

Reddick Mansion Association

2016 Year in Review

During 2016, almost 5,000 people visited the Reddick Mansion according to Lorraine McCallister, President of the Reddick Mansion Association (RMA). “Thanks to our wonderful group of volunteer docents, more than 2100 visitors were able to tour the Mansion this past year,” reported Lorraine. “We ask a few questions of all our visitors so we know that these visitors represented 30 states and 10 foreign countries including Brazil, France and Canada. And of those 2121 visitors, approximately 60 percent of them traveled from more than 50 miles away to visit the Mansion.”

Lorraine also spoke about the attendance at many of the popular RMA-sponsored events. 2,751 people attended events at the Mansion and we sold out several events including the Ghost Walk, the Autumn Tea, the Irish Night, and the Royal Princess Parties.

“We are an all-volunteer organization. The success of the Mansion depends on the dedication of our volunteers,” said Lorraine. More than 6,000 volunteer hours were donated to the Mansion (this averages out to more than 115 hours per week). This total included 873 hours given by the gardeners who work from April through November to create the beautiful grounds that surround the Mansion.

New members and volunteers are always welcome. Please contact the Mansion (815-433-6100) for more information or to volunteer. An individual membership in the Reddick Mansion Association is \$25.00 and a family membership is \$35.00. All monies raised are used for the operation, maintenance, and restoration of the Mansion.

Reddick Mansion Association---2016 Statistics

People taking tours: **2121**
including school groups

< 5 miles 461

5-50 miles 417

> 50 miles 1243

States represented: **30**
including District of Columbia

New England: Vermont

*Middle Atlantic: District of Columbia, Maryland, New Jersey,
New York, Pennsylvania*

*Southeast: Alabama, Florida, Georgia, Kentucky,
North Carolina, Tennessee, Virginia*

*Midwest: Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Michigan, Minnesota, Ohio,
Wisconsin*

Plains: Kansas, Nebraska, South Dakota

South: Missouri, New Mexico, Oklahoma, Texas

West: California, Colorado, Nevada,

Continents represented: **4**

Australia, North and South America, Europe

Countries represented: **10**

Australia, Belgium, Brazil, Canada, England,

France, Germany, Lithuania, Puerto Rico, Romania

People at events: **2751**

Volunteer hours: **6011**