



Business/Individual Sponsorship Opportunities

GOING HOME, Saluda's Music Traditions
Coming Spring 2016

The old saying is, "You can't go home again." But, maybe you can. The Historic Saluda Committee (HSC) has been collecting oral histories through audio and video since 2010, primarily from its senior citizens. A common theme relayed during the gathering of these stories is a deep nostalgia for the rich and diverse musical traditions that were once common in Saluda. The HSC has enlisted the help of the Polk County Film Initiative to take these histories, collect a few new ones, then roll them into a fascinating oral history film documentary that portrays Saluda's rich musical heritage, where the past meets the present. Sure to delight, these recollections include tales of the old time square dances, shape note singing, legendary fiddle makers and players, the influence of the railroad, a ragtime pianist, gospel greats, ballad singers, musical miracles, African-American history, Coon Dog Day, a famous baritone crooner and more. Rolling into the present day, we feature contemporary gospel, old-time and Americana acts, and some of today's great music venues, including a visit to Studio B at Western NC's famed radio station WNCW. This film will not only appeal to Saluda's people, but to folks from all walks of life who appreciate good stories, music and history, especially from a small mountain town in Western North Carolina. By the way, who says you can't go home again! We are proud to say WNCW is a media sponsor for this film.

Sponsorships will go toward helping to preserve these stories in DVD format.

<input type="checkbox"/> \$100:	Contributor	<input type="checkbox"/> \$1,250	Preserve Five Stories
<input type="checkbox"/> \$250:	Preserve One Story	<input type="checkbox"/> \$1,500	Preserve Six Stories
<input type="checkbox"/> \$500:	Preserve Two Stories	<input type="checkbox"/> \$1,750	Preserve Seven Stories
<input type="checkbox"/> \$750:	Preserve Three Stories	<input type="checkbox"/> \$2,000	Preserve Eight Stories
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All donors will be listed as a sponsor in the credits of the DVD. The larger your donation, the more prominent the recognition. Legacy Makers will be included as a key sponsor at the beginning and ending of film.

Please make checks payable to: **City of Saluda, c/o Oral History Project, PO Box 248, Saluda, NC 28773**
Your information:

Name/Business: _____
(List as you wish it to appear in film credits.)

Contact Name: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Home Phone (_____) _____ Email Address _____

Donation Amount: \$ _____

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