

Grayson County Extension Homemakers Tour at My Old Kentucky Home



Experience the traditional, and sometimes odd, Christmas customs of the Victorian era at My Old Kentucky Home! Learn the origins of the Christmas tree, how mistletoe became famous for exchanging kisses, the tradition of the yule log, the history of the Christmas pickle, the legends of Father Christmas and Santa Claus, and the bizarre Victorian traditions including Krampus who punished bad children, and learn why Victorians sent Christmas cards featuring sword fighting frogs & frozen birds to each another during the holidays.

As you move forward to each room, experience a different era of Christmas, starting from colonial times, the early and late Victorian periods, all the way to the roaring 20's when the mansion was last owned by the Rowan family.

Monday, December 16 | 50 minute tour | \$14/person

Time will be determined after registration - for planning purposes plan to be out of town for most of the day.

Pre-registration and payment is due no later than Friday, October 25.

Pay with exact change or make check payable to Grayson County Homemaker Association. If less than 10 register, money will be refunded.

For those interested there will be reservations for lunch made. If interested, please indicate on the registration form so we can make appropriate reservations. This is optional.

My Old KY Home Tour - Registration Form

Name: _____

Lunch: _____ Date: _____ Paid: Cash _____ Check: _____

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