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## 11<sup>th</sup> Annual Classics in the Courtyard

Fabulous Music, Lunch and Fun at Noon at the SCH Center

(VICKSBURG, MS): The Southern Cultural Heritage Foundation (SCHF) is thrilled to present the 11<sup>th</sup> Annual "Classics in the Courtyard". This event will offer a variety of entertainment through different genres of classic music. Local entertainers and local restaurants will provide the music and lunch on Fridays from 12:00pm- 1:00pm beginning October 19<sup>th</sup> and concluding November 9<sup>th</sup>. The musical entertainment is sponsored by a generous grant from **Entergy Mississippi**. The entertainment is provided for free and lunch can be purchased for \$10 per person. Reservations are required for lunch and must be made by 5pm on the Thursday before the event.

These diverse musical styles are a special treat for the Vicksburg community and we hope many will embrace and enjoy the local music and local flavor Vicksburg has to offer. This event has become a much anticipated Vicksburg tradition. There is no better beginning to the fall season than "Classics in the Courtyard".

The schedule of entertainment and lunch providers are listed below:

Friday, October 19– Classics Blues, Rock, Pop and Originals

Performed by Patrick Smith Lunch provided by Billy's Italian Restaurant

Friday, October 26 – Classic Rock and Pop Performed by Ben Shaw Lunch provided by 10 South

**Friday, November 2 – Classic Pop and Country** Performed by Ralph Miller Lunch provided by The Anthony

## Friday, November 9 – Classic Blues, Rock and Originals

Performed by Lee H. Abraham & the Boone Brothers Lunch provided by Goldies Express

This wonderful program is also supported in part by funding from the Mississippi Arts Commission, a state agency, and in part, from the National Endowment for the Arts, a federal agency, and the generous support of Southern Cultural Heritage Foundation individual and corporate members, the City of Vicksburg, and various appropriations.

For more information or to make reservations for lunch, please call the SCHF office at 601-631-2997 or email info@southernculture.org.