

FORT NEW SALEM FOUNDATION, INC.

Passionately preserving our Appalachian legacy

November 2015

4th Quarter

START YOUR HOLIDAY SEASON WITH OUR HOLIDAY SEASON

NEXT UP

SPIRIT OF CHRISTMAS

Saturday
November 28

Sunday November 29

Saturday
December 5

Sunday December 6

2 PM till tree lighting

Fort New Salem invites you to celebrate the *Spirit of Christ-mas in the Mountains on* Saturday, November 28th, Sunday, November 29th, Saturday, December 5th and Sunday, December 6th. Join us each day for a journey back in time to Christmas in the mid-19th century Appalachian frontier. Festivities feature live music, caroling provided by area choirs, gifts for sale, weaving, blacksmithing, open hearth cooking, Belsnickeling and a traditional tree lighting. Due to the growing popularity, we open at 2 PM daily. General admission is \$5 with children 10 and under admitted free.

This event is brought to you by the Fort New Salem Foundation, Clarksburg Printing, Greater Clarksburg Visitors and Conventions Bureau, Harrison County Commission, Salem International University and the West Virginia Division of Culture and History.

For additional information and for the most current daily calendar of events, visit our website.



NOW 60% Funded

DONATE TO... THE GIFT SHOP?

We are thankful to the numerous individuals and companies who support us. While some lend their talents, some contribute monetarily and others give materials, another growing way to support Fort New Salem is the donation of hand made items to be sold in our gift shop.

We appreciate your support. Contact us at 304-695-2220 if you have items you desire donated to our gift shop or any questions about how you can support us.

A
HOLIDAY
TRADTION
FOR
42 Years!

WELCOME

Our foundation welcomes
Michael Book & Gary Martin
to our Board of Directors!

ARTISANS NEEDED FOR 2016

From our season opening event in April through our year end Christmas celebration, we welcome artisans to demonstrate, sale product and/or entertain our guests. The John Randolph Spring Arts Kick Off (April 23) is our feature annual activity most involving heritage craft demonstration. Contact us to join in.

Tree Dedication

The WV Chapter of the American Chestnut Foundation will present and plant two seedlings at a special presentation on Saturday, December 5th at 3:30. Roasted chestnuts and chestnut cookies will be provided.

JOIN US AS WE CLOSE OUT OUR FIRST DECADE At years end, our Foundation will have owned and operated Fort new Salem for 10 years! This gives us a time to pause and reflect how far we have come since then. We function with a dedicated volunteer board of directors, a growing volunteer network and the support of many. We aspire to preserve the heritage of our region and to maintain a wholesome family experience for our guests. We hope you like the direction we are going! We deeply appreciate our supporters and would not exist without their generosity. We invite you to: 1 Join our volunteer network—Become a member of Friends of the Fort Make a one-time annual donation towards our general operation fund Donate to our "RESHAPE THE FUTURE" capital campaign Check all that apply or contact us for more information. Name Address Phone Email Signature (The Foundation is a 501 (C)(3) recognized corporation and contributions to it are tax deductible for qualifying taxpayers

We hope you keep us at the top of your list when planning your end of the year donations!

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