

Butts County Chamber News!

October 28, 2022

Chamber Members,

Trivia Question: Where is the annual Georgia-Florida football game held? *(Answer found at the bottom of the newsletter.)*

Oct. 17th - Early voting began. You may vote tomorrow at the County Admin. Building.

Oct. 29th - Trunk or Treat - [CLICK HERE FOR MORE INFO](#)

Oct. 29th - JUMC Car Show.

Oct. 29th & 30th - Community Yard Sale at Indian Springs Hotel

Oct. 30th - Pumpkin Carving at Dauset Trails.

Oct. 30th - Church in the Park - Jackson FBC - 10:30 a.m.

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

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

Nov. 26th - Breakfast with Santa

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 poster features a dark blue background with various candy-themed illustrations. At the top left is a red and orange striped lollipop. At the top right is a round orange and red candy. On the left side is a green and white striped lollipop. On the right side is a round green and white candy. At the bottom left is a red, orange, and white striped lollipop. At the bottom right is a round green and white candy. Small white dots are scattered throughout the background. The title "Trunk or Treat" is written in large, stylized letters. "Trunk" and "Treat" are in orange with a white outline, and "or" is in green. The date "October 29" is in white, and the time "4pm — 6pm" is in green. The location "Butts County Square - Downtown Jackson" is in white, flanked by dotted lines. Below that, "FREE COMMUNITY EVENT" is in green, also flanked by dotted lines. At the bottom, "register at : buttschamber.com" is in orange.

Trunk or Treat

October 29

4pm — 6pm

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Butts County Square - Downtown Jackson
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FREE COMMUNITY EVENT
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register at : buttschamber.com

ELECTION NOTICE

Advance voting for the November 8, 2022 General Election will be conducted at the following location and times listed below. Last day to register to be eligible to vote in the November General Election will be **October 11, 2022**. Voters may check their voter registration, view their NEW POLLING LOCATION, and view a sample ballot at mvp.sos.ga.gov

The **NEW POLLING LOCATIONS** will be open on Election Day (November 8, 2022) from 7:00am to 7:00pm. The earliest day to request an absentee ballot is August 22, 2022. For further information or to request an absentee ballot call 770-775-8202.

Please note: Check mvp.sos.ga.gov or call 770-775-8202 to check your new polling location for Election Day. There will be NO VOTING at Butts County Administration Building on November 8, 2022. New Polling locations are:

Stark United Methodist Church	1097 Halls Bridge Rd	Jackson, GA 30233
Rock Creek Missionary Baptist Church	2051 GA-42	Flovilla, GA 30216
Towaliga Baptist Church Fellowship Hall	160 Towaliga Church Rd	Jackson, GA 30233
Jenkinsburg City Hall	211 Maple St	Jenkinsburg, GA 30234
Jackson Butts County Community Center	576 Ernest Biles Dr	Jackson, GA 30233

Vote October 17th through October 21st Monday through Friday at this location:

Butts County Board of Elections & Registration
625 West Third Street, Suite 5
Jackson
9am – 5pm

Vote October 22nd Saturday at this location:

Butts County Board of Elections & Registration
625 West Third Street, Suite 5
Jackson
9am – 4pm

Vote October 24th through October 28th Monday through Friday at this location:

Butts County Board of Elections & Registration
625 West Third Street, Suite 5
Jackson
9am – 5pm

Vote Saturday, October 29th at this location

Butts County Board of Elections & Registration
625 West Third Street, Suite 5
Jackson
9am – 4pm

Vote October 31st through November 4th Monday through Friday at this location:

Butts County Board of Elections & Registration
625 West Third Street, Suite 5
Jackson
7am – 7pm



The Third Annual

Jackson United Methodist Church **OPEN CAR SHOW**



Open to All Years, Makes & Models!

Saturday, October 29TH

9:00 am - 2:00 pm



- ♦ Popular Choice Awards
- ♦ Burgers & Hot Dogs
- ♦ Door Prizes & 50/50 Raffle
- ♦ Visit the Youth's Pumpkin Patch
- ♦ Kid's Activities
- ♦ Entry Fee: \$20

Rain Date:
Nov 12th

Jackson United Methodist Church

409 East Third Street, Jackson GA 30233

Contact info: Beverly Coogler 770-231-2470 email ngmcCoogler@gmail.com

JOIN US FOR CHURCH IN THE PARK!



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October 30 10:30 am
Daughtry Park

Worship
Food
Fellowship



Pumpkin Carving Party at Dauset Trails

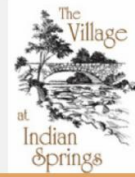
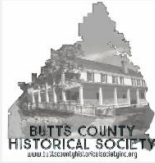
Join us for a pumpkin carving party at Dauset Trails Sunday, October 30, 3 pm, at Pavilion 1. This is a fun way to make the perfect Jack-O-Lantern for your home.

Pumpkins, carving tools, patterns, and refreshments are provided.
The fee is \$15.00 per carver.

Space is limited. Call (770) 775-6798 to register. See you at the Trails!

Dauset Trails Nature Center | 360 Mt. Vernon Ch. Rd. Jackson, GA 30233
(770) 775-6798 | dausettrails.com

HUGE COMMUNITY YARD SALE



Have items to sell but don't have the
best location to do it?

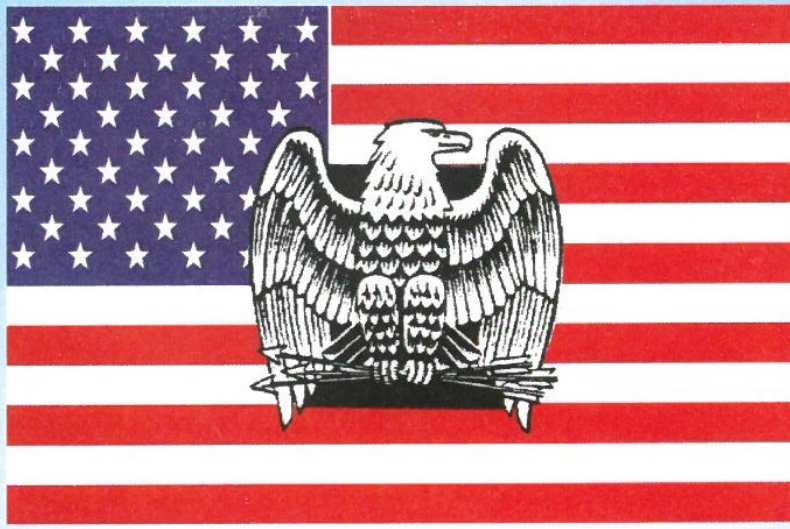
Rent a space from us!

\$25 for 10'x10'

\$40 for 10'x20'

OCTOBER 29-30
8AM - 5PM
INDIAN SPRING HOTEL
THE VILLAGE AT INDIAN SPRINGS
1807 HWY 42 SOUTH
FLOVILLA GA 30216

To reserve your space, call
770-775-5350.



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





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EXTENSION



Butts County Extension
P.O. Box 315
576 Ernest Biles Drive
Jackson, GA 30233

Please join us for our annual Butts County 4-H Poinsettia Fundraiser starting October 3, 2022.

NEW THIS YEAR, WE HAVE THE BEAUTIFUL PUNCH POINSETTIA AVAILABLE FOR PURCHASE AT NO ADDITIONAL CHARGE.

Medium (all colors) \$20 ea. (estimate 1 ½' + tall)



Large (all colors) \$25 ea. (estimate 2 ½' + tall)

Orders due November 17, 2022.

Pickup dates December 1 & 2.

1st, 2nd, & 3rd place sales earn rewards to use at either 4-H Mall or 4-H activity registration fees.

Any poinsettia not picked up by December 2nd 5 p.m. will become property of Butts County 4-H.

Remind App updates- text @2bdk6ef to 81010

Facebook updates- UGA Extension Butts County

Proceeds from poinsettia fundraiser sales help with college scholarships, costs of summer camps, help defer costs of fieldtrips, competition entry fees, snacks for afterschool clubs, mandatory volunteer training, equipment for clubs, community service projects, and travel expenses for 4-H clubs during the summer.

Bonnie McLeroy
UGA Extension Butts County
Program Assistant 4-H & Youth

AN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY, AFFIRMATIVE ACTION, VETERAN, DISABILITY INSTITUTION.

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

26
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.

IRELAND STUDY ABROAD

March 18-26, 2023
during spring break



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to pay deposit

CONTACT

Christy Flatt
cflatt@gordonstate.edu

PACKAGE INCLUDES:

- ✓ 7 Nights Accommodations
- ✓ Group Transfer from Dublin Airport
- ✓ All admission fees for guided field trips and activities
- ✓ Meals included - Bkfast x 7; Dinner x 7

NOT INCLUDED

- ✓ Airfare to Dublin
- ✓ Optional Activities
- ✓ Personal Travel Insurance (REQUIRED)
- ✓ Beverages and gratuities



CONTINUING AND PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION

LODGING

Apartments are 2-bedroomed and will be shared by 2 people; 1 bedroomed apartments have 1 double room (suitable for couples). Private apartments for 1 person require additional \$50 per night.***limited quantities***

DEADLINES

Deposit Due Date: **October 31, 2022**

Final Balance Date: **February 10, 2023**

REFUNDS

An administrative fee of \$75 will be applied to all refunds. There are no financial penalties for canceling the trip up until the Deposit Due Date.

\$1950
+\$200 travel insurance



Black Tie Event!



Private Violin Lessons

Virtual or Tuesdays/Wednesdays from 10am-5pm
Ages 5 to adult

\$100-\$125 per month (30 minutes to 1 hour)

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 cost and group lessons will be scheduled at appropriate levels. Instruments are not included.

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cpe@gordonstate.edu

Violin Lessons
Tuesdays/Wednesdays
Gordon State College



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 Delamore, you will study techniques of throwing pottery forms on the wheel, centering the ball, putting 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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Monday Night Pottery
Oct. 10 - Nov. 28
Gordon State College

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.

PRESENTED BY
UnitedBank

TICKET \$250 | TABLE \$2,000

For more information or to reserve your ticket or table, call 678.229.3729 or email advancement@gordonstate.edu



**SOUTHERN
CRESCENT**
TECHNICAL COLLEGE

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT



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:

Economic Development

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Teresa.Keel@sctech.edu

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<https://www.sctech.edu/economic-development/>

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Griffin, GA 30223

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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



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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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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- Choose from a variety of plan designs.

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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.

THE ANSWER TO THE QUESTION AT THE TOP OF THIS NEWSLETTER:
Where is the annual Georgia-Florida football game held?
Answer: The Annual Gator Stomp is held in Jacksonville, Florida.

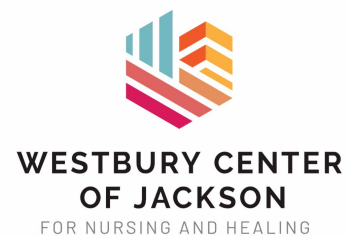
Thank you, Elite Members!



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**THANK
YOU!**

We would LOVE for you to join us!

Visit our Website

I WANT TO JOIN!

Great Things are Happening! Connect with Us!



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