

City of Douglas

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UPCOMING EVENTS

- ***Aug. 2**, Douglas Singles Dance, 7pm, Gym A
- ***Aug. 7, Historic Pres. Meeting**, 11am, 384-5161
- ***Aug. 7, Back to School**, www.coffee.k12.ga.us.
- ***Aug. 12, City Comm. Meeting**, 7pm, City Hall, FMI: 389-3401
- ***Aug. 14, Cemetery Mtg.**, 10am, Cemetery
- ***Aug. 22, DDA Meeting**, 11am, FMI: 389-3401
- ***Aug. 22, Planning & Zoning**, 6pm, City Hall, FMI: 389-3401
- ***Aug. 22, Wild Game Supper**, 6:30pm, CE Weir Center, Ticket \$15 FMI: 383-0277.
- ***Aug. 23 & 24, South Georgia Outdoor Expo**, Central Square Complex
- ***Aug. 26, City Comm. Meeting**, 7pm, City Hall, FMI: 389-3401
- ***Aug. 29, Commit 2B Fit Walk**, 5:30pm, Meet at Alternative School FMI: 383-7332
- ***Aug. 31, Comm. Cleanup Day**, 8am-12noon, Unity Park, FMI: Dial 311 or 384-3302

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CITY URGES CITIZENS TO CORRECTLY USE RECYCLING DROP OFF CENTERS



In an effort to keep the convenient Recycling Drop Centers open, the City of Douglas would like to strongly urge citizens to properly dispose the correct items at the three centers. These drop centers are located at Public Works, Fire Station #3 (near airport) and Fire Station #1 (Gordon St.). The City of Douglas was recently notified, by Transwaste, that they have been experiencing great volumes of contaminated loads of recyclables, collected from the drop centers. Recycling has numerous environmental benefits and saves energy, conserves natural resources, limits pollution, and supports several sectors of the economy.

To continue to provide the recycling centers, citizens and those using the recycling dumpsters cannot contaminate by dumping soiled paper, plastic and aluminum items. Misuse of the recycling dumpsters will make it hard for Transwaste to effectively use the recyclables. Citizens should only place clean, non-food recyclable items in the dumpsters. The City plans to place signage at each site regarding the correct items that should be placed in the recycling dumpsters. Acceptable items are newspaper, magazines, phone books, catalogs, cardboard boxes, food boxes that are clean of food material, shoe & gift boxes, office paper, junk mail, frozen food boxes that are free of food contamination, aluminum beverage cans that are empty and rinsed out, plastic bottles that have lids removed and the container has been rinsed out and is empty. All plastics must be a bottle or jug – no plastic toys, baskets, trays, rubber hoses, or swimming pools. Other items that are not acceptable include polystyrene, Styrofoam, glass, plastic grocery bags, batteries, and hazardous waste and wood materials. For more information on recycling, please visit our website at www.cityofdouglas.com/recycling or call 912-389-3450.



NEED AN ANSWER TO A QUESTION REGARDING CITY SERVICES? DIAL 311!!!

Citizens can now dial 311 to get a quick answer to common related questions and to report troubles such as potholes, water leaks, street light out, as well as other civt utilitv questions and service reauests.

Community Cleanup Day

Saturday, August 31 8am — 12noon
Unity Park • Corner of W. Cherry and S. Grady Ave.
For more information, call (912)384-3302 or dial 311.



Looking for a place for your next reception, family reunion, birthday party, or special event? The City of Douglas has facilities available to lease to you! Call Carol Jackson at 912-384-5978, email cjackson@cityofdouglas.com, or visit www.cityofdouglas.com.



GAME SUPPER

Thursday, August 22, 2013

6:30p.m. - C.E. Weir Center

Enjoy a dinner to include: Smoked Wild pork, Wild Sausage, Quail, Venison, and more with purchase of a \$15 ticket!



Keynote Speaker – Jimmy Sites

Host of Spiritual Outdoor Adventures, contributor to the Sportsmen's Bible, leading speaker and outdoors advocate

For more information Call (912) 383-0277

or email info@cityofdouglas.com!

Event Partners:



Friday, August 23 and Saturday, August 24, 2013



Celebrity Guests:

America's Favorite Fisherman **JIMMY HOUSTON**

Houston will host a special workshop "How to go from Amateur to Pro" on Saturday, August 24, 10 a.m., Dogwood Room (limited seating/no charge)
Saturday, August 24 from 11 a.m.-2 p.m. to meet and greet fans and to sign autographs.



Wild Game Supper Speaker **JIMMY SITES**

Thursday, August 22, 6:30 p.m.
Sites will be on site during the Expo on Friday, August 23, 1 p.m.-4 p.m. to meet fans and to sign autographs.

VAN MCCALL and the God In the Hunt Team presents "The Outdoor Life Experience" Saturday, August 24: 9:30 a.m.



Keith Johnson and the **BASS TUB DEMO**

Fishing Techniques and Using the Right Lures
Friday, August 23: 1:30 p.m., 3 p.m. & 6 p.m.
Saturday, August 24: 10 a.m., 2 p.m. & 4 p.m.

Norris Shoe Store presents **STEVE SCRUGGS**

ROCKY Rocky Snake Master
Friday, August 23: 4 p.m.
Saturday, August 24: 11 a.m. & 3 p.m.



Satilla River Outdoors presents: **LEVI MORGAN** #1 ASA Shooter and Co-Host of "Name The Game" also on the sportsman Channel

Saturday, August 24: 10 a.m.-2 p.m. to meet fans and sign autographs.

RUFUS Live 200 Class Whitetail "Monster Buck"
Friday, August 23 & Saturday, August 24

SHOW TIMES:

Friday, August 23, 2013
1 p.m. - 7 p.m.
Saturday, August 24, 2013
9 a.m. - 5 p.m.

ADMISSION:

Adults: \$5 (1 day) \$8 (2 day)
12 and under FREE

GIVEAWAYS:

\$500 Cash Jackpot!!!
NASCAR Tickets
46" Televisions • Guns
Hunting Trips • Gas Cookers
Tool Sets • Bass Pro Gift Cards
Rods • Knife Sets • Coolers
Jerky Survival Kits • Hats
Sportsman Bags • Door Cams
Sporting Chairs • Gift Certificates
T-Shirts & More!!

Special Workshops and Events:

"Fishing in the Okfenokoe Swamp"
by Bert Deener, GA DNR Regional Fisheries Biologist
Saturday, August 24, 1 p.m., Dogwood Room
(No cost for workshop/limited seating)



Crew from Combat in the Wild
World Record Exhibit
Smokey Bear
Lawton Trout Farm (catch & release)
Hunting and Fishing Simulators
DNR Boating Safety
Strange Creatures Exhibit
NASCAR Simulator
Bobber Man Mascot
BB Gun Range by the NWTF
Kidz Play Area
Facepainting/Glitter Tots
Mechanical Bull Ride
Atlanta Motor Speedway Pace Car
Motorcycle Safety
DNR Hunting & Fishing License
Inflatable Shooting Range
Food Vendors
Arts & Crafts Vendors

"Wildlife Demo" by GA DNR Wildlife Resources Division
Show times Friday, August 23, 5 p.m. &
Saturday, August 24, 1:30 p.m.

"DNR Hunter Safety Ed Refresher Course"

Individuals must register online and take the course prior to expo. Test time will be Saturday, August 24, 10 a.m.-12 p.m. in the Youth Center

"K-9 Demonstration" by GA DNR Wildlife Resources Division
Show times Friday, August 23, 2 p.m. &
Saturday, August 24, 12 p.m.

Exhibitors & Vendors:

INDOOR VENDORS

Hook'd Up Apparel
Sweetfield Leather
Nuth' But Bone Apparel
C. Mo's Kids
Ms. Frizles Crafts
Atlanta Motor Speedway
D & D Foods
Douglas/Coffee County
Chamber of Commerce
All About Soles
Nipper's Nook
BMS Synlube
Georgia Carry Org
I'm Hooked
Rada Outtery
Gunter's Fishing Supply
Fred's Leather Shop
Deep South Jerky Direct
Cajun & Cracker Outdoors
Cracker Boy Seasoning
Daydream Doodles Face Painting
Hubbard Auction Company
Merco Arms & Archery
Mossy Creek Game Calls
Okafenokee Knives
Scentys Wickless Candles

Treasures In Wood
Lasseter Equipment Group
National Wild Turkey Federation
Georgia Hunting & Fishing
Federation
Georgia Department of Natural
Resources
McRae Coca Cola Bottling Co.
Douglas Lion's Club
Norris Shoe Store
Georgia Forestry Commission
Madwind Outdoors
GA Motorcycle Safety Program
Promo Viper
Philgood Entertainment
Verizon/Cellular Sales
Guy's Custom Woodworks
Mediastream
Satilla River Outdoors
Van McCall & God in the Hunt

OUTDOOR VENDORS

South Georgia Leather
3G Designs
Granny's Woodworks & Crafts
Georgia Wing - Civil Air Patrol
Brooks Lawn & Patio Furniture
Mary's Bow-tique

Eye Candy Art Studios
Certified Pro Charms
Schmitt-Malvern Midway
Attractions
Julian's 3D Entertainment
NASCAR Simulator
God In The Hunt/Van McCall
G's Stitching & Crafts

FOOD VENDORS

Six Shooter Saloon
(Old Fashioned Soda)
S&S Concessions
GA Motorcycle Roadside BBQ
Galene's Homemade
Ice Cream
Derondas Produce
Miles Concessions
Henry's Concessions
Mexican Express
Sno-2-Go (Snowcones)
Homi's Snack Shack
Lil Mike's Family Restaurant
R & T Concessions
Kettle Korn Creations
MaePolly's Cupcakes &
Baked Goods

Sponsors:

For more information, visit the City of Douglas website:
www.CityofDouglas.com/OutdoorExpo or call 912-333-0277.

Follow us on:

Central Square Complex • Douglas, Georgia



In celebration of the 50th Anniversary of the Christmas Parade, event organizers are proud to announce the 2013 FESTIVAL OF LIGHTS CHRISTMAS PARADE THEME:

"Celebrating the Golden Years!"

Saturday, December 7, 2013
6:30pm in Downtown Douglas!

Registration will begin September 1, 2013 at the Central Services Department offices located at 200 S. Madison Avenue. For more information, call 912-383-0277.

**FREE COMPOST AVAILABLE
AT THE MULCH SITE**
CALL AHEAD FOR PICKUP DATES
AND TIMES - 912-389-3452.



Watershed Protection

Remember – Only Rain down the Drain!
Click here for information on how you can prevent Stormwater Pollution or visit www.cityofdouglas.com.

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Mosquito Control Program
Protect your Family: "Fight the Bite"
Click here for your Guide to Mosquito Control or visit www.cityofdouglas.com.

Douglas Recycling – August Calendar



August 5 Group B

August 12 Group A

August 19 Group B

August 26 Group A

To find out which Recycling Group you are in, please [click here](#).

For more information, please call 912-389-3450 or 384-6001.

