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Gwinnett County Government hosts many events, classes, and workshops for its residents. See these great events and more at www.gwinnettcountryevents.com.

This Week

America Recycles Day I FREE

November 22 from 9:00am to noon. Come celebrate America Recycles Day with the Gwinnett County Solid Waste and Recovered Materials Division. This free event will feature electronics and tire recycling, paint collection, toner/ink cartridge collection, kids' activities, and more. Please bring your old sneakers to be donated to those in need or recycled into reusable surfaces for playgrounds and running tracks. Coolray Field, home of the Gwinnett Braves, 2500 Buford Drive in Lawrenceville. Volunteer with us during the America Recycles Day event. Volunteers will be assigned to serve from 8:00am to 1:00pm. Please visit www.volunteergwinnett.net to sign up as a volunteer for this event.

Line Dance Marathon

November 22 from 6:00pm to midnight at Lucky Shoals Park. Country, hip-hop, and pop music will be played for all skill levels. Drinks will be provided. The cost is \$5 per person if you bring a dish to share and \$9 per person with no dish. Register online at www.gwinnettparks.com. Call 678.277.0860 for more information. Lucky Shoals Park is located at 4651 Britt Road in Norcross.

Next Week

Green Your Holiday at the EHC

November 25 from 10:00am to 3:00pm. This event will include upcycled-recycled holiday crafts, science with Santa, a picture with Santa cutout, tram rides, and an arts and crafts market from local vendors in the Imaginarium gift shop. Admission is \$5 for ages 13 and up; \$3 for ages 3 to 12. Environmental and Heritage Center members and visitors ages 2 and under are admitted free. You can pre-register online at www.gwinnettEHC.org or pay at the door. Gwinnett Environmental and Heritage Center, 2020 Clean Water Drive in Buford.

Annual Lighting of the Tree I FREE

November 27 from 5:30pm to 8:00pm. The tradition continues as Gwinnett County Parks and Recreation rings in the holiday season with the lighting of the Great Tree on the courthouse lawn. Festivities include music in the gazebo, kids' activities, dance team performances, and local food vendors. Call 770.822.5450 for more information. Gwinnett Historic Courthouse, 185 West Crogan St. in Lawrenceville.

County offices closed for Thanksgiving holiday

All Gwinnett County government offices, with the exception of those operations required for the comfort and safety of residents, will be closed **Thursday, November 27** and **Friday, November 28** for the Thanksgiving holiday. County offices will resume normal business hours on Monday, December 1. A Magistrate Court judge will be available at the Gwinnett County Detention Center.

Thursday, November 27 is a trash and recycling holiday for residents living in unincorporated

Gwinnett County. Collection scheduled on that day will be rescheduled for Friday, November 28 and Friday collection will be rescheduled for Saturday, November 29. Only Thursday and Friday collections will be affected. If you live within city limits, please contact your city hall for your trash and recycling schedule.

Future Events

Senior Holiday Luncheon

December 5 from 11:30am to 1:30pm. Enjoy great entertainment and a delicious catered lunch to start off your holiday season. Cost: \$9 per person. Pre-register by December 1 at www.gwinnettparks.com with code BPSC14306 or call 678.277.0179. Bethesda Park Senior Center, 225 Bethesda Church Road in Lawrenceville.

Visits with Santa

December 6 from 11:00am to 2:00pm. Use your own camera for a \$5 sitting fee or get a photo at the event in a keepsake card for \$5. While you wait for your photo to print, make a craft in the Elf Workshop for only \$1. Call 770.822.5450 for more information. Gwinnett Historic Courthouse, 185 West Crogan St. in Lawrenceville.

12.13.14 A Day in Time Wedding Packages

Let us take care of the details while you enjoy getting married on this special, sequential date! Just invite your guests, select your gown, get your marriage license, and bring the groom and your officiate! All-inclusive packages are available for a variety of budgets. Spaces are very limited. Call 678.277.0920 for more information. Pinckneyville Park Community Recreation Center, 4650 Peachtree Industrial Blvd. in Berkeley Lake.

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