

# FARM AND FOREST FESTIVAL

## WELCOME TO FARM AND FOREST

Morningside's Farm and Forest Festival was originally designed to introduce visitors to Morningside Nature Center. The "Farm" part of the name references the human ecology programs developed for use at the 1870's Living History Farm. The "Forest" portion refers to Morningside's natural history features, including trails, boardwalk, wetlands, and activities such as birding, plant study, and formal science programs. The Festival has become a re-enactment of rural life in North Florida during the third quarter of the 19<sup>th</sup> century. These earlier Floridians had a tie to the land, both the fields they tilled and the forest surrounding them, which we wish to revisit. With our Festival we celebrate and honor the important cultural and historical contributions that these early Florida settlers made to our state.

### Special Features at the 27th Annual Farm and Forest Festival:

- Historic cabin & farm buildings
- Live heritage breed farm animals
- Interpreters in period dress
- Post Civil-War music
- Period craft demonstrations
- Half Moon Schoolhouse Dedication
- Sheep shearing
- Horse-drawn wagon rides
- Old-time kid's crafts, games & toys
- 19th century southern cooking
- Native American displays
- Environmental organizations
- Historical displays
- Nature exhibits



# PARTICIPANTS and ACTIVITIES

## 2005 FARM & FOREST FESTIVAL

**Special School Day Offerings**  
**Thursday and Friday ONLY**

School Day Class Check-In at silver tent on road to farm

**In the Picnic Area:**

Bus Parking (Thu & Fri ONLY)  
Traditional Kid’s Games  
UF Entomology Dept. Insect Display  
J-Mac’s Cafe  
Santa Fe Teaching Zoo

**In the Educational Group area:**

Matheson Museum  
Historic Haile Plantation

A special educational program on the development of folk music will be offered on Thursday and Friday on the Main Stage.

**Festival Details:**

Festival Information at silver tent on road to farm  
First Aid – Gainesville Fire-Rescue on road to farm  
Restrooms in picnic area, in front of schoolhouse, and outhouse

**Festival Goings-on all weekend:**

Historic Interpretation by Morningside Staff  
Schoolhouse Dedication on Saturday  
Kid’s Crafts (Sat & Sun)  
Horse-drawn Wagon Rides

**Environmental and History Groups:**

Alachua County Environmental Protection Department  
College of Veterinary Medicine (Sat ONLY)  
Florida Panther Society  
GPD Mounted Unit  
Matheson Museum (Thu & Fri ONLY)  
NOD Storyboard  
UF Entomology Dept. Insect Display (Sat & Sun)

**Vendors:**

Betty Walters- Native American leatherwork  
Buck-An-Ear corn on the cob  
Butterfly Display-Rose Harrell  
Crone’s Cradle Conserve  
Graham Farms- Jams, jellies, plants  
Freespirit Emporium- Linda Walls  
J-Mac’s Cafe (Sat & Sun)  
Nature Operations Gift Shop  
Pot O’ Gold Kettle Korn  
William Martin- Native American  
Ortega Traders- Sutlers

**Period Demonstrators:**

Jimmy Corbett- blacksmith  
Gloria Corbett - weaver  
Nancy Gildersleeve- pine needle basketry and palm weaving  
Sharlene Lane – Triangle loom weaving

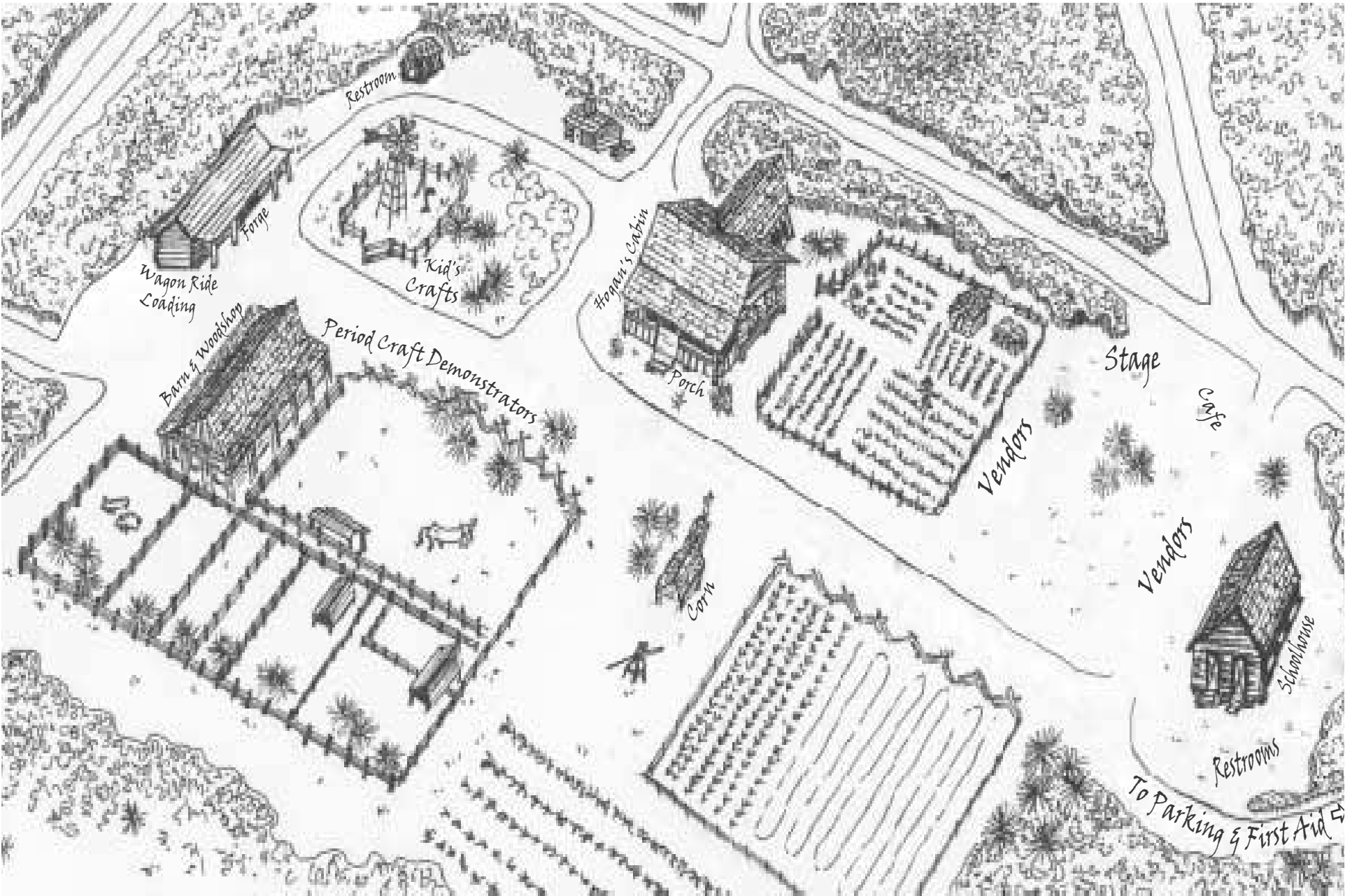
Lise Patterson- Natural Dyes  
Clarice Rutenber- Papermaking  
Tom Seager – cooper (Sat & Sun)  
Betty-Lou Seager – spinner (Sat & Sun)  
Jonathon Hearne – Sheep shearer (Sun ONLY)  
Claire Wood – Native American & Victorian beadwork

**Native American Encampment:**

Seminole reenactors-  
Harvard and Elaine Burney  
Earl, Betty, and Jeremy DeBary  
David and Patricia Jenkins  
Rose Creek band of Muscogee Creeks-  
William and Mary Meeker  
Victor and Betty Vasco

**Entertainers:**

Ed & Geraldine Berbaum- period music, puppets, and dance  
Agnes and Gene Bierbaum- period music on mountain dulcimers (Sat.)  
Gypsy Guerilla Band- Hammered Dulcimer duets  
Greenwood Morris Dancers- Morris and Maypole Dances  
Cross Creek Cloggers  
Ron Davis- period music





# ENTERTAINMENT SCHEDULE

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All Performances are at the Main Stage by Schoolhouse unless otherwise noted.

|       | Thursday, April 21 <sup>st</sup> | Friday, April 22 <sup>nd</sup>  | Saturday, April 23 <sup>rd</sup>                           |  | Sunday, April 24 <sup>th</sup>                           |  |                                     |   |                               |  |                          |  |   |  |
|-------|----------------------------------|---------------------------------|--|--|--|--|-------------------------------------|---|-------------------------------|--|--------------------------|--|---|--|
| 10:00 |                                  |                                 |  |  |  |  |                                     |   |                               |  |                          |  |   |  |
| 10:15 |                                  |                                 |  |  |  |  |                                     |   |                               |  |                          |  |   |  |
| 10:30 | Ed & Geraldine<br>(10:30-11:15)  | Ed & Geraldine<br>(10:30-11:15) | Ed & Geraldine<br>(10:30-11:15)                            | Agnes & Gene Bierbaum<br>ON CABIN PORCH<br>(10:30-12:00) |  | Ed & Geraldine STROLLING<br>(10:30-12:15)        |                                     |   |                               |  |                          |  |   |  |
| 10:45 |                                  |                                 |  |  |  |  |                                     |   |                               |  |                          |  |   |  |
| 11:00 |                                  |                                 |  |  |  |  |                                     |   |                               |  |                          |  |   |  |
| 11:15 |                                  |                                 |  |  | Gypsy Guerrilla Band<br>(11:30-12:15)                    |  |                                     |   |                               |  |                          |  |   |  |
| 11:30 |                                  |                                 | Morris Dancers<br>(11:30-12:15)                            |  |  |  |                                     |   |                               |  |                          |  |   |  |
| 11:45 |                                  |                                 |  |  |  |  |                                     |   |                               |  |                          |  |   |  |
| 12:00 |                                  |                                 |  |  |  |  |                                     |   |                               |  |                          |  |   |  |
| 12:15 |                                  |                                 |  |  |  |  |                                     |   |                               |  |                          |  |   |  |
| 12:30 |                                  |                                 | Gypsy Guerrilla Band<br>(12:30-1:15)                       |  | Ed & Geraldine<br>(12:30-1:15)                           | Gypsy Guerrilla Band CABIN PORCH<br>(12:30-1:15) |                                     |   |                               |  |                          |  |   |  |
| 12:45 |                                  |                                 |  |  |  |  |                                     |   |                               |  |                          |  |   |  |
| 1:00  | Festival Closes                  | Festival Closes                 |  |  |  |  |                                     |   |                               |  |                          |  |   |  |
| 1:15  |                                  |                                 |  |  | Sheep Shearing AT BARN<br>Jonathon Hearne<br>(1:15-2:15) |  |                                     |   |                               |  |                          |  |   |  |
| 1:30  |                                  |                                 | Awards Ceremony &<br>Schoolhouse Dedication<br>(1:30-2:00) |  |  |  |                                     |   |                               |  |                          |  |   |  |
| 1:45  |                                  |                                 |  |  |  |  |                                     |   |                               |  |                          |  |   |  |
| 2:00  |                                  |                                 | Gypsy Guerrilla Band<br>(2:15-3:00)                        |  | Maypole Greenwood Morris<br>FARM AREA<br>(2:15-2:45)     |  |                                     | Ed & Geraldine STROLLING<br>(2:15-3:00) |                               |  |                          |  |   |  |
| 2:15  |                                  |                                 |  |  |  |  | Cross Creek Cloggers<br>(2:30-3:00) |   |                               |  |                          |  |   |  |
| 2:30  |                                  |                                 |  |  |  |  |                                     |   |                               |  |                          |  |   |  |
| 2:45  |                                  |                                 |  |  |  |  |                                     |   |                               |  |                          |  |   |  |
| 3:00  |                                  |                                 |  |  |  |  |                                     |   |                               |  |                          |  |   |  |
| 3:15  |                                  |                                 |  |  |  |  |                                     |   | Ed & Geraldine<br>(3:15-4:00) |  | Ron Davis<br>(3:15-4:00) |  | Cross Creek Cloggers<br>Dance Workshop<br>In FARM AREA<br>(3:15-4:00) |  |
| 3:30  |                                  |                                 |  |  |  |  |                                     |   |                               |  |                          |  |   |  |
| 3:45  |                                  |                                 |  |  |  |  |                                     |   |                               |  |                          |  |   |  |
| 4:00  |                                  |                                 | Festival Closes  |  | Festival Closes  |  |                                     |   |                               |  |                          |  |   |  |

### Half Moon Schoolhouse



The Half Moon Schoolhouse is finally done! The restoration has brought the schoolhouse back to it’s original beauty and will keep it safe for many more years. A large grant from the Communication Workers of America (CWA, one of the City’s unions) made the refurbishment possible. Another grant from the Junior League of Gainesville is covering depression era furnishings and interpretive displays. The dedication and ribbon-cutting will be held Saturday, April 23rd at 1:30pm during the annual Farm and Forest Festival.

### J-Mac’s Concessions

Authentic Southern Fare

#### SCHOOL DAY MENU

Special Kids meal:  
Hamburger  
or  
Hot Dog  
with Fries  
and Drink

For the Grown-ups:  
Taco Salad  
Grilled Chicken,  
Hamburger,  
Veggie Burger  
or Hot Dog  
with Fries  
and Drink

#### MENU

Barbeque Ribs  
Pulled Pork Barbeque  
Smoked Turkey Legs  
Fried Catfish

Sides:  
Field Peas  
Collard Greens  
Seasonal Veggies  
Biscuits  
Iced Tea/ Sweet Tea

For Dessert:  
Assorted Cobblers  
Sweet Rolls

Also Available in the Main Festival Area:  
Corn on the Cob, Kettle Corn, Boiled Peanuts

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