

# ALABAMA *Antique* TRAIL, .com Member Newsletter



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The 2<sup>nd</sup> annual **AlabamaAntiqueTrail.com brochure** is in the welcome centers! We now have 124 member shops on the website! Last year at this time we had 70 members. We have started delivering the brochures to the shops. You may click on the photo of the brochure on the website just below the map to get a preview!

THANK YOU SO MUCH for making **AlabamaAntiqueTrail.com** a success! Again **special thanks** to the **first members** of the trail who joined when it was just an “idea”.

If you have joined the trail recently, please review the information on the first year’s newsletters, which are found on the “Join the Trail” section of the website.

When it is time for **renewal**, we will send you a bill. You may pay us by check or by charge card. For those of you who bought your domain from us, to assure that you **do not lose your domain (.com)** (which is renewed a year at a time), please pay as soon as you receive your bill!

Some of you do not have your domain, (yourshopname.com); let us know if you want your own domain. That allows you to place your domain name on your advertisements, business cards, etc. If you type in yourshopname.com, then it will go to the website that we have created for you.

Remember to send me **Calendar of Events** items for your store or for any antique related event.

Please look at the **news** section frequently. It changes daily!

If you know anyone at a newspaper or magazine, please tell me so I may send a press release to them.

Please send an email to all **your** email contacts asking them to look at the website!! **The more people know, the more they go...and buy antiques!**

Happy Trails! Alabama is beautiful!

*Marcia*