



MAYHURST INN

Experience True Southern Hospitality and Great Virginia Wine

Situated on 37 acres in the middle of Virginia Wine Country, this magnificent 9000 Sq. Ft. Plantation Manor House was built in 1859, just in time for the Civil War and visits by many Confederate Generals. Fully restored, with all the modern amenities, Mayhurst has become a favorite destination for discerning travelers who want luxurious accommodations in an area of the Virginia Piedmont renowned for its beauty, steeped in history, surrounded by the best of Virginia Wineries and with access to some of the finest dining in Virginia.

History permeates Mayhurst. The builder, John Willis, was a great nephew of President James Madison and spent much of his youth with James and Dolley at Montpelier. During the Civil War Mayhurst became a favorite stopover for Southern Generals and 18,000 Confederate soldiers spent the winter of 1863-64 on the Plantation and the surrounding area. A recent archeology dig (and filming) by the National Geographic Channel at found 271 artifacts in just a few hours.

Mayhurst Inn has eight fabulous guest rooms, all with unique decors that reflect the historic nature of the plantation. Each room has its own private bath, working fireplace, luxury linens and all the modern amenities. High speed WiFi is available throughout the Manor House. Floor to ceiling arched windows, with their indoor pocket shutters, are in most guest rooms and reflect the Italianate Victorian architecture.



With three parlors and a library, an expansive verandah, a huge Patio and 37 acres of lawn, gardens, mowed paths, pond, sitting areas fields and forests, there are numerous places where guests can enjoy the fine wines they have purchased during their travels to the 15 wineries that are within 20-25 miles of Mayhurst.



Mayhurst also serves select Virginia wines, soft drinks, gourmet cheeses and snacks for their guests in the library every evening. Their current “wine cellar” has 14 selections from 10 of the best Virginia Wineries so that guests are assured of the opportunity to enjoy a wide variety of excellent wines during their stay. Their evening “wine and cheese socials” are a fun part of every guest’s Mayhurst experience and get specifically mentioned in the exceptional reviews guests give Mayhurst.

Breakfast at Mayhurst is an experience you don’t want to miss and will always remember favorably. A Mayhurst Plantation Style Breakfast means a baked course (such as scrumptious scones with homemade Devonshire Cream and Lemon Curd), a fruit course (like Baked Apples) and a main course (e.g., Eggs Benedict with Rosemary Potatoes) plus a choice of juices, hot tea and the renowned “Mayhurst Blend” Coffee.

The Mayhurst web site www.MayhurstInn.com has a selection of “Packages” from which to choose. The **Wine Country** package is of particular interest to wine lover and includes Virginia Sparkling Wine and Chocolate Dipped Strawberries in your room, Tasting Certificates for over 10 local wineries and a Picnic basket to take with you. For reservations call 540 672-5597 e-mail mayhurstbandb@aol.com or visit the web site at www.mayhurstinn.com



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