

# Accommodations

Please make your hotel reservations promptly and remember to mention that you are with The Georgia Trust to get these rates. *Prices do not include taxes.*

Graduate Athens  
(formerly the Foundry)  
295 East Dougherty St  
Athens, GA 30601  
706-433-1930  
\$153.00

Hilton Garden Inn  
390 E. Washington Street  
Athens, GA 30601  
706-353-6800  
\$122.00

Holiday Inn Express  
513 W. Broad Street  
Athens, GA 30601  
706-546-8122  
\$88.00

# Heritage Reception

To upgrade your membership to be a part of this event, call 404-885-7805.

Georgia Trust members at the Heritage Level and above are invited to a special reception at the Maddox-Berryman-Patterson Home. This 1880 Folk Victorian house was built for Captain John Cook Maddox, CSA, by Manasseh B. McGinty, who is said to have "built every house in Athens of any pretensions" during the 1870's and 1880's. The updated interior of this lovely home is a combination of antique furnishings with modern touches, displaying the owners deep appreciation for the history of the house and understanding for how to create a comfortable, modern home within the walls of a historic structure.



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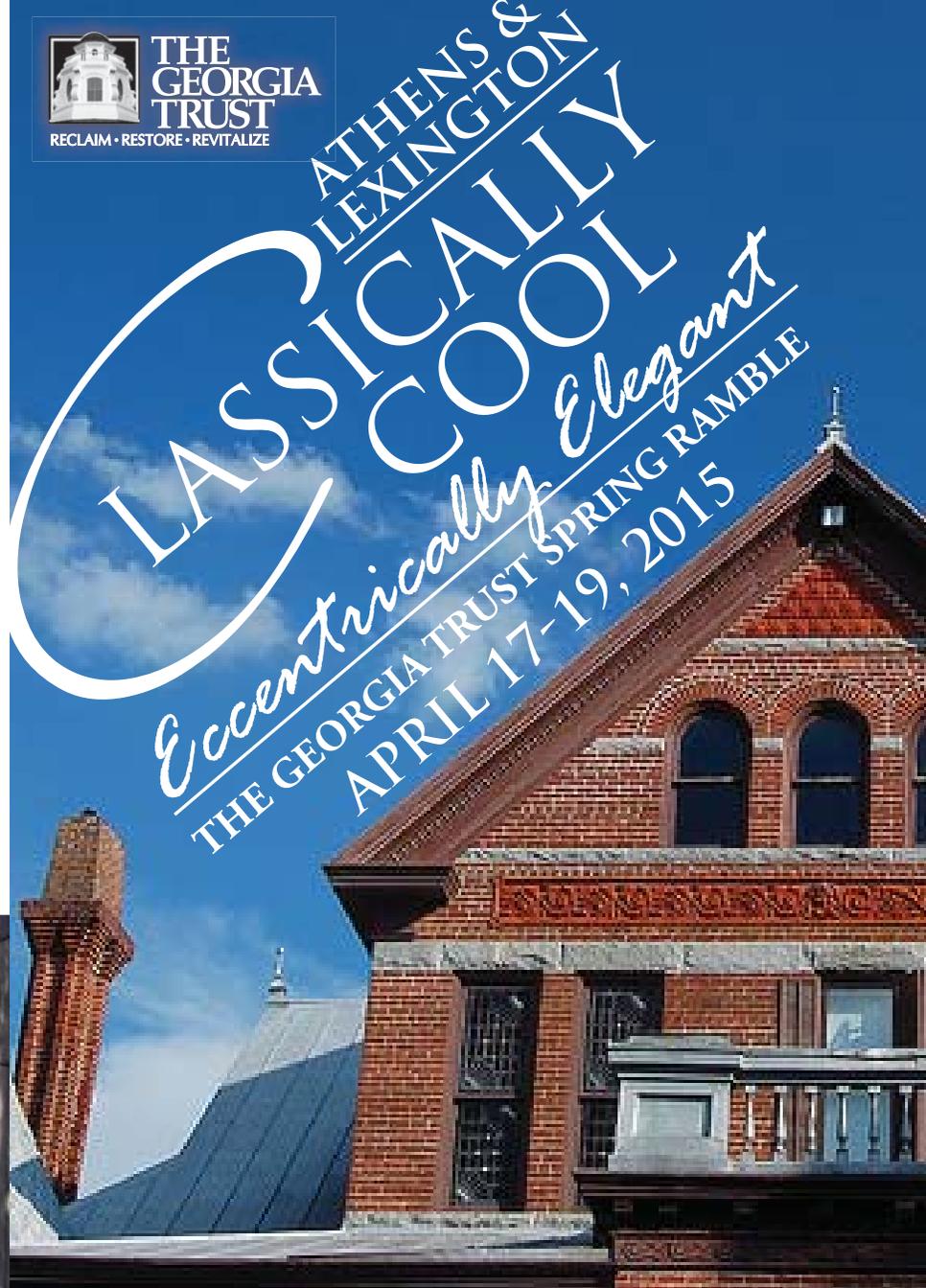
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ATHENS & LEXINGTON  
**CLASSICALLY COOL**  
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THE GEORGIA TRUST SPRING RAMBLE  
APRIL 17-19, 2015

**Friday AFTERNOON RAMBLE** Noon to 5 p.m.

*TOWN & GOWN*  
Friday's tour is a sampling of Athens' diverse historic resources. Stroll through the landmark arch at the University of Georgia to see an extraordinary mix of 19th and early 20th century architecture including a rare look at the home of President Jere Morehead. Visit magnificent private homes in the oldest intown neighborhoods such as Cobham. Wander off the beaten path to the rarely seen White Hall Mansion, an impressive 1892 estate, cared for by the School of Forestry since 1936.



**April 17**

**Saturday DINNER & COCKTAILS** 6 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.

Saturday evening promises to be a special treat with dinner and cocktails on the lawn of UGA's Richard B. Russell Special Collections Libraries. The building is home to some of Georgia's most treasured and significant documents and artifacts, dating back to colonial times. Ramblers will have the rare opportunity to enter the vault and tour the libraries' collections. This spring's exhibits include the Civil War, the history of the National School Lunch Program and a display featuring historic microphones and radios.



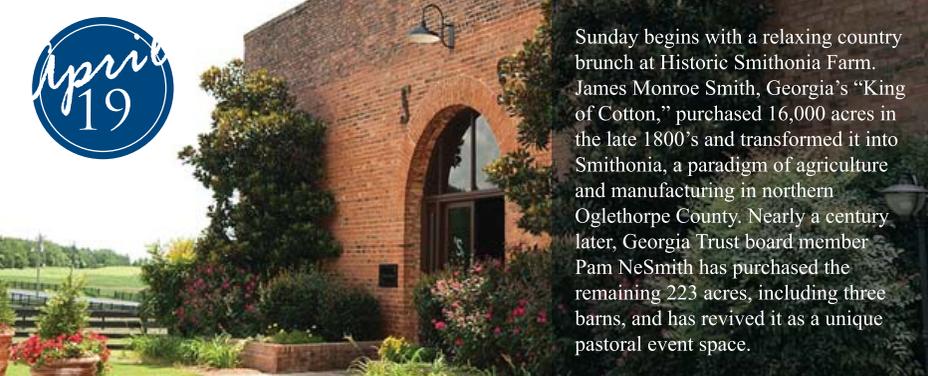
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Enjoy a magical evening meal at The Hill, home of Lee Epting, renowned Southern caterer. The Plantation Plain style home was acquired by the Epting family and moved from South Carolina to its present location in 1979. An intown Athens condemned cottage was also moved and joined to the back of the original log house. The interior is furnished with period antiques giving the house 200 years of architecture. This unique property and its enchanting surroundings will not be outdone by the delicious traditional feast prepared by our gracious host.



**Sunday BRUNCH** 9 a.m. to 11 a.m.

Sunday begins with a relaxing country brunch at Historic Smithonia Farm. James Monroe Smith, Georgia's "King of Cotton," purchased 16,000 acres in the late 1800's and transformed it into Smithonia, a paradigm of agriculture and manufacturing in northern Oglethorpe County. Nearly a century later, Georgia Trust board member Pam NeSmith has purchased the remaining 223 acres, including three barns, and has revived it as a unique pastoral event space.



**April 19**

**Saturday LUNCH & RAMBLE** Noon to 5 p.m.

**100 YEARS OF ARCHITECTURE**  
After breakfast and orientation, discover 100 years of Athens' architecture dating from 1860 through 1960. Start with the 1859 Meeker-Pope-Barrow House with its original parterre boxwood gardens. See two stunning homes lovingly cared for by University sororities: the 1895 "Wedding Cake House" and the 1905 Charles Phinizy House. The tour also includes some of the most distinctive residences in Athens blending early 20th century styles and several mid-century architectural gems.



**April 18**

**Sunday RAMBLE** 11 a.m. to 3 p.m.

**BACK TO THE BEGINNING**  
Spend Sunday in the village of Lexington, site of the first Ramble in 1974 and considered one of the finest examples of a 19th century county seat in Georgia. Enjoy a carriage ride through town visiting homes dating from 1795 to 1830. Stop by the Old Jail, 2014 Restoration Award winner, and the Lexington Presbyterian Church, a 2012 *Place in Peril*. Take an inside look at the home of famed gardener Ryan Gainey, Don't leave town without stopping in at Goodness Grows, an incredible perennial nursery.



Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

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*(required for pre-event instructions and directions)*

*Indicate number of participants next to amount*  
*For more registration options, visit [www.GeorgiaTrust.org](http://www.GeorgiaTrust.org) or call 404-885-7812.*

	Members	Non-Members
Full Registration <i>(All scheduled meals included)</i>	___ \$230/person	___ \$260/person
Friday <i>(Dinner &amp; Cocktails included)</i>	___ \$95/person	___ \$125/person
Saturday <i>(Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner &amp; Cocktails included)</i>	___ \$105/person	___ \$135/person
Sunday <i>(Brunch included)</i>	___ \$80/person	___ \$110/person
Tours only <i>(no meals included)</i> : Fri. ___ \$50/person   Sat. ___ \$50/person   Sun. ___ \$40/person		
Students -Tours only <i>(no meals included)</i> : Fri. ___ \$25/person   Sat. ___ \$25/person   Sun. ___ \$20/person		
TOTAL	\$ _____	

**Payment is due with reservation**

Payment Options:  Visa  MasterCard  AmEx  Check

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[www.GeorgiaTrust.org](http://www.GeorgiaTrust.org)  
or  
*Mail registration to*  
The Georgia Trust  
Attn: Special Events  
1516 Peachtree Street, NW  
Atlanta, GA 30309

**Please Note**  
A non-member registration includes a one-year Georgia Trust membership.

*Questions about the Ramble*  
Visit [www.GeorgiaTrust.org](http://www.GeorgiaTrust.org), call 404-885-7812, or email [SpecialEvents@GeorgiaTrust.org](mailto:SpecialEvents@GeorgiaTrust.org).

Deadline to register for tickets with meals is Friday, April 3.