# EVENTS WITH Gwinnett County Government

## October 29, 2019

#### Greetings!

Gwinnett County Government hosts many events, classes, and workshops for its residents. See these great events and more at <u>www.gwinnettcountyevents.com</u>.

## This Week

#### Party Like a MonSTAR

October 31 from 6:00pm to 9:00pm. Calling all ghosts, ghouls, and creatures that frighten. Let's celebrate all things that go bump in the night. Put on your favorite costume and BOOgie down to live music. Spook-tacular sandwiches included. Parent or guardian supervision required. Cost \$4 per person. <u>Preregister</u> with code OSB41001. OneStop Buford, 2755 Sawnee Avenue, Buford.

#### **Gwinnett County Career Expo | FREE!**

November 1 from 9:00am to 3:00pm. Looking for a Gwinnett County job? Join us at the Career Expo and meet department representatives, get a free résumé critique, and learn more about starting a career with Gwinnett County Government. Visit <u>www.GwinnettCountyJobs.com</u> to see available positions and apply. Gwinnett Justice and Administration Center, 75 Langley Drive, Lawrenceville.

#### Tree Talk with Master Gardeners | FREE!

November 2 from 10:00am to 11:00am. Learn fun facts and helpful hints, such as how to plant trees, ways trees communicate with each other, and more! Explore why leaves change colors with a playful scavenger hunt. For all ages. <u>Preregister</u> with code EXT41300 or call 770.554.2284 for more information. Vines Park, 3500 Oak Grove Road, Loganville.

#### #GwinnettCounts Census Rally | FREE!

November 2 from 11:00am to 2:00pm. Gwinnett County's Complete Count Committee is hosting a family-friendly census rally to help ensure #GwinnettCounts in the 2020 Census. The event includes kids' activities, DJ music, food trucks, free snacks like cotton candy and nachos, speakers, entertainment, educational resources, and more. Ask questions about the census and learn more about the importance of the count as well as the security measures that keep your information safe. Learn more here. Bicentennial Plaza, 275 South Perry Street, next to the Lawrenceville Lawn.

## Atlanta Regional Commission open house | FREE!

November 2 from 1:00pm to 4:00pm. Join representatives from the Atlanta Regional Commission for an upcoming open house at the Sugar Hill ECenter to discuss the Atlanta Region's Plan. ARC is updating this plan now, and is looking for your input to help shape our region's future. Learn about advances in transportation technology, innovative efforts to address the region's affordable housing challenges, economic development, planned transit expansion, and much more. For upcoming open houses, click <u>here</u>. Sugar Hill ECenter, 5009 West Broad Street Northeast, Sugar Hill.

## **Next Week**

## Senior Coffee Club | FREE!

November 8 from 9:30am to 10:30am. Come meet your neighbors with a free cup of coffee and breakfast treats. Enjoy crafts, games, and snacks. For ages 50 and up. Call 678.277.0875 for more information. Lilburn Activity Building, 788 Hillcrest Road, Lilburn.

## Haircuts for Heroes | FREE

November 8 from noon to 2:00pm. Look your best for Veterans Day! We're giving back to all those who served in the armed forces with a free haircut from a licensed barber/stylist. First-come, first-served.

For ages 17 and up. OneStop Norcross, 5030 Georgia Belle Court, Norcross.

## America Recycles Day

November 9 from 9:00am to noon. Recycle your electronics, tires, paint, ink cartridges, and more! Bring your old sneakers and gently used clothing to be donated to those in need or to be recycled into new products. Come for free kids' activities, including touch-a-truck, and meet your haulers. For more information, call the Solid Waste Call Center at 770.822.7141. Coolray Field, 2500 Buford Drive, Lawrenceville.

## Best Friend Pet & Safety Festival | FREE!

November 9 from 10:00am to 2:00pm. Join us for a day of pet and safety demonstrations, pet services, and family activities! Free vaccinations (RV, DHPP, and FVRCP) and microchips available for the first 500 pets to visit the Gwinnett Animal Welfare trailer. All pets must be on fixed lead or in a carrier. For more information, please contact Gwinnett Animal Welfare at 770.339.3200. Best Friends Park, 6224 Jimmy Carter Boulevard, Norcross.

#### **Origami Day: Beginner**

November 9 from 10:00am to noon. Participate in the wonder and beauty of paper folding in observance of Origami Day. If you have never folded before, learn how to make basic models. Light refreshments and materials included. Cost: \$5 per person. For ages 8 and up. <u>Preregister</u> with code OSN41008. OneStop Norcross, 5030 Georgia Belle Court, Norcross.

## **Future Events**

#### Veterans Day Ceremony

November 11 at 11:00am. Gwinnett County honors and recognizes those who served and sacrificed for their country in the military. The featured speaker will be retired Army Brigadier General Curt Rauhut of Georgia Military College. Gwinnett Fallen Heroes Memorial, 75 Langley Drive, Lawrenceville.

#### Human Trafficking Seminar | FREE

November 12 from 6:30pm to 8:00pm. Fight the sexual exploitation and trafficking of youth in Georgia by becoming an informed community member. Understand this illegal trade, including local statistics, warning signs, effects of trauma, victim resources, and more. For ages 18 and up. OneStop Centerville, 3025 Bethany Church Road, Snellville.

#### Cooking to Protect Water Quality | FREE!

November 14 from 1:00pm to 2:30pm. Learn how fats, oils, grease, and rags from your kitchen can clog pipes and contribute to water pollution in nearby waterways. Click <u>here</u> to register. For more information, call 678.376.7193. Rhodes Jordan Park, 100 East Crogan Street, Lawrenceville.

## **First Night Dance Party**

November 15 from 6:00pm to 9:00pm. Kick up your heels, enjoy another night with friends, and learn how to line dance! Light refreshments included. For ages 16 and up. Cost: \$10 per person. Preregister with code DAP41602 or call 678.277.0850 for more information. Dacula Park Activity Building, 2735 Old Auburn Avenue, Dacula.

## Create for a Cause | FREE!

November 16 from noon to 2:00pm. Show thanks by brightening a senior's holiday! Use your creativity to design a Thanksgiving Day greeting card for residents at Life Care Center of Gwinnett. For ages 13 and up. <u>Preregister</u> with code 41010. OneStop Norcross, 5030 Georgia Belle Court, Norcross.

## **Date Night Done Right**

November 16 from 6:30pm to 9:00pm. Treat your partner or friends to a fun and carefree evening out with live music! Satisfy your palate with a tasty Caribbean-inspired dinner and then let loose on the dance floor. Cost: \$25 per couple or \$15 per individual. For ages 18 and up. Preregister <u>here</u> for couples or <u>here</u> per individual. Follow the prompts to register to receive free childcare for ages 5 and up, and they'll enjoy a separate meal and entertaining activities. OneStop Centerville, 3025 Bethany Church Road, Snellville.

## **Holiday Ornament Knitting**

November 18 from 6:00pm to 8:00pm. Calling all experienced knitters! Make your holiday season extra merry and bright by adding your own touch of magic to your decor, or create something you can give as a gift for family or a friend. Minors must accompany paid adults. Bring size 8 needles and glittery Aran yarn. Cost: \$5 per person. For ages 10 and up. <u>Preregister</u> with code OSC41003. Stop Centerville, 3025 Bethany Church Road, Snellville.

#### Thanksgiving Cookies

November 20 from 9:00am to 11:00am. Bring your family and friends to meet other locals as you have fun decorating your own cookie to eat. Parent or guardian participation required. Milk and supplies included. Cost: \$2 per child. For ages 5 to 13. <u>Preregister</u> with code OSB41002. OneStop Buford, 2755 Sawnee Avenue, Buford.

## **Festive Painting Party**

November 23 from 1:00pm to 3:00pm. Gather the whole family for some color splashing entertainment! From beginner to advanced, decide on the picture and guidance you need to unleash your inner artist. Light refreshments and materials included. Cost: \$10 per person. For ages 10 and up. <u>Preregister</u> with code OSC41004. OneStop Centerville, 3025 Bethany Church Road, Snellville.



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