ATTEND THE 14TH ANNUAL VETERANS DAY PARADE ON NOVEMBER 10, 2018

Please join the City of Marietta and the Kiwanis Club of Marietta in honoring all veterans on Saturday, November 10, 2018 at the 14th Annual Veterans Day Parade on the Marietta Square.

We hope to have a large turnout to honor all veterans and commemorate those who have paid the ultimate price in serving our great nation on Saturday, November 10th at 11 am on the Marietta Square.

The parade will begin at the Roswell Street Baptist Church at 10:45 am and march up towards the Marietta Square and back down Lawrence Street with the intention of being on the Square by 11:11 am. This year’s Grand Marshal is Brigadier General Tom Blackstock, Commander, 78th Troop Command of the Georgia Army National Guard.

EVENT SPOTLIGHTS LOCAL WWII VETERANS

This Veterans Day the Big Chicken Chorus, the Marietta Daily Journal, and the Earl and Rachel Smith Strand Theatre have come together to present Veterans Day Salute, a program celebrating and honoring members of the armed forces at The Strand on Sunday, November 11 at 3 PM.

The program will feature: A patriotic barbershop music concert by the Marietta chapter of the national Barbershop Harmony Society, the Big Chicken Chorus. A film screening of The Marietta Daily Journal’s “Memories of War” documentary featuring interviews with local World War II veterans giving their invaluable testimony of the war and their place in it. A live Q&A talkback with local WWII veterans. Patrons will get a rare opportunity to hear experiences from before, during, and after the war directly from those who lived it.

A celebration of our veterans and an invaluable insight into the second world war from those who experienced it first hand, this event is a must-see for any supporters of the men and women who gave everything for their country and anyone with an interest in WWII history.

Patrons will also have the opportunity to purchase a VIP experience which includes a ticket to the Veterans Day Salute program, a DVD copy of the “Memories of War” documentary and a reception on The Strand terrace prior to the program.

All active duty military and veterans get in free to the Veterans Day Salute program. Free tickets must still be reserved through the box office at 770-293-0080. Tickets to the program are $10 for the general public. VIP tickets are $25. VIP tickets for active duty military and veterans are $15.

BECAUSE OF THE BRAVE

The public is invited to celebrate our veterans on November 10, with a special evening USO-styled entertainment spanning wars from World War II through current day. Fine art created by veterans will be featured at a one of a kind veterans art auction in addition to renowned regional and national works donated by our sponsors. The event begins at 7:00 pm at the Marietta Country Club. The cost is $75 per person and includes an extensive buffet and cash bar. Call 770-847-9559 for more information. Presented by Cobb Thanks You For Your Service. More information at cobbthanks.com.

ACWORTH’S VETERANS DAY CEREMONY

The City of Acworth would like to say thank you to those who have faithfully served their country as well as those who are now serving. Acworth is honored to have these brave men and women living in our community and what better way to honor them than to host a Veterans Day Ceremony. Join us on Sunday, November 11 at 2:00 pm at Patriots Point at Cauble Park, home of the Veterans Memorial to honor our nation’s veterans.

If you have not seen the Veterans Memorial at Patriot’s Point at Cauble Park, make sure you visit us on November 11. The service flags of the Army, Navy, Marine Corps, Air Force and Coast Guard surround the American Flag. The concrete dome structure is surrounded by a paver walkway with engraved paver. You can still honor a veteran by purchasing a 4x4 or 8x8 paver on the Acworth Parks and Recreation website.

For more information please visit www.acworthparksandrecreation.org or call the Acworth Parks and Recreation Office at 770-917-1234

HARRISON H.S. MARCHING BAND NAMED BOA JACKSONVILLE REGIONAL CHAMPIONS

The award-winning Harrison High School Marching Hoyas were named Grand Champions of the 2018 Bands of America Jacksonville Regional this past Saturday. In addition to this title, the Hoyas also won best overall general effect, tied for best musical performance, and placed first in their 3A class! This victory is the result of months of hard work, dedication, and a commitment to excellence!

Music for All’s Bands of America (BOA) Alabama Regional Championship at Jacksonville State University is one of the nation’s most prominent championships. 23 high school marching bands were featured in the preliminary competition and evaluated by a panel of nationally-recognized music educators and marching band experts. The top-10 bands advanced to the evening finals competition.

The band performed its 2018 show “Electropolis,” the story of a world overrun by technology. Lead by Drum Majors Sara Kate Frost, Emily Zant, and Madelyn Tanner, this year’s show features music from film composer Ennio Morricone, pop artists Daft Punk, and classical composer Sergei Prokofiev.

“We are extremely proud of our Harrison Band community. The staff, parents, and especially the students helped in creating what was an absolutely spectacular set of performances this past weekend at BOA Jacksonville State. Our memories of these experiences are what we will take with us for the rest of our lives,” said Director of Bands Josh Ray.

The band began practicing their 2018 show during the summer months and have spent countless hours rehearsing and preparing for the competition.

“We’ve all been working on this for more than two months. It’s exciting for all of us to finally be able to reap the benefits of working so hard towards that common goal,” said Frost, a third-year drum major and Senior at Harrison High School.
MORTGAGE INTEREST DEDUCTION RULES

BY ANDRE E. CROW, CPA

With the Tax Cuts and Jobs Act (TCJA) came some new rules for deducting mortgage interest. In the past you could generally deduct mortgage interest, as long as the debt was associated with a primary or secondary residence. Interest on credit debt ($100,000 maximum) was deductible if the debt was secured by one of these types of property.

Under the new law, however, home equity debt is no longer deductible if the proceeds of the loan were NOT used “to buy, build or substantially improve” the secured property. This is true whether your debt is new or old. The new tax laws do not “grandfather in” any prior equity debt. Consequently, any line of credit or refinance debt that was or will be used to pay off school loans, a mortgage, credit card debt, etc., will not be deductible, starting with the 2018 tax return, if you itemize on Schedule A.

On the other hand, if you have or will have equity debt that was or is used to pay for original acquisition or for capital improvements for a qualifying home, then this type of loan is considered “acquisition debt” and the interest is fully deductible on Schedule A of your tax return.

Other aspects to the deductibility of mortgage interest are that the property has to be your principal residence, the lender, or online line loan be defaulted upon, and the loan must be recorded with the appropriate agency under state law. So, if a relative loans you money to buy a home and then issues a Form 1098 for the mortgage interest, the interest won’t be deductible, if the mortgage was never legally documented with the state.

Under the new TCJA, many people will no longer be itemizing, due to the much higher standard deduction and limitations on the state tax deduction. However, if you are still able to itemize, you will need to track the interest on any original mortgage debt and subsequent refinancing, and document the use of any funds from a refinance or line of credit. This information will be needed by your tax return preparer.

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KENNESAW TREE LIGHTING

Join Mayor Easterling and other city officials at Depot Park in downtown Kennesaw on Tuesday, November 27, for the time-honored tradition of “flipping the switch” to illuminate the official Christmas tree.

The free hour-long program begins at 6 pm and will include festive choral music and sing-along, light refreshments, and plenty of holiday cheer.

For more information, visit kennesaw-ga.gov or call Kennesaw Parks & Recreation at (770) 422-9714.

KENNESAW TO HONOR VETERANS AT LUNCHEON

The City of Kennesaw will honor the service of military members past and present with a complimentary lunch on Friday, November 9 from noon - 2 pm at the Ben Robertson Community Center, located at 2753 Watts Drive.

North Cobb American Legion Post 304 is partnering with Kennesaw city officials and staff to host the lunch. Additional sponsors include the Run for Wounded Heroes 5K. All veterans and active duty military are invited to attend. No identification will be required.

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THE SOUTHERN MUSEUM CELEBRATES WITH SANTA’S WORKSHOP

The Southern Museum, located in downtown Kennesaw, is assisting Santa this year with his toy production and hosting a special day for families on Saturday, December 8, from 9:30 am to 5 pm. The Museum will also be a toy drop-off location for the Jerry Worthan Memorial Christmas Fund, sponsored by the Kennesaw Police Department, from November 1 through December 15. All collected toys will go to community families and children in need. Santa and Mrs. Claus join the fun in the afternoon from 1 pm to 5 pm.

The Glover Machine Works exhibit factory floor will be transformed into Santa’s Workshop where children and families may meet and take pictures with Santa.

Families will also enjoy seeing the world famous General lit up to holiday music and two special holiday train layouts on display. The Polar Express Movie will show in the Museum Theater at 10 am and again at 2 pm. Families can create and decorate their own unique wood ornament to take home. Children will also have the opportunity to write a letter to Santa to give to him personally or place their wishes in our special mailbox for the North Pole. All visitors are encouraged to come dressed in their best Polar Express pajamas or fun holiday sweaters for pictures with Santa. Please note that professional photographs are not offered but staff will be present to take pictures on personal cameras or phones.

Museum regular admission is $7.50 for adults, $6.50 for seniors ages 60 and over, and $5.50 for children ages 4-12. Museum members receive free event admission. The Southern Museum is located at 2829 Cherokee Street in Downtown Kennesaw Please visit SouthernMuseum.org for further information.
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Breakfast with Santa

The Northwest YMCA will host a Breakfast with Santa on Saturday, December 15, 10 am to 12:00 noon. Bring your children and enjoy the morning bouncing, crafting, playing games and visiting with Santa. Also enjoy a pancake breakfast and performances by the YMCA Dance and Tumble Academy. This event is Free to members and the community. The YMCA is located at 1700 Dennis Kemp Lane, Kennesaw, 30152. See their ad on page 12.

Big Shanty Bassmasters

The Big Shanty Bassmasters, a B.A.S.S. affiliated club, is accepting applications for membership. If you love fishing and want to hone your skills or learn, in a friendly club environment, please check us out. You do not need a boat to join and we have memberships for both Boater and Co-anglers open. We meet the first Monday of the month, currently at Cherokee Cattle Company restaurant on Canton Highway in Marietta. Meeting’s start about 7PM and usually last about 1 to 1 1/2 hours. For more information please email us at bigshantybaas@gmail.com

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Geneology Meeting

Join us for our annual meeting with election of officers and genealogy trivia on Tuesday, November 13, 7pm – 9pm, at Provino’s Italian Restaurant, 440 Ernest W Barrett Pkwy NW #1, Kennesaw, GA 30144.

This ‘n That

FREE Thanksgiving Dinners

Sardis Missionary Baptist Church will be giving away 25 FREE Thanksgiving Dinners on Tuesday, November 13, 7pm – 9pm at Provino’s Italian Restaurant, 440 Ernest W Barrett Pkwy NW #1, Kennesaw, GA 30144.

Holiday Bazaar

Kennesaw UMC will be again hosting their annual Holiday Bazaar on Nov. 10 from 9-2 at 1801 Ben King Rd. Kennesaw. There will be vendors selling jewelry, kitchen and household items, home decor, books, baked goods and a whole lot more. So come by and stay for lunch.

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HOLIDAY CONCERT

Friday night, December 7 at 7:30, Marietta Pops Orchestra is presenting their eighth annual holiday pops concert. Marietta Pops Orchestra, formerly Symphony on the Square, is the new name for orchestra now almost nine-years old. The concerts have always been family-friendly, and now the ticket prices reflect that change. Information on how to purchase tickets is included at the close of this article.

This year the holiday annual concert will be in the 800-seat sanctuary of First Baptist Church Marietta, 148 Church St., Marietta. The concert will have sing-alongs, familiar holiday tunes a couple Trans-Siberian Orchestra favorites, medleys of holiday favorites and will feature the very popular Nutcracker Suite.

This community orchestra was begun by Dr. Paul Hill in an effort to encourage the local musicians to continue playing their instruments.

To purchase tickets: Adult ($20) - online ($20) - using a credit card, or at the door (cash, check, credit card) Student, K-12 ($10) - at the door (cash, check, credit card)

If you would prefer to purchase and pick up any tickets ahead of time, call 770.874.8525.

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The Bright Side welcomes Elder Law Firm, PLLC. The firm’s attorneys, Shelley Elder and Stephen Crane specialize in Estate planning, probate and real estate and is located in Kennesaw. Both have a firm commitment to our community. See their ad on page 6. Call Shelley Elder at 404-783-2244 or Stephen Crane at 770-819-3853.

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We recently introduced our newest team of high school interns to our members at the October lunch. This begins the fourth year that KBA has had the pleasure of working with some of Kennesaw’s most talented high school juniors as they spend nine months learning every facet of our organization.

Six students from Kennesaw Mountain and North Cobb High school will attend our KBA board meetings, shadow everyone involved in hosting our monthly networking lunches, help us at the Big Shanty Festival, experience the Taste of Kennesaw, and network with many of our 450 plus members. All of these experiences culminate in their complete production of our May 2019 lunch. It has been a pleasure watching this program grow as we continue sharing our organization with these talented students.

But let’s be honest - our KBA leadership learn more from these students than we could ever teach them. These young adults are involved in more activities, take more honors classes, have higher GPA’s, and are more comfortable with technology than I will ever be - let alone at their age. Last year’s interns actually taught a class on Instagram to many of our members. Watching them help our business leaders understand the ins and outs of social media is priceless.

Come join us for our Tuesday, November 13, lunch and help welcome these talented students to KBA. While you are there, enjoy some of Sandra’s amazing cooking from Catered Southern Events and take notes as Glen Jackson, co-founder of the marketing agency Jackson Spalding discusses the topic of Preeminence from his new book of the same name. Stay current with all our upcoming networking events by visiting our website at www.kennesawbusiness.org.

It is going to be an honor working with our newest group of interns this year and can’t wait for their moment to shine at next May’s lunch. I’m incredibly proud of all the interns we’ve had the pleasure of working with over the past four years and enjoy following in their continued successes. Many are now in the middle of college and several are even entrepreneurs as well. If these young adults are a sample of our future leadership, KBA and our community are in good hands.

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Another Amazing “Taste of Acworth”
With the passing of October, another ABA Taste of Acworth is in the books and I can still smell the fragrant aromas of great food! As I write this article the numbers are still coming in, but all signs point to this being the biggest, most successful Taste of Acworth we have ever had.

Taste of Acworth reminds me again of how thankful I am to be part of Acworth and the men and women that make up Acworth’s business community.

Why I am thankful for Acworth and the ABA

Shortly after I started my financial practice, I was invited to an Acworth Business Association luncheon. I had no idea what to expect. What I found was a community of business owners and professionals that were committed to making a positive impact on the city, while growing one another’s businesses. I knew I had to come to the next event, something called the Morning Jolt. The rest was history. In a few weeks I was an integral part of a warm and welcoming group who believed in me and my success. I was giving back to my community alongside many of the most generous people I have known, who happened to be professionals just like me. And my business grew.

Through much soul searching and prayer, as 2018 President of the ABA, I learned at a new level what I had already seen many times: ABA is not about any one person or small group. The ABA and Acworth as a community is special only because of an amazing community of men and women that make it great.

This November my heart is full of gratitude for a one-of-a-kind city. A city made up of exemplary public servants, business owners, and citizens, but a city that is vastly more than the sum of its parts. In my opinion Acworth is one of the best places in the world to work, play, raise a family, and do life. I hope this fall finds you thankful for your blessings. If you have trials, I hope you are not alone. If you are alone, I hope you reach out. Together we are stronger. Together we can continue to make Acworth great.

If you are a business owner or professional, whether a part time dream, side hustle, or full time career, you need this community and we need you. I encourage you to join the ABA and find out what I’m talking about. Go to AcworthBusiness.org and learn about our full slate of events and opportunities every month. This is one community that you cannot not give. I challenge you to try.

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While families around the country are preparing for a day spent with family and friends, feasting on a lovingly prepared meal and enjoying the countless football games that will surely follow, thousands of law enforcement officers will be working to protect our communities.

In 2015, a group of businesses and individuals came together to show their gratitude to our local law enforcement personnel. With the help of many wonderful people, we were able to provide a traditional Thanksgiving dinner for approximately 130 police officers at multiple precincts in Cobb County. This effort became known as “Blue Thanksgiving” and was a huge success.

We have continued to grow, and this year we hope to deliver both Thanksgiving buffets as well as “grab-and-go” meals to even more of our Law Enforcement Officers. To do this, we are asking for your help. If you would like to be a part of something wonderful, please donate or volunteer. Your contribution will be recognized along with others in a poster-card delivered to each precinct. These officers will appreciate not only the turkey dinner, but knowing that their service and their sacrifice is recognized and appreciated. Please make checks payable to “Blue Thanksgiving” and send to PO Box 5238 Marietta, GA 30061. If you would like to join us and help on Thanksgiving day, please contact us. We still need volunteers to help deliver and set up, as well as return to precincts later in the day for clean-up and retrieval of equipment. All help as well as donations of any size are greatly appreciated.

FREE OFFERINGS AT THE HARMONY HOUSE

In a world where prices are going up and up, one small music store in Kennesaw is bucking the trend. The Harmony House, Kennesaw’s “Home of the Arts” since 2005, has three free opportunities for the budding musician.

Chapel meets every Sunday at 10:00am at The Harmony House. During this worship service, students will have an opportunity to share the song or Scripture they’ve worked on during Free Fridays.

Free Fridays are every Friday at 5:00pm-6:00pm (and Free Tuesdays every Tuesday at 5:30pm-6:30pm for band and orchestra instruments). During this rehearsal time for Sunday’s Chapel service, students have an opportunity to hone their craft by preparing a selection to perform or improve their dramatic skills in the form of Scripture reenactment.

Friday Night Kickback meets the first Friday of each month at 6:30pm-8:30pm and is a night just for high school and middle school students to hang out, play games, eat some free pizza, have fun, and jam on stage.

Located near the intersection of Moon Station Road and Jiles Road, The Harmony House also offers private music lessons for children and adults in piano, guitar, voice, percussion, brass, woodwinds, and strings. For homeschool students they also have HEArts—Homeschool Enrichment in the Arts. In addition, they rent band and orchestra instruments and sell printed music and all kinds of accessories for many instruments.

Contact The Harmony House at 770-422-0022 or at theharmonyhouse.net, or stop by the store at 3610 Kennesaw North Industrial Parkway in Kennesaw.

GEORGIA BALLET’S NUTCRACKER

A BRAND NEW VERSION OF THE NUTCRACKER

The Georgia Ballet’s Artistic Director, Daet Rodriguez, and Ballet Mistress, Margit Peguero, are choreographing a new performance of The Nutcracker in the 2018-2019 season. This season’s production will also include new costuming and scenery including a brand new backdrop for the Land of the Sweets. The Georgia Ballet’s The Nutcracker will run Nov. 29 – Dec. 2, 2018 at the Jennie T. Anderson Theatre and include a sensory friendly performance.

The Georgia Ballet’s The Nutcracker is a timeless ballet the whole family can enjoy. This season’s new choreography will honor the holiday tradition while giving a fresh, new take on the story. The sensory friendly performance of The Nutcracker will be Nov. 30 at 7:00pm. Sensory friendly performances are tailored to children and adults with different visual and auditory sensitivities. Adjustments are made to the lights and sound so that potentially startling effects are eliminated. Seating is open to allow for comfortable participation.

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THE ACWORTH’S MAYOR’S DESK
In Acworth, we like to offer something for everyone so that the community can get out and celebrate with us. Each year, our merchants create some of the most incredible window displays for the holiday season and our Acworth Power Department does a fantastic job of hanging the holiday decorations you see throughout town.

We had a total of 43 scarecrows displayed in our downtown district along Main Street. That is double what we have had in previous years. Their creativity was so outstanding that additional categories were created during judging. We are so proud of our community and the air of festivity this event brings each year!

Acworth merchants are kicking things off by celebrating Small Business Saturday with a Merchants Open House on Saturday, November 24, the day after Black Friday. We encourage everyone to stop small and take advantage of the sales and sample treats in our downtown stores. There will be incredible deals you won’t want to miss.

As you may have noticed, the Pedestrian Overpass was set in place on October 3. We were thrilled to witness this historic moment for our city. The overpass will connect our Historic Downtown to the Lemon Street Boulevard and the ample public parking available in our Parkside District. Residents and visitors will be able to experience amazing views of our Historic Downtown District and we believe this will quickly become a favorite spot for photographers and families. The brick façade will soon be in place and the bridge is on track to be opened by winter of 2019.

The remaining projects are also on schedule and should be completed by spring of 2019. We would encourage you all to visit www.acworth.org/downtown to read and learn about all the exciting things that are forthcoming. Please encourage your neighbors to sign up for email updates to learn about all the exciting projects that are associated with this continued revitalization!

As always, for more information on any of these projects you can visit www.acworth.org, sign up for our e-news blasts on our home page, “like” Visit Acworth on Facebook, or follow us on Twitter at @VisitAcworth. God Bless, Tommy

SETTING OF THE BRIDGE
BY JAMES ALBRIGHT.
It was a Special day in Acworth, Georgia when the pedestrian overpass was set! As we were in the planning phases of redeveloping the North side of our Downtown, our city team determined pedestrian connectivity would be a necessity. Our community faced a similar challenge that many historic railroad towns face. How do you get people from one side of the tracks to the other when trains stop or pass each other? Our segment of the railroad has two tracks that serve as a passing area which causes trains to frequently stop for long periods of time. Tunneling under was not an option. Due to rights of way challenges and the ramp lengths to make it ADA compliant, we would have had to locate it well off the center of town, therefore limiting its effectiveness. In working with our design team and the talents of Ron Huffman, we decided to go over the tracks and create an iconic and scenic structure that would be centrally located in our Downtown. Now, the overpass will connect our historic downtown to some exciting new developments in the works!

CONGRATULATIONS OFFICER TAMARA IRVIN
The Chamber of Commerce Public Safety Award of Merit recognizes a deserving recipient for acts of courage, demonstrating genuine care and concern for the citizens of the community and going above and beyond the call of duty, often resulting in a life being saved.

In just five years into her law enforcement career, Officer Irvin has shown drive and dedication to protect and serve. On April 16, 2017, Irvin received a call about a stabbing. When she and her colleagues arrived at the scene, they found a man lying in an upstairs hallway bleeding heavily.

With quick thinking and a calm demeanor, Irvin obtained a tourniquet from the patrol car and attended to the victim’s wound. If it were not for Irvin and her fellow officers taking great care of the victim, he would not have survived.

Irvin’s unwavering grace under pressure is something that officers who work with her count on. Irvin is a true hero by continuing to accept risk daily with exceptional valor and success. Pictured: L-r Vic Reynolds, District Attorney, Officer Tamara Irvin, Senator David Perdue, Acworth Chief Wayne Denard.

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GREAT GIG’S SIGHTS AND SOUNDS OF THE SEASON
MAYORS OF ACWORTH AND KENNESAW WILL APPEAR IN CHRISTMAS DANCE SHOW

Great Gig Dance Co. in Kennesaw presents “Sights and Sounds of the Season,” on Saturday, December 9th at NorthStar Church. The show will feature the talented dancers of Great Gig Dance Ensemble and the premier of The Jazzy Nutcracker, a fresh take on a classic story.

This Nutcracker is set to the music of Duke Ellington and takes place in the 1940s when a World War 2 soldier returns to his hometown to spend Christmas with his family. Come see Kennesaw Mayor Derek Easterling and Acworth Mayor Tommy Allegood as they join the dancers on stage in this production, uniting the communities of Kennesaw and Acworth and welcoming the Christmas season.

“Sights and Sounds of the Season” promises to get you and your family in the Christmas mood!

A reception featuring holiday desserts begins at 5:00pm and includes a holiday-themed silent auction, followed by the show in the theater. Tickets are $15 in advance and $20 at the door, and may be purchased through a link at www.greatgigdance.com. NorthStar Church is located “3413 Blue Springs Road NW in Acworth. This is a family Christmas event you won’t want to miss!

Pictured: Jesse Vargas - Soldier, Kayleigh Everhart - Sugar Rum Cherry, Tehya Parker - Leader of the Sweet Things, Ashley Skaggs - Leader of the Sour Mouths, Mayor Derek Easterling - Soda Jerk

Great Gig Dance Co. offers dance classes for everyone, ages 3 to 103! Classes are available in Hip-Hop, Jazz, Tap, Ballet and Contemporary Dance. The studio is located in Kennesaw at 4200 Wade Green Road—in the Wade Green Crossing center, near Big Lots and LA Fitness. For more information, please visit www.greatgigdance.com, or call 770-218-2112.

2018 CHRISTMAS AT PIEDMONT CHURCH
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Join us for a festive celebration; Christmas at Piedmont Church Arts & Craft Show will be buzzing with activity on Friday, December 7th and Saturday, December 8th. Come shop the wide variety of unique arts and crafts exhibitors from all over the southeast. A sample of products to be sold is jewelry, pottery, paintings, ornaments, apparel, unique one of a kind gift items and much, much, much. A perfect time to enjoy good family fun and finish up your Christmas shopping!!

There will be delicious festival food to warm your insides, local entertainment, FREE rides on the 50-foot Snow Tube ride on Friday and FREE Petting Zoo on Saturday. Bring your camera for a photo op with Santa, FREE children’s activities, roasting marshmallows & smores and much, much, much more.

The Snow Tubing Slide is presented by C&S Paving on Friday from 6:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m., and Saturday from 10 a.m., to 5 p.m. You and your family can ride on more than 50 feet of a state-of-the-art snow tube slide that uses more than 8,000 pounds of ice and snow to create an awesome winter experience . . . the best part is it’s FREE!!!

The Petting Zoo on Saturday from 10:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. The whole gang can see more than 20 of your favorite petting zoo animals right there on the lawn at Piedmont Church.

Local Entertainment will be set on the LGE Community Credit Union Stage featuring local school chorus groups filling the air with joy. Local dance groups will also be there to get you in the Christmas Spirit!!

Children’s Activities will be in abundance featuring a giant slide, Euro-Quad Bungy, obstacle course, bounces, and more. There will be fun activities for children throughout the event – roasting marshmallows, seeing Santa, and much, much, much more!

Hours are Friday, December 7th; 5:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. and Saturday, December 8th; 10:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. FREE Admission and FREE Parking. There will also be FREE parking and a free courtesy shuttle from JJ Daniell Middle School and the Old Time Pottery Parking lots.
MARIEETTA TO HOST SANTA’S ARRIVAL & CHRISTMAS TREE LIGHTING NOVEMBER 29
The City of Marietta’s Parks and Recreation Department is pleased to host its annual Christmas Tree Lighting Ceremony in conjunction with the arrival of Santa Claus on Thursday, November 29, 2018 in Glover Park on the Marietta Square.

The Christmas Cheer begins at 4:00pm on Thursday, November 29th with performances by local school choruses. Santa makes his grand entrance via a City of Marietta firetruck at 5:20pm followed by the lighting of the City’s Christmas Tree at 6pm.

Important information – Santa must leave the Square promptly 8pm that evening to make his way back to the North Pole!

KENNESAW’S SANTA PARADE & DAY WITH SANTA
The City of Kennesaw will usher in the holiday season on Saturday, December 1 with a Main Street parade featuring marching bands, decorated floats, vintage cars, colorfully-costumed characters, and Santa Claus himself.

The parade begins at noon at the entrance to Adams Park on Main Street, and will wind through downtown Kennesaw on Main Street. The celebration continues at Depot Park, 2828 Cherokee Street, until 6 pm with A Day with Santa presented by WellStar Health Systems. Activities include a snow playground, inflatables and amusements, kid’s crafts, visits with Santa, stage entertainment, and a holiday market full of gift ideas and unique merchandise. Food vendors will be onsite.

Event organizers are seeking vendors, as well as accepting entries for the parade at adaywithsanta.com. Parade entries will be judged and prizes will be awarded in several categories. The best overall float will win a cash prize of $250. Parade participation is free.

Cancellations may occur due to weather conditions. For more information, visit adaywithsanta.com or call Kennesaw Parks & Recreation at (770) 422-9714.

ACWORTH’S SANTA’S ARRIVAL
The City of Acworth, along with their partner NorthStar Church is excited to host this year’s Santa’s Arrival! Santa arrives in Historic Downtown Acworth on Senator Russell Avenue on Friday, December 7. Festivities will begin at 5:30 p.m. and Santa is scheduled to arrive at 6:30 p.m. There will be a host of live performances and activities until 8:30 p.m. to help Santa kick off the holiday season. Don’t forget to visit Frana Brown Park, where you can peruse the beautiful Festival of Trees! Bring the entire family to hear Mayor Tommy Allegood read The Night Before Christmas and watch the lighting of the tree on the Plaza behind Henry’s. Enjoy pictures with Mr. Claus, eating candy canes with all his elves, and filling the streets with the holiday spirit. Pictures with Santa are free each year and begin at 6:45 p.m. There will not be a photographer onsite, so please plan on bringing your camera to capture the special moment.

We are excited to have The Holbrook as a sponsor this year.

For questions pertaining to this event, please contact Kim Watt at kwatt@acworth.org.

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Kennesaw’s Holiday Shop

Pottery both functional and whimsical, produced by students and instructors from Kennesaw Parks & Recreation’s pottery program, will be on display and available for purchase at the City of Kennesaw’s Carrie House in November. One-of-a-kind items handmade by local artists including jewelry, felted wool and knitted items, photography and other mixed-media works of art will also be offered for sale.

The Holiday Gift Shop will operate on Friday-Sunday, November 9-11 and Friday-Sunday, November 16-18 from 10am to 5pm. An opening night reception with refreshments, music, door prizes, and special offers will be held on Friday, November 9 from 6 - 8 pm. The public is invited to attend. The Carrie House is located at 2838 Cherokee Street. Parking is available in the Depot parking lot, across the street from the Southern Museum.

For more information, visit kennesaw-ga.gov or call Kennesaw Parks & Recreation at (770) 422-9714.
SAGE SUNDAY WITH OAK SANCTUARY

Oak Sanctuary’s upcoming class Sage Sunday on Sunday, November 11 is an introduction to cleansing your house with sage. We all have an idea what it means to sage our homes or workplaces but this event will help you even further.

We will talk about the energies that enter your space either by people or objects. Clearing regularly will keep your space feeling inspired and inviting. You will learn how to work with sage and how to smudge an area or your entire home.

We will make our own sage sticks that we can take home and use.

For more information, please visit www.theoaksanctuary.com. This workshop will be held Sunday, November 11 beginning at 4pm at Core Bodyworks, 4358A Southside Drive, Acworth, GA 30101. The cost is $20.

WHAT IS VISION THERAPY?  DR DYLAN REACH, ACWORTH FAMILY EYE CARE

Some visual conditions cannot be treated adequately with just glasses, contact lenses and in-patching and, are best resolved through a program of Vision Therapy. Vision Therapy is an individualized, supervised, treatment program designed to correct visual-motor and/or perceptual-cognitive deficiencies. Therapy sessions include procedures designed to enhance the brain’s ability to control: eye alignment; eye tracking and eye teaming; eye focusing abilities; eye movements and/or visual processing.

During the final stages of therapy, the patient’s newly acquired visual skills are reinforced and made automatic through repetition and by integration with motor and cognitive skills.

Who Benefits from Vision Therapy?  Children and adults with visual challenges, such as Learning-related Vision Problems - Vision Therapy can help those individuals who lack the necessary visual skills for effective reading, writing, and learning (i.e., eye movement and focusing skills, convergence, eye-hand activity, visual memory skills, etc.).

Poor Binocular (2-eyed) Coordination - Vision Therapy helps individuals develop normal coordination and teamwork of the two eyes (binocular vision). When the two eyes fail to work together, performance in many areas can suffer (reading, sports, depth perception, eye contact, etc.).

Convergence Insufficiency (common near vision disorder) - Recent scientific research has proven that in-office Vision Therapy is the best treatment for Convergence Insufficiency.

Amblyopia (lazy eye), Diplopia (double vision), and Strabismus (cross-eyed, wandering eye, eye turns, etc.) - Vision Therapy offers much higher improvement rates for turned eyes and/or lazy eye when compared to eye surgery, glasses, and/or patching, without therapy. The earlier the patient receives Vision Therapy the better, however, our office successfully treats patients well past 21 years of age.


Sports Vision Enhancement - Strong visual skills are critical to sports success. We can measure and successfully improve eye-hand coordination, visual reaction time, peripheral vision, eye focusing, eye tracking and teaming, visualization skills, and more.

Vision Therapy can be the answer to many visual problems. Don’t hesitate to contact our office with your questions.

FENDER-BENDER HELP

It happens out of nowhere, yet most of us have experienced a sudden crash into another vehicle. If you find your car trying to occupy the same space as another, remember these points:

1. Even minor traffic accidents can injure passengers far more than indicated by the sometimes superficial damage to a car. Be sure that each passenger involved in an accident gets a thorough chiropractic examination. Prompt attention can often speed up the recovery process.

2. If your injuries necessitate a visit to the emergency room, you’ll likely receive a clean bill of health and a prescription. The muscle relaxants will make you loopy but won’t do a thing for the unnoticed spinal misalignments. Stop by a quality Chiropractor’s office for a more thorough exam.

Chiropractic Restores Motion. When your neck and back are injured in an accident, the information that the brain receives is out of sync, which can cause structural problems. Chiropractic adjustments will mobilize your spine and allow it to begin the healing process faster than normal, which will feel amazing as it’s happening and even better the next day.

Chiropractic Reduces Scar Tissue. Most people think of old wounds on their skin when they hear the words “scar tissue,” but this type of tissue can also form inside the body as well. Muscles will develop scar tissue after an injury because it’s the body’s natural response. Scar tissue will cause someone to feel stiff and uncomfortable for some time, even though it will heal naturally. A chiropractor can target the damaged areas and break up the scar tissue.

This will help someone feel better in addition to healing faster.

Chiropractic Care Has Proven To Work. People who receive prompt chiropractic care after an accident are less likely to experience long-term issues. People who continue working and staying active after an accident are the ones who will recover faster than those who stay in their bed all day.

It’s important to see a quality chiropractor to work on your body after an accident. There are many great chiropractors here, call our office and see if we are a good fit for you. There isn’t any injury we haven’t seen before, so stop by to consult with the doctor about eradicating your pain. Your body will thank you after the first treatment and you will be feeling much better in no time.

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NCHS HALL OF FAME
On Friday evening, Oct. 26, five stellar alumni of NCHS were inducted into the Athletic Hall of Fame. While their athletic abilities at NCHS were amazing, what they have accomplished since then is even more amazing. Pictured 1–r Principal Mathew Moody, Jasmine Blain, Jeff Allen, Shon Tucker, James Albright, Matthew Bird. VP/AD Matt Williams

Congratulations to Jasmine Blain. Jasmine was one of best basketball players to ever play at North Cobb. She continued her career at GA Tech and now works in graphic design in the fashion industry.

Congratulations to Jeff Allen. Jeff played football at NCHS. Jeff is the Head Athletic Trainer at the University of Alabama.

Congratulations to Shon Tucker. Shon is one of most celebrated high school athletes to ever walk the halls of North Cobb. Shon lettered in volleyball, basketball, track and field. Shon is an RN.

Congratulations to James Albright. Wrestling was James’ sport at NCHS. James has made huge impact on so many that come through our school and community, both as Director of Acworth Parks and Rec and a coach with Acworth’s football program. Thanks for all you do.

Congratulations to Matthew Bird. Matthew had a stellar basketball and baseball career at North Cobb before attended Yale University on scholarship. He is currently a professor in Lima Peru.

GLT GOLF, LLC.
Local golf academy and educational company, Game Like Training (GLT) Golf, operates GLT Golf Store. Founded in 2016 by Matthew Cooke and Iain Highfield, GLT Golf has become a rising star in the golf educational and instructional community. With the launch of its new e-commerce site & retail store, the company seeks to further cement its place in the professional golf industry. By offering exceptional deals, industry leading pricing and unparalleled customer service, not to mention an expansive inventory of the most up-to-date items from the top names in golf gear, fashion, performance, training and accessories, the GLT e-commerce site & Retail Store is sure to be an industry disruptor.

Entering the golf industry back in 2010 Matthew aspired to serving the golf communities from every angle possible. Starting out as a golf coach in the United Kingdom Matthew wanted to first provide superior golf coaching strategies for golf teachers & golfers. Eight years later Matthew stepped back into the golf retail world with a vision of providing education and information on products that provided value to the right golfer.

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ACWORTH TURKEY CHASE 5K FUN RUN
Save the date for this annual Thanksgiving season tradition, presented by the City of Acworth Parks, Recreation and Community Resource Department! On Saturday, November 17, enjoy an exhilarating 5K run through Historic Downtown Acworth and along the shores of beautiful Lake Acworth. Walk, jog, or run, participants of all ages and abilities are welcome.

Registration for the Untimed Fun Run for age 13 and over is $10 before noon on November 14 or $20 on the day of the race. Registration for the Untimed Fun Run for kids age 6 to 12 is $5 before noon on November 14 or $10 on the day of the race. Kids 5 & under are free.

The Timed Run for participants 10 years old and up, the cost is $20 before noon on November 14 or $30 the day of the race. All participants must bring a non-perishable food item on race day to receive their race number and Acworth Turkey Chase t-shirt. The 5K Fun Run will begin at 9:00 a.m. and the 2K walk at 9:15 a.m. on Main Street in Downtown Acworth. There will be a “Little Pilgrim” Trot for children up to age 5 beginning at 10:00 a.m. on Main Street.

For more information, to register and for sponsorship opportunities visit www.acworthturkeychase.com. All non-perishable food items are benefit the Tackle Hunger Program.
ETO PARTNERS WITH PITNER ELEMENTARY & KENNESAW 1ST BAPTIST
ETO Martial Arts and Fitness visited with Pitner Elementary School and Kennesaw First Baptist Church during the month of October. ETO founder Missan Edwards and black belt instructor Meena Edwards were the featured guest trainers for a “Ladies Self Defense” workshop held at Kennesaw First Baptist on Thursday evening October 18. Participants were presented with safety tips and invited to take part in several hands-on demonstrations. The event was fun and informative. Then on Friday October 26, Miss Missan and black belt instructors Meena Edwards and Staci Thomas were the featured guests speakers for over 400 of Pitner Elementary third, fourth and fifth graders during their Red Ribbon Week celebration. ETO team provided a mini Self Defense lesson featuring ETO’s ARF Principle, went along perfectly with Pitner’s theme “Good Character, Good Choices, Avoid Drugs & Bullying!” The students was also thrilled to watch a real life sword demonstration! ETO Martial Arts and Fitness is proud to partner with local schools and community organizations in an effort to serve and help keep our children and families safe. If you would like to know more about self defense classes or programs, please call ETO at 770-528-9821 or check out www.myETO.com. Together we can make a difference! Pictured: (l-r) blackbelt Meena Edwards, ETO Founder Missan Edwards, blackbelt Meena Edwards Staci Thomas at Pitner Elementary School

ETO’S FRIGHT FEST DELIGHT!
ETO’s annual Fright Fest was held on Thursday night 10/24. The celebration included a costume contest, fun games, safety scenarios (starring the ETO STORM), traditional “Thriller” Dance, treats and a special guest appearance by Miss Daisy and her friends at “Super Scales”. Owner and handler Mr. Sam Yondow did a wonderful job of educating and entertaining the inquisitive group of ETO martial artists and families. KUDOS & THANKS to “Super Scales, our volunteers, judges and all those who donated candy for the event! A special thanks to ETO instructor Mr. Zep for providing his hand carved pumpkins! They were BOO-ti-ful! If you would like to join the ETO family fun, please check us out at www.myeto.com or give us a call at 770-528-9821. GO ETO! (Pictured: Mr. Sam Yondow & Miss Daisy with ETO bunch).

BASSMASTERS
For our second tournament we went back to Lake Lanier and what a difference 2 weeks makes. The morning greeted us with cloudy skies all day and am temps in the low 60’s which by the end of the day warmed up to the 70’s. Another approaching cold front kept the skies cloudy for the greater part of the day, and every once in a while we got a slight misting of rain. This was quite a change from th 80’s we experienced two weeks prior. The Fish are transitioning into their fall patterns, Water temps were mid 70’s and clear for Lanier standards.

Winners went as follows; Michael Miranda brought in Big Fish of the tournament at 3 lbz 11oz, Bill Scearce wins on the Co Angler side with 4 fish weighing in at 9lbs 12 oz. Al Frix, wins again on Lanier on the Boater side with 4 fish at 9lb 3 oz. Al reports his winning fish came off a shakey head worm in the mouth of the creek on bluff walls. Our Next tournament is November 17th at Lake Logan Martin. We meet on the first Monday of the month at the Cherokee Cattle Company. We are still accepting new membership so come on out see us at our next meeting.

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CHOA PROVIDES TRAINING TO SCHOOL PERSONNEL

It was Friday night, Football Night across America, and at McEachern High School on September 7th, McEachern was playing Cedar Grove High School. All of a sudden, one of the Children’s Healthcare McEachern Athletic Trainers, Eva Beaulieu, noticed a commotion on the sidelines and they headed to see if help was needed. A Cedar Grove player had collapsed and was in cardiac arrest. Children’s McEachern Athletic Trainer, James Wombles, started CPR, and then administered electrical shocks with the Automated Electronic Defibrillator (AED) Machine. The young man responded, his heart began to beat, and he was transported to the hospital.

We are incredibly thankful for the Athletic Trainers at McEachern High School and the training they receive at Children’s Healthcare. Cedar Grove High School does not have an Athletic Trainer, so it was indeed a divine appointment for the game to be at McEachern!

CHOA’s Project S.A.V.E. is the department that trains nurses, teachers, and other school personnel CPR and AED usage.

To find out how your school personnel can receive this training visit the Project S.A.V.E. website. www.choa.org/projectsave

RENOVATED CHEF BRINGS CULINARY FLAIR TO HOLBROOK

In the South’s only designer active adult communities with the best class amenities, you can be assured the culinary experience is also in a class by itself. The cuisine is all sourced from local farmers providing fresh table whole foods designed to enhance healthy living and a discerning palate. Holbrook, a collection of active adult communities, has ignited its focus on food by hiring renowned chef Tom McEachern as the company’s Director of Culinary Services.

In his role, McEachern will be responsible for creating a culinary vision for all Holbrook communities and developing and managing on-site dining staff within each community. With more than 25 years as an executive chef in award-winning restaurants, McEachern has a passion for food, traditional and modern culinary science, techniques and ingredients. Listed as a James Beard Foundation Rising Star of American Cuisine, he was featured as a guest chef twice and has appeared in a variety of TV shows, McEachern’s strong culinary history in Atlanta includes leadership positions at The 1848 House Restaurant, Ray’s on the River and The Capital Grille.

To learn more about Holbrook’s designer residences, please visit holbrooklife.com or call 404-445-7777.
BAKER ELEMENTARY SCHOOL NEWS

On Friday, September 21, Baker Elementary had an awesome STEM DAY! The 4th grade students had to construct a spacecraft that would orbit Europa, Jupiter’s moon, and land safely. They had a blast with this activity!

KMH SJROTC QUALIFIES FOR REGIONALS!

On September 29, 2018, Kennesaw Mountain High School NJROTC participated in a sanctioned Drill Meet at Stockbridge High School. In this event, the cadets competed in drill, athletic, personal inspection, and academics. Out of 12 schools, Kennesaw received first in Color Guard, 1st in armed basic, 2nd in personal inspection and academics, 3rd in armed exhibition and pushups, 1st place overall. They only had less than 90 cadets in their unit, yet they competed against schools that has more than 160 cadets. This greatly shows the hard work and dedication the unit has put in this year’s first drill meet. The cadets rightfully qualified to go to the incoming regionals.

HOYA MERRY MARKET

Mark your calendar! Harrison High School will hold its third annual HOYA MERRY MARKET on Saturday, December 8, 2018. Crafters will sell their hand-made items in the school’s main dining hall from 9:00 am to 3:00 pm. The Market is open to the public and admission is FREE.

Items for sale will range from jewelry, bath products, doll clothes, and pet treats to wooden art, embroidered items and Christmas décor. Get your holiday shopping completed early. You’ll find something for everyone on your Christmas list.

And this year, we are excited to announce that SANTA will be visiting from the North Pole for pictures with the kids. BBQ chicken and roasted corn will be available to purchase.

Music will be provided throughout the day by Harrison’s orchestra, band and chorus, as well as local elementary and middle school choruses.

Harrison students are involved with set-up, kids’ crafts, beverage station, and selling baked goods.

Proceeds from vendor fees go to the Hoya Foundation which supports all Harrison students by transforming the current media center into learning commons, providing students with a competitive edge through enhanced educational opportunities, and integrating STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math) curriculum into all areas of learning.

Spaces may still be available for crafters wishing to participate. Please contact the organizer for the Market, Christie Schomer, at schomer55@yahoo.com or text her at 404-423-3565.

SUPPORTING THE NEXT GENERATION OF BUSINESS LEADERS

At the Kennesaw Business Association October luncheon, the KBA made a $1000 donation to the KSU Entrepreneurship Center for students. These students are the next generation of business entrepreneurs. Pictured l-r: Christian Brown, Mathew Norman, Joeye ruse speaker and program coordinator, KBA President, CAREL Beker

HHS BAND ELECTRONICS & PAINT RECYCLING

Harrison High School Marching Band is holding a Electronics and Paint Recycle/Day on Saturday, November 17th, 9:00am-5:00pm in the Upper Parking Lot of Harrison High School. Please bring items to be recycled. There is a $20.00 processing fee for 1 TV/monitor and $15.00 for each one after. A portion of this amount goes to HHS Bands as well.

We now accept paint cans!! A processing fee of $4 per quart or gallon or $10 per 5 gallon bucket is requested, with a portion of this fee going to the band. (Paint cans do not need to be empty or have kitty litter in them). All donations/processing fees are tax deductible. You will be given a receipt for your donation.
MENORAH LIGHTING CEREMONY

The City of Acworth invites everyone to our annual Menorah Lighting Ceremony on Tuesday, December 4 at 6:00 p.m. This will be the third night of Hanukkah. The Menorah is located at the corner of Cowan Road and Main Street in Downtown Acworth. Rabbi Zalman Charytan from the Chabad Jewish Center will officiate the lighting with Mayor Tommy Allegood assisting. The eight day Jewish holiday commemorates the Jewish Maccabees’ military victory over Syrian-Greek oppression more than 2,000 years ago. During Hanukkah, Jews across the world celebrate the miracle of light that burnt for eight days out of a single-days-worth of oil found in the Temple. One Hanukkah candle is lit the first night and an additional candle is lit each successive night. The holiday is a celebration of religious freedom and hope. For more information visit www.acworthparkandrecreation.org or call the Parks and Recreation office at 770-917-1234.

HURTING THROUGH THE HOLIDAYS

BY KIM MOORE, PASTOR MISSION FOR LIFE CHURCH

It seems as if we just sang “Auld Lang Syne” to welcome the New Year, and we find ourselves staring at November; where did 2018 go? I don’t know about you, but the cliché “time flies” has become a reality. As we enter the holiday season, many will participate in family gatherings, company holiday parties, and lots of pomp and circumstance that the season brings. However, this festive time will also be sure to usher in a significant increase of loneliness and depression for others. Not necessarily because they are against this time of year, but that it is a rather sobering reminder of loved ones or lost relationships that are no longer here in which to enjoy what is supposed to be the most wonderful time of the year. This is something that we all, at some point in our lives, will experience.

Death is imminent, and not one of us can avoid it. Experiencing the loss of a loved one can be especially difficult during the most sentimental holidays such as birthdays, Christmas, Mother’s Day, and Father’s Day. It is well-documented that the suicide rate increases dramatically when life issues are compounded with the loss of a loved one around the holidays. I believe that we can be a source of great support and encouragement for those around us if we paid closer attention and noticed changes in behaviors such as unusual distance and isolation.

I also believe that prayer should always be our first course of action in these very delicate situations. As we seek God’s wisdom on how to proceed, I believe that the Lord will give us the wisdom on what we should and should not do. Let’s face it, there are no cookie cutter answers, but I believe that if we take this small step to look outside of ourselves for the well-being of someone else, the Lord can use us to make an incredible difference in the lives of others.

Join us for our Holiday Candlelight Service

Winkenhofer Pine Ridge Funeral Home & Cemetery and Kennesaw Memorial Park invite you to our Holiday Candlelight Service - an uplifting and meaningful way for families who have suffered a loss to start the holiday season.

We know memories and time well spent with family and friends is what makes this season special.

CANDLELIGHT SERVICES:
Winkenhofer Pine Ridge Funeral Home & Cemetery
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This award is given to the employee who has performed his or her job with exceptional skill, exhibited leadership and critical incident management and a devotion to their responsibilities. The Cobb Chamber 2018 Public Safety Employee of the Year received a glass sculpture created by Lillie Glassblowers in Smyrna, and a handgun courtesy of GLOCK.

In the nine years Patrol Officer Jayson Duncan has served in public safety, he has been awarded for multiple acts of heroism, critical thinking and leadership. His service and commitment has saved many lives in Marietta.

On March 31, 2018, Duncan responded to a report of stabbing that had occurred as a result of a fight off Powers Ferry Road. When Duncan arrived on the scene, he found the victim with a large slash across his throat, which was bleeding heavily. Duncan took control and assisted another officer with applying hemostatic gauze to the wound. Being thorough and diligent in all situations, Duncan treated the patient until the EMS arrived and took over. Due to his training, experience and preparedness, both Duncan and his colleague were able to treat the victim before it worsened.

Pictured above l-r Cobb Chamber Chairman, Trey Sanders; Vic Renolds Cobb District Attorney; Officer Jayson Duncan; US Senator David Perdue; Marietta Police Chief, Dan Flynn.

JOHN BERRY IN CONCERT

For the fourth year, Grammy award winning singer/songwriter John Berry will open his annual Christmas tour at Marietta High School’s Performing Arts Center. This concert, scheduled for Friday, November 16, at 7:30 pm, benefits the Marietta High School College and Career Academy.

This full-band concert includes many of John’s old standards as well as a selection of Christmas music including John’s electrifying performance of “O Holy Night.”

Come join in the fun-filled night with the performer who brought us the amazing hits “Your Love Amazes Me,” “Kiss Me in the Car,” “She’s Taken a Shine,” “Standing on the Edge of Goodbye” and so many more.

MARTINIS AND MUSIC

Marietta Cobb Museum of Art is hosting their fabulous Martinis and Music on Friday, November 9 5:30-8:30. The Museum is exhibiting Aron Belka (Aron Belka is a visual artist focusing primarily on oil painting). He lives and works in New Orleans, and David Uhl (David Uhl is an American artist who specializes in oil paintings of vintage Harley-Davidson motorcycles and is known for his Women of Harley-Davidson collection.) Live music by Johnny Porrazzo. Admission is $10 and members are free. Hors d’oeuvres and a cash bar. For more information call 770-528-1444.

THE STRAND THEATRE’S HOLIDAY EVENTS

Holiday celebrations at the theatre run December 7 through December 31:

- A Christmas Tradition, Christmas Royal Tea and Grand Yuletide Ball, It’s A Wonderful Life movie marathon, as well as the return of last year’s sell-out special Strand Ole Opry’s Country Christmas. All shows run in December and are on sale now.
- Strand Ole Opry’s Country Christmas | Saturday, December 7 @ 8:00pm
  A down-home bluegrass concert of holiday music performed on the banjo, fiddle, guitar, bass, and washboard. A band of merry singers and traditional southern storytellers invite patrons onto The Strand’s metaphorical ‘back porch’ to bring a little twang to the tinsel season. Tickets are $18 in advance and $20 the day of.
- A Christmas Tradition | December 14 - 23, 2018
  A high energy holiday song and dance musical revue featuring costumed singers and dancers performing both traditional and funky Christmas favorites. A Christmas Tradition is a great way for the entire family to get together and get into the holiday spirit. Tickets are $30 for adults and $25 for seniors, students, and military.

Check online for dates. Tickets may be purchased through the box office at 770.293.0080 or online at EarlSmithStrand.org.

MARIETTA BUSINESS ASSOCIATION

The next MBA monthly luncheon will be held Nov. 19th at Roswell Street Baptist Church – in the Fellowship Center at 744 Roswell Street, Marietta 30060, with parking in the East Parking Lot at Aviation Road SE and Roswell Street. Morning Mingle will be held in the Crossing at RSBC from 10:30-11:30AM. The buffet opens at 11:30AM, and the program is from 12:00 – 1:00PM. The MBA will be honoring Veterans. The program “YOU In the Pilot’s Seat” will be presented by former Black Hawk Helicopter Pilot, Elizabeth McCormick, who has been featured on ABC News “20/20”, CBS News, MSNRC, Fox News and the Wall Street Journal. Lunch will be catered by Catered Southern Events. RSVP at Mariettabusiness.biz.
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