

# MUSEUM MUSINGS

The Summerville Dorchester Museum is an educational organization dedicated to preserving the historical significance of Summerville and Dorchester County. Its mission is to collect, preserve and exhibit artifacts and to develop educational programs relating to the cultural and natural history of the Summerville and Dorchester County area of South Carolina.

## WHAT HAPPENED LAST MONTH



Kid's Club, May 19: The Edisto Natchez-Kusso Tribe of SC was the guest of the club. We learned a lot about the local tribe. There was dancing and singing and the kids had a lot

of fun, especially with the "candy dance".



Baker's Tea & Talk, May 10: Dr. West gave us a brief history of the "Maroons".

Third Thursday and the Plantation Singers who gave us a brief history of the Gullah people and sang some of our favorite old time gospels.

## What's Happening in June

**Jun 16 1:00 pm – 3:00 pm**  
**Kid's Club:** The Police Canine Unit will be here to inform us about this special unit. Cost is \$2.

**Jun 28 2:00 pm – 3:00 pm**  
**Baker's Tea & Talk:** Museum afternoon tea and history talk at Baker's at 807 Central Avenue. Dr. West is going to talk about the Civil War in Summerville. Cost is \$15 per person. Reservations required by calling Baker's Garden and BBQ Kitchen at 843-8754469

**Jul 7 10:00 pm – 3:00 pm**  
**6<sup>th</sup> Annual History Fair** at Magnolia Plantation. The museum will have a table there. The exhibits are free but the gardens and mansion cost the regular price.

## Magnolia Plantation

### and Gardens

#### 6<sup>th</sup> Annual History Fair

**Saturday, July 7 - 10:00 am to 3:00 pm**

Dozens of organizations that promote history in the Lowcountry will participate in the 6<sup>th</sup> Annual History Fair. This event will showcase well-known organizations in education, religion, social services, the arts and tourism. This event is free to the public. Paid admission is required to see the gardens and to participate in the Living History program.

**Museum Information:**

Address:  
100 East Doty Avenue,  
Summerville, SC 29483

Phone:  
843-875-9666

**HOURS**

Tuesday - Saturday: 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.  
Closed Sunday and Monday

**Admission:** \$5 ages 13+  
\$2 ages 4 – 13  
Free for children under 4

**WEBSITE:**

[www.summervilledorchestermuseum.org](http://www.summervilledorchestermuseum.org)

**Become a Member:**

Individual: \$15  
Family: \$25



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