

Butts County Chamber News!

November 4, 2022

Chamber Members,

Trivia Questions:

1. **When was the first football game between UGA and Tennessee?**
2. ***What is the most hated team fight song?***
(Answers found at the bottom of the newsletter.)

Oct. 17th - Early voting began. Election Day is Tuesday, November 8th!

Nov. 5th - Veterans Day Ceremony - Jackson Veterans Memorial Park 10:00 a.m.

Nov. 8th - Burt Jones victory party at Idlewilde Event Center.

Nov. 12th - 3rd Street Christmas Farmer's Market 1:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Nov. 19th - Syrup Making Festival at Dauset Trails

Nov. 19th - Christmas at the Ranch

Nov. 26th - Breakfast with Santa

Dec. 1st - Texture's Holiday Open House

Dec. 3rd & 4th - Historical Society - Tour of Homes

Dec. 9th - Christmas Annual Project Give Back - Faith Works Business Solutions

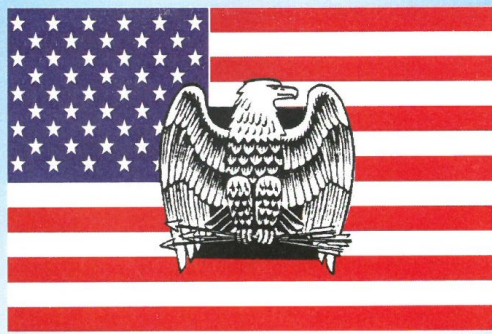
Dec. 10th - Christmas at The Barn

Read about **Southern Crescent Technical College's fall offerings.**

Read about **Gordon State College's art activities Ireland study abroad, and more!**

Read below for further details about these and other events coming soon.





The Mayor and Council
of the City of Jackson
Cordially invite you to attend a

Veterans Day Ceremony

in the
Jackson Veterans Memorial Park
Honoring Military Veterans
and
Dedicating the Park's 2022 Plaques

Saturday, November 5, 2022
10 O'clock in the Morning

300 East Third Street
Jackson, Georgia 30233



BURT  JONES

LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR

ELECTION NIGHT
VICTORY PARTY

November 8th | 6:30PM

Idlewilde Event Center
678 Lake Clark Rd
Flovilla, GA 30216

PLEASE JOIN US FOR OUR 20TH ANNUAL

SYRUP
FESTIVAL



NOVEMBER 19TH FROM 9-5

SYRUP MAKING | BLACKSMITHING | LIVE MUSIC | FOOD

360 MT. VERNON CHURCH RD.
JACKSON, GA 30233

Christmas at the Ranch



Saturday, November 19, 2022
9am-4pm

-ARTS & CRAFTS
VENDORS

-FREE PICTURES
WITH SANTA
(ON YOUR PHONE)

-FOOD VENDORS

-CHILDRENS ACTIVITIES

TICKETS \$4 PER PERSON AT THE GATE
CHILDREN UNDER 10 GET IN FREE

ALL TICKET SALES TO BENEFIT BUTTS MUTTS.
(ALL PETS MUST BE ON A LEASH)

The Rivers Ranch, 1959 Hwy 42, Jackson
770-775-1622 www.theriversranch.com



The Greater Butts County Lions Club

Breakfast with Santa



- Hot pancake breakfast served
- Kids activities
- Pictures with Santa
- Vendor Shopping
- 50/50 Raffle with Klassy Kats
- \$10 Raffle tickets available for an Oculus VR Package to be drawn at the event.

Adults \$20
Kids 12 & under \$10

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November
2022

The Rivers Ranch, Inc
1959 GA 42 N
Jackson, GA 30233
www.theriversranch.com
Seating 1 - 8:30am
Seating 2 - 11:00am

**Reservations
Required**



<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/breakfast-with-santa-tickets-441922410827>

No Tickets sold at the door.

Holiday Open House

**Dec 1st
5 - 8 PM**

**Shop
Local**

**Bring your girlfriends for a fun night of
supporting some of our local small businesses.
More vendors coming soon.**



**A Vintage Flair
Permanent Jewelry**



**Hair Tinsel &
Feathers**



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Butts County Historical Society's

Holiday Extravaganza

Dec 3 and 4, 2022

Tour of Homes 1pm - 5pm

Many historic Homes and Historic Sites (circa 1823-1913)

PLUS, amazingly decorated newer homes added!!

Tickets only \$25

**Bring Your whole family! Enjoy the shops,
café, gardens, and museums!**

Visit Dauset Trails and Indian Springs State Park!

Saturday Only:

Butts County School kids perform at Amphitheater 11am

Santa is at Keeler's Kubbyhole 1-5 and "Lighting of the Lights" at 5:30



**All shops decorated and have big sales!
See map for event and site locations!**



*Tickets & maps available in
advance or 'day of' from any
Historical Society member or at:*

The Big Chief Country Store

1834 Hwy 42 South

Flovilla, GA 30216

770-775-5350

Phone us and we will hold tickets & map at **"Will Call"!**

www.TheVillageAtIndianSprings.com

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CHRISTMAS

ANNUAL PROJECT GIVE BACK

DEADLINE DECEMBER 9TH 10AM-3PM

BRING A MONETARY DONATION OR WRAPPED TOY

ANYTIME BETWEEN Nov.1ST-DEC. 9TH

233 EAST 3RD ST. JACKSON, GA 30233



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Christmas
at
The Barn

December 10, 2022



55 Craig Rd
Forsyth Ga
4 miles South of Indian Springs
9-4
Lots of food and craft vendors

**Holiday Treat Decorating
with Santa & Mrs. Claus!**

**Saturday, December 10th, 2022
@ 10am**

Highlander Dining Hall

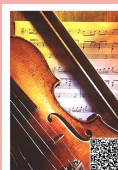
\$20 each, register online

Holiday fun for the whole family!
Each person will decorate festive treats
and cookies to take home and enjoy hot
cocoa with Santa and Mrs. Claus!

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Black Tie Event!



Private Violin Lessons
Virtual or Tuesdays/Wednesdays from 10am-5pm
Ages 5 to adult
\$100-\$125 per month (10 minutes to 20 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. The trial and group lessons will be scheduled at appropriate levels. Instruments are not included.
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Monday Night Pottery
Mondays October 10 - November 28
7:00 - 9:00 PM
\$135 (includes clay, glazes & firing)

In this creative class taught by Bob Detamore, you will study techniques of throwing pottery forms on the wheel, centering the ball, pulling cylinders, and hand building. More advanced students will work on more complex projects. There will be time for firing and glazing that will allow plenty of time for Christmas decor and gifts your family will love!



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Violin Lessons
Tuesdays/Wednesdays

A HEART FOR
Gordon
 February 4, 2023

COCKTAIL RECEPTION 6:00 p.m. **DINNER & PROGRAM** 7:00 p.m. **MIX, MINGLE & MUSIC** Until 10:00 p.m.

Short auction. Eating experiences, gifting experiences, an afternoon business on the first row, and more.

ATTIRE: BLACK TIE

Gordon State College will be hosting their inaugural gala in partnership with United Bank on February 4, 2023. The gala will raise funds for the college to provide student support in keeping with our mission to be a catalyst for exceptional and accessible education through innovative teaching, engaged learning, and transformative experiences for the benefit of our students, the communities we serve, and the world we live in.

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TICKET \$250 | TABLE \$2,000
For more information or to reserve your ticket or table, call 678.219.3729 or email advancement@gordonstate.edu

Gordon State College

Monday Night Pottery
 Oct. 10 - Nov. 28
 Gordon State College



SIX SIGMA BLACK BELT TRAINING

The **Black Belt Program** teaches participants what they need to know to be a practicing organizational quality resource. Built upon the foundation of the Six Sigma Green Belt training, participants explore the use of statistical techniques in process improvement, project leadership, group dynamics, and advanced techniques and tools for the challenges of making the organization more competitive. This class consists of two weeks of training separated by a month, a qualified project that has direct impact on the organization, and how to eliminate waste and inefficiency from the organization.

Six Sigma Black Belt Training prepares participants for:

- project team leadership and management
- collaboration with organizational leaders
- serve as an organizational continuous improvement resource

Students must have the Six Sigma Green Belt.

Southern Crescent Technical College is a Unit of the Technical College System of Georgia and an Equal Opportunity Institution

Class Details

November 7 - 11 and
 December 5 - 9, 2022

8:30am - 4:00pm each day

\$2800/person

Class is held at the Economic Development Center at Ellis Crossing in Griffin

FOR MORE INFORMATION, CONTACT:

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Leadership Training

| Course | Dates | Time | Location | Cost |
|-----------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------------|------------------|
| Communication Skills | September 16, 2022 | 8:00 am - 12:00 pm | Ellis Crossing / Griffin | \$139 per person |
| Peer Yesterday Leader Today | September 20, 2022 | 8:00 am - 12:00 pm | Ellis Crossing / Griffin | \$139 per person |
| Conflict Resolution | September 29, 2022 | 8:00 am - 12:00 pm | Ellis Crossing / Griffin | \$139 per person |
| Teamwork / Working Together | October 6, 2022 | 8:00 am - 12:00 pm | Ellis Crossing / Griffin | \$139 per person |
| The Motivated Workplace | October 26, 2022 | 8:00 am - 12:00 pm | Ellis Crossing / Griffin | \$139 per person |
| Effective Delegation | November 3, 2022 | 8:00 am - 12:00 pm | Ellis Crossing / Griffin | \$139 per person |

SIX SIGMA Training

| Course | Dates | Time | Location | Cost |
|---|-----------------------------------|--|--------------------------|--------------------|
| SIX SIGMA Green Belt Training UPDATE | Oct 17 - 21, 2022 | M-Th 8:00 am - 5:00 pm Fri 8:00 am - 12:00 pm | Ellis Crossing / Griffin | \$1,450 per person |
| SIX SIGMA Black Belt Training UPDATE | Nov 7 - 11 AND Dec 5 - 9, 2022 | 8:30 am - 4:00 pm | Ellis Crossing / Griffin | \$2,800 per person |

Computer Training

| Course | Dates | Time | Location | Cost |
|------------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------|--------------------------|------------------|
| Computer Skills - Word/Excel | September 21, 2022 | 8:00 am - 3:00 pm | Ellis Crossing / Griffin | \$129 per person |
| Excel - Level 1 | Sept 22 & 29, 2022 | 9:00 am - 12:00 pm | Ellis Crossing / Griffin | \$129 per person |
| Word | Sept 27 & Oct 4, 2022 | 9:00 am - 12:00 pm | Ellis Crossing / Griffin | \$129 per person |
| Excel - Level 2 | Oct 6 & 13, 2022 | 9:00 am - 12:00 pm | Ellis Crossing / Griffin | \$129 per person |
| Computer Basics | Oct 12 & 19, 2022 | 9:00 am - 12:00 pm | Ellis Crossing / Griffin | \$129 per person |
| Excel - Level 3 | Oct 20 & 27, 2022 | 9:00 am - 12:00 pm | Ellis Crossing / Griffin | \$129 per person |
| PowerPoint | Nov 1 & 8, 2022 | 9:00 am - 12:00 pm | Ellis Crossing / Griffin | \$129 per person |
| Excel - Level 1 | Nov 9 & 16, 2022 | 9:00 am - 12:00 pm | Ellis Crossing / Griffin | \$129 per person |
| Excel - Level 2 | Nov 30 & Dec 7, 2022 | 9:00 am - 12:00 pm | Ellis Crossing / Griffin | \$129 per person |
| Excel - Level 3 | Dec 14 & 21, 2023 | 9:00 am - 12:00 pm | Ellis Crossing / Griffin | \$129 per person |

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

| Course | Dates | Time | Location | Cost |
|---------------------------------|--------------------|-------------------|--------------------------|------------------|
| OSHA 10 | Sept 14 & 15, 2022 | 8:00 am - 2:15 pm | Ellis Crossing / Griffin | \$225 per person |
| CPR, First Aid & AED | September 22, 2022 | 8:00 am - 2:30 pm | Ellis Crossing / Griffin | \$80 per person |
| Forklift Safety & Certification | Sept 26 & 27, 2022 | 8:00 am - 3:00 pm | Ellis Crossing / Griffin | \$200 per person |

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With a health plan designed for
small businesses like yours

Welcome to a health plan for small business that is focused on improving the total well-being of your employees to keep them healthy — while also saving you money. That's SMART.

The Georgia Chamber of Commerce has teamed up with Anthem Blue Cross and Blue Shield (Anthem) to offer you the Georgia Chamber SMART Plan. It lets you:

- Participate in a larger, alternative-funded pool.
- Join with other groups to share in the overall claims risk, with financial protection backed by Anthem.
- Receive fixed, predictable monthly payments.
- Choose from a variety of plan designs.

About Anthem

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Developing unique solutions that help your employees, and your business, stay in good health.

Make the SMART choice. Contact your local Georgia Chamber of Commerce for a referral to a participating broker.

ANSWERS TO THE QUESTIONS AT THE TOP OF THIS NEWSLETTER:

1. When was the first football game between UGA and Tennessee held? Answer: November 11, 1899.
2. What is the most hated team fight song? Answer: Rocky Top

GO DAWGS!

Thank you, Elite Members!



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Tim Broyles

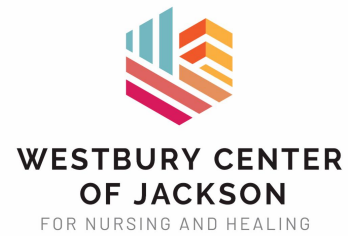
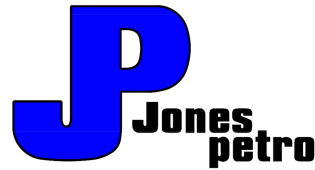
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