Monticello gears up for next Heritage Harvest Festival

“the greatest service which can be rendered any country is to add an useful plant to its culture”
— THOMAS JEFFERSON, Memorandum of Services to My Country, after Sept. 2, 1800

In celebration of Thomas Jefferson’s legacy as a revolutionary gardener, founding viticulturist, foodie and epicure, Monticello is pleased to present the 8th annual Heritage Harvest Festival, Sept. 12 and 13, 2014.

Each year, the HHF celebrates Thomas Jefferson, America’s “founding foodie,” who championed vegetable cuisine, plant experimentation and sustainable agriculture. Visitors to the festival can taste a bounty of heirloom fruits and vegetables and learn about organic gardening and seed-saving during this fun, affordable, family-friendly festival — held in the gardens and on the West Lawn of Jefferson’s Monticello.

In 2014, Monticello will launch a new educational track: The Art of Living, featuring programs on wine, fine cuisine and entertaining.

Visit www.heritageharvestfestival.com to register today.