



The Sumter County Museum

Since 2011
Presents its 9th Annual



Junior Cotillion Program



Fee includes:

4 Etiquette classes

5 Dance classes

Dinner/dance presentation

Copy of the etiquette book:

Fifty Things Every Young Lady Should Know by Kay West- for girl participants

Fifty Things Every Young Gentleman Should Know by John Bridges- for boy participants

Photo CD of Dinner Presentation

WHERE: Sumter County Museum
Heritage Education Center (White Building)
122 N. Washington Street

WHEN: Eight Week Program
Once a week starting on Monday, February 11, 2019
and ending with the dinner/dance Monday, April 8, 2019

WHO: 7th Graders

COST: \$200 for Museum members
\$250 for non-members
(Includes a one-year family membership to the museum)

WHAT: your membership includes free admission to the museum, plus invitations to all exhibit openings and special events, as well as discounted tickets to the Oyster Roast and Shrimp Feast.

*Registration opens Friday, January 4th and is
on a first come, first serve basis!*

FIRST: Email Annie Rivers at arivers@sumtercountymuseum.org
with your email, cell phone, and child's full name to

RESERVE YOUR CHILD'S SPOT ASAP

Space is limited to 30 students (15 girls and 15 boys).

***SECOND:** After reserving your child's spot, application and class fee is due to museum by January 22, 2019



The Sumter County Museum



Junior Cotillion Program Class of 2019



The program is based on the curriculum of Teresa Kathryn Grisinger Reilly, noted author of two volumes of her comprehensive children's etiquette books *Girls and Boys at the Table* and *Teens at the Table*. Reilly stresses a practical and natural approach to etiquette training. The program is designed to reinforce good manners taught at home as well as teach nuances of fine dining and specific social situations. In addition to table manners and ballroom basics, the teens will learn tips on grooming, how to eat different foods, make introductions, write social correspondence, the art of conversation and the tricky tactics of gracefully managing cell phones and email.

Classroom instruction will be under the guidance of Dotty Kolb and Susan W. Osteen. Chip Bracalente of C. Anthony's Clothiers will host a special class for the boys. Boys will learn lessons on how to be a gentleman as well as the art of proper dressing for all occasions including how to knot their tie and bowtie. **We are looking for volunteers to help prepare and serve the food for etiquette classes. Please see volunteer sheet in packet for more information.**

Dance will include basic ballroom and shag. Classes will be taught by Seth and Jennifer Reimer along with Edie and Jeff Varn. Seth is co-owner and general manager of Miss Libby's School of Dance and Jennifer is the artistic director for the Rising Stars, Miss Libby's competitive dance team. Edie and Jeff Varn are active with the Sumter Shag Club. We also want to thank Dibble Parker for serving as our Presentation Dinner and Dance assistant.

Class Attire for Boys: Button Downs/Khakis (No Jeans or T-Shirts)

Class Attire for Girls: Step Above School/Dressy Casual (No Jeans or T-Shirts)

<i>ETIQUETTE SCHEDULE</i>	<i>DANCE SCHEDULE</i>	<i>DINNER/DANCE</i>
Location: Sumter County Museum- Heritage Building (White Building)	Location: Sumter County Museum- Heritage Building (White Building)	<i>Junior Cotillion Presentation Dinner and Dance</i>
7:30-8:45 pm	7:30-8:45pm	<i>The O'Donnell House</i>
Class 1: Monday, Feb. 11 th Class 2: Monday, Feb. 18 th Class 3: Monday, Feb. 25 th Class 4: Monday, March 4 th	Class 5: Monday, March 11 th Class 6: Monday, March 18 th Class 7: Monday, March 25 th Class 8: Monday, April 1 st Rehearsal: Sunday, April 1st at The O'Donnell House, 4:00-5:45	<i>Monday, April 8th 6:30 to 9:30pm 6:30: Social and Class Photo 7:00 Dinner</i>
		<i>Dress: Coat and Tie/Sunday Best</i>

Please arrive on time for the class and pick-up your child promptly at the end of each session

2019 Junior Cotillion Application

Space is limited to 15 girls and 15 boys. **FIRST- Email Annie Rivers at arivers@sumtercountymuseum.org to reserve your child's place beginning Fri., Jan. 4th.
Second- after reserving your child's spot, payment and paperwork must be received at museum by Tuesday, January 22nd.**

Make checks payable to:
**Sumter County Museum
122 N. Washington Street
Sumter, SC 29150**

Checks can also be brought to the museum at 122 N. Washington Street during operating hours or **dropped in the mail box located on the side of the museum building anytime.**

Museum hours are Thursday-Saturday 10-5.

Please send form with NON-REFUNDABLE payment by 5:00pm January 22, 2019.

2019 Junior Cotillion Application

Name of child attending: _____
First Middle Last Suffix

Child's preferred name: _____ Food Allergies (list): _____

School attending: _____

Child's Spring Sports/Activities: _____
Weekly Practice Times: _____ Event Dates: _____

Primary Contact Person Name and Cell #: _____

Home Address: _____
Street City State Zip

Email address: _____
Email will be the primary method of communication regarding the class. If you prefer not to be contacted via email, please indicate your preferred method of communication. _____

Payment Information

Make Checks Payable to:
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122 N. Washington St.
Sumter, SC 29150

_____ I am a current Museum member and my child will be participating in the Junior Cotillion Program. Enclosed is a non-refundable check for \$200.

_____ I am signing up as a new Museum member and my child will be participating in the Junior Cotillion Program. Enclosed is a non-refundable check for \$250.* Please fill out enclosed membership brochure.

_____ 3 installment payment plan. Enclosed is my first non-refundable check for \$100. **\$75 2nd Payment due by February 15th. \$75 3rd Payment due by March 8th.**

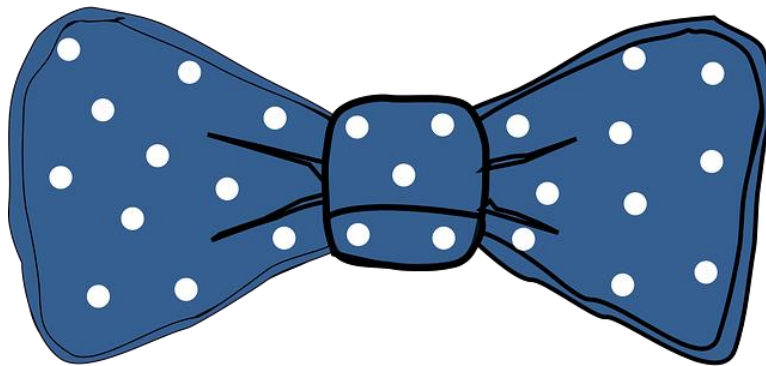
2019 Junior Cotillion
Boys Bow Tie Lesson Sign-Up

Chip Bracalente of C. Anthony's Menswear will offer bow tie lessons for all boy participants. Each lesson is offered 30 minutes prior to regular class time at the Sumter County Museum. While these lessons are voluntary, attendance is highly encouraged to at least 1 or 2 sessions.

***Proper Attire (Button down Collared Shirt) Required**

***Don't forget to bring a bow tie to the lessons!**

Bow Ties will also be available for instruction or purchase.



Lesson Dates- Please Sign-up and Return Sheet with your Application Form by January 22nd

Monday, February 11th - 7:00pm: _____

Monday, February 18th - 7:00pm: _____

Monday, February 25th - 7:00pm: _____

Monday, March 4th - 7:00pm: _____

2019 Junior Cotillion Volunteers Needed

We are looking for volunteers to prepare dinner and assist and serve tables for the 4 etiquette classes. If you sign-up to bring food, please plan to have it at the museum by 7:30pm and stay to plate it. Food will be served around 8:15pm. Table assistants will need to stay at the museum for the entirety of the etiquette class and up to 15 minutes after for clean-up. You can volunteer as little as 1 class or help with all of the classes! Please fill out your preferences below.

Class #1- Monday, February 11th

Bread (small croissants) and Butter- _____

Lemonade- _____

Table Assistants: _____, _____, _____, _____, _____

Class #2- Monday, February 18th

Boneless Chicken Breast (can be purchased at Piggly Wiggly)- _____, _____

Green Beans- _____

Lemonade- _____

Table Assistants: _____, _____, _____, _____, _____

Class #3- Monday, February 25th

Potato Soup- _____

Salad (Suggest Iceberg Lettuce, Cheese, Carrots, Cucumbers/Ranch Dressing to be Passed at Table)- _____

Lemonade- _____

Table Assistants: _____, _____, _____, _____, _____

Class #4- Monday, March 4th

Spaghetti with Butter (Parmesan to be Passed at Table)- _____, _____

Breadsticks- _____

Lemonade- _____

Table Assistants: _____, _____, _____, _____, _____

Dance Class Volunteers- Help Supervise the Dance Class

Dad volunteers encouraged as well as Moms!

March 11th: _____, _____

March 18th: _____, _____

March 25th: _____, _____

April 1st: _____, _____

Master at Bow Ties? Sign up to help with our bow tie lessons! _____, _____

Enjoy making flower arrangements?

Help with centerpieces for the Presentation Dinner: _____

Creative? Volunteer to create a scrapbook for the 2019 Class!: _____

Able to attend most classes? Serve as our Class Photographer! The museum will provide you with an SD card and will print the pictures. All you have to do is snap them!: _____

*Please send in volunteer form with participant's application by **January 22nd**.*

Junior Cotillion Presentation

*Dinner and Dance
O'Donnell House
Monday, April 8, 2019
6:30 p.m.*

Appetizer

*Gourmet Cheese Board and Crackers
Bacon Wrapped Water Chestnuts*

Champagne/Sparkling Cider Toast

Soup

Creamy Roasted Red Pepper Soup with Parmesan Crusted Crouton

Salad

Mixed Greens with Mandarin Orange Slices, Dried Cranberries, Glazed Pecans in a Honey-Lemon Vinaigrette with a Sprinkle of Feta Cheese

Remise en Bouche

Citrus Sorbet

Main Course

*Chicken Piccata with Lemon Cream Sauce over Buttered Orzo
Fresh Sautéed Green Beans*

Dessert

Tiramisu

Dance Presentation

*Of Father/Daughter, Mother/Son, Waltz and Shag
Will be presented between courses*

Cash Bar

Coat and Tie

*The O'Donnell House
120 E. Liberty Street
Sumter, SC 29150*



2019 Junior Cotillion Presentation Dinner and Dance

All parents attending the dinner and dance on Monday, April 8th should make a separate check payable to The Sumter County Museum (\$45.00 per guest). Your child's meal is already included in the class fee.

Please do not send check with your child

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Reservation form and payment due by 5:00pm on March 21, 2019

*A Special Thanks Goes to The O'Donnell House
for Hosting this Year's Presentation Dinner and Dance*

2019 Junior Cotillion Presentation Dinner and Dance

Attire for Boys: Coat and Tie

Attire for Girls: Sunday Best

Junior Cotillion Participant's Name: _____
First
Middle
Last
Suffix

_____ Number attending the presentation at the O'Donnell House (NOT including Junior Cotillion participant). Parents/guardians, siblings, and additional family members are invited. Not recommended for children under seven years of age. No price difference due to age. Enclosed is a check for \$45 per guest (not including class participant) made payable to: **Sumter County Museum**

Please include full names and addresses of ALL ADULTS (including parents) attending as this is very important for invitations and place card settings.

Example: Mr. and Mrs. John Doe, III -or- Mrs. John Doe, III

Name _____ Address _____

Name _____ Address _____

Name _____ Address _____

Name _____ Address _____

Table Seating Preference with other Families?: Yes _____ No Preference _____

If yes, please list the individual or couple names here (tables seat 8): _____