

City of Douglas Georgia **October**
E-NEWSLETTER
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October Calendar

Land Bank Authority – Oct. 9, 2 PM, City Hall, 302 S. Madison Avenue.

WWII Flight Training Base Committee – Oct. 13, 12 PM, Airport, 440 Elton D. Brooks

City Commission Work Session & Meeting, Oct. 13 & 27, 6 PM, City Hall, 302 S. Madison Avenue.

Keep Douglas Beautiful – Oct. 14, 9 AM, City Hall, 302 S. Madison Avenue.

Parks & Recreation Commission – Oct. 14, 11:45 AM, Central Sq. Meeting Rooms, 200 S. Madison Ave.

Downtown Development Authority, Oct. 15, 8:30 AM, Chamber of Commerce.

Veterans Park Committee, Oct. 15, 10 AM, Airport, 440 Elton D. Brooks Blvd.

Mayor’s Youth Council, Oct. 20, 5 PM, City Hall, 302 S. Madison Avenue.

GICH Douglas Team – Oct. 22, 3 PM, City Hall, 302 S. Madison Avenue.

Historic Preservation Commission – October 23, 4 PM, City Hall, 302 S. Madison Avenue.

Planning Commission, Oct. 27, 10 AM, City Hall, 302 S. Madison Avenue.

The City of Douglas has been recognized by the Georgia Department of Community Affairs (DCA) as a PlanFirst Community for the fourth consecutive time and has received Revitalization Area Strategies (RAS) designation for the third year. These recognitions highlight the city's dedication to effective local planning, history of collaboration, public engagement, comprehensive redevelopment efforts, and significant progress towards its established goals. Read more on the website [here!](#)



WHAT REQUIRES A BUILDING PERMIT?

The City of Douglas has specific codes and ordinances that apply to homes and businesses built or renovated within the city limits, in accordance with State, Federal, and International Building Codes. Before starting any construction or renovation project, home/business owners should contact the Building Inspections/Permits office to see if a permit is required for the project. [MORE INFORMATION >>](#)

On September 22, 2025, the Georgia Department of Community Affairs Historic Preservation Division announced that Douglas is one of eight municipalities in Georgia to receive federal subgrants totaling \$120,000. Douglas will receive \$6,780 to support the World War II Flight Training School Master Plan.





Keep America Beautiful®, the nation's leading community improvement nonprofit organization, has presented the Keep Douglas Beautiful Committee with its 2025 President's Circle Award. The President's Circle Award recognizes exemplary performance by certified affiliates of Keep America Beautiful in creating clean, green, and beautiful communities.

[MORE INFO](#)

When visiting a Facility, Park, or Ballfield

please leave facilities, ballfields, concession stands, bathrooms, or park area clean and in good condition. Help us take care of our facilities that have been recently renovated or rehabbed for use by our community. If a person sees someone damaging a facility, ballfield, or park, please report it immediately by calling the non-emergency line at (912) 384-7675.



The Douglas-Coffee County Park and Recreation Department would like to remind citizens that a reservation is required for events in buildings or team practices/games on athletic fields before using the facility.

To reserve a park or an athletic field for play, you must call 912-384-5978 to schedule the event and acquire a permit. Event organizers should inspect the facility or field prior to use to ensure there is no damage prior to the scheduled event. Please leave the facilities, ballfields, concession stands, bathrooms, or park area clean and in good condition.

If a person sees someone damaging a facility, ballfield, or park, please report it immediately by calling the non-emergency line at (912) 384-7675.

PUBLIC HEARING

Public Hearing for Off-Site Alcohol Consumption/Retail License at 848 Bowens Mill Rd SW (Off-Site Consumption/Advertisement Requirements O.C.G.A. 3-1-2)

Notice is given that Circle K Stores, INC, d.b.a. Circle K Stores #2707255, a convenience store located at 848 Bowens Mill Rd SW in Douglas, Georgia 31533, has applied for an off-site consumption/ retail license to sell beer & wine products. The business is owned by Circle K Stores, INC of Douglas, Georgia. The corporate officer is: Jennifer Bennett, of Waycross, Georgia, Manager.

PUBLIC HEARING:
Monday, October 27, 2025, at 6 PM at City Hall, located at 302 S. Madison Avenue, Douglas, Georgia 31533

After the public hearing, the approval or denial of the application will be voted upon at the regular meeting of the Mayor and City Commissioners of the City of Douglas, Georgia. Anyone interested in said ordinance should be present at the said meeting on the above-stated date.

FOR MORE INFORMATION, CALL THE CODE ENFORCEMENT OFFICE, (912) 389-3460.





City of Douglas Georgia

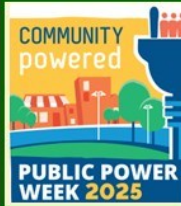
October PROMOTIONS

Natural Gas Month Free Pilot Lighting all month provided by the Natural Gas Department. Schedule yours today by calling Monday – Friday, 8:30AM-4:30PM(912)389-3427.

**1st-31
8:30 AM-
4:30 PM**

**4th
9 AM-
4 PM**

Meet the Officers at the Gopher Tortoise Festival
The Douglas Police Department will be at the Gopher Tortoise Festival offering citizens the change to interact with police, check out the Tesla Police Cars, and have some fun with officers.



Public Power Week
During this week, customers are encouraged to “thank a lineman” and to become more educated about the public utility services that are provided by the City of Douglas Electric Department.

**5th-
11th**

**5th-
11th**

Fire Prevention Month—Charge into Fire Safety!
Douglas Fire Department will be visiting schools and businesses to teach about fire safety. Register at the Customer Service Center at City Hall to win smoke detectors and carbon monoxide detectors! (912) 384-4815



Fall Junk Free Week, Oct. 6-10, 2025
Drop off unwanted junk at 1101 Shirley Avenue, on the corner of Shirley and College Park Drive. For citizens inside the city limits of Douglas, fees will be waived, during this one week, on big household and junk items. Citizens must provide a copy of their utility bill as residency proof. (912)389-3450

**6th-10th
8:30 AM-
4:30 PM**

**29th
6pm-
until
candy is
gone**

Trunk or Treat with Faith & the Blue
Join the Douglas Police Department and the Sanctuary for a fun night of Trunk or Treat at The Sanctuary (714 Waldroup Avenue). Thanks to our partner The Sanctuary. For more information, please call (912)384-2222.



www.cityofdouglasga.gov



Calendar of Events

EMPLOYEE ANNIVERSARY SPOTLIGHT

Thank you for your service to the citizens of Douglas! Here's our **OUTSTANDING** employees that are celebrating employment anniversaries of 5 years or more with the City of Douglas during the month of October!

- Tyler Courson—8 yrs. (Electric)
- Anthony Folsom—12 yrs. (Purchasing/Finance)
- Robert Beecher—13 yrs. (Fire)
- Chip Jones—17 yrs. (Electric)
- Kimberly Tucker—22 yrs. (Municipal Court/Finance)
- Casey Wright—22 yrs. (Fire Chief)
- Willie Styles—36 yrs. (Customer Service)
- Ivy Clark—46 yrs. (Finance)

WOMEN'S FIREARM SAFETY CLASS



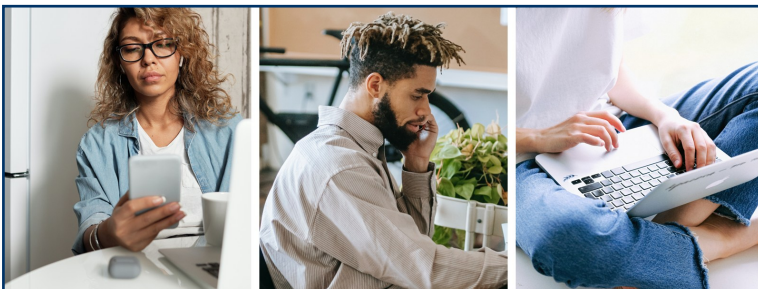
October 18, 2025
8AM - 5PM

Participants must:

- *Pre-Register
- *Age 18 or Older
- *Provide their Firearm and Ammunition

**CLASS SIZE IS LIMITED
SIGN UP NOW!**

FOR MORE INFORMATION OR TO REGISTER, CONTACT:
CPL. RIGO VICTORIA | RVICTORIA@CITYOFDOUGLASGA.GOV | (912) 384-2222



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833-241-1959



<https://douglasga.municipalonlinepayments.com/douglasga>



Mobile App



We're Hiring Join Our Team!



City of Douglas Employment



Fire Safety



Commit to Your City with a Rewarding Career.
Now hiring Firefighters.



Apply online at www.cityofdouglasga.gov/jobs or stop by City Hall located at 302 S. Madison Avenue. (912)389-3494



LAW ENFORCEMENT



Make an Impact in Your Community.
Now hiring Police Officers.



Apply online at www.cityofdouglasga.gov/jobs or stop by City Hall located at 302 S. Madison Avenue. (912)389-3494



CAREER GROWTH



A Career with the City of Douglas Awaits.

MAINTENANCE MECHANIC



Apply in person at City Hall, online at www.cityofdouglasga.gov/jobs.
For more information: (912) 389-3494



CITY UPKEEP



A Bright Career. A Bright Future. Right at Home.

Now hiring Maintenance Workers in Parks & Recreation.



Apply in person at City Hall or online at www.cityofdouglasga.gov/jobs.
For more information: (912) 389-3494

WELCOME TO *The City of Douglas*

NEW BUSINESSES

Style Eyebrow Threading

324 S. Peterson Avenue, 912-383-2422

Blooming Minds Therapy, 618 Bowens Mill Rd. SW

Beebehavior and Sunrise ABA Clinic, 208 S. Grady Avenue, 1-407-288-6888

Wonderbridge Learning Center, 933 S. Gaskin Avenue, 912-592-6733

BearPoint Construction, 405 N. Manilla Ave., 229-326-8276

Thank you for doing business in Douglas!



Congratulations to these business who celebrated ribbon cuttings in September.

Thank you for doing business in Douglas-Coffee County!



**Delorice's Florist, 108 N. Peterson Avenue
912-384-7288**

DID YOU KNOW...
COFFEE COUNTY & THE CITIES OF DOUGLAS, AMBROSE, BROXTON, & NICHOLLS HAVE A JOINT
COMPREHENSIVE PLAN?



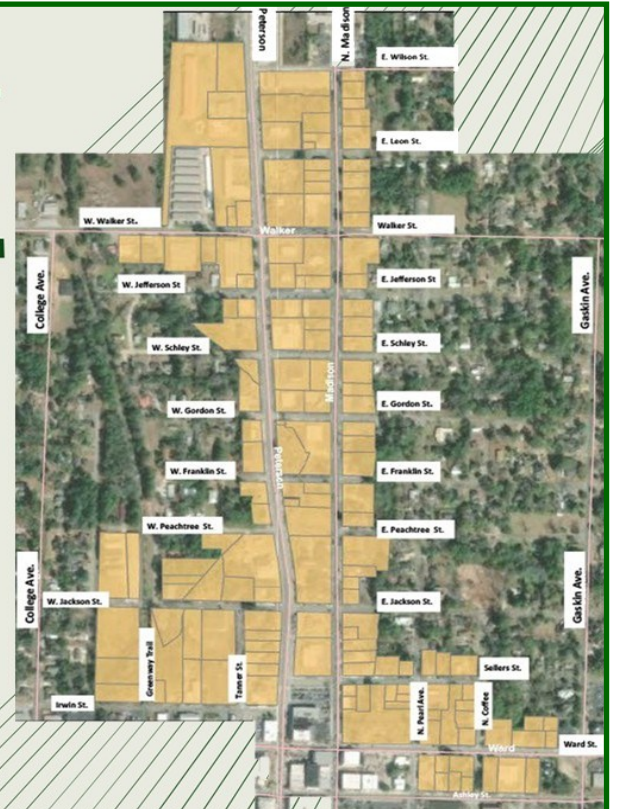
FIND THE JOINT COMPREHENSIVE PLAN AT
WWW.CITYOFDOUGLASGA.GOV/PLANNINGANDZONING



DO YOU OWN PROPERTY OR A BUSINESS IN THE HIGHLIGHTED AREAS OF DOWNTOWN DOUGLAS?

IF SO, YOU MAY QUALIFY FOR A R.U.R.A.L. ZONE TAX CREDIT.

**FMI: CALL (912) 383-0277 OR VISIT
WWW.CITYOFDOUGLASGA.GOV**



Douglas Mayor's Youth Council Update

On September 15, 2025, the Douglas Mayor's Youth Council (DMYC) conducted its monthly meeting. Jr. Mayor Zipporah Wilcox led the meeting and recognized Blondale Thomas as the Outstanding Community Spotlight for September. Rhonda Grady of St. James Baptist Church opened the meeting with words of wisdom and a special prayer. The special guest speaker was Shelia Butler, President of the Childhood Cancer Awareness Group of Coffee County. [MORE INFO](#)

The next Mayor's Youth Council will be held on October 20, at 5 pm at City Hall in the Commission Chambers. The public is invited to attend Youth Council meetings. For more details on the Youth Council or Teen Court program, please contact Dinitra Williams, Douglas Mayor's Youth Council & Teen Court Coordinator, at (912) 331-9398 or call the City Clerk's office at (912)389-3405.



DMYC with Sheal'tiel Paulk, the Drug Free Community Coordinator for the Coffee County School System and Rhonda Grady of St. James Baptist Church.

L-R: Jr. Commissioner M'Haley, Jr. Mayor Pro Tem Nayeli Moran, Blondale Thomas (Community Spotlight), and Jr. Mayor Zipporah Wilcox.



DMYC with Sheila Butler (CCAGCC President), Tamara Morgan, and Childhood Cancer Survivor, Ashton Morgan.

Ready to Remodel or Build?



Make Sure You Have Your Building Permit

For more information, call (912)389-3423

Yard Sale Permits

A permit is REQUIRED to have a yard sale within the city limits!

Yard Sale Permits are **\$5.00** and can be obtained at the City of Douglas Customer Service office located at: **800 S. Peterson Avenue.**
FMI: 912-389-3462



Animal Control FAQ

Does my dog or cat need to have a rabies shot every year?

Yes, all dogs and cats owned within the city limits must be inoculated for the prevention of rabies by a Georgia licensed veterinarian.

Rabies inoculation must be current.

Questions? Contact the City of Douglas Animal Control office at (912)389-3460.

Residential Junk Drop-Off Day

October 4 & 18, 2025- 8:30am - 11:45am

@ 1011 Shirley Avenue (corner of Shirley and College Park Dr.)

Customers must be in the drop-off line prior to 11:30 am and must unload any items that the clam truck cannot pick up.

For more information, call (912)384-3302 or dial 311.

CHARGE into Fire Safety™

**Lithium-Ion Batteries
in Your Home**

fpw.org



FIRE PREVENTION MONTH



The Douglas Fire Department will host Fire Prevention Month and collaborate with the National Fire Protection Association for Fire Prevention Week, which runs from October 5 to October 11, 2025. This year's campaign is titled "Charge Into Fire Safety: Lithium-Ion Batteries in Your Home." The campaign aims to educate everyone on the importance of safely buying, charging, and recycling lithium-ion batteries. The Fire Prevention Education Safety House will be utilized in conjunction with fire education programs for all ages through fire prevention presentations in schools, daycare centers, and other places of business. Douglas Utility customers can register at City Hall (302 S. Madison Avenue) for a drawing to be held on October 25, 2025, for free smoke detectors and carbon monoxide detectors. Through these educational, family-oriented activities, residents can learn about the importance of fire prevention and fire safety. For more information about Fire Prevention Week or Douglas Fire Department outreach programs, call (912) 384-4815. For full press release, www.cityofdouglasga.gov.



**FIRE
PREVENTION
WEEK™**

fpw.org



**Charge devices safely.
Unplug when fully charged.**



**FIRE
PREVENTION
WEEK™**

fpw.org



**Power or lawn tools?
Always charge outside on a flat, dry spot.**



INVITATION TO BID

FY'26 DODGE DURANGO EQUIPMENT BID

BID #66812-26-0009

Deadline to Submit Bid: October 14, 2025, 2:30PM

Bid opening immediately following at City Hall,
302 S. Madison Avenue

MORE INFO

www.cityofdouglasga.gov/bids



Douglas Police Department *September 2025*

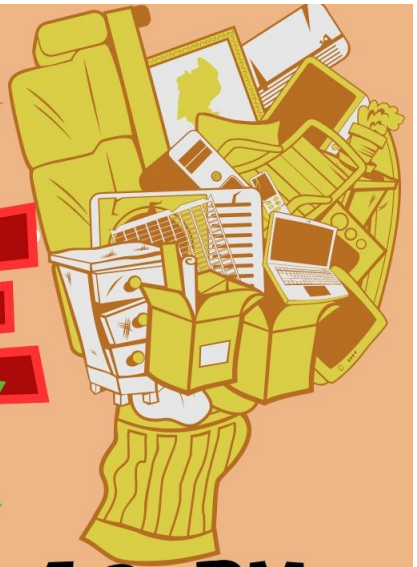
Monthly Call Statistics



Honor, Integrity, Service



FALL JUNK FREE WEEK



OCT. 6-10, 2025

8:30AM-4:30PM

LOCATION:

**YOU MUST BE IN LINE PRIOR TO
4:15PM AND HAVE PROOF OF
CITY OF DOUGLAS RESIDENCY.**

1101 SHIRLEY AVENUE



October is

NATURAL GAS MONTH

FREE Pilot Lighting

Monday - Friday | 8:30AM-4:30PM

Schedule yours today by

calling (912)389-3427





October 5-11, 2025



#thankalineman #keepingthelightson

L-R: Charlie Purcell (Electric Line Distribution Superintendent), Hunter Milhollin, Brent Rigdon, Tal Hutto, Tyler Courson, Anthony Loredo, Richard Butler, Zac Mikell, Hollis McKinnon, and Chip Jones. Back L-R: Rex Ricketson and Jathan Robertson

Public power residential customers save a combined



\$4,329,087,944

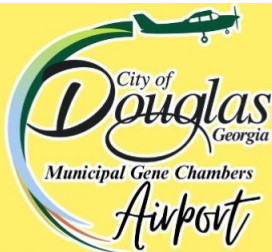
each year.

#PublicPower

KEEP DOUGLAS BEAUTIFUL COMMITTEE SEEKS (2) TWO VOLUNTEERS

CANDIDATES SHOULD HAVE A
PASSION FOR PRESERVING THE
NATURAL ENVIRONMENT,
RECYCLING, AND MAINTAINING
DOUGLAS'S BEAUTY.

DOWNLOAD A VOLUNTEER APPLICATION AT
WWW.CITYOFDOUGLAS.GOV/VOLUNTEER
AND RETURN TO CITY CLERK'S OFFICE AT CITY HALL.



Airport Commission Vacancy

The City of Douglas is seeking (2) two people to fill vacancies on the Airport Commission. The volunteers should have an interest in aviation and live in the city limits of Douglas. For more information, call (912) 384-1409.



ART CENTER -- 200 - E SOUTH MADISON AVE., DOUGLAS, GA 31533 SOUTH ENTRANCE

Fall Festival (INSIDE)

Class Cost: \$12:00 per Child



Children only class

Sat, Oct 18th -- 10 am till 2pm
Ages: 4 to 12

Please bring Lunch and a snack -- and 2 drinks

CHILDREN MUST BE PAID AND REGISTERED AT THE MAIN OFFICE OF PARKS AND RECREATION OR ONLINE BY THURSDAY, OCTOBER 16TH BEFORE CLASS STARTS

min for class: 5 children
Max for Class 15 children

Schedule

10 to 11am Crafts
11 to 11:30am Lunch
11:30 to 12:30pm Art

FYI: MUST HAVE 5 children in class or class WILL BE CANCELLED

12:30 to 2pm Festival Games, Popcorn, and Candy

For More INFORMATION Please Call Karin At 912-850-0344

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ART CENTER -- 200 - E SOUTH MADISON AVE., DOUGLAS, GA 31533 SOUTH ENTRANCE

FALL

CRAFTING Class for Ages 18 and up

CLASS COST: \$12.00 PER PERSON

MUST BE PAID AND REGISTERED AT THE MAIN OFFICE OF PARKS AND RECREATION OR ONLINE BY THURSDAY, OCTOBER 23RD BEFORE CLASS STARTS

Saturday, October 25, 2025

CLASS STARTS AT 10 AM TO UNTIL FINISHED

< Please bring your lunch and water just in case it takes longer than 2 hours >

We will be decorating a standing Wooden pumpkin from Hobby Lobby (choose one) we will decorate it with paint, moss/raffia, flowers, ribbon, and etc.

Class
Min-- 5
Max-- 15

CHOOSE ONE



FYI: MUST HAVE 5 PEOPLE in class or class WILL BE CANCELLED

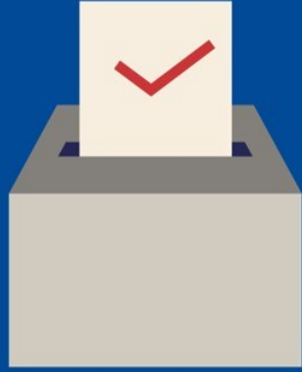
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Deadline to register for Basketball

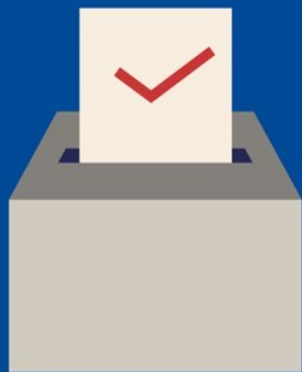
Friday, Nov. 7, 2025

For more information about the programs, please call (912) 384-5978.



**EARLY VOTING DATES
MUNICIPAL ELECTION
(WARDS 1, 4, & 5)**

**October 14 thru October 31, 2025
8:30am-5:00pm
at the County Elections Office
224 W. Ashley St. Suite A**



**SATURDAY EARLY
VOTING DATES
MUNICIPAL ELECTION
(WARDS 1, 4, & 5)**

**October 18 & 25, 2025
9:00am-5:00pm
at the County Elections Office
224 W. Ashley St. Suite A**



WHAT REQUIRES A BUILDING PERMIT?


This is a list of the most common building permits issued by the Community Development Building Inspections and Permits Division and it **DOES NOT** include all permits that may be required for a project. Please contact the Building Inspections and Permits office **BEFORE** any project begins on your property by calling (912) 389-3423 or email spridgen@cityofdouglasga.gov or dmittenen@cityofdouglasga.gov.

- ✓ Building a Deck or Porch
- ✓ Demolition work/Site Prep
- ✓ Installing Fences
- ✓ Moving a House or Building Structure
- ✓ Mechanical, Electrical, or Plumbing Work
- ✓ New & Expansion of Parking Lot
- ✓ Roofing Installation
- ✓ New & Repairs of a Sign or Canopy
- ✓ Addition of Accessory Structures
- ✓ Installation of Solar Panels
- ✓ Installing a Swimming Pool
- ✓ New Construction
- ✓ Remodeling or adding to home/business
- ✓ Interior and exterior structural alterations



Want to renovate your house/business or fix something in your house that is damaged? Contact us, because we are ready to help you.

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
28 Happenings at General Coffee State Park Bingo - each Wed. at Cow Tippers Trivia - each Thurs. at Cow Tippers Ladies Night each Thurs. at VFW w/ Derrick Flowers Live Music	29	30 Trojan Home Game Jardine Stadium 7:30 pm All-U-Can-Eat Seafood Buffet Hardware House - every Tues.	1 Blood Drive GracePointe Church 12:30 - 5:30 pm Manual Breast Exam CRMC 4:30 - 7:30 pm All-U-Can-Eat Shrimp & Fish SeaShells - every Wed.	2 Passionately Pink Survivors Dinner CE Weir Center 4:30 - 6:30 pm WWII Airbase Museum Open Thurs - Sat. 11 am - 4 pm	3 CHS Alumni Weekend	4 Gopher Tortoise Festival Behind Central Square Gyms 9 am - 4 pm Tortoise Takeover - Downtown Douglas 10am-3pm Blood Drive at Festival - Bryan St. 10 am - 2 pm SAT.10/4 cont.
5 Heritage Farm Tour 1 pm	6 Blood Drive PCC 11:30 am - 5 pm	7	8 Blood Drive Spectrum Distribution 8:30 am - 1:30 pm Ga Tech Problem Solving Class The Atrium 11:30 am - 1:30 pm	9	10 CC Fall Festival Citizens Christian Academy 5:30 - 9:30 pm	11 Kid's Carnival Gen Coffee State Park 11 am - 3 pm Legend of Sleepy Hollow 10:30 am Tales w/ Edgar Allen Poe 12:30 pm Satilla Regional Library Corey Smith Concert Martin Centre 8 pm Airbase Museum 9-5 Pet Blessing St. Andrew's Anglican Church 11 am Peter Pan @ 10:30 am Cherokee Tales 12:30 pm Satilla Reg. Library Larry Fleet Concert Martin Centre Theater 7:30 pm
12 Heritage Farm Tour 1 pm	13	14 Blood Drive Chick-fil-A 11:30 am - 5:30 pm	15 Blood Drive Williams Inst. Foods 10 am - 5:30 pm	16 Casino Night SGSC 6 - 10 pm	17 Meeks Cabin Open House 10 am - 2:30 pm Free Jazz Concert Satilla Library 4 - 6 pm Magic of Motown Martin Centre Theater 7:30 pm	18 Gorilla Thrilla MaxOut CrossFit House 12 noon Free Jazz Concert Satilla Library 4 - 6 pm Magic of Motown Martin Centre Theater 7:30 pm
19 Heritage Farm Tour 1 pm	20 Blood Drive Anvil Trailers 11 am - 4 pm	21	22 History at High Noon Heritage Station Museum 12 noon	23 Blood Drive Nicholls Elementary 11 am - 4:30 pm DCC Chamber Power Lunch SGSC Dining Hall 12 noon	24 Haunted Hammock Buggy Ride Wiley Hammock ATVPark Fri - Sun S. Ga Rodeo Wiregrass Arena 9 am - 11 pm?	25 Fright on the Farm Gen Coffee State Park 11 am - 3 pm
26 Heritage Farm Tour 1 pm	27	28 Want to add your event to our calendar? Email schilders@douglasga.org	29 Follow us on Facebook for all the details! Visit Douglas-Coffee County GA	30 Trunk or Treat Party Paulk Plaza 6 - 8 pm	31 Trunk or Treat Allstar Cargo 6:30 pm	1 Broxton Chicken Livers & Gizzards Festival 10 am



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TRIP GUIDE
Where to Go for What to Do



Start Exploring Today

Downtown Douglas
PINK FRIDAY
GREAT DEALS | FUN
GIRLS NIGHT OUT
November 21
10AM - 8PM
DOWNTOWN DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY



Downtown Douglas
HOLIDAY OPEN HOUSE
November 23rd
A DECADES OLD FAMILY TRADITION
OF SHOPPING LOCAL
DOWNTOWN DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY



Shop Local



Pink Around Town
FAMILY - COMMUNITY - FRIENDS
 PASSIONATELY PINK BETA SIGMA PHI ALPHA THETA CHAPTER

**DID YOU KNOW OUR COMMUNITY WAS NAMED THE PINKEST TOWN IN AMERICA!
 WE ARE STRONGER TOGETHER!**



WHEN YOU CHOOSE YOU, YOU CHOOSE THEM TOO



11% OF WOMEN
 DIAGNOSED WITH BREAST CANCER IN THE US ARE YOUNGER THAN 45 YEARS OLD.

Women ages 40-74 should get screened annually. 1 in 2 women do not get screened. Don't put it off. WE CAN HELP !



Your participation provides **REAL HELP NOW** for screening, travel to treatment, utilities, rent, groceries, mastectomy care & more!



BETA SIGMA PHI INVITES YOU TO BE PINK AROUND TOWN!

Thursday, October 23, 2025
Let's See How Pink We Can Go!
Make a Donation. Help Find a Cure.

Passionately Pink of Coffee County is a 501c3 organization.

The Pink House - 311 Columbia Avenue
(912)384-PINK/ 381-2225 /501-9697
Mon -Thur. 11:00-1:30 - 3:30-5:30
Friday 11:00-2:00



Winter COAT DRIVE

BENEFITING
Action Pact Early Headstart & Headstart Program

COATS | SWEATERS | HATS

NOW THRU NOVEMBER 2025

Needed for Boys & Girls
Infants to 4 Year Olds

To schedule a time to drop off a
new or gently used donation,
Text (912)331-3063 or (912)592-6635
or email ppwmdouglas@gmail.com



DOUGLAS-COFFEE COUNTY LIBRARY OCTOBER 2025

REIMAGINE:

Contemporary Georgia Artists
2025-2026 Traveling Exhibition



	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
			1	2	3	4
5						
6	State Traveling Art Show Begins Reception 5-8PM Pong (10-12PM) Basket Weaving	7 Pong (10-12PM) Basic Basket Weaving	8 Pong (10-12PM) Basic Basket Weaving Mike (4-6PM) Basic Photography	9 Pong (10-12PM) Basic Basket Weaving Mike (4-6PM) Basic Photography	10	11
12	13 Closed for Columbus Day	14 David (4-6PM) Barn Quilts	15 David (4-6PM) Barn Quilts	16 David (4-6PM) Barn Quilts	17	18 Mike (10-12PM) Paracord
19	20 Mike (10-12PM) Adv. Photography Gloria (2-6PM) Clay Masks	21 Mike (10-12PM) Adv. Photography	22 Mike (10-12PM) Adv. Photography	23 Mike (10-12PM) Adv. Photography Gloria (2-6PM) Clay Lecture	24 Mike (10-12PM) Adv. Photography Gloria (1-4PM) Clay Masks Paint the masks	25
26	27 Connie (10-12PM) Calligraphy Kemberley (2-6PM) Clay	28 Connie (10-12PM) Calligraphy Kathy (2-4PM) Basic Mono Printing	29 Connie (10-12PM) Calligraphy Kathy (2-4PM) Advanced Mono Printing	30 Connie (10-12PM) Calligraphy Kathy (2-4PM) Botanical Mono Printing	31 Connie (10-12PM) Calligraphy Kathy (2-4PM) Collage Mono Printing **	** Collage Mono Printing requires taking at least one: Basic, Adv, or Bot.

FALL LIBRARY ART SHOW



RECEPTIONS MONDAY, OCT. 6TH 5-8PM
FRIDAY, NOV. 14TH 5-8PM

DOUGLAS-COFFEE COUNTY LIBRARY

Art show will include items from the State Art Collection, and be available for viewing Monday, Oct. 6th -- Friday, Nov. 14th during library hours.

*Note: Light Refreshments served only at the receptions.

REIMAGINE:

Contemporary Georgia Artists
2025-2026 Traveling Exhibition



It's Back



Fall
FESTIVAL

10 **OCTOBER**
5:30-9:00

**IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN HELPING PLEASE ATTEND A
MANDATORY MEETING TUESDAY SEPTEMBER 2, 2025
@ 7:00 PM IN THE MEDIA CENTER!**

**IF YOU CAN'T ATTEND PLEASE CONTACT JEREMY OR CINDY
CORAM**



THE MARTIN THEATRE UPCOMING SHOWS

OCT
4

LARRY FLEET

WITH SPECIAL SET FROM LARRY FLEET UNPLUGGED



COREY SMITH

OCT
11

OCT
18

THE MAGIC OF MOTOWN



THE VELVETEEN RABBIT

MADE POSSIBLE BY CRH PEDIATRIC GROUP

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JAN
20

A TASTE OF IRELAND

THE IRISH MUSIC & DANCE SENSATION



109 E ASHLEY STREET
DOUGLAS, GEORGIA

SCAN TO BUY
TICKETS!



WWW.THEMARTINCENTRE.COM

Save the Date!!

Make Your Plans to Visit

General Coffee State Park



Kids Carnival
October 11, 2025



Fright on the Farm
October 25, 2025



Pioneer Harvest Festival
November 15, 2025



Christmas on the Farm
December 13, 2025

SGSC POLICE DEPARTMENT DRIVE FOR SAFETY!

LOCATION:

CLOWER CENTER

**SOUTH GEORGIA STATE COLLEGE
100 W. COLLEGE PARK DRIVE
DOUGLAS, GA 31533**

OCTOBER 11, 2025 REGISTRATION 9:00-9:30 A.M.
KICK STANDS UP AT 10:00 A.M.

PRICE PER HAND \$15 ADDITIONAL HANDS \$5

**GET A FREE RAFFLE TICKET WITH EVERY HAND YOU PLAY!
WANT MORE CHANCES TO WIN? EXTRA TICKETS ARE JUST \$2!**

★ MULTIPLE PRIZE GIVEAWAYS!!! ★

MORE INFORMATION:

DUSTIN MONTGOMERY

912-850-6076



CLOWER HALL SGSC, DOUGLAS, GA

6:00pm – 7:00pm: Hors d'oeuvres
 6:30pm – 9:30pm: Game Play
 9:30pm – 10:00pm: Door Prize Drawing



FUN MONEY - FUN PLAY - FUN WITH FRIENDS!
 All proceeds to support SGSC
 Student Recruitment and Enrollment.
Donations made to SGSC Foundation.



THURSDAY, OCTOBER 16, 2025

QR code for tickets or sponsorship below.

ABOUT THE EVENT: *Casino Night provides a Las Vegas style atmosphere where guests play for fun with fun money. Each ticket includes entry and the opportunity to play at casino tables with "playing chips" worth \$300 in fun money. Additional chips may be acquired during the night of the event by making a financial donation to SGSC Foundation. Hors d'oeuvres will be served. A ca\$h bar will be available (beer & wine). Any guest with remaining chips at the close of fun play may exchange their chips for door prize tickets. No prize money will be given – only door prizes. Must be 21 to attend.*

TICKETS AVAILABLE: I need _____ tickets (\$50ea)

OR BECOME A SPONSOR: \$_____.

ROYAL FLUSH SPONSOR: \$2,000

- Standing banner
- Sponsor post on social media
- Opportunity to speak from stage
- Recognition during event
- 14 Event tickets
- \$2100 extra fun money (\$150ea)

STRAIGHT FLUSH SPONSOR: \$1,200

- Table tent recognition in food area
- Sponsor post on social media (starts 8-1)
- Recognition during event
- 10 Event tickets
- \$1200 extra fun money (\$120ea)

4 OF A KIND SPONSOR: \$400

- Group recognition on social media (8-1)
- Sign recognition during event
- 4 Event tickets
- \$400 extra fun money (\$100ea)

FULL HOUSE SPONSOR: \$200

- Group recognition on social media (8-1)
- Sign recognition during event
- 2 Event tickets
- \$200 extra fun money (\$100ea)
- OR... Hors d'oeuvres for 60 people
- OR... Door prize of \$200 value



Order tickets or "check" sponsor level above. Use QR code to purchase or send check to SGSC Foundation, 100 College Park Drive, Douglas, GA 31533
 FMI call, text or email JoAnne Lewis. 912-850-5311 or joanne.lewis@sgsc.edu

Business: _____ Phone: _____

Your Name: _____ Email _____

LIVE @ YOUR LIBRARY

JAZZ/BLUES

Music Night



SATURDAY • OCTOBER 18TH

DOUGLAS-COFFEE COUNTY LIBRARY

4 - 6 PM

FEATURING: JOHN CHARLES COOK
A DISTINGUISHED MUSICIAN

[HTTP://JOHNCHARLESCOOK.COM/](http://johncharlescook.com/)

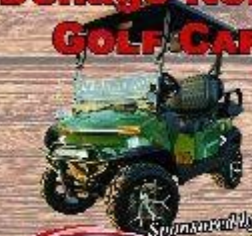




CELEBRATING 26 YEARS DOUGLAS LIONS CLUB Annual Big Buck Contest



**GRAND PRIZE
Denago Nomad
GOLF CART**



Sponsored by
MIKE'S
GOLF CARTS



**GRAND PRIZE
ECHO SHED**



Donated by
INSTASHED

**\$10,000 CASH GIVEN
AWAY IN CHECKS OF
\$5000, \$2500, \$1500
AND \$1000**

**RAFFLE INCLUDES OVER 100 ITEMS!!
OTHER PRIZES: HUNTING ITEMS, SHOPPING SPREES, OUTDOOR ITEMS & MORE!**

ATTEND IN PERSON
or can follow
FACEBOOK LIVE STREAM

**YOU DO NOT HAVE TO BE
PRESENT TO WIN!!!!**

HUNTERS
****Must Purchase Ticket
BEFORE Hunting****

**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 18, 2025 @ 8:45pm
CITIZENS CHRISTIAN ACADEMY GYM**

WINNERS WILL BE NOTIFIED AND PUBLISHED ON OUR FACEBOOK PAGE

THANK YOU TO OUR GRAND PRIZE SPONSORS THIS YEAR

INSTASHED - MIKE'S GOLF CARTS - JERRY'S SPORT SHOP - COLEY ELECTRIC - TAYLOR
OUTDOORS & APPAREL - ELIXIR DOOR & METALS - ELIXIR EXTRUSIONS - FLETCHER OIL -
MCCRARY DANIELS INSURANCE - McELROY PRINTING - NORRIS SHOES - PCC AIRFOILS -
PREMIUM PEANUT - SAMUEL & SONS - SPITTIN IMAGE TAXIDERMY - SOUTHWIRE - PLANTATION
OUTFITTERS - EL 1800 - SUNRISE LAND CLEARING

1st and 2nd place cash prizes awarded to top scoring hunters in Archery, Primitive
Weapons, Heaviest Doe, Men's Rifle, Women's Rifle, Youth Under 16 - Male & Female,
and one Overall Score Winner

Scoring will be held at Citizens Christian Academy Parking Lot
Morning Deer check-in: 10am - 1pm • Evening Deer check-in: 6:30-8:30pm

*Merritt's Deer Processing will handle Check-In prior
to Saturday, October 18, 2025 - See Rules*

TICKETS AVAILABLE AT:

**FNBCC Bank - Norris Shoes - Douglas National Bank - Jerry's Sport Shop - Mike's
Golf Carts - Pineland Bank - Taylor Outdoor & Apparel - FNB South Bank - Broxton
Hardware - Lion's tent site when set up at FNBCC - Any Lion Member in Douglas
Lions Club, Alamo Lions Club, Bellville Lions Club, Fitzgerald Lions Club,
Glennville Lions Club, Hinesville Lions Club & Lyons Lions Club**

Tickets Available Day of Event at the Door

*Thank You for your support each year to help us with our
initiative projects to help our community be the best it can be!*



REGIONAL TRANSIT

FARES

Cost to ride for each one-way trip:
\$3 up to 10 mi. + \$0.50/mi.

SERVICE HOURS

Monday-Friday
7:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.

OTHER SERVICES

Please visit the SGRC website to determine if you are eligible for Medicaid, DBHDD, or Area Agency on Aging trips. If you have questions regarding transportation, call the SGRC office at 229-333-5277.



HOW TO RIDE

CALL 855-360-7475 FOR A RIDE.

Call between 9 a.m. and 2 p.m., Monday-Friday, the day before you want to ride.
Services are curb to curb.

BEST TIME TO RIDE

Off peak times are the best times to ride. Try to schedule appointments during the following times to increase chance of seat availability.

OFF PEAK TIMES

Monday through Friday: 10 a.m. - 2 p.m.
Last pickup is at 5:30 p.m.

FIRST COME, FIRST SERVED

Call as early as possible. Call up to one week in advance to schedule a ride.

ACCESSIBILITY

The transit services is handicap accessible to provide transportation for the disabled community. The lift-equipped vehicles meet Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) requirements.

Be sure to indicate the need for a lift-equipped vehicle and/or additional assistance at the time you make your trip request.

Drivers will assist individuals in safely boarding and exiting from the vehicles. Individuals with mobility impairments who need special assistance in navigating to and from the vehicle should have a Personal Care Attendant (PCA) ride with them.

REASONABLE MODIFICATION

Regional Transit will make reasonable modifications to policies, practices, or procedures when the modifications are necessary to avoid discrimination on the basis of disability, or to provide program accessibility to its services, subject to the limitations of Federal Regulations 37.169(c)(1)-(3). Individuals requesting modifications to Southern Georgia Regional Transit's service shall contact the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) Coordinator and describe what they need in order to use the service. Individuals requesting modifications are not required to use the term "reasonable modification" when making a request.

Call **855-360-7475** to schedule your ride today! www.letsridesouthga.org



REGIONAL TRANSIT

TARIFAS

Costo de viaje para cada viaje de ida:
\$3 hasta 10 mi. + \$0.50/mi.

HORARIO DE SERVICIO

Lunes - Viernes
7:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.

OTROS SERVICIOS

Por favor, visite el sitio web de SGRC para determinar si usted es elegible para viajes de Medicaid, DBHDD, o de la Agencia de Envejecimiento del Área. Si tiene preguntas sobre el transporte, llame a la oficina de SGRC al 229-333-5277.



CÓMO VIAJAR

LLAME AL 855-360-7475 PARA VIAJAR

Llame entre las 9 a.m. y las 2 p.m. de Lunes a Viernes, el día anterior al que desea viajar. Los servicios son de puerta a puerta.

MEJOR HORA PARA VIAJAR

Los horarios fuera de pico son los mejores momentos para viajar. Intente programar citas durante los siguientes horarios para aumentar la posibilidad de disponibilidad de asientos.

FUERA DE LAS HORAS PICO

Lunes a Viernes: 10 a.m. - 2 p.m.
La última recogida es a las 17:30.

PRIMERO EN LLEGAR, PRIMERO EN SER SERVIDO

Llame lo más pronto posible. Llame con hasta una semana de anticipación para programar un viaje.

ACCESIBILIDAD

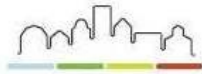
El servicio de transporte es accesible para personas con discapacidades para proporcionar transporte a la comunidad discapacitada. Los vehículos equipados con ascensor cumplen con los requisitos de la Ley de Americanos con Discapacidades (ADA).

Asegúrese de indicar la necesidad de un vehículo equipado con ascensor y/o asistencia adicional en el momento en que haga su solicitud de viaje.

Los conductores ayudarán a las personas a subir y bajar de los vehículos de manera segura. Las personas con discapacidades de movilidad que necesiten asistencia especial para desplazarse hacia y desde el vehículo deben tener un Asistente Personal de Cuidado (PCA) que viaje con ellos.

MODIFICACIÓN RAZONABLE Southern Georgia Regional Transit realizará modificaciones razonables a las políticas prácticas o procedimientos cuando las modificaciones sean necesarias para evitar la discriminación por motivos de discapacidad o para proporcionar accesibilidad al programa a sus servicios, sujeto a las limitaciones de las Regulaciones Federales 37.169(c)(1)-(3). Las personas que soliciten modificaciones al servicio de transporte deben ponerse en contacto con el coordinador de la Ley de Americanos con Discapacidades (ADA) y describir lo que necesitan para utilizar el servicio. Las personas que soliciten modificaciones no están obligadas a utilizar el término "modificación razonable" al hacer una solicitud.

¡Llame al **855-360-7475** para programar su viaje hoy! www.letsridesouthga.org



GEORGIA DEPARTMENT
of COMMUNITY AFFAIRS

Did your home suffer damage in Hurricane Idalia, Tropical Storm Debby, or Hurricane Helene?

You may be eligible for assistance.

DCA may be able to provide assistance to families in Georgia impacted by Hurricane Idalia, Tropical Storm Debby, or Hurricane Helene by providing decent, safe, and sanitary housing. DCA allocated funds for the repair and/or replacement of storm-damaged homes, and to help families who may be struggling to keep up with their mortgage.

Applicants meeting the following criteria are encouraged to apply:

- Single-family homeowners whose primary residence was damaged in the the listed storms
- Households under Low- to Moderate-Income thresholds
- Households with a member who is disabled
- Homeowners who experienced a COVID hardship



Required Documents

Applicants are required to submit documentation related to their property and household. This list includes, but is not limited to:

- Proof of homeownership
- Verification of household members
- Valid identification
- Proof of income
- Certification of COVID-related financial hardship

Check your eligibility today!

Complete the pre-application survey using one of the following methods:

 <https://surveys.georgiahrrp.com/>  (678) 233-2590