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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

##### **Computer classes for seniors**

September 20 for in-person registration. The Gwinnett SenioR Learning Center is sponsoring multiple computer classes for seniors ages 50 and older. Classes range from a single day to one day a week for several weeks. The GSRLC focuses on applications compatible with the Windows operating systems and teaches topics such as email, Internet, Facebook, genealogy, and word processing. Classes for using iPhones and iPads are also available. Cost: varies. Register online at [www.gsrlc.org](http://www.gsrlc.org). Register in person **September 20** from 10:00am to 11:00am at George Pierce Park Community Center, 55 Buford Highway, Suwanee.

##### **Storytime at the Park | FREE!**

September 24 from 10:00am to 10:30am. Join the Gwinnett County Public Library for stories, songs, games, and more. For children ages 3 and older. Cost: free. Also, **October 1, 15, 22, and 29**. Alexander Park, Playground-Pavilion 1, 800 Old Snellville Highway, Lawrenceville.

##### **Bicentennial event: Kids' Cane Pole Fishing Day | FREE!**

September 22 from 9:00am to noon. Enjoy fishing the old-fashioned way on the Chattahoochee River. It'll be a morning of fishing, food, prizes, and more! Open to all ages and levels of fishermen. Rod and bait provided on a first-come, first-serve basis. No fishing license necessary. Cost: free. Call 678.277.0903 for more information. Jones Bridge Park, 4901 East Jones Bridge Road, Peachtree Corners.

#### Next Week

##### **Human Trafficking Education Forum | FREE!**

September 26 from 7:00pm to 9:00pm. Open to all community members. Join the Gwinnett County Human Relations Commission as trafficking survivors, healthcare professionals, and government officials provide insight on the growing human trafficking problem and what we can do as a community to help stop it. Doors open at 6:30pm. Cost: free. [Register online](#) or call 770.822.7955. Gwinnett Justice and Administration Center auditorium, 75 Langley Drive, Lawrenceville.

##### **Yappy Hour | FREE!**

September 28 from 2:00pm to 4:00pm. Ruff week? Relax and unwind with your pup and other dog lovers! Enjoy off-leash play, giveaways, resources, and services. Free rabies shots for first 200 pets in celebration of Gwinnett's 200<sup>th</sup> birthday, \$10 vaccines (leptospirosis, Bordetella, DAPPv, and FVRCP), and \$25 microchips. Cash only. Vaccines and microchips available while supplies last. Pets must be on fixed leads or in carriers except in designated areas. Dogs and cats must have proof of age-appropriate immunizations unless purchased at event. All services performed by trained veterinary professionals. Staff members reserve the right to deny services. Pinckneyville Park Dog Park, 4758 South Old Peachtree Road, Peachtree Corners.

##### **Kids Night Out: Game Night!**

September 28 from 6:00pm to 11:00pm. Let's find out who's got game! Bring your team spirit for a night of fun, oversized board games, crafts, and dinner. Registration includes discounted tickets to the Aurora Theatre. For ages 6 and older. Cost: \$7 per person. [Preregister online](#) or by calling 678.277.0890 by September 28. Rhodes Jordan Park, 100 East Crogan Street, Lawrenceville.

##### **Fall Night Hike**

September 29 from 7:00pm to 8:30pm. Explore Gwinnett County's trails, constellations, and the world of nocturnal creatures as you hike under the night sky. Wear good walking shoes. For ages 8 and older. Cost: \$5 per person. [Preregister online](#) with code LMP48104 or by calling 770.814.4920. Little Mulberry Park Pavilion-Fence Road, 3855 Fence Road, Auburn.

#### Future Events

##### **Gwinnett County Career Expo**

October 5 from 9:00am to 3:00pm. See how you can start your career with Gwinnett County Government! Get a free résumé critique, learn about the excellent benefits offered to County employees, and talk to current employees about job opportunities. You can also apply at [www.gwinnettcountyjobs.com](http://www.gwinnettcountyjobs.com). Gwinnett Justice and Administration Center, 75 Langley Drive, Lawrenceville.

##### **Public Safety Fall Festival**

October 6 from 10:00am to 2:00pm. Gwinnett's Police and Fire and Emergency Services departments are partnering for a fun day with lots to see at the Public Safety Fall Festival. First responders will show off their emergency vehicles, including a helicopter, ambulance, SWAT personnel carrier, and ladder truck. For more information, call 770.513.5119. Coolray Field, 2500 Buford Drive, Lawrenceville.

##### **Take a Hike**

October 6 from 9:00am to noon. Hike a 4-mile loop at Jones Bridge and enjoy the view of the Chattahoochee River and other ample photo opportunities. We will provide the guide, snacks, and water bottles to help lead you on this family-friendly adventure. For ages 8 and up. Cost: \$7 per person. [Preregister online](#) by **October 1**. Pinckneyville Park, 4758 South Old Peachtree Road, Norcross.

##### **Bicentennial event: Elisha Winn Fair**

October 6 and 7 from 10:00am to 5:00pm. Tour the 1812 home with period furnishings, one-room school, working blacksmith shop, and old log jail and barn. Then enjoy live demonstrations, live cotton patch, arts and crafts, antique vendors, reenactors, live country/bluegrass music, handmade quilt raffle, and food vendors. Sponsored by the Gwinnett Historical Society. Cost: children under 12 are free; 13 and older \$3 per person. Elisha Winn House, 908 Dacula Road, Dacula.

##### **DWR 101**

October 11 from 1:00pm to 3:00pm. How does the Department of Water Resources provide millions of gallons of water to nearly 1 million people every day? How does it clean up wastewater to the amazing degree that it does? At this workshop, attendees will get an opportunity to get a behind-the-scenes look at operations and facilities. Held at different DWR buildings around the County, this workshop covers drinking water, wastewater, and stormwater, highlighting processes and policies that ensure our water resources are well protected and delivered at the greatest value. [Preregister online](#). F. Wayne Hill Water Resources Center, 3320 Financial Center Way, Buford.

##### **Homeowner H2O**

October 12 from 6:00pm to 7:30pm. Learn why water conservation is important and receive tips to conserve water at home. Attendees will receive a low-flow home retrofit kit. [Preregister online](#). Lucky Shoals Park, 4651 Britt Road, Norcross.

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