

**September 22 & 23@ 10 am**  
**Toddler Time: Traditional Quilts**  
From Flying Geese to the Log Cabin toddlers will learn and create their own quilt square.

**October 29**  
**Transylvania Tea Party Blood Drive**  
Museum is welcoming the public for a bloody Halloween! This is the Second Annual Transylvania Tea Party Blood Drive to take place at the Museum in an effort to help local healthcare facilities boost their blood supplies.

**October 29**  
**Museum Haunting**  
Looking for a fun, safe place to take your kids trick-or-treating this Halloween? Bring your little goblins and ghouls to show off their *spooktacular* costume at the Living Heritage Museum.

**November 11**  
**Holiday House**  
What a better way to start the holiday season! Join us at the Museum for Holiday House for great food and shopping coordinated by the Museum Guild! All proceeds go toward Museum programs.

**November 8-December 30**  
**Holiday Jewelry:**  
**Vintage Christmas Decorations**  
Christmas trees are special, no matter what type of jewelry you adorn them with. This exhibit explores the many forms that ornaments take, from a simple round ball to highly artistic designs.

**November 26 @ 10 am**  
**Toddler Time: Christmas Decorations**  
The Museum is offering a chance for toddlers to get in the holiday spirit and make a memory with and for their loved ones by making a holiday ornament.

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\*\*\*\*Dates To Be Announced.  
All dates are subject to change.  
Please call the Living Heritage Museum at 423-745-0329 to confirm dates. For even more to see and do at the Living Heritage Museum visit us online at [www.livingheritagemuseum.com](http://www.livingheritagemuseum.com)  
You can find us on Facebook too!

Did you know? McMinn County and Athens City School students and teachers may tour the Museum for free as well as attend Education Programs for FREE with preregistration.



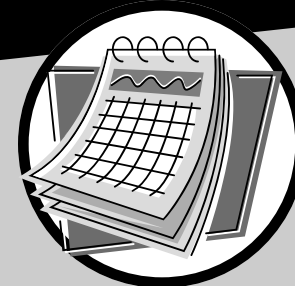
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# 2010 Events



Don't forget! Living Heritage Museum Members and Tennessee Wesleyan Students & Staff get free admission to exhibits. Become a Museum Member today!

With over 7,000 artifacts the Living Heritage Museum traces the rich history of McMinn County with 30 permanent exhibits and changing exhibits and programs throughout the year.



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**January 18-February 12**  
**Vintage Vixen: The Evolution of Women's Clothing from the 1920-1950s**  
Explore the rapid evolution of women's clothing beginning with the flapper fashions of the 1920s that embraced all things modern to the return to a more genteel, ladylike appearance in the 1950s.

**January 27 & 28 @ 10 am**  
**Toddler Time:**  
**What do you do at a museum?**  
Have you or your kids ever wondered what goes on at a museum? ? Join us as we explore!

**February 1-February 28**  
**First Responders Appreciation Month**  
To pay tribute to the first responders in McMinn County, the Living Heritage Museum will hold First Responders Month. Fire, police, medical and military personnel and their immediate families will receive free admission to the Museum all month.

**February 17 & 18**  
**Toddler Time:**  
**First Responders Demonstration**  
While the Museum honors our First Responders during the month of February, the kids will get up close and personal with firemen, policemen and the military.

**February 22-March 26**  
**Art Underfoot: Hooked Rugs of America**  
In its earliest years, rug hooking was a craft of poverty. Explore historic and contemporary rugs of America where today rug hooking is considered a fine art.

**March 2, 9, 16, 23 @ 10 am- 3pm**  
**Hook-In**  
Please join us for a unique rug hooking experience that is like no other. A day of relaxation, rug hooking, fun and new friendships.

**March 3 & 4 @ 10 am**  
**Toddler Time: Rug Hooking**  
Rug hooking is the art of creating rugs with strips of wool fabric pulled through a foundation fabric. In very basic terms, rug hooking consists of one stitch - pulling a loop of wool through a hole. With an adults help kids will work on their own simple pattern.

**April \*\*\*\***  
**Annual Trash and Treasure Sale**  
Once man's trash is another man's treasure! Look for treasures at this annual sale coordinated by the Museum Guild. All proceeds go toward Museums programs.

**April 2-April 30**  
**Artistic Expressions: Art as Therapy**  
The artwork of Derrick Freeman will be on display. Freeman, a prolific artist in multiple mediums who is gaining a national reputation for his work, was diagnosed with autism at the age of two. *Sponsored by the Tennessee Arts Commission.*

**May\*\*\*\***  
**Kentucky Derby Museum Luncheon**  
Enjoy great food, fashion and company at this Kentucky Derby Themed Luncheon. And don't forget to wear your Derby Day Hat. The odds are in your favor that you'll have a great time!  
*Sponsored by BB&T Bank.*

**May 7-June 25**  
**Patterns of Fashion: Vintage Hats**  
This exhibit tells the story of how women's hats have gone from large and heavily ornamented to sleeker and more closely fitting styles.

**May 16-June 25**  
**A Glass Menagerie:**  
**The Chastain Glassware Collection**  
From Tiffany to Limoges to bride's baskets to epergnes this exhibit showcases the Museums extensive collection of glassware.

**May 19 & 20 @ 10 am**  
**Toddler Time: Vintage Hats**  
Kids will spend 60 seconds making a paper hat and as much time as they like decorating it while learning about the different styles and purposes of hats.

**June 9 & 10 @ 10 am**  
**Toddler Time: Archeology**  
Does your kid like to dig in the dirt? Find things that are lost? Put pieces together? Kids will get a chance to be archeologists and look for buried artifacts and then put the pieces back together again to tell a story.

**July 6-August 20**  
**Then and Now: The Evolution of the General Store**  
Explores the convenience inherent in the general store as seen in the form of the modern Superstore.

**July 21 & 22 @ 10 am**  
**Toddler Time: General Stores**  
Explore what could be purchased at the general store and what it would have cost.

**July 30 & 31**  
**4<sup>th</sup> Annual Wiffle Ball Tournament**  
A sport for all ages, Wiffle Ball does not require experience or even a lot of skill but so much fun that we had to add an extra day! Gather your family and friends for a fun day at the Athens Regional Park!  
*Sponsored by the Museum and the City of Athens Parks and Recreation.*

**September 4-October 29**  
**National Heritage Quilt Show:**  
**Once Upon a Time**  
The quilt show at the Living Heritage Museum is back with a newly expanded national quilt show. The Museum invites you to enter their first juried quilt show. Deadline for submission is June 30, 2010.