



## NORTH CAROLINA STATE CAPITOL FOUNDATION



### ABOUT THE STATE CAPITOL FOUNDATION

Did you know that each year over 100,000 visitors take part in State Capitol programs such as tours, holiday events, special ceremonies and educational programs? Did you also know that the costs associated with restoring and maintaining the Capitol site far exceed the funding available?

The North Carolina State Capitol Foundation, Inc., a non-profit organization, was founded over thirty years ago when a group of forward-thinking individuals envisioned the State Capitol as not just a symbol but a vibrant historic site. Today, the Capitol commemorates our past and celebrates the future.



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*Celebrating Our Past, Inspiring Our Future*

## THE STATE CAPITOL FOUNDATION - EDUCATION

### **BRINGING "THE PEOPLE'S HOUSE" TO LIFE**

The North Carolina State Capitol Foundation sponsors lectures, children's history programs, concerts, exhibits and the docent program, allowing the Capitol to offer all programs to the public at no charge. The Capitol's signature special events, including the annual July 4th Celebration, Capitol Tree Lighting and Memorial Day are also made possible by the Foundation.

#### **Visit the Capitol:**

The Capitol is open to visitors for self-guided tours Monday - Friday, 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.; Saturday 9am - 5pm and Sunday 1-4 p.m. Guided tours for groups of 10 or more may be arranged by calling Capital Area Visitor Services at 919-807-7950 or toll-free 866-724-8687.

#### **Learn More About the Capitol:**

A National Historic Landmark, the N.C. State Capitol is one of the finest and best-preserved examples of the Greek Revival style of architecture in the United States. The Capitol features a domed rotunda and beautiful state Senate and House chambers, meticulously restored to their 1840 appearance. Until 1888, its granite walls housed all of state government and the NC General Assembly met here until 1961.

#### **Become a Capitol Docent:**

The Capitol relies on volunteers to assist with the many student and adult groups who tour the building each day. No previous experience is required, just a love of history, enjoyment of working with children and a few hours a month to volunteer. Volunteers receive training, a monthly newsletter, very flexible scheduling, the opportunity for additional training and recognition dinners.



*To learn more about the North Carolina State Capitol Foundation, please visit our website at [www.ncstatecapitol.org](http://www.ncstatecapitol.org)*



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THE STATE CAPITOL FOUNDATION - PROPERTY

The State Capitol Foundation is instrumental in the preservation and conservation of the State Capitol Historic Site. The Planning & Properties Committee assists the Department of Cultural Resources in identifying the maintenance and collection needs of the site and finding the resources to meet those needs. Since 1976, the State Capitol Foundation has worked to protect and support the building and its collections.

The Capitol has been home to North Carolina's seat of government for more than 170 years. It is the mission of the State Capitol Foundation Planning & Properties Committee to continue to preserve and conserve this important site for future generations. Won't you join us?

**Recently Completed Projects**

House Chamber Chair

Sully Portrait Lighting

The Thomas Sully Portrait of George Washington

Mitchell Map Conservation

Front Reception Desks

House and Senate Desks and Rostrums

Painting of Interior of Entire Capitol (in the 1990's)

Replaced Carpet in Governor's Suite of Offices (2000)

Restoration of Statues on the Grounds of Union Square

Sidewalk Enhancement and Replacement, New Handicap Ramp at the East Entrance, (2009)



Conservation and preservation of the State Capitol Historic Site is ongoing with important projects on the horizon. We need your help on the State Capitol Foundation Board to preserve the State Capitol building and its collections.

*To view more projects funded by the Foundation, please visit our website at [www.ncstatecapitol.org](http://www.ncstatecapitol.org)*



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**THE STATE CAPITOL FOUNDATION - MEMBERSHIP**

**PILLARS OF THE CAPITOL**

Why do we call the Membership Program of the State Capitol Foundation the "Pillars of the Capitol?" Because we count on the resolve and support of our members, people like you, the same way our State Capitol relies on the strength of its supporting columns.

It doesn't take much to be one of those Pillars. Membership is affordable! Levels start at \$20 per year and that contribution will go a long way in helping the Foundation meet its mission. For instance, you would be helping fund projects like the restoration of a 19th century portrait of George Washington or a fifth grader's hands-on introduction to legislative process. And our Junior memberships start at just \$5 per year!

Join the many members who have already committed to helping the North Carolina State Capitol Foundation accomplish its goals.

**JUNIOR (8 – 15)**                      \$5.00 per year (checks only please)  
Receive a "Spirit of the Capitol" Magnet (a \$1.50 value)  
Membership Card  
Signed Photo of the Governor  
Friend on our Capitol Facebook to view "Did You Know Fact Sheet"  
Receive a FREE lapel pin when you attend the 4th of July celebration on Union Square  
(visit the Foundation booth and show your membership card)

**STUDENT (16 – 22)**                \$10.00 per year (checks only, please)  
State Capitol Pen – (a \$2.00 value)  
Membership Card  
Signed Photo of the Governor  
Friend on our Capitol Facebook to view "Did You Know Fact Sheet"  
Receive a free lapel pin when you attend the 4th of July celebration on Union Square  
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**CLASS (4th grade classes)**      \$15.00 per year (checks only please)  
Magnet for the Teacher  
"Emma and the Civil Warrior" by Candy Dahl  
Capitol 4-1-1 DVD

**INDIVIDUAL**                            \$20.00 per year (checks only, please)  
**FAMILY**                                    \$40.00 per year (checks, only please)  
A pewter lapel pin of NC's State Capitol building (a \$10 value)  
Membership Card  
Invitation to attend Annual Lecture Series  
Signed Photo of the Governor  
Email Newsletter (twice a year)  
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**THE STATE CAPITOL FOUNDATION - MEMBERSHIP**

**MEMBERSHIP LEVELS (CONTINUED)**

ROTUNDA \$100 per year (limit 2 members per household)

State Capitol ink pen  
A pewter lapel pin of NC's State Capitol building (a \$10 value)  
Membership card  
VIP invitation to attend Lecture Series, via email alert  
Signed photo of the Governor  
Email newsletter (twice a year)  
10% savings on State Capitol merchandise (online or at the Capitol)  
10% savings on special events hosted by the Foundation

DORIC \$500 per year (limit 2 members per household)

One "Winter at the Capitol" print, unsigned (a \$35.00 value), while they last  
One package of Capitol postcards by John Hall (a \$5.50 value), first 50 new members  
Membership card  
VIP invitation to attend Lecture Series, via email alert  
Signed photo of the Governor  
Email newsletter (twice a year)  
10% savings on merchandise (online or at the Capitol)  
10% savings on special events hosted by the Foundation

IONIC \$1,000 per year (limit 2 members per household)

One "Winter at the Capitol" print, signed (a \$50 value), while they last  
One package of Capitol postcards by John Hall (a \$5.50 value), for the first 50 new members  
Membership card  
VIP invitation to attend Lecture Series, via email alert  
Signed photo of the Governor  
Email newsletter (twice a year)  
10% savings on merchandise (online or at the Capitol)  
10% savings on special events hosted by the Foundation, limit 2 tickets, per event  
Listed as a Member in the Foundation newsletter









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**The PILLARS of the CAPITOL**  
MEMBERSHIP PROGRAM

First & Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Company Name: \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Office Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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FAMILY \$40.00 per year

ROTUNDA \$200 per year (limit 2 members per household)

DORIC \$350 per year (limit 2 members per household)

IONIC \$500 per year (limit 2 members per household)

**CORPORATE and/or INDIVIDUAL MEMBERSHIP  
LEVELS:**

CORINTHIAN \$2,500 per year  
(limit 4 members per membership)

CROWN \$5,000 per year (limit 6 members per membership)

**2010 Black Tie Gala: Masque Ball**  
SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

First & Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Company Name: \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Office Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

**SPONSORSHIP LEVELS:**

MARQUE SPONSOR  
\$60,000 (limit 1)

ANTHEMION SPONSOR  
\$25,000 - \$50,000

DOME SPONSOR  
\$10,000

CORNERSTONE SPONSOR  
\$5,000

CROWN SPONSOR  
\$2,500

CORINTHIAN SPONSOR  
\$1,500

INDIVIDUAL TICKETS  
\$150 per person

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