be missed! The U-shaped mural of structures and in some cases, rarely seen landscapes on the show, has become a perfect photo opportunity for visitors. How often can you stand in front of Aunt Bee's front porch, Wally's Service Station, the Darlings' cabin, the Mayberry Courthouse, Floyd's Barber Shop, and the walk to the fishing hole. "I wanted to depict Mayberry in a way that almost anybody could relate to, and people could be photographed in front of the buildings," Holton explained. "It was a way not to get involved with personalities, but more of what the show is based on – this idyllic town." Don't miss this new attraction when you visit!



AUDIO GUIDES

Audio Guides are available with a welcome by Betty Lynn, Andy Griffith's speeches at the 2002 Andy Griffith Highway Dedication, and the 2004 unveiling of the TV Land Landmark Statue. Emmett Forrest's personal stories about selected items in the Andy Griffith Museum are included. There is a 1991 WPAQ interview with information about the first Mayberry Days and how it all began. Take a guided tour through the Old-Time Music Heritage Hall with Kelly Epperson's Incredible Insights and music and voices of the Icons featured in the Hall. Don't miss the public radio interview that answers many frequently asked questions about the Siamese Twins, Eng and Chang Bunker. Last but not least, you will not want to miss Ron Howard's comments from the 2012 Hometown Tribute to Andy Griffith. The audio guides house many Mayberry Memories!

ANDY GRIFFITH MUSEUM GIFT SHOP

Call Greta any time to get an autograph from visiting celebrities or just chat. Greta has welcomed well over 200,000 guests since the Andy Griffith Museum opened in 2009. The museum is open 7 days/week. Betty Lynn visits the Museum on the 3rd Friday of each month (watch facebook) and Terri Forrest maintains Emmett's tradition of working on Thursdays. Neal Brower will continue his 2013-2014 monthly lectures in the Andy Griffith Museum Theatre. The arts council along with the Forrest family will continue working to carry on Emmett's dream. We are hoping to have significant changes in the exhibit design before the 25th Annual Mayberry Days Festival in 2014. Stay tuned!

24th ANNUAL MAYBERRY DAYS

Celebrating the 53rd Anniversary of TAGS

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Welcome special Mayberry Days guests!

Betty Lynn, Karen Knotts, James Best, Elizabeth MacRae, Maggie Peterson, George Spence, Morgan Brittany, Peggy McCay, Roland White, LeRoy McNeas, Margaret Kerry, George Lindsey Jr.



FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 20, 2013

8:30 am-5:00 pm MAYBERRY DAYS INFORMATION (Jessica) Lower Level Andy Griffith Playhouse
8:30 am-6:00 pm VISITORS CENTER, 200 North Main St.
9:00 am-5:00 pm ANDY GRIFFITH MUSEUM, \$3 Includes ANDY GRIFFITH MUSEUM THEATRE MURAL, SIAMESE TWINS EXHIBIT, PHOTO GALLERY, and OLD-TIME MUSIC HERITAGE HALL
11:00 am-3:00 pm OLD-TIME MUSIC HERITAGE HALL at the Historic Earle Theatre, \$3
12:30-1:30 pm BETTY LYNN will be at the Andy Griffith Museum autographing and visiting with fans.
8:00 pm FAST AND FURIOUS 6 PG-13, Historic Earle Theatre, 142 North Main Street, \$5

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 21, 2013

9:00 am-5:00 pm VISITORS CENTER, 200 North Main St.
9:00-11:00 am JAM at the Historic Earle Theatre, \$5
9:00 am-5:00 pm ANDY GRIFFITH MUSEUM, ANDY GRIFFITH MUSEUM THEATRE MURAL, SIAMESE TWINS EXHIBIT, MOUNT AIRY-MAYBERRY PHOTO EXHIBIT \$3
10:00 am-5:00 pm VISITORS CENTER, 200 North Main St.
11:00 am-1:30 pm MERRY-GO-ROUND at the Historic Earle Theatre, 142 North Main Street, 2nd longest currently running live broadcast in the nation, \$5
3:00 pm WEDDING OF THE SIAMESE TWINS (live theatre), Historic Earle Theatre, \$10 or Season Pass
7:30 pm VOICE OF THE BLUE RIDGE with host band TRAVIS FRYE and BLUE MOUNTAIN with NONE OF THE ABOVE, Historic Earle Theatre, \$7 or Season Pass

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 22, 2013

1:00-4:00 pm VISITORS CENTER, 200 North Main Street
1:00-4:30 pm ANDY GRIFFITH MUSEUM, ANDY GRIFFITH MUSEUM THEATRE MURAL, SIAMESE TWINS EXHIBIT, MOUNT AIRY-MAYBERRY PHOTO EXHIBIT \$3
3:00 pm WEDDING OF THE SIAMESE TWINS (live theatre), Historic Earle Theatre, \$10 or Season Pass
7:00 pm FAST AND FURIOUS 6, PG-13, Historic Earle Theatre, 142 North Main Street, \$5

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 23, 2013

8:30 am-5:00 pm MAYBERRY DAYS INFORMATION (Jessica) Lower Level Andy Griffith Playhouse
8:30 am-6:00 pm VISITORS CENTER, 200 North Main St.
9:00 am-5:00 pm ANDY GRIFFITH MUSEUM, ANDY GRIFFITH MUSEUM THEATRE MURAL, SIAMESE TWINS EXHIBIT, MOUNT AIRY-MAYBERRY PHOTO EXHIBIT \$3
11:00-3:00 pm OLD-TIME MUSIC HERITAGE HALL
7:30 pm WEDDING OF THE SIAMESE TWINS (live theatre), Historic Earle Theatre, \$10 or Season Pass

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 24, 2013

8:30 am-5:00 pm MAYBERRY DAYS INFORMATION (Jessica) Lower Level Andy Griffith Playhouse
8:30 am-6:00 pm VISITORS CENTER, 200 North Main St.
9:00 am-5:00 pm ANDY GRIFFITH MUSEUM, ANDY GRIFFITH MUSEUM THEATRE MURAL, SIAMESE TWINS EXHIBIT, MOUNT AIRY-MAYBERRY PHOTO EXHIBIT \$3
11:00 am-3:00 pm OLD-TIME MUSIC HERITAGE HALL
7:30 pm WEDDING OF THE SIAMESE TWINS (live theatre), Historic Earle Theatre, \$10 or Season Pass

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 25, 2013

8:30 am-5:00 pm MAYBERRY DAYS INFORMATION (Jessica) Lower Level Andy Griffith Playhouse, 2013 and 2014 Mayberry Days Tickets and MAYBERRY DAYS RAFFLE tickets for the complete set of TAGS DVD Box Set on sale for \$1 each or 6 for \$5
8:30 am-6:00 pm VISITORS CENTER, 200 North Main St.
1:00 pm ANDY GRIFFITH PLAYHOUSE BACKSTAGE TOUR, Meet Bobby Bodford in the Andy Griffith Playhouse Lobby, Free during Mayberry Days!
2:00 pm SPECIAL GUESTS AT ANDY GRIFFITH MUSEUM Maggie Peterson, Betty Lynn, George Lindsey Jr, and Margaret Kerry will greet fans and autograph photos
9:00 am-5:00 pm ANDY GRIFFITH MUSEUM, ANDY GRIFFITH MUSEUM THEATRE MURAL, SIAMESE TWINS EXHIBIT, MOUNT AIRY-MAYBERRY PHOTO EXHIBIT \$3
11:00 am-3:00 pm OLD-TIME MUSIC HERITAGE HALL
7:00 pm FAST AND FURIOUS 6, PG-13, Historic Earle Theatre, 142 North Main Street, \$5

MAYBERRY DAYS RAFFLE and SILENT AUCTION

Win the COMPLETE TAGS DVD BOX SET! Raffle tickets on sale at MAYBERRY DAYS INFORMATION for \$1 each or 6 for \$5. Drawing will be during the TAGSRWC Annual Meeting. You do not have to be present to win.
WBMUTBB SILENT AUCTION will be held on Saturday September 28, 2013, from 10:00 am - Noon in front of the Andy Griffith Playhouse.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 26, 2013

8:30 am-5:00 pm MAYBERRY DAYS INFORMATION (Jessica) 2013 and 2014 tickets, and MAYBERRY DAYS RAFFLE tickets on sale \$1 each or 6 for \$5 for the COMPLETE SET OF TAGS DVD Box Set!
Lower Level Andy Griffith Playhouse
8:30 am-6:00 pm VISITORS CENTER, 200 North Main St.
9:00 am-4:30 pm MAYBERRY POSTMARK available at the Post Office, 111 South Main Street
9:00 am-5:00 pm ANDY GRIFFITH MUSEUM, ANDY GRIFFITH MUSEUM THEATRE MURAL, SIAMESE TWINS EXHIBIT, MOUNT AIRY-MAYBERRY PHOTO EXHIBIT \$3
11:00-11:30 am ANDY GRIFFITH PLAYHOUSE BACKSTAGE TOUR, Meet Bobby Bodford in the Andy Griffith Playhouse Lobby, Free during Mayberry Days!
11:00 am-3:00 pm OLD-TIME MUSIC HERITAGE HALL at the Historic Earle Theatre
11:00 am-6:00 pm SILENT AUCTION (Golf Items) Cross Creek Country Club



11:30 am TRICK GOLF DEMONSTRATION by THAD DABER, Cross Creek Country Club, Golf Tournament Ticket required

12:15 pm THE EMMETT FORREST MAYBERRY DAYS GOLF TOURNAMENT, Registration, rules, introduction of Mayberry Days guests, Golf Tournament Ticket required
12:30 pm "THE EMMETT" TEE OFF, Cross Creek Country Club, Golf Tournament Ticket required
2:00-3:30 pm SPECIAL GUEST AUTOGRAPHS and MEET and GREET, Maggie Peterson, Elizabeth MacRae, James Best, Margaret Kerry, and others, Andy Griffith Museum Theatre
4:30-6:00 pm SPECIAL GUEST AUTOGRAPHS/MEET AND GREET, Cross Creek Country Club, Golf Ticket or Dinner ticket required
5:00-7:00 pm MAYBERRY DAYS DINNER/BUFFET, Cross Creek Country Club, Ticket required, \$50
6:00-8:00 pm GOLF AWARDS AND ENTERTAINMENT by Mayberry Days guests, Cross Creek Country Club, Ticket required, \$50
7:00-9:00 pm JAM and OPEN MICROPHONE at the Historic Earle Theatre. Free
8:00-10:30 pm BAND OF OZ, Blackmon Amphitheatre, \$15 or Season Pass

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 27, 2013

8:30 am-6:00 pm VISITORS CENTER, 200 North Main St.
8:30 am-6:00 pm MAYBERRY DAYS INFORMATION STATION, Front of Andy Griffith Playhouse, 2013 and 2014 Mayberry Days Tickets, Trivia Contest Entry Fans \$2, Mayberry Idle registration, Checkers Tournament Sign-up, Pie Eating sign-up, and MAYBERRY DAYS RAFFLE tickets on sale \$1 each or 6 for \$5 for the COMPLETE SET OF TAGS DVD Box Set!
8:30 am-8:00 pm LITTLE BLUE CHOO will take you on a guided "Discover the Loop" tour of Downtown Mount Airy. Pick up and Drop off in the Andy Griffith Playhouse parking lot, \$5 per person
9:00-9:30 am ANDY GRIFFITH PLAYHOUSE BACKSTAGE TOUR, Meet Bobby Bodford in the Andy Griffith Playhouse Lobby, Free during Mayberry Days
9:00 am-4:30 pm MAYBERRY POSTMARK at Post Office, 111 South Main Street
9:00 am-5:00 pm ANDY GRIFFITH MUSEUM, ANDY GRIFFITH MUSEUM THEATRE MURAL, SIAMESE TWINS EXHIBIT, MOUNT AIRY-MAYBERRY PHOTO EXHIBIT \$3
 THE ANDY GRIFFITH MUSEUM IS THE ONLY SITE FOR PURCHASE OF THE OFFICIAL 2013 MAYBERRY DAYS T-SHIRT!
9:00 am-5:00 pm MAYBERRY DAYS HORSESHOE PITCHING The "She Called Me a Creatster" Chapter of TAGSRWC invites you to play for fun anytime during Mayberry Days in the horseshoe pit at the back of the Andy Griffith Playhouse parking lot. It's not a contest!
9:00 am-5:00 pm CHECKERS IN THE PHOTO GALLERY (preparation for competition or just for fun)
10:00 am-6:00 pm AUNT BEE'S BAKE SALE, MR. TUCKER'S APPLE PEEL OFF COMPETITION, PICKLELAND sponsored by Mount Olive Pickles, Andy Griffith Playhouse
10:00 am MAYOR'S MAYBERRY DAYS PROCLAMATION, City officials and special guests, Dedication of "Mayberry Stars," Dedication of gift from George Lindsey Jr., Blackmon Amphitheatre
12:00-2:00 pm LIVE MUSIC, Blackmon Amphitheatre, Free
12:00-2:30 pm JAMES BEST Autographs
12:30-1:30 pm PORK CHOP SANDWICH EATING CONTEST, Snappy Lunch, Downtown Mount Airy, Check in with staff at Snappy Lunch when you order and let the waitress know that you are entering the contest. Ages 18 and over. Mary Dowell is the final authority on all contest questions.

12:30 pm KAREN KNOTTS "TIED UP IN KNOTTS", Historic Earle Theatre, \$15
1:00-2:00 pm MRS. WILEY'S TEA, CHAMBER CHICKS will again host Mrs. Wiley's Tea, at the Chamber of Commerce and Visitors Center on the corner of Main Street and Moore Avenue. They will be serving free punch and cookies as long as they last. There will be photo ops galore. They can also provide you with information about the area. Call any time at 800-948-0949, 336-786-6116, or visit online at www.visitmayberry.com.
1:00-5:00 pm AUTOGRAPHS and TAGS EPISODES, Episodes include: "The Guitar Player Returns" featuring James Best, "Mayberry on Record" featuring LeRoy McNeese and Roland White, "A Girl for Goober" featuring George Lindsey, "Class Reunion" featuring Peggy McCay, "Guest in the House" featuring George Spence, "The Darlings are Coming" featuring Maggie Peterson, "Opie's First Love" featuring Morgan Brittany, "Andy Forecloses" featuring Margaret Kerry, Andy Griffith Museum Theatre
2:00 pm DOUG DILLARD TRIBUTE CONCERT with Ginger Boatwright, Roland White, Diane Bouska, Maggie Peterson, LeRoy McNeese, Jim Vipperman, Hersie McMillian, and Rick Pardue, Andy Griffith Playhouse, \$25
2:30 pm MAYBERRY DAYS PIE EATING CONTEST hosted by the "Shake Down! Shake Down!" Chapter of TAGSRWC. The contest features Aunt Bee's Crustless Cream Pies. Two heats will be held with 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place in each heat. Register at the Information Station. Prizes will be presented by special Mayberry Days guests. Allan "Floyd the Barber" Newsome will lead the judging.
3:30-4:30 pm "MAYBERRY MINUTEMEN" Youth Trivia Competition hosted by the "She Called Me a Creatster" Chapter of TAGSRWC, A souvenir Mayberry Fan (\$2) is required for participation and may be purchased at the Mayberry Days Information Station in front of the Andy Griffith Playhouse. Trophies and prizes for winners!
 Blackmon Amphitheatre
4:15 pm "BEST IN HOLLYWOOD," Get to know James Best as he tells stories and shows video clips from more than 60 years in show business! From Jim Lindsey to Sheriff Rosco P. Coltrane, we agree - he's the best! Historic Earle Theatre, 142 North Main Street, \$15
4:30-5:30 pm WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP OF TAGS TRIVIA, The trivia competition is hosted by the "Hearty Eatin' Men and Beautiful, Delicate Women" Chapter of TAGSRWC. A souvenir Mayberry Fan (\$2) is required for participation. Fans may be purchased at the Mayberry Days Information Station. Trophies and prizes awarded, Blackmon Amphitheatre
5:00 pm MAYBERRY DAYS BARBECUE COOK-OFF CHIEF COOKS MEETING, Backstage, Andy Griffith Playhouse
6:45 pm MAYBERRY DAYS BARBECUE COOK-OFF SHOWMANSHIP JUDGES gather at picnic tables outside Andy Griffith Playhouse for instructions
7:00 pm MAYBERRY DAYS BARBECUE COOK-OFF SHOWMANSHIP JUDGING followed by the arrival of the pigs, Andy Griffith Playhouse Parking Lot
7:00 pm DOUG DILLARD TRIBUTE CONCERT with Ginger Boatwright, Roland White, Diane Bouska, Maggie Peterson, LeRoy McNeese, Jim Vipperman, Hersie McMillian, and Rick Pardue, Andy Griffith Playhouse, \$25
7:30 pm THE TAMS, Blackmon Amphitheatre, \$15
9:30 pm VW BOYS "SALUTE TO MAYBERRY" with special guest LeRoy McNeese, Historic Earle Theatre, \$10

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 10:00 am-1:30 pm ANDY GRIFFITH PLAYHOUSE closed for sound checks
 2:00 and 7:00 pm DOUG DILLARD TRIBUTE CONCERT with Ginger Boatwright, Roland White, Diane Bouska, Maggie Peterson, LeRoy McNeese, Jim Vipperman, Hersie McMillian, and Rick Pardue, \$25
 5:00 pm MAYBERRY DAYS BARBECUE COOK-OFF CHIEF COOKS MEETING Backstage

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 1:00-5:00 pm AUTOGRAPHS and TAGS EPISODES, Episodes include:
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 "Opie's First Love" featuring Morgan Brittany
 "Andy Forecloses" featuring Margaret Kerry

HISTORIC EARLE THEATRE
 142 North Main Street, Mount Airy, NC 27030
 FRIDAY September 27, 2013
 9:00 am-12 noon Closed for rehearsal and sound check
 12:30 pm KAREN KNOTTS "TIED UP IN KNOTTS" \$15
 4:15 pm "BEST IN HOLLYWOOD", \$15
 9:30 pm VW BOYS "SALUTE TO MAYBERRY" with special guest LeRoy McNeese, \$10

BLACKMON AMPHITHEATRE
 Across the Street from the Andy Griffith Playhouse
 FRIDAY September 27, 2013
 CHILDREN'S GAMES ALL DAY! Inflatables and more
 10:00 am MAYOR'S MAYBERRY DAYS PROCLAMATION
 12:00-2:00 pm LIVE MUSIC, Free
 3:30 pm "MAYBERRY MINUTEMEN" YOUTH TRIVIA COMPETITION, \$2 Fan required, Purchase at Mayberry Days Information Station
 4:30-5:30 pm WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP OF TAGS TRIVIA, \$2 Fan required, Purchase at Information Station
 7:30 pm THE TAMS, \$15

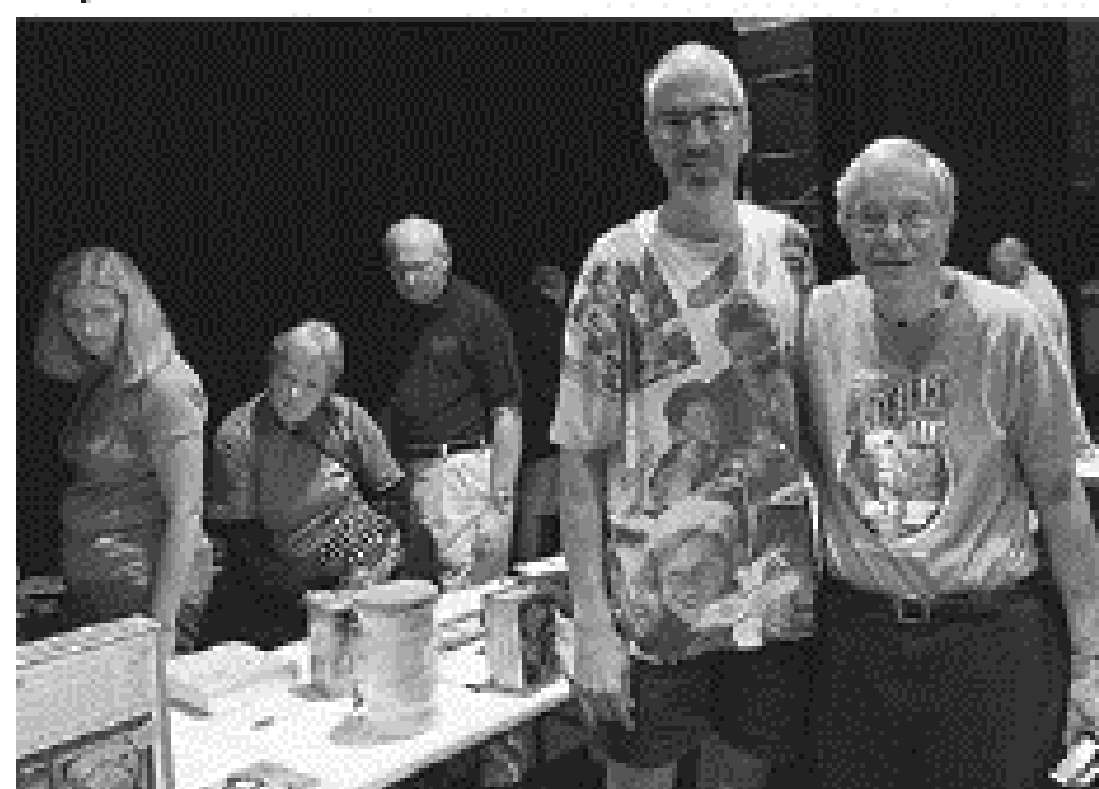
SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 28, 2013



8:00 am-4:00 pm MR. TUCKER'S APPLE PEEL-OFF
 Steady hands have remarkable results! Apples and peeling are at the Information Station. The trophy will be presented at the Information Station at 4:00 pm. Information Station in front of Andy Griffith Playhouse, \$2

8:00 am-7:00 pm MAYBERRY DAYS INFORMATION STATION, 2013 and 2014 Mayberry Days tickets, Mayberry Idle registration, Sign up for Checker Competition, and **MAYBERRY DAYS RAFFLE** tickets on sale \$1 each or 6 for \$5 for the **COMPLETE SET OF TAGS DVD Box Set!** Drawing to be held during the TAGSRWC meeting. You do not have to be present to win. In front of Andy Griffith Playhouse
9:00 am-5:00 pm VISITORS CENTER, 200 North Main St.
9:00 am-6:00 pm ANDY GRIFFITH MUSEUM, SIAMESE TWINS EXHIBIT, MOUNT AIRY-MAYBERRY PHOTO EXHIBIT. Official Mayberry Days T-Shirts **ONLY** sold at the Andy Griffith Museum. Andy Griffith Museum Theatre will open after the parade.

9:00 am MAYBERRY DAYS PARADE begins at BB&T and ends at the Andy Griffith Playhouse. Leading the parade will be Betty Lynn. Special guests always include the Potato Queen, Pork Princess, Pickle Queen, Pork Queen, and more!
9:00-11:00 am JAM includes Merry-Go-Round and entrance to the Andy Griffith Museum, Historic Earle Theatre, \$5
10:00 am-5:00 pm INFLATABLES for kids, Blackmon Amphitheatre



10:00 am-noon MAYBERRY DAYS SILENT AUCTION hosted by "Who's Been Messin' Up the Bulletin Board?" Chapter of TAGSRWC in front of the Andy Griffith Playhouse at the sign. Check out their special donations including one-of-a-kind handcrafted Mayberry items. Be back at noon to claim your high bid and pay for items won. SAC appreciates the support of WBMUTBB? Chapter of TAGSRWC, in front of the Andy Griffith Playhouse at the LED sign

10:00 am MAYBERRY DAYS BARBECUE SALES Fresh championship barbecue will be sold until it's gone. The **BEST BBQ** you'll ever taste, in front of the Andy Griffith Playhouse, Sandwiches \$5 or \$10/pound.

10:30 am-7:00 pm LITTLE BLUE CHOO Discover the Loop on this guided tour of Downtown Mount Airy. Pick up and drop off at the Andy Griffith Playhouse parking lot, \$5

11:00-1:00 pm JAMES BEST Autographs, Andy Griffith Museum Theatre

11:00 am-5:00 pm AUTOGRAPHS, RERUNS, MEMORABILIA SALES, with special guests, Lines will form for each guest. Look for the "end of the line" signs, Andy Griffith Museum Theatre

11:00 am-1:30 pm WPAQ MERRY-GO-ROUND 2nd longest currently running live radio broadcast in the nation. The longest running is the Grand Ole Opry. Historic Earle Theatre, \$5 www.wpaq740.com

11:00 am MAYBERRY DAYS BARBECUE COOK-OFF AWARDS PRESENTATION, Blackmon Amphitheatre

11:30 am-12:15 pm SOUTHERN MOUNTAIN FIRE CLOGGERS, Blackmon Amphitheatre



12 noon-1:30 pm CHESTER JONES CHECKERS COMPETITION hosted by the "Mayberry" Chapter of TAGSRWC. Sign up to play in the tournament at the Information Station. The tournament is a round robin and the trophy winner is the player who wins the most games. The trophy will be presented at the end of the tournament. Both practice and the tournament will be held in the Photo Gallery on the lower level of the Andy Griffith Playhouse
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1:00 pm GOOBER SAYS HAY BALE TOSS CHAMPIONSHIP and CORN HOLE TOSS CHAMPIONSHIP, Winners claim trophies at the Information Station following the tournament, Directly across the street from the Andy Griffith Playhouse

2:00 pm PROFESSOR BROWER'S LECTURE featuring **PEGGY MCCAY** followed by TAGSRWC ANNUAL MEETING. Professor Brower will interview Peggy McCay and discuss her role on The Andy Griffith Show, Historic Earle Theatre, \$10

2:30 pm COLONEL TIM'S TALENT TIME, Andy Griffith Playhouse, \$25

2:30-5:00 pm LIVE MUSIC Blackmon Amphitheatre, Free

7:00 pm MICHAEL HOOVER "MEMORIES OF ELVIS," Historic Earle Theatre, \$20/\$15 Balcony

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ANDY GRIFFITH PLAYHOUSE

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9:00 am-2:00 pm **ANDY GRIFFITH PLAYHOUSE CLOSED** for sound checks and rehearsals

2:30 pm **COLONEL TIM'S TALENT TIME MATINEE**, \$25

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2:30-5:00 pm (to follow Mayberry Idle) **LIVE MUSIC**, Free

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 29, 2013



9:30-10:30 am **HOMETOWN TRIBUTE TO EMMETT FORREST**, Blackmon Amphitheatre

11:00 am **MAYBERRY DAYS ANNUAL GOOD-BYE BRUNCH** at Sagebrush, 2000 Woodland Drive, Mount Airy, NC 27030

11:00 am-5:00 pm **ANDY GRIFFITH MUSEUM** includes **SIAMESE TWINS EXHIBIT, MAYBERRY MOUNT AIRY PHOTO EXHIBIT**, and **OLD-TIME MUSIC HERITAGE HALL**, \$3

1:00-3:30 pm **OLD-TIME MUSIC HERITAGE HALL** at the Historic Earle Theatre

1:00-4:00 pm **VISITORS CENTER**, 200 North Main Street

4:00 and 7:00 pm **DESPICABLE ME 2**, Historic Earle Theatre, \$5

25th ANNUAL MAYBERRY DAYS PREVIEW September 25-28, 2014

Sept. 25th The Emmett Forrest Mayberry Days Golf Tournament, Cross Creek, \$95
 Mayberry Days Dinner and Entertainment, Cross Creek Country Club, \$50

The Embers, Blackmon Amphitheatre, \$15 or 2014 Season Pass

Sept. 26th Doug Dillard Tribute Concert, 2:00 and 7:00 pm, Andy Griffith Playhouse
VW BOYS TRIBUTE TO MAYBERRY, Historic Earle Theatre, \$10

Sept. 27th Colonel Tim's Talent Time, 2:30 and 7:30 pm, Andy Griffith Playhouse, \$25
 Michael Hoover "Memories of Elvis", 7:00 pm, Historic Earle Theatre, \$20/\$15

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218 Rockford Street, Mount Airy, NC 27030, 336-786-7998, Andy Griffith Museum 336-786-1804

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