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Mark your calendar!

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

This Week

DIY T-shirt craft workshop | FREE!

May 18 from 4:00pm to 6:00pm. Use egg cartons and acrylic paint to turn a plain T-shirt into a wearable masterpiece at a Do-It-Yourself craft workshop at the Dacula branch library. For more information, call 770.978.5154 or visit the Gwinnett County Public Library at www.gwinnettpl.org. Dacula branch library, 265 Dacula Road, Dacula.

Family Field Day | FREE!

May 20 from 11:00am to 2:00pm. Bring the family to Pinckneyville Park for an afternoon outside full of fun with lawn games, sack races, giant Twister, and more. For more information, call 678.277.0920. Pinckneyville Park Community Recreation Center, 4650 Peachtree Industrial Boulevard, Berkeley Lake.

National Kids to Parks Day Events

May 20 from 5:00pm to 11:30pm. It's three events rolled into one. As part of National Kids to Parks Day, Gwinnett County Parks and Recreation and Live Healthy Gwinnett are hosting a Spring into Summer event, races, and a movie under the stars. See below for details about these events. For more information, call 770.822.8869. All three events take place at Rhodes Jordan Park, 100 East Crogan Street, Lawrenceville.

Spring into Summer | FREE!

From 5:00pm to 8:00pm. Check out health and wellness exhibitors, fitness demonstrations, kids activities, giant lawn games, inflatables, and food vendors.

1, 2, 3K GLOW & Show

From 8:00pm to 10:00pm. All ages, strollers, and dogs are welcome. Runners, joggers, and walkers are eligible for a glow-in-the-dark t-shirt and two glow bands. Cost: \$10 per person. Packet pickup at 5:00pm.

B at the Movies with B98.5 | FREE!

From 9:15pm to 11:30pm. Bring a blanket and some snacks, and enjoy the animated film, SING!.

Shoal Creek Filter Plant Open House | FREE!

May 20 from 10:00am to 2:00pm. The award-winning Shoal Creek Filter Plant, which produces 75 million gallons of drinkable water daily, will offer tours of the facility, plus crafts and games for kids, festival activities, and free fairground food. Gwinnett County water professionals will be available to answer questions about water in Gwinnett. For more information, call Jackie Valett at 678.376.6722. Shoal Creek Filter Plant, 1755 Buford Dam Road, Buford.

Next Week

Drop-in Tech Help | FREE!

May 25 from 5:00pm to 7:00pm. Bring your cranky computer, iPad, or other device to the techies at the Peachtree Corners branch of the Gwinnett County Public Library. While not providing formal training, they can offer coaching, advice, and resources. Peachtree Corners branch library, 5570 Spalding Drive, Peachtree Corners.

Laugh Out Loud Movie Matinee

May 22 from 2:00pm to 4:00pm. As part of Older Americans Month, Gwinnett County Parks and Recreation is showing a comedy film, "Keeping Up with the Jones." The 2016 movie is about a suburban couple unexpectedly embroiled in espionage and international intrigue when they discover their new neighbors are government spies. Popcorn and a drink are included. Cost: \$2. Preregistration required. Call 678.277.0179. Bethesda Park Senior Center, 225 Bethesda Church Road, Lawrenceville.

Future events

Memorial Day Ceremony in Honor of Gwinnett Fallen Heroes

May 29 at 1:00pm. This annual event honors our county's fallen military and public service personnel. The Gwinnett County Board of Commissioners and honor guard units from Fire and Emergency Services, Police Department, Sheriff's Office, and the Lawrenceville Police Department will take part in this event. The Memorial Day Ceremony will be televised at 7:30pm on May 29 on TVgwinnett, Gwinnett County's government access cable channel, and available on demand at www.tvgwinnett.com. Gwinnett Fallen Heroes Memorial, 75 Langley Drive in Lawrenceville.

Family Swim Night

June 9 from 6:30pm to 8:30pm. Gather the family and drop by for an evening swim. Admission fees and all pool rules apply. However, twilight rates do not apply. For more information, call 678.277.0892. Rhodes Jordan Park Pool. 100 East Crogan Street, Lawrenceville.

Family Scavanger Hunt

June 10 at 9:00am. It's a fun-filled scavenger hunt in Bethesda Park! Wear comfortable clothing, and don't forget your swim suit. The hunt ends with a swim and prizes at the pool. Cost: \$6 per person, ages 2-under are free. Preregister online by June 7 with code BEP35100 or call 678.277.0880. Bethesda Park Aquatic Center, 225 Bethesda Church Road, Lawrenceville.

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