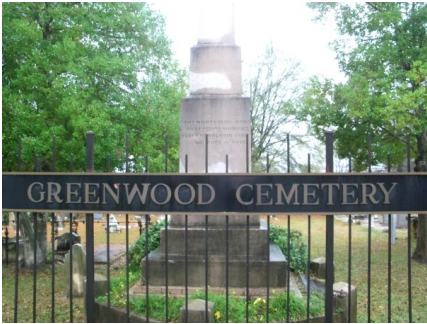


ALABAMA CEMETERY PRESERVATION ALLIANCE,  
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## A CEMETERY PRESERVATION WORKSHOP

FEATURING JON APPELL OF ATLAS PRESERVATION, SOUTHTON, CT



WEDNESDAY, JUN 12, 2024  
9:00 AM UNTIL 3:00 PM  
GREENWOOD CEMETERY  
900 T.Y. ROGERS JR AVE,  
TUSCALOOSA, AL



THE CHIEF TUSKALOOSA CHAPTER, DAR; THE ALABAMA CEMETERY PRESERVATION ALLIANCE (ACPA); HISTORIC TUSCALOOSA AND STILLMAN COLLEGE are pleased to announce a free Cemetery Preservation Workshop to clean and help preserve the gravesites of pioneers and settlers of Tuscaloosa, Alabama interred in Tuscaloosa's historic Greenwood Cemetery. Veteran's graves will be prioritized. Work on other markers will be included as time permits. We will be led by world-class conservator **JONATHAN APPELL OF ATLAS PRESERVATION** based in Connecticut. This will be the Alabama venue of Jon's ambitious "48 State Tour" series of free cemetery preservation workshops. Please visit <https://48statetour.com/schedule/tuscaloosa-al> for additional information.

### THE PROGRAM:

1. During an interactive tour, we will discuss historic preservation, cemetery safety, stone identification, explanation of carvings, how weather affects stones and damaged stones.
2. Jon will demonstrate a safe and effective cleaning of gravestones. After the cleaning demonstration, attendees are encouraged to adopt a stone and clean. Materials will be provided.
3. Jon will demonstrate how to repair and relevel stones. Participants are encouraged to join in and help.
4. Other demonstrations, instructional information and guided hands-on practice as time permits.

**REQUIREMENTS TO ATTEND:** All attendees will need to sign a release of liability form. The release form is attached. Typed signatures will be accepted. Please complete the form and turn in as you arrive at the workshop for faster registration, or you may complete the form when you arrive.

### OTHER INFORMATION:

1. Cost: Free. Lunch: You will need to bring your own lunch or visit a nearby restaurant.
2. We recommend bringing a chair, cooler, water and snacks. If you plan to participate in the cleaning, we recommend wearing old clothes that you don't mind getting dirty. A hat, sunglasses, sunscreen, knee pad, soft bristle brush, large sponge, bucket and a squirt bottle would also be good to have.
3. The adjacent First African Baptist Church will make their restrooms available during the workshop. Parking will be in the Church's parking lots as well as safely on the side of the streets.

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