



Mansions, Magnolias and Mistletoe Day Tour

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- 10:00 a.m. – 10:45 a.m. Tour Historic Bulloch Hall (c. 1839). Mittie Bulloch grew up at Bulloch Hall and married Theodore Roosevelt, Sr. here in 1853. Their son, Teddy, became President of the United States. Christmas at Bulloch Hall celebrates famous women of the 19th century. Women like Queen Victoria, Louisa May Alcott, Mary Todd Lincoln, Harriet Tubman and others will be represented through the hall. The grounds include a demonstration garden, reconstructed slave cabin and nature trail. Tours are self-guided. *(\$8 per person; \$7 per person for seniors and groups of 20 or more)*
- 11:00 a.m. – 11:45 a.m. Tour Historic Barrington Hall (c. 1842), home of Barrington King. He was a successful and influential man who along with his father, Roswell King, co-founded the colony that would become Roswell. Barrington Hall is furnished with many original family possessions, and the surrounding six acres of original grounds look much as they did 160 years ago. For the holiday season, Barrington Hall will feature an exhibit of antique toys sure to bring out the child in everyone. They will also host a toy collection for children in need through Toys for Tots, a nationwide program sponsored by the U.S. Marine Corp. Toys may be placed in the collection box in the gift shop. (Last day to donate is December 18.) *(\$8 per person; \$7 per person for seniors and groups of 20 or more)*
- 12:00 – 2:15 p.m. Shop the antique, art galleries and specialty stores in Roswell’s Historic District with lunch at a sidewalk café or restaurant. Recognized as a “foodie” destination, Roswell has dozens of restaurants for every taste—barbeque and bistro, tapas and Thai, down-home Southern cooking and continental cuisine. *(Prices vary, can be determined upon selection)*
- 2:30 – 3:15 p.m. Tour Smith Plantation Home (c. 1845). This plantation plain style home and its ten original outbuildings sit on a large wooded site that was once part of a 300-acre cotton farm. Full of original furnishings and thousands of original artifacts, the home tells the story of three generations of this affluent family. The Roswell Garden Club decorates Smith Plantation for the Holidays. Decorations are featured throughout the interior as well as in the outdoor cook house and exteriors of additional buildings. Visitors will view unique floral arrangements, mantels, trees and more throughout the historic house museum. Experience the beauty and take away some decorating ideas for your home. *(\$8 per person; \$7 per person for seniors and groups of 20 or more)*

* Purchase a Southern Trilogy Pass and save! Price includes admission to all three houses for a total of \$18 per person (\$6 per house).