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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

Crafty Creations

March 23 from 6:15pm to 8:15pm. Gather your friends for a fun night out. Enjoy a delicious snack while you create your own garden lantern. All supplies and instructions are provided. Cost: \$15/person. For more information, visit www.gwinnettparks.com or call 678.277.0920. Pinckneyville Park Community Recreation Center, 4650 Peachtree Industrial Boulevard in Berkeley Lake.

Toastmasters of Centerville

March 24 from 7:00pm to 8:00pm. Lose your fear while learning to become a better public speaker, deliver great presentations, lead teams effectively, and give and receive constructive evaluations. Cost: \$1/person per meeting (in bills). Email vppr-922073@toastmastersclubs.org for more information. Centerville Community Center, 3025 Bethany Church Road in Snellville.

Next Week

Public Meeting: Comprehensive Transportation Plan | FREE

March 29 from 6:00pm to 8:00pm. The Department of Transportation invites you to get involved in the planning process to update Gwinnett County's Comprehensive Transportation Plan, also known as the CTP. The updated plan will summarize current and future multimodal transportation needs within the county and will recommend projects for the next 25 years.

Additional meetings will be held on the following dates: April 18 and April 21. For times and locations, visit www.Destination2040Gwinnett.com or [view this flyer](#). In addition, [take our survey and share your feedback](#) as we think about the opportunities for our growing community. Bogan Park Community Recreation Center, 2723 North Bogan Road in Buford.

Cooking for Cancer Prevention

March 31 from 10:00am to 12:30pm. Learn to prepare delicious meals with more fiber and less fat, sodium, and sugar to help you decrease your risk for cancer. Registration is required by March 24.

The cost to attend is \$2 per person. Presented by Gwinnett Cooperative Extension Services and the American Cancer Society. A minimum of 12 participants needed to hold class. Register by March 24 by calling the Centerville Community Center at 770.985.4713. Centerville Community Center, 3025 Bethany Church Road in Snellville.

Future Events

Earth Day Celebration | FREE

April 9 from 9:00am to noon. Come celebrate Earth Day with the Gwinnett County Solid Waste and Recovered Materials Division at Coolray Field, home of the Gwinnett Braves. This event will feature electronics and tire recycling and will also include free kids' activities and the opportunity for residents to meet their haulers and learn about Gwinnett County's solid waste and recycling program.

Here are some things to remember before you come:

- Paper shredding is limited to five copier paper boxes
- Paint collection is limited to eight, one-gallon cans
- Cans must contain at least 25 percent wet, usable paint; no rusted cans, no oil-based paints, stains, spackle, thinners, or dried paint
- Tire recycling is limited to eight tires per vehicle; no dealer tires
- Electronics recycling is free with the exception of TVs, monitors, and printers
- There is a \$10 cash fee per TV or computer monitor and a \$5 cash fee per printer

If you would like to volunteer, please visit www.volunteergwinnett.net to sign up. For more information, please call the Solid Waste and Recovered Materials Division at 770.822.7141 or email Schelly Marlatt at schelly.marlatt@gwinnettcountry.com.

Spring Cleaning and Household Hazardous Waste Management Workshop | FREE

April 14 from 1:00pm to 2:30pm. Learn tips for identifying and managing household hazardous waste and find out about options for recycling and proper disposal at this free workshop. Attendees from unincorporated Gwinnett County, city of Lilburn, or city of Peachtree Corners may qualify for a maximum 5 percent credit toward their stormwater utility fee for the following year. For more information and to register, email the Stormwater Management Division with your name, address, and phone number at dwrswreg@gwinnettcountry.com or call 678.376.7193 and press 5.

Art on the Chattahoochee | FREE

April 16 from 9:00am to 5:00pm. Check out local artists at this free festival that celebrates creative offerings from the community. Discover unique pottery, jewelry, artist demos, live entertainment, and more. There will be kids' activities and fun for the whole family. Vendor spaces are available. Call 678.277.0920 for rates and pre-screening. Simpsonwood Park, 4511 Jones Bridge Road in Peachtree Corners.

Gwinnett Multicultural Festival | FREE

April 30 from 11:00am to 3:00pm. The third annual Gwinnett Multicultural Festival is free and is intended to build collaborative relationships with the multicultural community. It also gives families the opportunity to learn about services provided by the Police Department and Fire and Emergency Services. Gwinnett Place Mall, 2100 Pleasant Hill Road in Duluth.

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