2012 Georgia Archives Month Activities

Augusta State University, Reese Library, Special Collections

Plain Folk and Gentry: White Liberty in Slave Society in Augusta's Hinterlands

When: October 8, 2012
   7:00 p.m.

Where: Augusta State University
       Washington Hall
       2500 Walton Way
       Augusta, GA 30904

Description: This is part of the Book Discussion Series Augusta Viewpoint: Understanding the Civil War.

Mapping Memories: From Arsenal to ASU

When: October 18, 2012
   2:30 p.m.

Where: Augusta State University
       University Hall 157
       2500 Walton Way
       Augusta, GA 30904
Description: Come join Dr. Chris Murphy, Professor Emeritus of Archaeology, as he unveils his CAD map resource which shows the changes in Augusta State University from 1970 to the present. An accompanying display will run until November 1st in Reese Library.

**Standing in the Past**

When: October 19, 2012  
2:30 p.m.

Where: Augusta State University  
Arsenal Quad  
2500 Walton Way  
Augusta, GA 30904

Description: Mr. Bill Wells, an authority on the Augusta Arsenal, will talk about how people lived and worked in the Arsenal from the 1830’s to the Civil War and Reconstruction.

**Biography of Anna T. Jeanes and the Jeanes Supervisor: A Second Look**

When: October 24, 2012  
7:00 p.m.

Where: Augusta State University  
2500 Walton Way  
Augusta, GA 30904

Description: Join us as Dr. Paulette Harris lectures on philanthropist Anna T. Jeanes and the work of the Jeanes supervisor in Burke County, Georgia. This is the last in the Georgia Humanities Council sponsored lecture series *Saving the Voice’s from Augusta’s Past*. 

*Bartow History Museum*
Lunch and Learn: Records and Resources of the BHM Archives

When: October 17, 2012
   12:00 P.M.-1:00 P.M.

Where: Bartow History Museum
       4 E. Church Street
       Cartersville, GA, 30120

Description: In conjunction with Georgia Archives Month, Trey Gaines and Sandy Moore will highlight some of the historic records and materials found in the BHM archives. Learn more about the resources available and why they are important to preserve.

Carter Library

Zumwalt: The Life and Times of Admiral Elmo Russell “Bud” Zumwalt, Jr.

When: October 11, 2012
   6:30 P.M. (7:00 P.M. talk)

Where: Carter Presidential Library & Museum Theater
       441 Freedom Parkway
       Atlanta, GA, 30307

Description: "Zumwalt" is a compelling portrait of the controversial admiral widely regarded as the founder of the modern Navy, implementing major strategic innovations that endure to this day, especially in his campaign against racism and sexism throughout the fleet-a portrait of leadership that is essential for our time. Author Larry Berman is Professor Emeritus at the University of California, Davis, and is Founding Dean of the Honors College at Georgia State University. He is the author of four previous books on Vietnam, including Planning a Tragedy: The Americanization of the War in Vietnam and Perfect Spy: The Incredible Double Life of Pham Xuan An, Time Magazine Reporter and Vietnamese Communist Agent.
Clayton County, Georgia

As I Remember: W.I. Billy Bartlett

When: October 2012 – October 2013

Where: Jury Holding Room
1st Floor
Harold R. Banke Justice Center
9151 Tara Boulevard
Jonesboro, GA, 30236

Description: W.I. Billy Bartlett wrote a short history of Forrest Station, Astor, Georgia. (Forest Park) in 1968 titled “As I Remember”. He wrote about the people of the area, the introduction of the railroad and the many locations of the post office during the years between 1897 and 1942. On display are excerpts from his book and a plat of the area he drew from memory of the area showing the location of businesses and homes. Also on display are Real Estate Deeds of some of the locations marked on his plat.

Kennesaw State University

The Making of the King James Bible: A Musical Tribute

When: October 23, 2012
7:00 P.M.

Where: Kennesaw State University
Sturgis Library
Athenaeum Gallery
1000 Chastain Road
Kennesaw, GA, 30144
Description: Please join us for a musical tribute performed by the Kazanetti String Quartet, an award-winning group based in Atlanta, GA. The performance will include remarks from the curatorial team and will be followed by light refreshments. “A Musical Tribute” marks the closing event for the year-long exhibit.

Newnan Carnegie Library Foundation

Georgia as a Colony

When: October 11, 2012
  5:15 P.M. Orientation (Adult Reading Room)
  5:30 P.M. Reserved Seating

Where: Newnan Carnegie Library
  1 Lagrange Street
  Newnan, GA, 30263

Description: The fascinating facts of settling Georgia come to life through the founders own words in rare, original letters, diaries, maps, and newspapers dating from the early 1700’s. Guests will be seated at tables displaying original documents, and don white gloves to touch, feel and discover the birth of our country through first-hand accounts. Mary Ellen Brooks, Emeritus Director of the Hargrett, assisted by Chantel Dunham, Director of Development, UGA Libraries will lead the presentation and discussion. Due to the valuable and irreplaceable nature of these documents, seating is very limited.

Society of Georgia Archivists

Georgia Archives Month Spotlight Institution Tour

When: October 15, 2012
  11:00 A.M.
Where: Bartow History Museum  
4 East Church Street  
Cartersville, GA, 30120

Description: Tour of Georgia Archive Month Spotlight Institution Archive and Museum.

Valdosta State University Archives and Special Collections

Making Sense of Shiloh

When: October 9, 2012  
7:30 P.M.

Where: Valdosta State University  
Odum Library  
1500 North Patterson Street  
Valdosta, GA, 31698

Description: ‘Making Sense of Shiloh’ is the third of five book-discussion sessions sponsored by the Valdosta State University Archives and Special Collections. The selected readings are drawn from "America's War: Talking about the Civil War and Emancipation on Their 50th Anniversaries," a collection edited by Edward Ayers.

A Guide to Collecting, Authenticating and Exhibiting Antique Printed Artifacts

When: October 11, 2012  
7:30 P.M.

Where: Valdosta State University  
University Center Theater  
1500 North Patterson Street  
Valdosta, GA, 31698
Description: Odum Library and the Honor’s college will be presenting the faculty student colloquium “A Guide to Collecting, Authenticating and Exhibiting Antique Printed Artifacts” in the University Center Theater. The event will be hosted by Deborah Davis and Andrew Tatler-Burgess and will discuss items featured in the Tatler-Burgess Collection that is currently on display in Odum Library.

The Shape of War

When: October 30, 2012
7:30 P.M.

Where: Valdosta State University
Odum Library
1500 North Patterson Street
Valdosta, GA, 31698

Description: 'The Shape of War' is the fourth of five book discussion sessions. The selected readings are drawn from 'America's War: Talking about the Civil War and Emancipation on Their 50th Anniversaries,' a collection edited by Edward Ayers, and 'Antietam,' by James M. McPherson.

White County Public Library

National Home Movie Day 2012

When: November 3, 2012

Where: White County Public Library-Cleveland Branch
10 Colonial Drive
Cleveland, GA, 30258

Description: Screenings of home movies from the Media Archives holdings, including footage from the earliest home movie footage from Georgia shot in 1917 in Thomasville at the Pebble Hill Plantation and other locales around Georgia and the Southeast. Also included will be a discussion of the best ways to preserve film and videotape. Attendees are encouraged to bring
films, videotapes, and DVDs for inspection and screening when possible. Archivists will be in attendance to answer questions.