

Thomas County Active History Timeline

Presented by Thomas University

Saturday March 1st 10-6

Hosted on our beautiful campus 1501 Millpond Road, Thomasville
In cooperation with Thomas County historical organizations



Active learning for all ages! Please join us for demonstrations and formal presentations of Georgia history focusing on the eras illustrated in Thomas County, Georgia:

- Pre-history Native American period/Removal
- Early settlements/Spanish Mission/Indian wars
- Plantation era
- Civil War
- The Resort era
- The 20th Century/Civil Rights

****LIVE MUSIC 11:30-4:00: CARL AND HAZEL YOUNG, EASY MONEY BLUEGRASS BAND, MEMORIES OF STEPHEN FOSTER BY JACK POPE ACCOMPANIED BY DR. PAUL LILJESTRAND AND ROY STREET, AND MR ROY STREET BANJO PICKIN AND LECTURE ON THE BANJO****

For children and families activities will include:

- Native American storytelling
- Muscogee Ballgame demonstration "The Little Brother of War"
- Flint-knapping (stone tool-making demonstrations)
- Civil War reenactments and confederate campsites
- Victorian era flower pressing
- Storytelling and quilting demonstrations
- Resort era penny postcard activities
- Cotton picking and tools necessary in agricultural plantation life
- Live sheep, carding and washing wool, and weaving demonstrations

- Live MLK oratory

Saturday's Campus Center Presentations include:

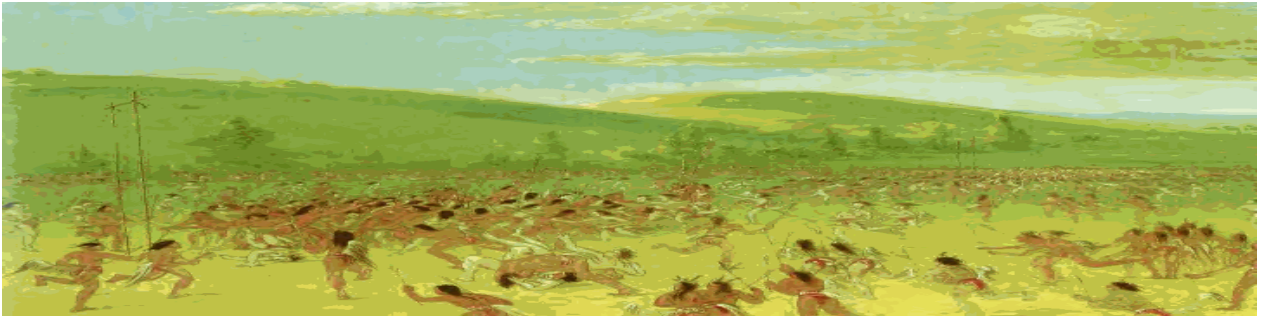
10:00 AM *Step Into the Past: A History of Thomas County*, by Ann Harrison, Director, Thomas County Museum of History

11:00 AM *Prominent African-Americans in Thomas County History*, by Jack Hadley, Director, Black History Museum

1:00 PM *Step Into the Past: A History of Thomas County*, by Ann Harrison, Director, Thomas County Museum of History

2:00 PM *Pebble Hill Plantation*, by Sue Hill, Pebble Hill

3:00 PM *Historic Architecture of Thomasville*, by Brent Runyon, Executive Director, Thomasville Landmarks



Demonstrations of past lifestyles in Thomas County are brought to you in cooperation and gratitude with: Thomas County Museum of History, Lapham-Patterson House, Thomasville Landmarks, Jack Hadley Black History Museum, Tall Timbers, Pebble Hill Plantation, United Daughters of the Confederacy, St. Francis Wildlife, Thomasville Cultural Center, Millstone Institute of Preservation, Mission San Luis, Muscogee Nation of Florida, Tallahassee Museum of Science and History and more.

Please note: This event has been crafted by the Anthropology and Education Divisions at Thomas University to enhance the Georgia Performance Standards for Georgia history and social studies. Friday is offered as the school curriculum day. Thomas County and City school systems have already reserved all available spaces for their 4th and 8th grade classes. Saturday, March 1, is our full community celebration. We look forward to seeing you! For more information, contact Misty Penton at mpenton@thomasu.edu or April Penton at apenton@thomasu.edu or call 229-226-1621.