

Press Release

A Christmas in Princess Anne December 4, 2010

Princess Anne Celebrates the Christmas Season A Day of Downtown Events to Highlight the Season

PRINCESS ANNE, MARYLAND – October 22, 2010 ---- It's that time of year again to celebrate Christmas in Downtown Historic Princess Anne. Kick off your holiday season with us on December 4th, with a day filled with fun activities for the entire family. Our annual Christmas parade will start at 11 a.m. and will feature an appearance by our special guest Santa Clause. After the parade, please join us for lunch and a Christmas movie with Santa at the Princess Anne Volunteer Fire Department from 12 to 1 p.m. In the afternoon, the Somerset County Historical Society will be giving tours of locally renovated historic homes. These Christmas House Tours are scheduled from 2 – 6 p.m. During the tours, Joey Gardner of FOTO Joe Photography will be available to take portraits in front of the Teackle Mansion. There is a mini-session fee of 5 dollars and proofs will be available to view online following the event. Please join us at 6pm for the lighting of our 35' decorated Christmas tree at the Somerset County Courthouse while a local school chorus sings Christmas carols. Immediately following the tree lighting, a reception at Teackle Mansion is offering live Christmas music by the Piper's Fancy Quartet to provide the perfect background to the ending of your Christmas in Princess Anne. The event includes light fare, open wine bar and hearth drinks. Together with the Christmas Home Tour the event is offered for \$15 per person starting after the Christmas tree lighting. The Teackle Mansion is only a short walk from the tree lighting and will be the perfect way to celebrate your Christmas in Princess Anne. Plan to celebrate this holiday season with family, friends and the community of downtown Princess Anne on December 4th. Remember to support your local businesses this Holiday Season and hope to see you Downtown on December 4th!

Schedule of Events:

11am – Christmas Parade on Somerset Ave.

1pm – 1pm Lunch & Movie with Santa Clause at the Princess Anne Volunteer Fire Department

2pm – 5:45pm

- Christmas House Tour for more information contact Somerset County Historical Society
- Portraits taken at the Teackle Mansion by Joey Gardner of FOTO JOE pictures cost \$5.00 proofs will be available online.

6pm – 35' Christmas tree Lighting at the Somerset County Courthouse; A local chorus will be performing Christmas carols

7pm – Reception at Teackle Mansion – Event \$15 and includes Christmas Home and Historic Landmark Tour together with an evening reception at the Teackle Mansion. Reception is from 6pm to 9pm with open wine bar, hearth drinks and heavy hors d'oeuvres accompanied by live music by *Piper's Fancy Quartet* for the holiday season.

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