

MIDDLETON PLACE

National Historic Landmark

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Middleton Place Special October Wine Strolls **Pink Strolls for a Cure & Masquerade Stroll** *Experience the formal gardens in a different light and atmosphere*

Weekly Wine Strolls at Middleton Place began as a way for visitors to experience Middleton Place in a different light and a different atmosphere. Wine Strolls invite patrons to drink in the natural beauty of the 273 year old plantation — “America’s Oldest Landscaped Gardens.” Each week, samples of specially selected wines from around the world are chosen by the Middleton Place Restaurant.

Fall Wine Strolls returned earlier this month after a break from the heat. Starting Wednesday, October 1, Middleton Place is pleased to partner with the Susan G. Komen Lowcountry Chapter to help raise awareness and funds for Breast Cancer research.

Each Wednesday Wine Stroll – October 1, 8, 15 & 22 – a portion of all tickets sold will be donated to the Susan G. Komen Lowcountry Chapter. Middleton Place Restaurant will offer a special non-alcoholic Pink Punch along with specialty wines. Guests are invited to wear pink to show support. For more information on the Komen Lowcountry Chapter, please visit www.komenlowcountry.org.

The Strolls are from 6:00-8:00pm and will be located in different areas of the gardens each week. Closing out the 2014 season will be a special, costume Masquerade Wine Stroll Finale on Wednesday, October 29 with specialty beverages & wines, light hors d’oeuvres and prizes - just in time for Halloween!

Wine Strolls are \$20 per person purchased in advance online and \$25 per person at the event. The special event Masquerade Stroll will be \$40 per person. Members of the Middleton Place Foundation receive \$5 off. Extend the experience with dinner at the Middleton Place Restaurant – serving classic Southern and Low Country cuisine with local produce. Wine Stroll guests receive 10% off dinner. For Restaurant reservations, call 843-266-7477. For more information on the Weekly Wine Strolls, go to www.middletonplace.org, or call 843-556-6020.

The mission of the Middleton Place Foundation, a public non-profit educational trust, is to sustain the highest levels of preservation and interpretation for the Middleton Place National Historic Landmark, its Gardens, House, Plantation Stableyards and affiliated properties, such as the Edmondston-Alston House, and their collections and programs. Middleton Place and the Middleton Place Restaurant are located at 4300 Ashley River Road, Charleston, SC 29414.