



# The Rooks Report

many people, one community...putting Clayton First

October 2015

Volume III, Issue IX

## Let's talk about it!

**"First Saturday Talk," December 5, 2015 at  
South Clayton Recreation Center 10am—12pm.**

### What's On Your Mind?

- Please share with us any stories or items that you would like to have put into this newsletter.
- We want your comments about what we are doing for you here in the district. Please provide us your positive feedback and we will post them in this newsletter (see our comments section on page 25).



Shana M. Rooks  
Clayton County Commissioner—District 3

Dear Constituents:

I am often asked about how we can improve our community and how we, the Board of Commissioners, will make it happen. While I whole heartedly agree that your government in working for you, should and must provide and push for improved communities that promote a better quality of life. I also believe that each individual person has the ability to improve communities independent of the actions of government. Many non-profits are born out of a need to improve communities. Some visionaries simply had a dream and a prayer. I see a number of those organizations making a tremendous impact on where we live, work and play.

I have had requests about starting a Boys and Girls Club (BAGC) here. We know that organization is a non-governmental entity. Nonetheless, it begins with YOU. If you are interested in starting a Boys and Girls Club, you can find the information by [here](http://www.bgca.org) (<http://www.bgca.org>). If you want to know more about Big Brothers, Big Sisters click [here](http://www.bbbsatl.org) (<http://www.bbbsatl.org>).

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I truly believe we are the sum of all our individual parts and if we collectively work, where we are able to, to make this county better, it will succeed because of YOU.

“You must be the change you want to see in the World.” ~ Mahatma Gandhi

In Service,

Commissioner Shana M. Rooks

# Community Servants Day

## Your Community & You!!!

October 31, 2015

South Clayton Recreation Center

10am—12pm

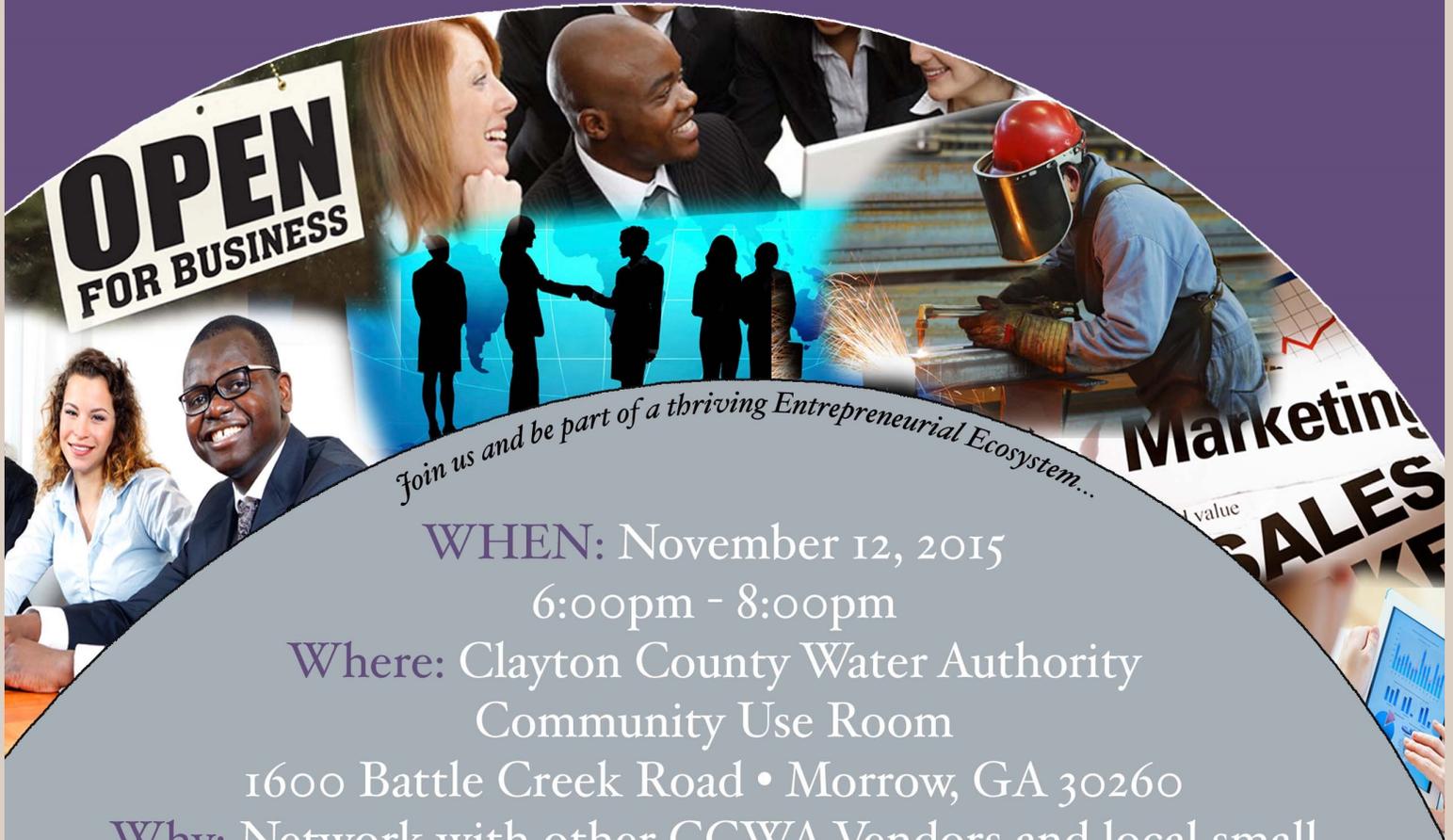
**Community**  
Development



# Commissioner Shana M. Rooks

in association with the Clayton County Water Authority

Board of Directors presents a Small Local Business Enterprise (SLBE) Opportunity



*Join us and be part of a thriving Entrepreneurial Ecosystem...*

**WHEN:** November 12, 2015

6:00pm - 8:00pm

**Where:** Clayton County Water Authority  
Community Use Room

1600 Battle Creek Road • Morrow, GA 30260

**Why:** Network with other CCWA Vendors and local small businesses regarding future business opportunities

**Who:** Small Local Businesses and Current Vendors of CCWA

Small Businesses in :

Clayton • Cobb • Cherokee • DeKalb •  
Douglas • Fayette • Fulton • Henry • Gwinnett •  
Rockdale • Spalding and surrounding areas

[www.claytoncountyga.gov](http://www.claytoncountyga.gov)

**YOU MUST RSVP IN ORDER TO ATTEND!!**

Accepting can donations for Thanksgiving

Please register by telephone: 770-960-5880

Email: [ccwa\\_slbe\\_program@ccwa.us](mailto:ccwa_slbe_program@ccwa.us) or

Website: [www.ccwa.us](http://www.ccwa.us)



Clayton County Central Services will be assisting with certification and doing business with Clayton County



Clayton County  
**Senior Services**  
Department  
*Changing the face of aging*

**J Charley Griswell Senior Center**  
2300 Highway 138 SE | Jonesboro, GA 30236  
770-477-3499 main | 770-477-3491 fax  
Mondays 8:00 am - 8:00 pm  
Tuesday - Friday 8:00 am - 5:00 pm

## Special Events

### HISPANIC HERITAGE FESTIVAL

Hispanic Heritage Month is a time for us to learn and celebrate the histories and contributions of Hispanics in the United States of America. Come and enjoy an afternoon of live entertainment, historical events and Spanish style cuisines.

**Tuesday, October 6th from 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm**

### DOMESTIC VIOLENCE AWARENESS PROGRAM

October is Domestic Violence Awareness Month! Members will learn strategies and ways to protect themselves in any domestic violence situation and share survival stories. Guest speakers from the Solicitor General's Office will come and share valuable information. Light refreshments, giveaways and music will be available for your enjoyment.

**Wednesday, October 14th from 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm**

### BLACK AND WHITE BALL

The J. Charley Griswell Advisory Council presents the Black & White Ball. Enjoy a sensational evening of dancing and dining. Come dressed in your chic black, white or a combination of both to party the night away.

**Wednesday, October 14th from 6:00 pm - 10:00 pm**

### BREAST CANCER AWARENESS PROGRAM

October is Breast Cancer Awareness Month! This program is designed to offer support and encourage those who are battling with cancer and recognize those who have survived. We will remember those we've lost to this dreaded disease by releasing a single pink balloon in their memory.

**Wednesday, October 21st from 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm**

## FALL FESTIVAL

Fall is in the air! Join us and be entertained during a fun-filled afternoon of great music, spirited contests, delicious snacks, special prizes and creative crafts.

**Thursday, October 29th from 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm**

## Education/Enrichment Classes

### BASIC COMPUTER

**Instructor: Staff**

**Mondays from 10:00 am - 11:00 am**

### BASIC DIGITAL PHOTOGRAPHY

**Instructor: Stanley Coleman**

Do you ever wonder how you can show all of your photos? This class will teach you how to make a digital film using your treasured photos.

**Wednesdays from 10:00 am - 11:30 am**

### CERAMICS

**Instructor: Gail Humphrey**

Learn how to design, paint and personalize your own piece.

**Mondays from 9:30 am - 11:30 am**

### QUILTING

**Instructor: Staff**

**Mondays from 4:00 pm - 7:30 pm**

**Tuesdays - Fridays from 10:00 am - 12:00 pm**

**Tuesdays - Fridays from 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm**

## Fitness Classes

### BASIC STEP AEROBICS

**Instructor: Dione Carroll**

Would you like to learn the basic step moves? Then this is the class for you! This interactive class will teach students how to safely use the platform steps.

**Tuesdays and Thursdays from 9:15 am - 10:00 am**

### BEGIN SWIM

**Instructor: Jackie Fears**

Learn how to overcome your fear of water and swim like a pro.

**Mondays and Wednesdays from 9:00 am - 10:00 am**

### AQUA SCULPTING

**Instructor: Johnny Furlow**

Experience building muscular strength and endurance in this fast paced class. Use resistance equipment such as tubing, hand buoys, and medicine balls for upper and lower body.

**Mondays and Wednesdays from 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm**

### CARDIO FITNESS

**Instructor: Gabriella Harden**

Come and experience an aerobic exercise workout for total body fitness.

**Mondays from 5:00 pm - 6:00 pm**

**Fridays from 4:00 pm - 5:00 pm**

### DANCERCISE

**Instructor: Staff**

Enjoy a full body workout while you dance. Exercise to oldies but goodies while learning the latest dances.

**Wednesdays from 10:00 am - 10:45 am**

## LAND ARTHRITIS EXERCISE

**Instructor: Staff**

Increase your range of motion, strength and endurance in this class designed according to the Arthritis Association Foundation.

**Tuesdays from 10:00 am - 11:00 am**

## Trips

### GEORGIA NATIONAL FAIR

Join Griswell as we travel to Perry, Georgia to the Georgia National Fair. There will be livestock and horse shows, competitive exhibits, food, midway rides and games, vendors, concerts, street entertainers and tons of excitement! While you are there have lunch on your own from a variety of vendors at the fair. You may be required to purchase tickets upon entry.

**Wednesday, October 7th from 8:00 am - 5:00 pm**

### APPLE ORCHARDS IN ELLIJAY, GA

Are you in the mood for some healthy, delicious sweet treats? Then come for apple picking and sightseeing in the quaint little town of Ellijay in North Georgia. First visit Hillcrest Orchards and R&A Orchards. Next we will have lunch and finally we will visit our favorite store, Panorama Orchards.

**Tuesday, October 13th from 8:00 am - 5:00 pm**

### EXPLORATIONS IN ANTIQUITY: BIBLICAL MEAL

Explorations in Antiquity Center in LaGrange is a living museum of life in ancient times as Middle Eastern life becomes real today. Visit the stunning replicas of the Jerusalem Biblical Meal Room and the Mount Zion Biblical Meal Room. Experience the four-course Biblical Meal that consists of 15 different food items including, soup, salad, main course, dessert and beverages. Walk through the garden museum and outdoor exhibits. Afterwards, purchase unique items from the gift shop to share your experience with all your family and friends.

**Wednesday, October 21st from 8:00 am - 5:00 pm**



Clayton County  
**Senior Services**  
Department  
*changing the face of aging*

**Frank Bailey Senior Center**  
6213 Riverdale Road | Riverdale, GA 30274  
678-479-5505 main | 678-479-5522 fax  
Monday - Friday 8:00 am - 5:00 pm  
Thursdays 8:00 am - 8:00 pm

## Special Events

### HARVEST FESTIVAL

What a great way to celebrate the Fall with games, food, prizes and music!

**Friday, October 23rd from 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm**

### CRAFTS CLASS DAY

Come and view this display of talent from the various art classes. You'll see sculpting, jewelry, crocheting, knitting and a display from our flower arrangement and wreath making classes.

**Thursday, October 29th from 10:00 am - 12:00 pm**

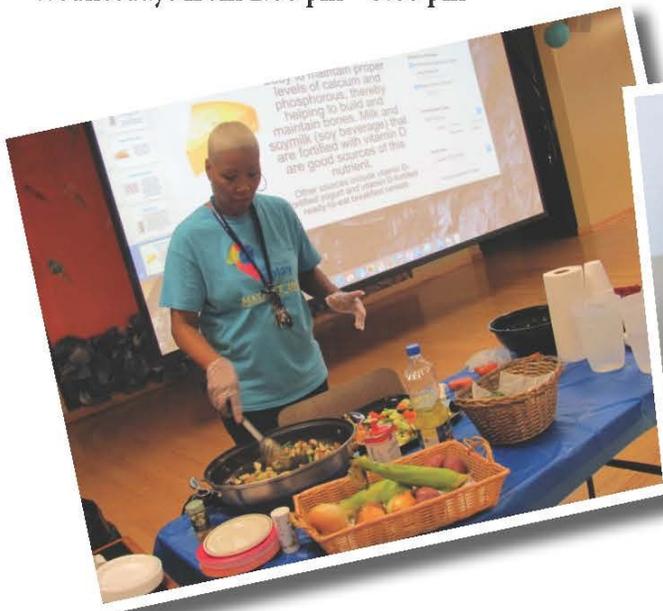
## Fitness Classes

### AQUA FITNESS

**Instructor: Noreen Rogers**

Enjoy a low impact fun workout in our heated pool.

**Wednesdays from 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm**



### BEGINNERS LINE DANCE

**Instructor: Joycelyn Benham**

This is a class for beginners with repeated steps in which a group of people dance in one or more rows.

**Thursdays from 10:00 am - 11:00 am**

### TAI CHI

**Instructor: Harvey Robbins**

Tai chi involves a series of movements performed in a slow, focused manner and accompanied by deep breathing.

**Mondays - Thursdays from 10:00 am - 11:00 am**

**Mondays & Wednesdays from 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm**

## Arts/Educational Classes

### COMPUTER KEYBOARDING

**Instructor: Staff**

Learn the basic steps for operating a computer.

**Thursdays from 1:30 pm - 3:00 pm**



[www.claytonseniors.com](http://www.claytonseniors.com)   [www.facebook.com/claytonseniors](http://www.facebook.com/claytonseniors)   [twitter.com/Claytonseniors](http://twitter.com/Claytonseniors)

## COMPUTER WITH TONY

**Instructor: Tony Antoine**

Learn how to operate Microsoft Excel and PowerPoint, how to e-mail, use digital images and surf the Internet.

**Check Center Calendar for schedule**

## Trips

### ZOO ATLANTA

Make sure you wear some comfortable shoes for this excursion to Zoo Atlanta. We'll see some fabulous animal exhibits and enjoy lunch at one of the eateries.

**Thursday, October 8th from 8:30 am – 4:00 pm**

## FOLK ART POTTERY MUSEUM

Join us as we travel to Helen, Georgia to visit the Folk Art Pottery Museum. You'll enjoy some of the wonderful handmade art pieces.

**Wednesday, October 14th from 8:30 am – 7:30 pm**

## MERCIERS & BLUE RIDGE

Join us as we go apple picking and visit the Merciers Stores. We'll also take a tour of Blue Ridge and have lunch at one of the local vendors.

**Wednesday, October 21st from 8:30 am – 5:30 pm**

**Thursday, November 19th from 8:30 am – 5:30 pm**





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Department  
*changing the face of aging*

## Classes for Adults

### GET YOUR SNEAKERS MOVING

Adult fitness class which will increase cardio, strengthen, and have fun all at the same time.

**Adults: Thursday, October 1st**  
**from 10:00 am – 11:00 am**

### LET YOUR FINGERS DO THE SCULPTING

Adults will use their imaginations and sculpt their idea of an African Mask!

**Adults: Wednesday, October 14th**  
**from 10:00 am – 12 noon**

### BIZARRE CULTURAL PRACTICES

Have you ever heard of the saying “Different Strokes for Different Folks”? Kinship folks will step into a world of bizarre and just plain weird cultural practices that make up this wonderful, unique world we live in.

**Family: Wednesday, October 21st**  
**from 5:30 pm – 6:30 pm**

## Classes for Youths/Teens

### FIRE PREVENTION

Be a hero, learn fire prevention!

**Youth: Thursday, October 1st from 5:30 pm – 6:30 pm**

### READY REFERENCE

Friends should always be able to speak kind words about each other. Come learn how to be a personal and professional reference for a friend.

**Teens: Thursday, October 1st from 5:30 pm – 6:30 pm**

## Kinship Resource Center

849 Batle Creek Road | Jonesboro, GA 30236  
770-473-5788 main | 770-477-3421 fax

Monday - Friday 8:00 am - 7:00 pm

*Grandparents Raising Grandchildren Program*

### COOKIE CAKE CREATIONS

Preschool activity where chocolate cookies will be decorated with icing, M&M's and other delicious decorations.

**Preschool: Tuesday, October 6th from 9:00 am – 12 pm**

### GHOULISH FOOD ART

Make your Halloween party even more fun by learning some creepy but delicious food art!

**Youth: Wednesday, October 14th**  
**from 5:30 pm – 6:30 pm**

### MUSIC INSTRUMENTS

Kinship Care youth will learn about the history of music, instruments, and possibly watch a small performance of a professional.

**Youth: Thursday, October 15th**  
**from 5:30 pm – 6:30 pm**

### HALLOWEEN CARNIVAL

That spooky day is drawing near, its Halloween kids, come celebrate right here. We'll play games galore for prizes and treats; and popcorn and snacks for everyone to eat. Come dressed in your Halloween best for Kinship's Halloween Carnival, ages 11 and under.

**Youth Ages 11 & under: Thursday, October 30th**  
**from 4:00 pm – 6:45 pm**

## Trips

### COLLEGE CAMPUS TOUR

This will be a first look at your college future. Visit and explore CAU, Spelman, and Morehouse and get a look at what awaits you in your college future.

**Teens: Friday, October 9th from 11:00 am – 3:00 pm**

## October 2015

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October 8-9, 2015

FALL ACTIVIDAYS- 7:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m. Carl Rhodenizer Recreation Center & South Clayton Recreation

October 9, 2015

**1st ANNUAL LAKE SPIVEY GOLF TOURNAMENT** - at Lake Spivey Country Club.

October 10, 2015

**7th ANNUAL LAKE SPIVEY ROAD RACE** - Race will begin at 8:00am. Proceeds support the Kids Outdoors Initiative and the Southern Regional NICU. [Register now!](#)

October 14, 2015

**BREAST CANCER AWARENESS SEMINAR** - This event will call awareness to breast cancer and allow participants to share stories, engage in arts and crafts and enjoy light refreshments from 6-7:30pm at Jim Huie Recreation Center. FREE Event.

October 17, 2015

**FALL FESTIVAL** - Come out and enjoy Arts & Crafts, Food, Music, and a Costume Contest at our Annual Fall Festival! FREE event from 2:00 - 6:00pm at Flat Shoals Park. In addition to the Fall Festival, join in on this Nationally Recognized "Lights on Afterschool Rally" to support after school programs. This event encourages parents to allow their kids to participate in after school activities and programs.

**MOVIE UNDER THE STARS** - (After the Fall Festival at Flat Shoals Park) Bring your blankets, lawn chairs, and snacks to our FREE Event. Movie will begin at dusk (9:00pm).

**Movie:** Rise of the Guardians

October 20, 2015

**BREAST CANCER AWARENESS WORKSHOP** - An educational workshop that will have guest speakers, light refreshments, and information that will educate the community on early detection and possible prevention of breast cancer. FREE event from 6:00 to 8:00pm at Virginia Burton Gray Recreation Center.

October 23, 2015

**TR HALLOWEEN DANCE** - Special needs participants will have a ball socializing while wearing their best costumes at the Halloween Dance! \$5 from 7-9pm at Jim Huie Recreation Center.

October 30, 2015

**HALLOWEEN CARNIVAL** - Have fun in costumes collecting candy while enjoying the Halloween experience in a safe environment at Carl Rhodenizer Recreation Center from 6-8pm.

**HAUNTED HALLOWEEN NIGHT** - This program is put together to give the residents of Clayton County and others around the metro Atlanta area an opportunity to come out and fellowship with each other while enjoying face painting, cotton candy, Halloween candy, and games. 6:00pm - 8:00pm / Virginia Burton Gray Recreation Center



Check out the Parks and Recreation “all About This Place” video [here](#).

(<http://www.claytonparks.com/news-events/>)

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**Commissioner Shana M. Rooks presents**

**Community Heroes**



I am looking for those individuals who steps aside and “puts Clayton first.” Please submit your nominations along with the nominees background and three references that will validate the nomination to my Constituent Aide Steven VanDyke at

[steven.vandyke@claytoncountyga.gov](mailto:steven.vandyke@claytoncountyga.gov)

Clayton County Parks & Recreation

# Fall Festival

Flat Shoals Park  
1915 Flat Shoals Road, Riverdale, Georgia

October 17, 2015  
2:00pm-6:00pm

Entertainment  
Arts & Crafts  
Costume Contest  
Games

Fun for the  
entire family!



[www.claytonparks.com](http://www.claytonparks.com)

770472-8042





starting  
**November  
1st!**  
[claytonparks.com](http://claytonparks.com)

# PLAY AND DANCE

**Basketball and Dance**

**Recreation Centers:**

**Jim Huie**

**Carl Rhodenizer**

**Virginia Burton Gray**

**South Clayton**

**Registration**

**Basketball: \$105**

**Dance Team: \$80**

**November 9-14**

**Monday - Friday 5pm to 8pm**

**Saturday 10am to 4pm**

**Register at any of our recreation centers.**

**For more details, please call (770) 473-3800**

**or visit [claytonparks.com/athletics](http://claytonparks.com/athletics)**



# SOUTH CLAYTON JOB FAIR

OCTOBER 6, 2015  
10:00 AM – 2:00 PM

**SOUTH CLAYTON RECREATION CENTER**  
1837 McDonough Road, Hampton, Georgia 30228

IN COLLABORATION WITH:  
HARVESTTIME APOSTOLIC MINISTRIES, CLAYTON COUNTY PARKS AND RECREATION,  
AND THE GEORGIA DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

**ACHIEVE** YOUR  
CAREER GOALS

Bring your  
résumé.

**EXPLORE** YOUR  
CAREER GOALS

Dress for  
success!

For more information about the job fair please  
submit an e-mail to [swat@gdol.ga.gov](mailto:swat@gdol.ga.gov)

**EMPLOY  
GEORGIA!**



16th Annual

# Wetlands and Watershed Festival



Saturday, October 3, 2015

11 AM to 4 PM

**FREE ADMISSION**

Experience...

Nature Crafts

Face Painting

Wildlife Exhibits

Eco-education

Guided walks

Scavenger hunt

and much more!

Free parking &  
shuttle bus from:  
2610 Shamrock Rd  
Jonesboro, GA 30236

Food, drinks, and  
souvenirs will be  
available for purchase.  
CASH or CHECK only.

Find us online:

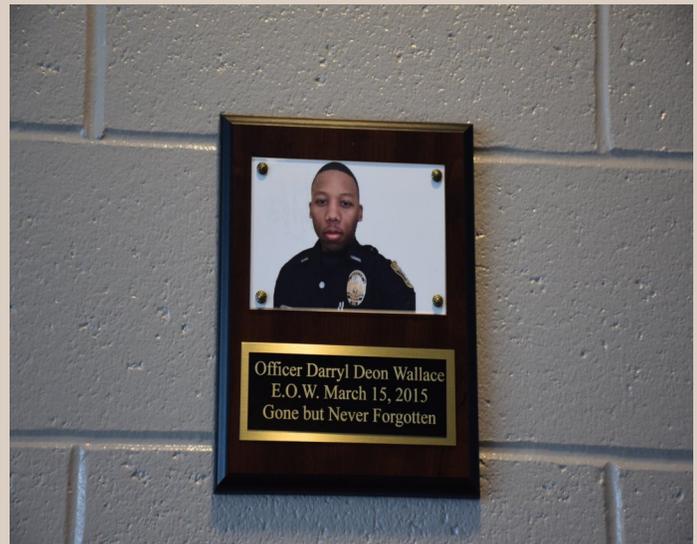
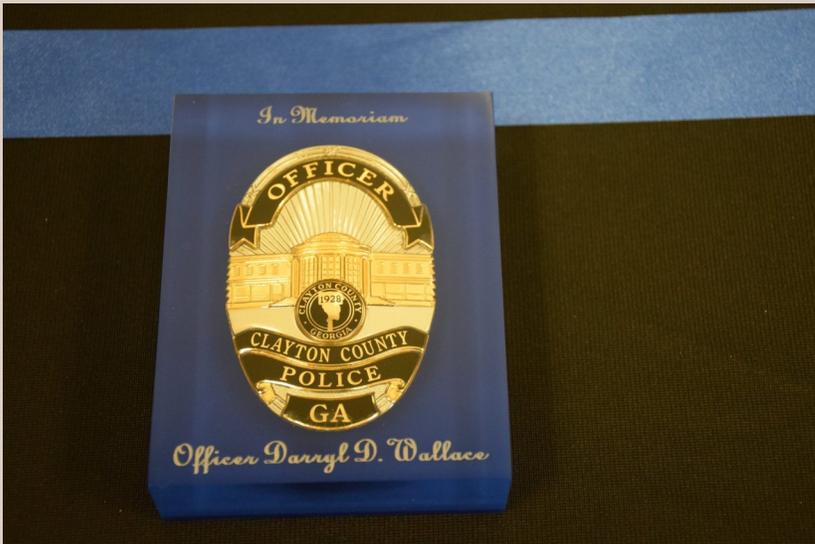
[www.ccwa.us/Newman-Wetlands-Center](http://www.ccwa.us/Newman-Wetlands-Center)

[www.facebook.com/NewmanWetlandsCenter](http://www.facebook.com/NewmanWetlandsCenter)



Newman Wetlands Center  
2755 Freeman Rd - Hampton, GA - 30228  
770-603-5606

On March 15, 2015, Officer Darryl Wallace, a 26 year old police officer with the Clayton County Police Department lost his life while on duty serving the constituents of District 3. He left to morn his memory a host of family and friends. On September 24, 2015, the Clayton County Police Department under the leadership of Interim Police Chief Michael Register and District 3 Commissioner Shana M. Rooks and Chairman Jeff Turner, honored his parents Mr. & Mrs. Timothy Merritt by returning Officer Wallace's badge to them and hanging a plaque of Officer Wallace in the Sector 3 Watch Office.





**SAFETY & COMMUNITY**

7911 North McDonough Street Jonesboro, Georgia 30236

# **PARTNERSHIP & PREVENTION** **JOIN US FOR AN** **OPEN HOUSE** **PREVENTION**

**October 2, 2015**

6:00pm to 8:00pm

*Visit Falcon*

*Explore the SWAT truck*

*View a K9 Demonstration*

Contact Ofc. J. Moton at 770 471 8028  
Special Guest Include:  
Various local artist and local businesses.



*Community Outreach in Action Inc. in partnership  
w/ the Clayton County Sheriff's Office*

**"Let's Stamp Out Hunger in Clayton County"**

**We Welcome You to Our  
"FREE"**

**MASSIVE FOOD DISTRIBUTION**

**Saturday, October 10, 2015**

**8:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.**

**HR Banke Justice Center**

9151 Tara Blvd, Jonesboro, Georgia 30236

Thousands of pounds of food will be distributed .... First come, First Serve

**"USDA is a equal opportunity employer"**



# ATLANTA FALCONS YOUTH FOOTBALL CLINIC



**DATE:** MONDAY, OCTOBER 26

**LOCATION:** DREW HIGH SCHOOL (SOUTHERN CRESCENT STADIUM)  
6237 GARDEN WALK BLVD, RIVERDALE, GA 30274

Youth Football Clinic: 6 – 8:15 p.m.

This free youth football clinic focuses on teaching young athletes proper football tackling, a variety of football fundamentals and sportsmanship. Drills will be led by former NFL players, including Atlanta Falcons Linebacker Buddy Curry. This clinic is for boys and girls ages 6-14 and is non-contact. No equipment is needed.

A free t-shirt will be provided for each participating child who has registered to attend.  
Please register at [atlantafalcons.com/youthfootballclinics](http://atlantafalcons.com/youthfootballclinics).

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MUST REGISTER TO ATTEND: [ATLANTAFALCONS.COM/YOUTHFOOTBALLCLINICS](http://ATLANTAFALCONS.COM/YOUTHFOOTBALLCLINICS) |  @FALCONSCR



OCTOBER

NATIONAL DOMESTIC VIOLENCE  
AWARENESS MONTH

*Against*

**JOIN THE FIGHT  
DOMESTIC VIOLENCE**



Do it for...  
your mother  
your sister  
your partner  
your daughter  
And the Silent  
1 in 4  
Women Affected

Show Your Support for A Healthier Community.

**VISIT THE PINWHEELS GARDEN OF HOPE**

Community Awareness Initiative for the Prevention of Domestic Violence

Join Us from 6:00 - 7:30PM!

Thursday Oct. 1st : City of Riverdale Fire Services, 6690 Church St. Riverdale, GA

Monday Oct. 5th 6:00 : Jonesboro Historical Courthouse, 121 S. McDonough St. Jonesboro, GA

**If you or someone you care about are in an abusive relationship.**

**BREAK the SILENCE, SPEAK UP & SAVE A LIFE!**

**1-800-799-7233 (SAFE)**

Contact Your Local Domestic Violence Community Partner:

Sisters Empowerment Network: 770.909.0376



Clayton County Coalition Against  
Domestic Violence Taskforce





# The Humane Society of Clayton County Presents its 1st Annual Spaghetti Dinner Fundraiser

Saturday October 17, 2015

4:00pm - 8:00pm

Morrow First United Methodist Church

5985 Jonesboro Rd., Morrow, GA



*\*All proceeds go to the Humane Society of Clayton County\**

Tickets on Sale at:

Two By Two Thrift Shop  
Wed, Fri & Sat 10:am - 5:pm

OR

Visit our website  
[www.claytoncountyhumane.org](http://www.claytoncountyhumane.org)

**Face Painting**

**Silent  
Auction**

**Drawings**

Min. Donation of \$12 per meal

All Dinners include:

Spaghetti (Meat or No Meat)  
Salad • Bread • Drink • Dessert



**\$10.00 in advance and \$12.00 at the door!**

**Clayton County Meals on Wheels Presents:**

***5<sup>th</sup> Annual Spaghetti  
Dinner & Fundraiser***

**Friday, October 23, 2015**

**5PM-8PM**

**\$10.00 Donation per person**

**Live Entertainment by: Jonesmen Quartet**

J. Charley Griswell Senior Center  
2300 Highway 138 E. Jonesboro, GA 30236

**\*Contact MOW Board Members for tickets\***  
**Online tickets and donations available at [www.eventbrite.com](http://www.eventbrite.com)**



*So no senior goes hungry*

Clayton County Aging Program Advisory Board

877 Battle Creek Road  
Jonesboro, GA 30236  
770-603-4050 (Aging Office)  
770-603-4068 (Aging Office Fax)  
[claytoncountymowb@gmail.com](mailto:claytoncountymowb@gmail.com)



# HOA BOOT CAMP

Saturday, November 7, 2015  
9:00am - 4:00pm

Georgia International Convention Center  
2000 Convention Center Concourse  
Atlanta, GA 30337

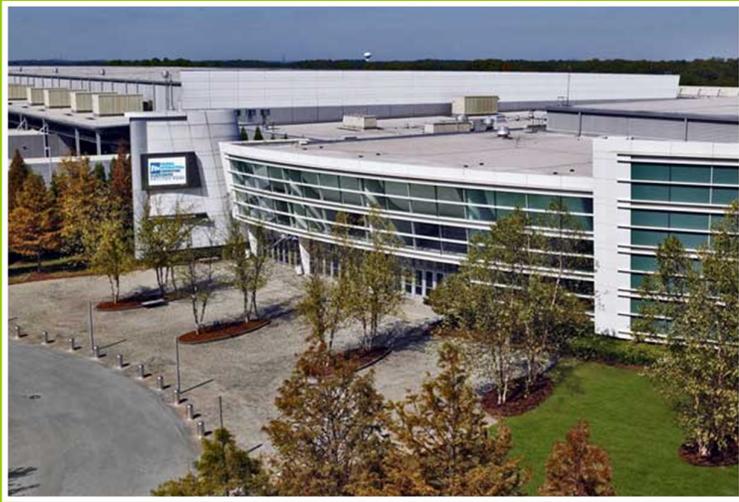


This event is **FREE** and parking is included. Breakfast and lunch will be provided to all registered attendees. Vendor who provide services to homeowner associations will be in Exhibit Hall A. Sessions will take place in Ballrooms 3 and 4. Seating is limited, so register today.

To register or to become a vendor, please visit:

[www.HOABootCamp.org](http://www.HOABootCamp.org)

Topics will include: HOA Board Basics, Legal, Management, Finance, Insurance, Software, and more.



- 9:00am Registration & Opening Session
- 9:30am Sessions 1 & 2
- 10:30am Sessions 3 & 4
- 11:30am Sessions 5 & 6
- 12:30pm Lunch w/ Key Note Speaker
- 1:30pm Sessions 7 & 8
- 2:30pm Sessions 9 & 10
- 3:30pm Closing Session



# 12th ANNUAL JURIED PHOTOGRAPHY COMPETITION



## ARTS CLAYTON GALLERY

presented in conjunction with:



ATLANTA  
CELEBRATES  
PHOTOGRAPHY

"Holding Hope" by 2014 Winner Tricia Stearns

**\*YOU'RE INVITED\***

**annual photography preview party**

**Friday, October 2 5:30 - 7:30 pm**

**Feature Exhibit**

**2015 Juried Photography Show and Competition**

presented in conjunction with:



**Open Studio Exhibit**

**Works by Atlanta Technical College students**

**Photography Without a Camera**  
**Exploring photography with technology**

Children's Workshop \* OCTOBER 17 \* 1 pm \* \$10 per person

**PRE-PAID reservations REQUIRED**

for all workshops. 770-473-5826

[www.artsclayton.org/gallery](http://www.artsclayton.org/gallery)

Gallery Hours, Tuesday - Friday 9am to 5pm. Saturday 10am - 4 pm  
Closed Sundays, Mondays and Holidays.

**Arts Clayton Gallery**

136 South Main Street  
Jonesboro, GA 30236

Non Profit  
Postage

**PAID**  
Jonesboro, GA  
Permit No 285



NATIONAL  
ENDOWMENT  
FOR THE ARTS



The Community Foundation  
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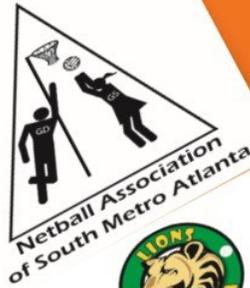


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Current Resident or:



# Netball Youth Program



**Come join us for a fun-filled Health, Education and Fitness program**

**When:** FRIDAYS: 6:30PM—8:00PM \* STARTING MAY 1, 2015— ENDING OCTOBER 30

REGISTRATION IS OPEN FOR 5yrs—18 yrs YOUTH (GIRLS & BOYS)

**Starts:** INTRO TO: NETBALL AND OTHER GLOBAL YOUTH GAMES



### They will learn:

- Fitness Basics
- Healthy Eating Habits
- Self Esteem
- Teamwork
- A fun sport, Netball

**Where:** Tennis Courts  
Gerald Matthews Complex  
(next to new Lovejoy Recreation Ctr)  
1985 McDonough Rd, Hampton, GA 30228

**Contact:** (678) 900-2335 \* (678) 663-0016

**Email:** netballhenry@hotmail.com

**Cost is FREE!**

ADULT VOLUNTEERS NEEDED! HELP THE YOUTHS TO MOVE & BE ACTIVE!  
FORMER NETBALL COACHES, PLAYERS; UMPIRES; SCORERS & TIME KEEPERS



## **Clayton County Government Contact Numbers**

(Here are some of our most requested numbers or services)

Animal Control	770-477-3509	Police/South Precinct	770-347-0260
Better Business Bureau	404-766-0875	Refuse Control (handles certain debris and trash on streets, removes dead animals from County roads)	770-477-3548
Board of Commissioners	770-477-3208	Senior Services	770-603-4050
Code Enforcement	678-610-4755	Sheriff (Non-Emergency)	770-471-1122
Community Development	770-477-3569	So. Regional Medical Center	770-991-8000
DFACS	770-473-2300	Tag Office	770-477-3331
Economic Development	770-477-4450	Tax Assessor (Prop .Values)	770-477-3285
Emergency	911	Tax Commissioner (Tax Bills)	770-477-3311
Health Department	678-610-7199	Transportation & Development (Public Works, Road Department/Pot Holes/Traffic Engineering)	770-477-3674
Parks and Recreation	770-477-3766	Water Authority	770-960-5200
Planning and Zoning	770-477-3577		

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### WE'RE HERE FOR YOU

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WE WORK WITH OUR CITIZENS TO RESOLVE CONCERNS INVOLVING COUNTY GOVERNMENT, EXPLAIN COUNTY PROGRAMS, EXPEDITE GOVERNMENT ACTION AND SERVE AS LIAISON BETWEEN OUR DEPARTMENTS AND THE PUBLIC.

### HOURS OF OPERATION

8AM-5PM (M-F)

### Questions/Concerns/Comments

Please contact :

Steven VanDyke - Constituent Aide

Phone: 770-473-5465

Email:

[steven.vandyke@claytoncountyga.gov](mailto:steven.vandyke@claytoncountyga.gov)

Please contact us to be added or removed from our email list.

## Board Meetings

Board meetings are held on the first and third Tuesday evening of the month at 7pm .

112 Smith Street

Jonesboro, GA 30236

770) 477-3208

## The Next First Saturday Talk

### December 5, 2015

South Clayton Recreation Center

1837 McDonough Rd. , Hampton GA 30228

10:00 am—12:00 pm

### Clayton County Government's Top Five Communication Resources

Website

[www.ClaytonCountyGa.gov](http://www.ClaytonCountyGa.gov)

CCTV-23

Clayton County Access Television  
Comcast Channel 23

Mobile Community

Text the word "CLAYTON" to 22828  
to receive monthly emails

Facebook

[Facebook.com/ClaytonCountyGeorgia](https://www.facebook.com/ClaytonCountyGeorgia)  
#claytoncountyga

Twitter

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Social Media

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