

City of Douglas

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DECEMBER UPCOMING EVENTS

- Dec. 9, City Commission Meeting @ City Hall, 7pm
- Dec. 11, Historic Preservation Meeting, 11am, FMI: 384-5161
- Dec. 13-15, First Baptist Church presents "The Gift", 6pm
- Dec. 14, Christmas on the Pond, 6pm-9pm, FMI: 384-7082
- Dec. 14, The Nutcracker, Martin Centre, FMI: 389-3389
- Dec. 14, CAA presents: The HeART of Christmas, SGSC Peterson Hall, \$5/\$2
- Dec. 18, Cemetery Meeting, @ Douglas City Cemetery, 10am
- Dec. 21, [Seven Baskets at Christmas](#), 8am-12pm
CE Weir Center
- Dec. 23, City Commission Meeting @ City Hall, 7pm
- Dec. 24&25, Christmas Holidays
City Offices Closed
- Jan. 1, City Offices Closed



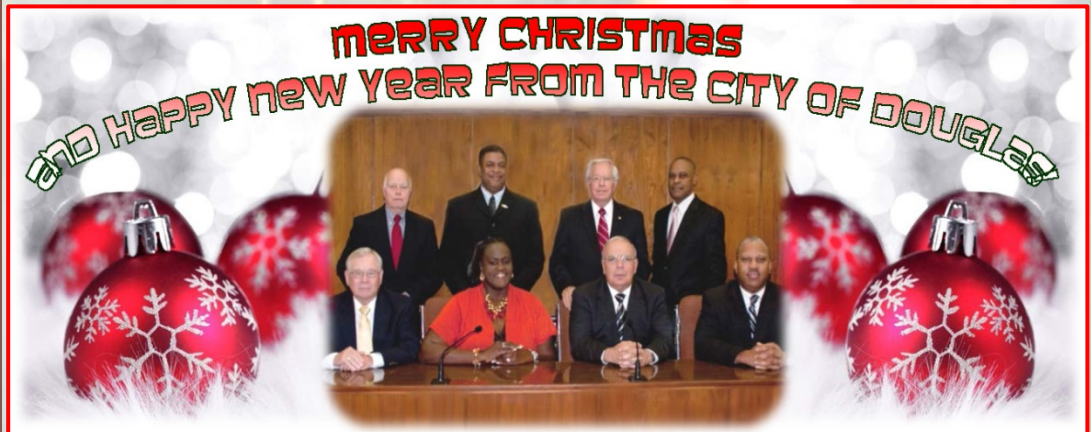
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Douglas Fire Department, Southwire/Project Gift and Community Partners

TOYS FOR TOTS

Drop off new, unwrapped toys for children ages birth - 12 yrs at Ameris Bank Douglas National Bank, FNBCC, Premium Waters, Southwire and Fire Department located at 123 Cherry St. through December 14th.
FMI: 384-4815 or 260-2000.

Neighborhood Involvement Program presents...

Christmas Home Decorating Contest

Registration through December 13th.
Outdoor Decorations must be complete by December 17th.
For more information, call 384-3302 or 311.





Community Cleanup Day

Saturday, December 21 8am — 12noon

City Hall • 224 E. Bryan Street

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



City of Douglas Offices will be closed on Dec. 24 & 25, 2013 and Jan. 1, 2014. Merry Christmas and Happy New Year!

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safety tips for the holidays



PUT A **FREEZE** ON WINTER FIRES

"See something, say something"

912-260-3600

CRIME Tipline



Douglas, GA Police Department



Citizen's Academy Program

Douglas, GA 101

CITIZEN'S ACADEMY 101 PROGRAM RETURNS IN 2014!

If you are interested in learning more about our local government and how it works, these classes will be perfect for you. Persons interested should contact the Public Information Department at 912-383-0277 or email ghenderson@cityofdouglas.com.



COMING MARCH 28 & 29, 2014 TO THE DOUGLAS MUNICIPAL GENE CHAMBERS AIRPORT!



- Car & Motorcycle Show
- BBQ Competition
- LIVE Blues Concerts
- Food Vendors
- Arts & Craft Vendors
- FUN for the entire family!



Gates Open:
Friday, March 28 1pm-11pm
Saturday, March 29 9am-5pm

Admission: \$5 per car/\$2 per motorcycle

For more information, visit www.cityofdouglas.com/bbbfest
 or call 912-383-0277!

Volunteers are needed! Visit www.cityofdouglas.com/bbbfest for an application, fax (912-384-0130), or email (pmerritt@cityofdouglas.com).

Volunteers are being sought to work: Thursday, March 27th, 10am – 4pm,
 Friday, March 28th, 10am – 11pm and Saturday, March 29th, 8am – 5pm.
 FMI: Call 384-5161.

Douglas Recycling – December Calendar

December 6 Group A December 13 Group B
 December 20 Group A December 27 Group B

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

For more information, please call 912-384-3302 or 311.





2013 Christmas Parade Winners

OVERALL WINNER – CORNERSTONE CHURCH OF GOD OF PROPHECY
BEST MUSICAL PERFORMANCE – COFFEE MIDDLE SCHOOL BAND
BEST IN CREATIVITY – MCRAE COCA-COLA

CHURCHES

- 1ST PLACE – TRINITY CHURCH & SAVING GRACE MINISTRIES
- 2ND PLACE – NEW HOPE COVENANT/MISS P.E.A.R.L. PAGEANT
- 3RD PLACE – FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD

SMALL BUSINESS

- 1ST PLACE – STORY WEALTH MANAGEMENT GROUP
- 2ND PLACE – AARON'S
- 3RD PLACE – HUDDLE HOUSE

LARGE BUSINESS & INDUSTRY

- 1ST PLACE – SOUTHWIRE
- 2ND PLACE – ZAXBY'S
- 3RD PLACE – COFFEE CORRECTIONAL/S.O.R.T.

EDUCATION

- 1ST PLACE – NICHOLLS ELEMENTARY RECORDER ENSEMBLE
- 2ND PLACE – CHS HOSA
- 3RD PLACE – CHS DRAMA CLUB

CLUBS/INDIVIDUALS/ORGANIZATIONS

- 1ST PLACE – WEST GREEN GIRL SCOUTS TROOP 40575
- 2ND PLACE – AMERICAN LEGION POST 18/POST 515/848TH ENG CO.
- 3RD PLACE – GIRL SCOUTS TROOP 40607



Cornerstone COGOP



CMS Marching Band



McRae Coca-Cola



Trinity Church & Saving Grace



New Hope Covenant/Miss PEARL



Aaron's



Zaxby's



CHS HOSA



American Legion Post 18, Post 515, and 848TH Eng Co.



First Assembly of God



Huddle House



CCF - S.O.R.T.



CHS Drama Club



Girl Scouts 40607



Story Wealth Management



Southwire



Nicholls Elementary



Westgreen Girl Scouts 40575





HANDGUN SAFETY COURSE *for women*

Only \$25

Two Dates to Choose From

Friday, December 13th or Saturday, December 14th

Limited Spots Available! CALL TODAY TO RESERVE YOURS.

WHAT YOU WILL LEARN...

- Firearms safety procedure
- Georgia firearms laws
- Methods of safe carry and storage
- Proper loading and unloading
- Hands-on live fire instruction

WHAT YOU WILL NEED...

- Handgun (some available for loan if needed)
- Ammunition

Schedule for the Day:

8:00 a.m. - 12 noon	Classroom Instruction
12 noon - 1:00 p.m.	Lunch break
1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.	Firing Range Experience
4:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.	Classroom Wrap-up

Give the gift of safety this Christmas!

If you are interested in purchasing this course as a gift, gives us a call to purchase a gift certificate. Our next course will be offered January 10th or 11th, 2014.

Brought to you by :

Wiregrass Georgia Technical Department of Economic Development, the Wiregrass Criminal Justice Program, and the City of Douglas Police Department



TO REGISTER....

Contact Gail Giddens at Wiregrass Georgia Technical College at (229) 468-2074 or email at gail.giddens@wiregrass.edu. [Click Here](#) to download a Registration Form