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Dear Homeowner,

As a resident of Gwinnett County, you know there is always a lot going on in the community.

Gwinnett County Government would appreciate your help keeping your neighbors informed by sharing the following information through your homeowner association newsletter, website, and emails and by talking to your friends and family.



What's new on TVgwinnett?



Gwinnett County brings you the latest news and happenings about your community through Eye on Gwinnett, our bi-weekly news program.

- What you'll see in this episode:
- County to start transit study
 - Animal control under new management
 - Alexander Park adds 41 acres
 - Crooked Creek wastewater plant modernizing
 - Chinese experts tour Hill plant

Additional bus routes take commuters to MARTA stations

In response to the collapse of a section of I-85 in Atlanta, Gwinnett County Transit and Xpress have added new MARTA Feeder express service to take riders from the six Gwinnett and Xpress Park & Ride lots to the Chamblee and Doraville MARTA stations. From there, commuters can access rail service into Atlanta in the morning and return home again in the afternoon.

The MARTA Feeder buses leave the Gwinnett and Xpress Park & Ride lots between 5:30am and 9:15am and depart the Chamblee and Doraville MARTA stations between 3:35pm and 6:05pm. Starting Monday, a GCT "sweeper" route will run out of Chamblee at 7:00pm, stopping by all three GCT Park & Ride lots.



To access the Xpress schedules, click [here](#). To access the GCT schedules, click [here](#). For more information about Gwinnett County Transit, click [here](#).

Gwinnett County Board of Assessors mails Annual Notices of Assessment



The Gwinnett County Board of Assessors mailed approximately 277,000 Annual Notices of Assessment to residential and commercial property owners on April 7. The notice is not a tax bill.

Notices are mailed in accordance with state law to notify property owners regarding the current year value assessed on taxable property and provide a reason for any change in the value. The current year value identified on the notice is the value that used by the Tax Commissioner to calculate property taxes later in the year.

If property owners disagree with the assessment of their current year value, they have 45 days from the date on their annual notice of assessment to file a written appeal. For more information about property values and appeals, visit www.gwinnett-assessor.com.

Commissioners approve \$23 million in road resurfacing contracts

Gwinnett County Commissioners recently awarded \$23 million in resurfacing contracts and accepted state grant funds to pay for 26 percent of the cost.

County transportation employees rate the pavement status on about half of the County-maintained roads annually and determine which roads are most in need of resurfacing. Out of more than 2,500 miles of county road maintained, Gwinnett will resurface close to 170 miles this year.

Art on the Chattahoochee offers art, crafts, food, and fun on April 15 at Pinckneyville Park

Come out to the Art on the Chattahoochee Art Market on **April 15** at Pinckneyville Park in Norcross to enjoy artwork, kids' activities, food, and entertainment.

The art market includes paintings, jewelry, woodworking, spa products, clothing, accessories, and artist demonstrations. The main stage will feature the music of Cherry Cherry, A Common Ground, and Connor Byers. Medieval Times knights will entertain while kids enjoy trampolines, inflatables, games, crafts, and a chalk art contest. Vendors will be selling food and drinks.

Art on the Chattahoochee will run from **10:00am to 5:00pm** in the Pinckneyville Park Medlock Corporate Pavilion, located at 4758 South Old Peachtree Road in Norcross. For more information, call 678.277.0920 or email pccenter@gwinnettcountry.com.

Earth Day Celebration returns to Coolray Field on April 22

Protect your identity and Mother Earth by destroying your personal documents at a free paper-shredding event hosted by the Solid Waste Management Division and Gwinnett Clean & Beautiful on Saturday, **April 22** from **9:00am to noon** at Coolray Field, home of the Gwinnett Braves.

The event, in celebration of National Earth Day, will allow each vehicle to shred up to five copier boxes of documents from 9:00am to noon. The Federal Trade Commission and other law enforcement agencies recommend people shred sensitive personal documents to ensure their privacy is protected.



To volunteer for this event, please visit www.volunteergwinnett.net to sign up or Gwinnett Clean & Beautiful at 678.518.6112 between **8:00am and 5:00pm, Monday through Friday**.

Multicultural festival set for April 29

Gwinnett Police, County staff from multiple departments, and friends from across the globe will gather at the fourth annual Gwinnett Multicultural Festival Saturday, **April 29** from **10:00am to 2:00pm** in the Gwinnett Place Mall parking lot.

Families can see exhibits and demonstrations, and meet officers. They also can enjoy cultural performances, food vendors, and kids' activities such as inflatables and a dunking booth. For more information, call 770.513.5119.

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