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# **10<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 10<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 20<sup>th</sup> and concluding November 10<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 20- Americana, Celtic and Folk

Performed by "Full Circle" with Nicholas & Julia Blake & Joanne Ryan Lunch provided by Billy's Italian Restaurant

Friday, October 27 – Classics Blues, Rock, Pop and Originals

Performed by Patrick Smith Lunch provided by Goldie's Express

### Friday, November 3 – Classic Pop and Country

Performed by Maria Signa & Ralph Miller Lunch provided by Gumbo Pot

### Friday, November 10 - Classic Blues, Rock and Originals

Performed by Lee H. Abraham & the Boone Brothers Lunch provided by The Anthony

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.