

# Chamber News!

*May 16, 2022*

Chamber Members,

**May 17th -Business After Hours -**  
**Countryside Dodge Jeep Ram at their new location from**  
**5:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.**

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**May 18th - Chamber of Commerce Golf Tournament at**  
**Hickory Hills Golf Course.** Registration begins at 8:30 a.m. Shotgun start at 10:00 a.m.

**May 19th - Henderson School Alumni Association Trust Donor +1 Appreciation Reception**  
at Central Georgia EMC Annex - 7:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

**May 21, 2022 - Art of the Garden Tour - order your tickets your today!**

**Gordon State College** has several fun offerings for the summer - violin lessons, CPR classes, Performing Arts Camp, and Soccer camp. Read below for more details.

**Leadership Butts** County applications are now been accepted. See the website for more details.

Scroll down to read details about these events and see pictures from recent events!

Lisa & Bridget



SCHOOL ALUMNI ASSOCIATION TRUST

## HSAAT DONOR +1 APPRECIATION RECEPTION



Sponsored by  
**HSAAT & Central Georgia EMC (CGEMC)**

THURSDAY, MAY 19, 2022  
7:00PM-9:00PM

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CENTRAL GEORGIA EMC ANNEX  
1083 S Mulberry Street  
Jackson, Georgia 30233



FOR MORE INFORMATION & **RSVP BY 5/12/22** TO **CONTACT 770-504-6846** OR TO EMAIL [HENDERONSREPURPOSE@GMAIL.COM](mailto:HENDERONSREPURPOSE@GMAIL.COM)

### PURPOSE OF THE MEETING:

**YOU AND YOUR GUEST ARE INVITED** if you contributed any resources (financial and in kind) to HSAAT in raising the first \$100,000 2017- 2021. As a result of your efforts and donations, HSAAT acquired ownership of the old Henderson High & Elementary School property in 2022. HSAAT will present awards to any and every donor who contributed. PL



## Business After Hours Tuesday, May 17th 5:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

The Butts County Chamber of Commerce and the Griffin-Spalding Chamber of Commerce are hosting a Business After Hours at Countryside Dodge Jeep Ram at their new location at 201 Glade Road in Jackson.

Parking will be available in front of the dealership, and in the overflow lot behind the dealership next to the RV park. Golf cart shuttles will be available for those parking in the overflow lot. Please enter on the Jeep side of the building.

See Elaine Holcombe when you arrive - she will sign you in!

## GRAND OPENING COUNTRYSIDE DODGE JEEP RAM Friday, May 20th and Saturday, May 21

Both days they will be cooking FREE hamburgers, hotdogs and BBQ sandwiches. There will be FREE shaved ice and bounce houses for the kids. They will be giving away concert tickets, Atlanta Braves tickets, GA Renaissance Festival tickets and free coupons for oil changes and car washes. The folks from Wicked Jeeps will also be here Saturday at 3pm with over 50 tricked out Jeeps on display.

Countryside will be giving away a new car - a 2021 Dodge Charger SXT Black Top edition. How do people win? It's very easy. Just be one of the first 100 people in line at the dealership Friday and Saturday morning at 9am and you'll get to roll the dice. If the dice spell out N-E-W-C-A-R, you win!!! Simple as that. There's NO purchase necessary. No test drive required. Just have a valid driver's license, be at least 18 years old, and be here in line at 9am both days. See the image of what the dice will look like and the actual car we're giving away.



2021 Dodge Charger SXT Black Top Edition

**Win a 2021  
Dodge Charger SXT  
Black Top Edition!**



Lucky contestants will have the chance to roll the jumbo dice to  
WIN the Grand Prize!



[Caption]



# Win a 2021 Dodge Charger SXT Black Top Edition!



Jackson - Butts County Council for the Arts



Saturday May 21, 2022 9 AM- 3 PM

Tickets are \$20

Under 12 will enjoy the gardens for free

Purchase tickets at:

Gold Lion Farm  
22 N. Mulberry Street

Mark's Lawn and Garden  
2640 High Falls Road

Jackson - Butts County Library  
436 College Street

Collier's Greenhouse and Garden Center  
1351 Georgia Highway 16

Butts County Chamber of Commerce  
Online at [buttschamber.com](http://buttschamber.com) (\$2.50 fee)

Members of the Jackson Butts County Council for the Arts

*Gardening is an art,  
and all gardeners are artists.*

Each of these unique gardens will also provide you an opportunity to meet an artist.

**Garden 1-** A farmyard garden featuring an owner-built barn as well as, iron work and wood work. Owner will be offering items for sale. Meet artist Rob Thurston.

**Garden 2-** A family compound that includes a large vegetable garden, a small fruit orchard, blueberries, a children's play area, natives and specimens and an enclosed flower garden. Meet artist Kyle Osvo.

**Garden 3-** A neglected garden in the backyard of a stately Victorian being rehabilitated by a novice gardener. Meet artist Mike Browning.

**Garden 4-** A lush, in-town Southern Classic Garden featuring owner designed paths, hydrangeas, camellias, ferns and a variety of antique items including a British chimney crown, and a fountain made from the family's old syrup kettle. Meet artist Preston King.

**Garden 5-** A delightful shade garden with owner-built walls, porches and patios. This garden also shows one way to successfully plant a steep front yard. Meet artist Kathrine Allen.

**Garden 6-** A master gardener shares her suburban deer resistant garden, which also includes a number of repurposed and or found items. Meet artist Suzanne Allison.

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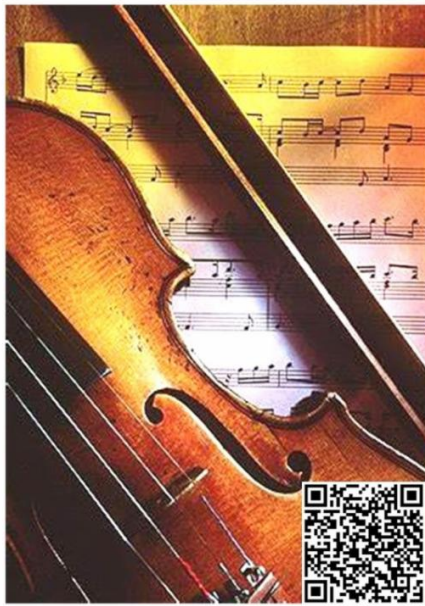


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## SUMMER THINGS TO DO AT GORDON STATE COLLEGE





## Private Violin Lessons

Virtual or Tuesdays/Wednesdays from 10am-5pm

Ages 5 to adult.

\$94 a month (30 minute session 1x per week)

Lessons are individualized, taught in either Suzuki or traditional method by Mary Stephenson, who has over 20 years teaching experience. Each lesson is 30 minutes long. Recital and group lessons will be scheduled at appropriate levels. Instruments are not included.



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## American Heart Association CPR & Basic Life Support

The American Heart Association's BLS (Basic Life Support) course is designed to teach the skills of CPR for victims of all ages, use of an automated external defibrillator and relief of foreign-body airway obstruction. This course is open to the public to register and is also available to businesses for professional development, that wish to prepare their employees for heart saving emergencies.

This class meets the CPR requirements for incoming & current nursing students at Gordon State College.

**June 10, 13, 14, 2022**

**Nursing & Allied Health Sciences room 117**



**\$70**

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## PERFORMING ARTS CAMP

July 18th-22nd, 2022

Ages 6-12

\$215 for the week (includes lunch)

Join us as we partner with Ozier Dance Studio for an exciting week of musical theatre and visual arts elements. The week will culminate in a final performance open to parents and guests on the afternoon of Friday July 22nd!



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July 11th-14th, 2022

Ages 9-13

\$215 for the week (includes lunch)

# STEAM SummerCamp



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## SUMMER EVENING WELDING PROGRAM

Basic Shielded Metal Arc Welding (50 hours)

Section 1 - Basic Safety

Section 2 - Welding Math and Basic Measurement

Section 3 - Introduction to Welding

Advanced Shielded Metal Arc Welding (50 hours)

Section 4 - SMAW Horizontal Position

Section 5 - SMAW Vertical Position

Section 6 - SMAW Overhead Position

\*Open to employer referrals from Butts County\*

**BEGINS JUNE 6**

Location

Jackson High School

Time

M-Th 6:00pm - 9:00pm

Cost

**\$2000/person** w/5 students in class

**\$1800/person** w/8 students in class

**FOR MORE INFORMATION, CONTACT:**

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**PROGRAM PARTNERS**

- Butts County School System
- Heartland, A Division of Foothills Education Charter High School
- Butts County Chamber of Commerce
- Butts County Development Authority
- Industry Partners: Toga Manufacturing/Advanced Tabco; R&B Metals; Collins Trucking

A Unit of the Technical College System of Georgia

### Southern Crescent May & June Classes

#### Leadership

Course	Dates	Time	Location	Cost
Communication Skills for Leaders	May 4, 2022	8:00 am – 12:00 pm	Ellis Crossing / Griffin	\$129 per person
The Motivated Workplace	May 4, 2022	1:00 pm – 5:00 pm	Ellis Crossing / Griffin	\$129 per person

#### Computer Training

Course	Dates	Time	Location	Cost
Excel - Level 1	May 11 & 18, 2022	9:00 am - 12:00 pm	Ellis Crossing / Griffin	\$119 per person
Excel - Level 2	June 1 & 8, 2022	9:00 am - 12:00 pm	Ellis Crossing / Griffin	\$119 per person
Word	June 2 & 9, 2022	9:00 am - 12:00 pm	Ellis Crossing / Griffin	\$119 per person
Excel - Level 3	June 15 & 22, 2022	9:00 am - 12:00 pm	Ellis Crossing / Griffin	\$119 per person
PowerPoint	June 16 & 23, 2022	9:00 am - 12:00 pm	Ellis Crossing / Griffin	\$119 per person

#### OSHA 10, Forklift, & CPR/First Aid/AED

Course	Dates	Time	Location	Cost
OSHA 10	May 2 & 3, 2022	8:00 am – 2:15 pm	Ellis Crossing / Griffin	\$225 per person
Forklift Safety & Certification	May 9 & 10, 2022	8:00 am – 3:00 pm	Ellis Crossing / Griffin	\$200 per person
CPR, First Aid & AED	May 11, 2022	8:00 am – 2:30 pm	Ellis Crossing / Griffin	\$80 per person
Forklift Safety & Certification	May 23 & 24, 2022	8:00 am – 3:00 pm	Ellis Crossing / Griffin	\$200 per person



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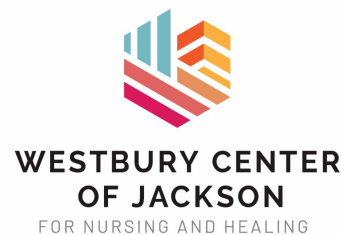
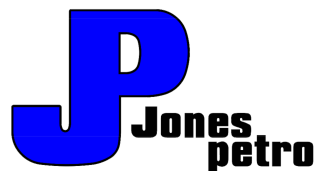


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