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Dear Friends of Hambidge:

**What's better than getting out and enjoying the great outdoors and Art?  
How about getting out to Hambidge to enjoy The Great ARTdoors Festival?**

On **Saturday, October 15th** from 10 a.m. until 5 p.m., Hambidge will host the annual festival and Eco-friendly fundraiser to benefit the artist retreat and nature preserve.

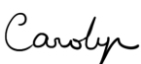
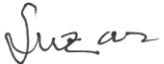



Traditionally held in the summer, this is a first-ever Fall festival and the changing leaves and cooler weather make it an ideal time for a visit. **The Great ARTdoors Festival** will feature hayride tours of the artist-in-residence studios offering rare visits with artists from Berlin, Cuba, California, Michigan, Florida and Georgia. There will be an invitational pottery show, U-do-Raku (glaze your own pot to keep), special artist demonstrations, installations, performances, an environmental education stand, native plant sale, and activities for children of all ages.

The best food trucks from the region will be serving up tasty provisions along side local Bar-B-Q, local wines and local brews. Guests will enjoy foot stomping old time music, blue grass and blues from Grammy award winning Art Rosenbaum and others.

This is the only time during the year when full access is granted to our protected creative sanctuary and artist studios. The 600-acre property lovingly cared for by Hambidge since 1934 is home to seven miles of hiking trails, waterfalls, wildflowers, a swimming hole, and a number of historic structures including a working 67 year-old water- powered gristmill.

We would be honored if you would join us on the host committee for what promises to be a fun and memorable event. We look forward to seeing you and your family this Fall. Please kindly reply by August 15th.

Thank you for your support,

				
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Please acknowledge host name(s) as \_\_\_\_\_

**Bonnet Host:** \$125 –Includes 2 tickets       **Cloche Hat Host:** \$250 – Includes 4 tickets

**Porkpie Hat Host:** \$500 – Includes 6 tickets with private access to the Hambidge Hospitality House

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