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**Transylvania Heritage Museum 2012 Calendar
Opening February 18th, 2012
Wednesday - Saturday, 10am until 5pm**

Special Exhibits:

- February 18th – June 30th: Perseverance, Strength, and Faith: The African American Experience in Transylvania County
- July 4th – November 24th: Roads, Rails, and Trails
- December 1st – December 15th: Rock Around the Decade: The 1950's

Special Events:

- 4th Friday's of the Month
- May 26th: White Squirrel Festival
- July 4th: All American Fun at the Museum (Large Bingo, under the tent from 5:30-8:30pm)
- September 1st: Founders' Day Festival from 10am - 5pm
- October 6th: Rosman Heritage Day Festival from 10am – 5pm
- October 27th: Halloweenfest - Scarecrows on the Lawn
- December 1st: Twilight Tour - Rock Around the Decade Exhibit opens

Walking Tour Schedule:

- May 26th (White Squirrel Festival): Rosenwald Community Tour 10:30am, Departure Location TBA
- Saturday, June 16th: Behind the Scenes: East Main 10:30am. See the buildings, businesses and churches from the Court House to the Inn at Brevard, including visit to a cemetery and the home of one of our town's founding fathers. Departs from the Comporium parking lot at 10:30am. Reservations required by the preceding Thursday at noon. Cost is \$10 per person. Tour lasts approximately 45 minutes.
- July 4th (4th of July Festival): Probart Street Tour 10:30am. Discover the link between some of the founding families and the town's growth and economy; including the Red House Inn, the oldest home in Brevard. Departs from the Transylvania Heritage Museum at 10:30am. Reservations required by the preceding Thursday at noon. Cost is \$10 per person. Tour lasts approximately 45 minutes.
- August 4th, Behind the Scenes: West Main 10:30am. Explore Brevard and learn about the early families and architecture of West Main from a different perspective while walking behind buildings and through alleyways. Departs from the Transylvania Heritage Museum at 10:30am. Reservations required by the preceding Thursday at noon. Cost is \$10 per person. Tour lasts approximately 45 minutes.
- September 1st (Founders' Day): Founding Fathers' Tour 10:30am. Learn about the people behind the formation of the County and the establishment of the City of Brevard by visiting several namesakes through the city. Departs from the Transylvania Heritage Museum at 10:30 am. Reservations required by the preceding Thursday at noon. Cost is \$10 per person. Tour lasts approximately 45 minutes.
- October 27th (Halloweenfest): Haunted Town Tour 5:00pm.