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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](http://www.gwinnettcountryevents.com).

### This Week

#### Toastmasters of Centerville

April 7 from 7:00pm to 8:00pm. Lose your fear of public speaking while learning to deliver great presentations, lead teams effectively, and give and receive constructive evaluations. Cost: \$1/person per meeting (in bills, no coins). For more information, email [vppr-922073@toastmastersclubs.org](mailto:vppr-922073@toastmastersclubs.org). Centerville Community Center, 3025 Bethany Church Road in Snellville.

#### Job Readiness Workshop | FREE

April 9 from 9:00am to noon. This one-day workshop will cover resume writing and interview skills. The workshop is provided by Lift Up Atlanta Inc. Call 678.225.5400 to register. Norcross Human Services Center, 5030 Georgia Belle Court in Norcross.

#### Earth Day Celebration | FREE

April 9 from 9:00am to noon. Celebrate Earth Day with the Gwinnett County Solid Waste and Recovered Materials Division at Coolray Field, home of the Gwinnett Braves. In addition to electronics and tire recycling, this event features 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](http://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](mailto:schelly.marlatt@gwinnettcountry.com).

Next Week

### **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. 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](mailto:dwrswreg@gwinnettcountry.com) or call 678.376.7193 and press 5. Gwinnett County Public Library - Five Forks Branch, 2780 Five Forks Trickum Road in Lawrenceville.

### **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.

## **Future Events**

### **Public Meeting: Comprehensive Transportation Plan | FREE**

April 18 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. Dacula Park Activity Building, 2735 Old Auburn Avenue in Dacula.

The last public meeting will take place on Thursday, April 21 at One Justice Square, 446 West Crogan Street in Lawrenceville. You can also share your feedback by [taking our survey](#). For more information about the CTP process, visit [www.Destination2040Gwinnett.com](http://www.Destination2040Gwinnett.com).

### **Volunteer Expo | FREE**

April 23 from 9:00am to noon. Meet representatives from local organizations and find the right volunteer opportunity for you to give back to the community. Bring your children along to enjoy the Gwinnett County Fire and Emergency Services Department's Safe House and activities. For more information, contact Shannon Campos at [shannonc@ymcaatlanta.org](mailto:shannonc@ymcaatlanta.org) or call 770.724.1674. Centerville Community Center, 3025 Bethany Church Road in Snellville.

### **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 Gwinnett County Police Department and the Gwinnett County Fire and Emergency Services. Gwinnett Place Mall, 2100 Pleasant Hill Road in Duluth.

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