

Preservation North Carolina invites you to a

Preservation Celebration

Sunday, October 7, 2012

11:00am-4:00pm

Myrtle Grove Plantation

4226 NC 43 South, Macclesfield



Piney Prospect



Myrtle Grove



Bracebridge Hall

Come experience Southern hospitality at its finest! Enjoy a delicious **champagne brunch** at Myrtle Grove (served until 2:30), and tour three distinctive historic homes in Old Sparta, located between Tarboro and Greenville:
Myrtle Grove, Bracebridge Hall, and Piney Prospect.

Parking will be available at Myrtle Grove. Shuttles will circulate between the houses throughout the event.

Wind and weather permitting, after the tour, guests will be able to enjoy short lifts in the **RE/MAX Hot Air Balloon** from 4:45-6:45 for a birds-eye view of the beautiful Tar River landscape!

Sponsored by Paul Setliff, RE/MAX City Centre, Raleigh

Win a 12-bush rose garden from Witherspoon Rose Culture!

\$35 per person for brunch and tour

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www.PreservationNC.org or 919-832-3652 ext. 224***

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Three remarkable historic homes will be open for this Preservation Celebration: Myrtle Grove (1842), a substantial plantation house built by the prominent Vines family; Bracebridge Hall (1815), the homeplace of Governor Elias Carr; and Piney Prospect (1790), considered one of the finest Federal houses in eastern North Carolina.

Piney Prospect exemplifies the nationally recognized work of Preservation North Carolina's Endangered Properties Program. With no prospect for saving this long-abandoned house on its original site, PNC found outstanding buyers to relocate and restore it. In 2006 Bob and Sharon Foster purchased Piney Prospect from PNC and moved it a short distance to a similar location along the Tar River. This Preservation Celebration will mark its public debut after a complete restoration by the Fosters! PNC's covenants will help ensure that the house doesn't once again fall into decay.

Founded in 1939, Preservation North Carolina is our state's only private nonprofit statewide historic preservation organization. Through its Endangered Properties Program, PNC acquires endangered historic properties and then finds purchasers willing and able to rehabilitate them. PNC's Northeast Regional Office in Edenton has saved more than 100 endangered properties in the region since opening in 1995. Your support for this event will help sustain this record of achievement.



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