

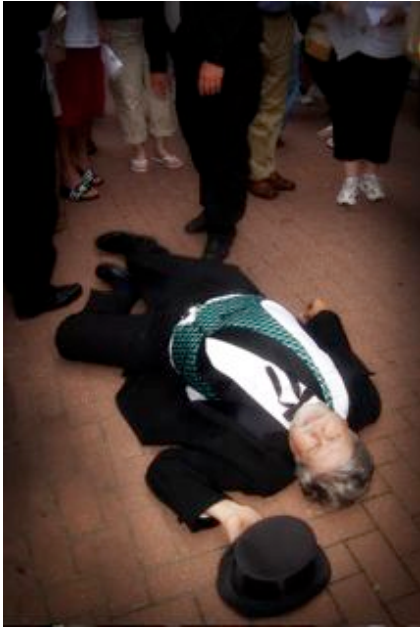


FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Murder Mystery and Art Stroll Festivities Presented by Historic Kennett Square Friday, August 6

Kennett Square, PA – July 29, 2010 – Historic Kennett Square will host the popular annual **Murder Mystery** and **First Friday Art Stroll** festivities in downtown Kennett Square on Friday, August 6. The public is invited to participate in this year's whodunit, *The Mystery of the Blue Demons Reunion*. Downtown shops, galleries, and restaurants will also be open for browsing, art openings, live music, and dining. Additional First Friday festivities presented by Historic Kennett Square include the **Kennett Square Farmers Market**, 2-6 p.m., **First Friday Craft Market**, 2-8 p.m., and **The Sermon!** featuring **Josh Komorowski** at the **Kennett Flash**, 8-10 p.m. First Friday festivities take place the first Friday of every month and are just some of the many community events occurring in downtown Kennett Square. For more information about events in Kennett Square, please visit www.HistoricKennettSquare.com

MURDER MYSTERY, 6:30-9 p.m.
Location: Downtown Kennett Square



The Brandywine Valley's favorite whodunit is back with *The Mystery of the Blue Demons Reunion!*

Meet the detective at the scene of the crime, the Genesis Walkway (101 E. State Street), to gather clues, question murder suspects in participating downtown shops, and attempt to identify the murderer and solve *The Mystery of the Blue Demons Reunion*. Prizes will be awarded to random winners.

Participant Details:

- Participants of the Murder Mystery Art Stroll will pick up a map with participating locations, general suspect information, and worksheet in the Genesis Walkway (101 E. State Street)
 - Participants will investigate the murder by determining holes in suspect stories by using the questions, answers, and clues provided by the detective, murder suspects, and suspicious characters
 - 20 suspects, denoted by costumes and potential murder weapons, will be stationed at various downtown stores in Historic Kennett Square
- Additional suspicious characters will walk around town with clues available for purchase; proceeds benefit Kennett Amateur Theatrical Society (KATS)
 - Winners will be randomly selected and awarded prizes at the end of the evening
 - Participants do not have to be present at the 6:30 p.m. improvisation to participate in the mystery
 - Participation is FREE, all ages welcome
 - Presented by Kennett Amateur Theatrical Society (KATS) and Historic Kennett Square
 - For more information call 610-444-8188 or visit www.HistoricKennettSquare.com



Slippers by Woolly Baby
Available for purchase at the
First Friday Craft Market

First Friday Craft Market, 2-8 p.m.

Location: State and Union Streets

In association with the Kennett Square Farmers Market and First Friday Art Stroll, the First Friday Craft Market is a juried outdoor "makers" marketplace dedicated to enhancing the public's awareness of functional and wearable handmade craft while providing a venue for emerging and established artists to share their creative endeavors during this unique shopping experience.

Patrons of the First Friday Craft Market will have an opportunity to meet a rotation of local artisans and buy unique, often one-of-a-kind treasures produced within the region. For more information and the July 9th line-up of artisans, visit:

www.historickennettsquare.com/farmers.html#crafts



Kennett Square Farmers Market, 2-6 p.m.

Location: State and Union Streets

Kicking off Art Stroll, the Kennett Square Farmers Market hosts special first Friday vendors and live local music every month. Support local growers and food artisans at the Kennett Square Farmers Market. Bring your re-usable bags and taste What's Fresh: fruits & vegetables, Amish baked goods, flowers and potted plants, European breads, artisan cheeses, home-made jams and jellies, grass-fed meats and BBQ, and more. For more information, visit

www.historickennettsquare.com/farmers.html



Kennett Flash presents: The Sermon! featuring Josh Komorowski

Doors open at 7 p.m., show starts at 8 p.m.

Kennett Flash, 102 Sycamore Alley, Kennett Square, PA

West Chester's *The Sermon!* is back for an evening of funk, soul, grooves, dancing, carryin' on, and having a good time at the Kennett Flash. *The Sermon!* and old pal Josh Komorowski will host a fun and energetic evening not to be missed!

For information and tickets, visit: www.kennettflash.org

DOWNLOAD HIGH-RESOLUTION IMAGES (press only)

- First Friday Art Stroll: <http://www.flickr.com/photos/kennettflash/sets/72157624014603924/>
- Murder Mystery Art Stroll (guest pass): <http://flickr.com/gp/kennettflash/5P3M2S>
- First Friday Craft Market (guest pass): <http://flickr.com/gp/kennettflash/u5w1FX>
- Kennett Square Farmers Market: www.flickr.com/photos/kennettflash and <http://www.flickr.com/photos/36471824@N02/>
- Kennett Flash: <http://www.flickr.com/photos/kennettflash/collections/72157624015016086/>

PARKING IN KENNETT SQUARE

Patrons of Art Stroll, the Farmers Market, and the Kennett Flash can conveniently park in the municipal garage accessible from North Union Street (Rt. 82) on East Linden Street. Exit the parking garage on foot through the glass doors directly into the downtown.

ABOUT HISTORIC KENNETT SQUARE

The First Friday Art Stroll, First Friday Craft Market, Kennett Square Farmers Market, and the Kennett Flash are projects of Historic Kennett Square, a non-profit 501(C)3, whose mission it is to actively support and enrich community vitality and pride, to help preserve the historic district and small town atmosphere, to promote economic and positive, productive relationships within Kennett Square and the surrounding townships. For more information including event calendar, visit www.HistoricKennettSquare.com

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