SPECIAL EVENT ON SEGREGATED EDUCATION -- August 12, 2017



The St. Louis Colored School

If you or a friend or relative attended segregated schools in Loudoun County (white or black), the Edwin Washington Project wants to meet you.

Venue: Oatlands Historic House and Gardens. We will be in the meeting room in

the Carriage House. Address 20850 Oatlands Plantation Lane, Leesburg,

Va. (this is along Route 15).

Date: August 12, 2017 from 11am to 3pm. Just walk in and share your story.

Refreshments will be available.

Host: Maddy Gold, Chief Cartographer, the Edwin Washington Project.

www.edwinwashingtonproject.org.

Please share your stories. How did you get from home to school and back? Did you walk, ride a horse, take a bus, train or car?

We especially want to reconstruct the routes. What was along the road? Tell us your personal stories. What did students do on the way?

No event reservation required. Just show up.

Background: The Edwin Washington Project is a 501©(3) non-profit that is exploring life and education in segregated schools between 1865 and 1968. We are interested in all aspects, the classes, the buildings themselves, sports and fun. Your stories matter. Please share them.

For more information, please email roederaway@gmail.com or call 703-867-2056.

Also at the event will be books for sale on local history by the Black History Committee of the Friends of the Balch Library.