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Mississippi Farmers Market Tea Party Event Upcoming

JACKSON, Miss. – The Mississippi Farmers Market Tea Party is a come-and-go event 8:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Saturday, April 13. The Market will feature Genuine MS® Grown teas available to purchase from Mississippi tea growers across the state including Pearl River Tea Company, Yazoo Yaupon and Hickory Heal Farm. Also available for shoppers are honey, jams/jellies and flowers. The Mississippi Youth Symphony Orchestra will perform live music beginning 9:00 a.m. at the event.

This event will be outdoors, weather permitting, in the Market parking lot closest to North Jefferson Street. Seating will be available under tents or inside for patrons to sit themselves and enjoy their purchases. The Mississippi Youth Symphony Orchestra will perform live music beginning 9:00 a.m. at the event. Keep Mississippi Beautiful will be on site with wildflower seed packets in honor of Mississippi Native Plant Month.

“We are excited to welcome such a unique variety of vendors and community partners at the Market for this event,” said Commissioner of Agriculture and Commerce Andy Gipson. “We love tea in Mississippi and this is a great opportunity to promote our Mississippi tea growers. The Mississippi Farmers Market Tea Party is a wonderful event to highlight their hard work and for people to enjoy local flavor.”

The Farmers Market Café, located inside of the Mississippi Farmers Market, is open 7:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. every weekday and 7:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. every Saturday. For daily menu schedules, visit the Farmers Market Café on Facebook. The Genuine MS® Store, also located inside the Mississippi Farmers Market, is open 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. Tuesday to Friday and 8:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. every Saturday. For additional information about the Mississippi Department of Agriculture and Commerce’s Genuine MS® program, visit www.genuinems.com or follow Genuine MS® on Facebook, Instagram and Twitter.

The Mississippi Farmers Market, a division of the Mississippi Department of Agriculture and Commerce, is open 8:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. every Saturday. For additional information about the Mississippi Farmers Market, visit www.msfarmersmarket.com or follow the Mississippi Farmers Market on Facebook, Instagram and Twitter.

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Photo attached.

MISSISSIPPI FARMERS MARKET

TEA PARTY

APRIL 13, 2024

8AM-1PM



-LOCALLY-CRAFTED
BAKED GOODS

-GENUINE MS®
GROWN TEAS

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