

# The Warren Record

SECTION B

## Preservation Warrenton sponsors student field trip

Warren Early College High School students enrolled in the elective class Warren County History and Heritage, sponsored by Preservation Warrenton, had their first field trip on Saturday, May 14.

Following lunch at the Warren County Campus of Vance-Granville Community College, students and Preservation Warrenton directors visited four historic properties to study specific architecture styles and to understand aspects of Warren County history. Preservation Warrenton President Noel Robertson led the educational tour. He is also the class instructor.

The field trip began in Warrenton at The Peter Davis Tavern, the law office annex of

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Jules Banzet. Richard and Mary Hunter restored and reside in The Fitts-Mordecai-Plummer House, the second Warrenton historical site.

In the Inez community, the group visited Shady Grove Plantation, home of Noel and Donna Robertson, and Cherry Hill Plantation, former home of the Alston family and now a venue for musical programs and concerts.

Preservation Warrenton director Kimberly Harding concluded the field trip with a docent training session. Additional Preservation Warrenton directors participating were: Harriet Banzet, Robert Davie, George Henderson and Bill Miller.

In recognition of May as National Preservation Month and the 2011 theme "Celebrating America's Treasures," the tour reinforced the importance of preserving our heritage. Robertson also announced the 2011 Partners in Preservation Event to be held on Saturday, September 10 at his home.



Warren Early College High School students Gary Massenbourg and Caitlin Conn participated in a field trip on May 14 held for students enrolled in the elective class Warren County History and Heritage led by Preservation Warrenton President Noel Robertson. Pictured from left to right are, front row: Massenbourg, Conn and Preservation Warrenton director Kimberly Harding; back row: Robertson and Preservation Warrenton directors Harriet Banzet, George Henderson and Robert Davie.