



Help restore a historic treasure!

In 1919 coal baron Francis Stuyvesant Peabody commissioned renowned Chicago architect Benjamin Marshall to design a Tudor Revival-style mansion on his property west of Chicago. Today, the building stands as Mayslake Hall, part of the Forest Preserve District of DuPage County's Mayslake Peabody Estate in Oak Brook. It's on the National Register of Historic Places and offers tours, lectures, concerts, art classes, exhibits, theatrical performances and space for private events throughout the year.

For the past 20 years the District has been working to restore the 39-room estate to its original grandeur, but there is much yet to be done. The District recently announced plans for the \$500,000 restoration of the rear courtyard to address extensive deterioration. Grants and budgeted funds will support part of the work, but additional cooperative fundraising efforts will also be necessary. The Friends of the Forest Preserve District is joining these efforts by agreeing to raise \$35,000 for the courtyard restoration, and your donation can help preserve this historic treasure for future generations to enjoy.

Recognition for your support may include:

- Recognition in a Friends of the Forest Preserve District press release
- Recognition in 38,500 copies of The Conservationist



- Recognition on the Friends' and Forest Preserve District's Facebook and Twitter pages
- Recognition on the Friends website

If you wish, however, you may keep your donation anonymous.

If you would like more information on making a tax-deductible contribution to the Friends, a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization, please contact the group at (630) 933-6400 or fundraising@dupageforest.org. You can also contribute directly to the project at dupageforest.org/donate.

The Friends of the Forest Preserve District of DuPage County is the nonprofit fundraising arm of the Forest Preserve District of DuPage County.

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