



## NEWS RELEASE

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### **An Evening of Mystery and Masquerade on the Suffolk Waterfront**

SUFFOLK, VA (September 27, 2006) — Suffolk Festivals, Inc. is hosting an evening of mystery and masquerade at the Suffolk Conference Center at 7:00 p.m. on Friday, October 6. In honor of the 29<sup>th</sup> Annual Suffolk Peanut Fest, Masquerade attendees will don evening attire, creative black-tie or ornate costumes while cleverly disguised by masks. This elegant event includes a plated meal, cash bar and the swing sounds of the Terry Chesson Orchestra. Prizes will be awarded for the Best Male and Female Masks and the Couple with the Best Matching Masks. Tickets are \$60 per couple or \$35 for an individual and may be purchased at the Suffolk Visitor Center, 321 North Main Street in downtown Suffolk. Cash and checks only, please. Additional information is available by calling (757) 923-3880 or 866-SEE-SUFK toll free.

Suggested attire is black-tie or evening dress with a mask, vintage 1800's, 1920's, etc. "Echoes of Time," located at 235 First Colonial Road, Virginia Beach, is offering 10% off costume rentals for Masquerade attendees. A selection of masks will be available for purchase at the event. Menu choice is Chicken Marsala or Planters Pork Chop with Peanut Coulis and must be designated at time of ticket purchase.

The Suffolk Visitor Center is located in the heart of historic Suffolk in the Prentis House (c. 1800) located at 321 N. Main Street. Open daily, 9 a.m. - 5 p.m. Call (757) 923-3880 for more information. [www.Suffolk-Fun.com](http://www.Suffolk-Fun.com)

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