



THE PRESIDENT JAMES K. POLK STATE HISTORIC SITE

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### **“MUSIC, DANCE & ‘QUE” AT POLK SITE BRINGS AWARD-WINNING MUSICIAN TO PINEVILLE**

*David Childers joins the line-up of musicians at the 4<sup>th</sup> annual festival and fundraiser.*

PINEVILLE, NC – On Saturday, May 4, 2019, the grounds of the President James K. Polk State Historic Site will fill with the sounds of local music, the smells of delicious food, and the sights of times gone by.

Enjoy tunes from local artists the **Myers Park High School Bluegrass Club**, the **High Ridge Pickers**, and, for the first time, **David Childers**. Food and drinks will be available from **Ooo Wee BBQ**, **Olde Mecklenburg Brewery**, and **Cupcake Delirium**. A portion of all food, beer and gift shop sales will benefit the **Friends of President Polk’s Birthplace**, a 501c3 organization, and help fund educational programming and events throughout the year at the historic site.

Over 25 local businesses from around the Pineville and Charlotte area have donated items to be raffled off during the event. In addition, several big-ticket items will be available in a silent auction. The Historic Cooking Guild of the Catawba Valley and The Catawba Valley Fiber Guild will be on hand demonstrating their historic skills. A vendor village will feature booths from other local non-profits including **Carolina Waterfowl Rescue**, **Reed Gold Mine**, and the **Mecklenburg County Beekeepers**. Crafts for the kids and games for the whole family will round out a great afternoon to kick off the summer!

#### **EVENT DETAILS**

**When:** Saturday, May 4, 2019, 11 a.m. – 3 p.m.  
**Where:** President James K. Polk State Historic Site  
12031 Lancaster Hwy  
Pineville, NC 28134  
**Cost:** \$5.00/car  
**Details:** <https://www.jameskpolk.net/>

#### **About the President James K. Polk State Historic Site**

The President James K. Polk State Historic Site is an agency of the Division of State Historic Sites, which is part of the N.C. Department of Cultural Resources, a state agency dedicated to the promotion and protection of North Carolina’s arts, history and culture. For more information, visit [www.jameskpolk.net](http://www.jameskpolk.net) or <http://nchistoricsites.org/polk/>. You can also find us on Facebook at <http://facebook.com/JamesKPolkSHS> and Twitter at <http://twitter.com/JKPolkSHS>.

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