



**Harward - Deal House 1915**  
**J Raymond & Bell Strickland**  
**Sydney & Johnny Deal**  
**215 E. Chatham St.**  
**Apex, NC 27502**

This house was built in 1915 and featured an original Dutch Colonial appearance with sawtooth wood shakes in gambrel ends and above the porch. The railings were added and the artificial siding was put on. In 1980, a two story frame duplex was added to the property for apartments. In 2010, Johnny and Sydney purchased the house to restore it back to a single dwelling. The Deals, with the help of Lee Williams, gutted the house and began restoring it back to its original floor plan. Every attempt was made to use/reuse original materials in the restoration. Six fireplaces were repaired, the original staircase was reinstalled. A family room and sun room were added as well as a detached garage. The patio was added using bricks salvaged from under the house, as well as the walkway at the front.



**Maynard-Pearson House - 1870's**  
**1101 Olive Chapel Road**  
**Home of Apex Historical Society**

The 1870's farmhouse has changed little since its last remodeling in 1944. A picture in the 1900's show the original porch across the front and rooms to the rear.

The home was build by James Jackson Maynard and Civil D. Pearson Maynard and later bought by John Phineous Pearson and Ida Colon Maynard Pearson, and remained in the Maynard-Pearson family until 1994 when the farm was sold to M.J.K. Development, which later deeded the house to the Maynard-Pearson House Trust, under the Apex Historical Society umbrella.

Generous support and countless hours of hard work have made the house into what it is today: a museum of rural living which offers educational tours for adults and children alike. Not only is the Maynard-Pearson House an example of restoration and preservation, it is a source of inspiration for period furnishings. Careful tour visitors will recognize names at the Maynard-Pearson House as those they've seen at the Apex Cemetery.

*We invite you to enjoy refreshments at the Maynard-Pearson House, and while you are there visit our Sweet Shoppe, which has homemade confections for sale.*

**Apex Historical Society**  
*Presents the*

**25th Annual**  
**HOLIDAY HOMES**  
**TOUR**

**December 4, 2011**  
**1 - 5 p.m.**



**1914 Apex Union Depot**  
**220 North Salem Street**  
**Apex Chamber of Commerce**

The 1914 Union Depot is listed in the National Register of Historic Places and has been preserved as it looked when it served as the town's train depot for rail travelers. The depot was the site of the Apex library in recent years until the library moved to a permanent location and the building became home for the Apex Chamber of Commerce. The building is open throughout the year for those needing to contact the Chamber of Commerce or just wanting to see the old depot site.



**Kim Crenshaw Photography - 1928**  
**816 NC 751 Hwy**  
**Apex, NC 27502**

**Kim Crenshaw & Larry Henson**

Once the home of Dr. & Mrs. Charles Bryan, this lovely house was moved from its original location on Hwy. 55 (where Hadden Hall subdivision is now). The original brick exterior and roof were removed to facilitate the move. When placed in this location, a third story and the huge front porch were added, as well as the photography studio on the back. The interior is much as it was when built in 1928—including the oak hardwood floors throughout. The original bricks were recycled into the patio off the studio. The sun room off the living room is where Dr. Bryan had his “after retirement” office.



**1941 Goodwin - Bartholomew Barn with**  
**Blue Grass Music**  
**John & Kathy Bartholomew**  
**3417 Olive Chapel Road**  
**Apex, NC 27502**  
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The Georgian style house (which is not open for the tour) was built in (circa) 1941, sits on 11 acres and includes a horse barn with 3 horses in the stable. The barn was built by Mr. Carl Goodwin and friends in 1945. The Bartholomews added a horse run in 2006. The barn is on the tour and features a Blue Grass band for visitors entertainment.



**The Oaks at Salem - 2008**  
**6304 Old Jenks Rd.**  
**Apex, NC 27523**  
**April Maness**

The Oaks at Salem has everything the elegant bride is looking for. As the premiere venue for weddings, receptions, rehearsal dinners, and other Triangle functions, the property provides numerous options for entertaining.

Combining centuries-old charm with the best of modern conveniences, the setting is designed to capitalize on the views from every vantage point. Situated on nearly five pastoral acres with mature hardwoods, the site offers a cozy fireplace and over one thousand square feet of veranda overlooking a serene one-acre pond. The home is situated on what was once the Howell Farm.

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The AHS Greeting Cards will be on sale at this location. Please support the society with a purchase.



**Michelle Seagroves - 1901**  
**305 S Hughes St.**  
**Apex, NC 27502**

My house was actually constructed in 1901 for Mary Beasley. As far as I know, she lived here by herself. There was a large garden on the lot beside the house, a pig pen and a chicken house. L. E. and Cloie Pate. owned the house next. They raised two children, Earl and Betty Pate Coleman in this house. Then Cloie Pate passed away in 1991. The house sat empty until early 1993 when Earl and Betty decided to use the house as rental property. The floors in the front two rooms and foyer had linoleum which was removed to reveal beautiful pine flooring. In late 1999 I moved again into 305 South Hughes Street as it's current owner. My memories of this house started back when I was a young girl eating lunch with Lori Coleman Shaumberg, Betty Coleman's daughter, eating chocolate cake and drinking sweet iced tea at her grandmother's house. The house has been repainted and re-roofed in 2011. Plumbing issues in the bathroom gave me an opportunity to renovate and install a claw-foot tub and tiled floor. This house has so many quirks and kilters, but *I love it!*