

# Permanent Exhibits

The Chatham County Timeline - traces life in Chatham County from its earliest inhabitants though today.



Voices of Chatham - hear the history of Chatham from the people of Chatham



Valor - see the faces of military heroes on display, and if your Chatham ancestor is not there, let us add them!

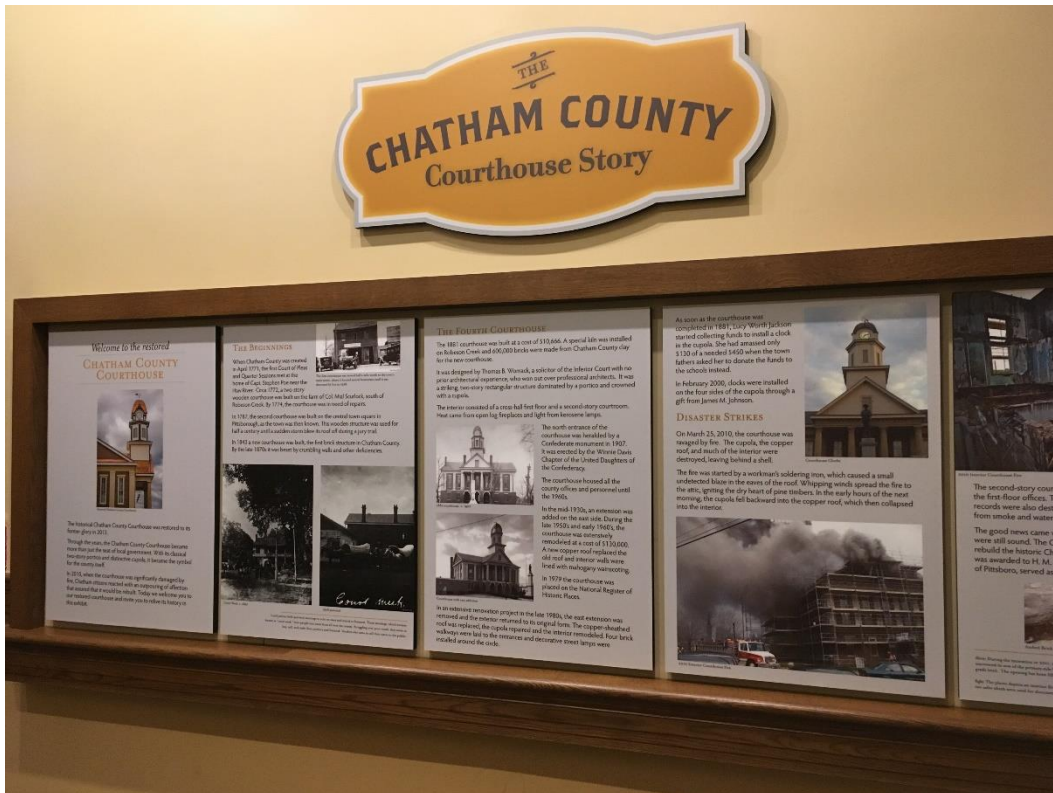
Social Fabric - understand the changes in schools, homes, and the local general stores



Making a Living - timber, cotton, tobacco, rabbits, mills, furniture, poultry, and organic farming-what came first and what continues to today?



**Courthouse** - discover how many Courthouses Chatham has had and what was kept from the original 1881 building when the current Historic Courthouse was rebuilt after the 2010 devouring fire. Experience that fire in pictures!



**And there's more ---**

**Artifacts –**  
Explore the artifacts room and see objects that help tell the story of Chatham's past.



**Gallery –**  
Where we display a selection of images from our collection.  
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**Manly Law Office -**  
(open by special arrangement)  
See Governor Manly's "Ft. Snug," a block from the Historic Courthouse.  
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