

What's Going On

CALHOUN-GORDON COUNTY

August 28, 2025

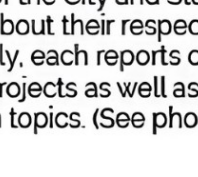
Development Authority of Gordon County Sponsors August Booster Breakfast
Friday, August 29 | 7:30-9:00am | GNCC Calhoun Campus
Elected Officials State to Deliver Community Updates



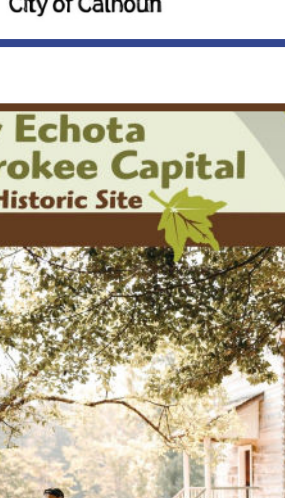
Kathy B. Johnson
President & CEO
Gordon Chamber

On Friday, August 29, the Development Authority of Gordon County will continue its long-standing tradition of sponsoring the Chamber's State of the City and County Booster Breakfast at Georgia Northwestern Technical College's Calhoun Campus.

Kathy B. Johnson, President & CEO of the Gordon Chamber and Development Authority, will partner with Jim Mathews, Chair of the Development Authority and Principal at Starr-Mathews Agency, to host and coordinate the signature event.



DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY
OF GORDON COUNTY



Mayor Jimmy Palmer
City of Calhoun

Calhoun's Mayor Jimmy Palmer and Gordon County's Commission Chair Bud Owens will deliver State of the City and State of the County presentations about their respective communities. Traditionally, each reports on recent and upcoming projects as well as tax issues and election topics. (See photos below)

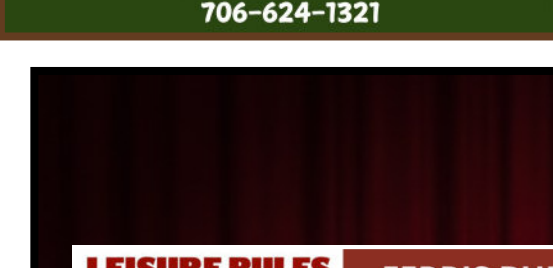


Jim Mathews
Chair of the Board
Development Authority



Chair Bud Owens
Gordon County

New Echota
Cherokee Capital
State Historic Site



1211 CHATSWORTH HIGHWAY NE
CALHOUN, GA 30701
706-624-1321

UPCOMING EVENTS

GUIDED NATURE HIKE
SATURDAY, AUG 30, 2025 2 PM TO 3:30 PM

JOIN THE RANGERS ON A GUIDED HIKE OF NEW ECHOTA'S NATURE TRAILS IN SEARCH OF BOTH COMMON AND RARE PLANTS THAT CALL THE SITE HOME. THE HIKE WILL TAKE PLACE ON THE NEW TOWN CREEK TRAIL AND THE HIKE WILL BE EASY TO MODERATE. WEATHER DEPENDENT PROGRAM

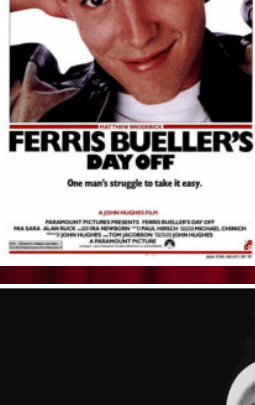
FIRST SATURDAY HIKE
SATURDAY, SEP 6, 2025 10 AM TO 11:30 AM

JOIN THE RANGERS FOR A MORNING OF HIKING AND HISTORY. THIS RANGER LED HIKE WILL TAKE VISITORS THROUGH THE HISTORIC TOWN OF NEW ECHOTA AND 1 OF 2 NATURE TRAILS HERE ON SITE. THE RANGER WILL DISCUSS DIFFERENT WAYS THE CHEROKEE AND OTHER NATIVE TRIBES WERE THE FIRST CONSERVATIONIST OF THE AMERICAS. THE HIKE WILL BE EASY TO MODERATE. WEATHER DEPENDENT

ARTS AND CRAFTS ON THE TRAIL OF TEARS
SATURDAY, SEP 6, 2025 10 AM TO 2 PM

JOIN THE PARK RANGERS FOR A DAY OF LEARNING HOW PAPER, CORN HUSK DOLLS, RIVERCANE BLOW GUNS & DARTS AND MORE WERE MADE DURING NEW ECHOTA'S EARLY 19TH CENTURY TIME PERIOD. TRY YOUR HAND AT MAKING THEM AND TAKE HOME YOUR HANDYWORK! FEE INCLUDES ACCESS TO TRAILS AND SELF-GUIDE TOUR OF HISTORIC GROUNDS AND BUILDINGS OF NEW ECHOTA - GA 30701

GEM
THEATRE
CALHOUN, GEORGIA



FERRIS BUELLER'S
DAY OFF

THURSDAY
AUGUST 28
7PM

SPONSORED BY:
THE BROTHERS Insurance Group



MARTY HAGGARD: A TRIBUTE TO MERLE HAGGARD
FRIDAY | SEPTEMBER 5 | 7:30PM | TICKETS: \$40 - \$50
MORE THAN HALF WAY SOLD OUT

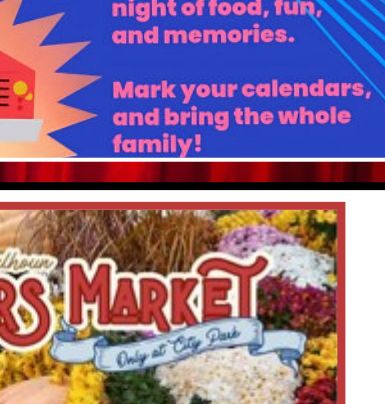


GREASE SING ALONG
SATURDAY
AUGUST 30
7PM

SPONSORED BY:
ROBINSON TIRE CO

Car Show
and Food
Trucks

Saturday,
August 30
Starting at 4pm



It's going to be a
night of food, fun,
and memories.

Mark your calendars,
and bring the whole
family!

THRILLS ON THE
HILL - SEPT 7, 2024

CAR SHOW
SWAP MEET
DRAG RACE
GEN
ADMISSION \$25

PARADISE DRAG STRIP
SINCE 1981
CALHOUN, GA
FOLLOW US ON
FACEBOOK &
INSTAGRAM

FOR MORE INFO
770-548-0304



8:00AM -
1:00PM

FARMERS MARKET

Only at City Park

MUMS
PUMPKINS
CORNSTALKS
FALL PRODUCE (WINTER
SQUASH, PEARS, KALE, ETC.)
FALL SPECIALTY DRINKS
AUTUMN CAKES & BREADS
KIDS ACTIVITIES

FALL FINALE
SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 13TH
CITY PARK | 308 N WALL ST | DOWNTOWN CALHOUN

HEAVALE BREWING CO PRESENTS
Oktoberfest

SAT, SEPTEMBER 13TH | 118 S PARK AVE | DOWNTOWN CALHOUN

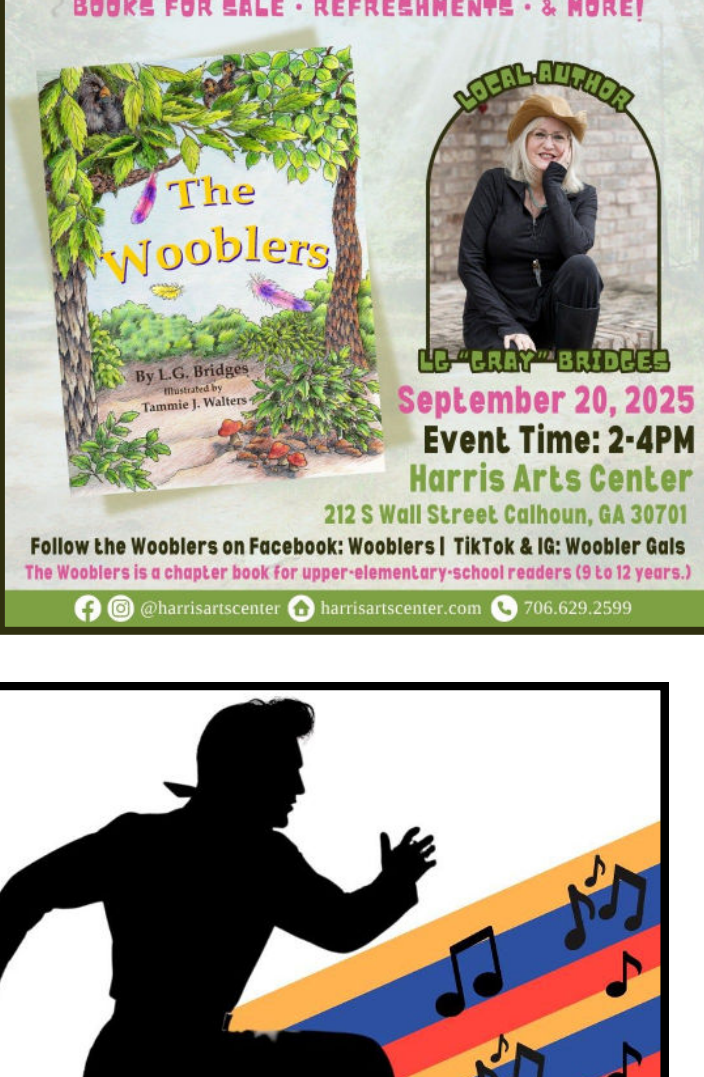


TAILGATE
PARTY

SEPT 13TH

PINTAGE MARKET

Come help us celebrate our 9th anniversary!



HARRIS ARTS CENTER
AND ARTS & EDUCATION

BOOK LAUNCH

BOOKS FOR SALE • REFRESHMENTS • & MORE!

By L.G. Bridges
Lumina J. Walters

September 20, 2025
Event Time: 2-4PM
Harris Arts Center
212 S Wall Street Calhoun, GA 30701

Follow the Wooblers on Facebook: Wooblers | TikTok & IG: Woobler Gals
The Wooblers is a chapter book for upper-elementary school readers (9 to 12 years).

@harrisartscenter harrisartscenter 706.629.2599



BETTYE BUTLER MEMORIAL
UNITY
32nd RUN 5K

PRESENTED BY
Hamilton Health - Calhoun
Vitrivian Health

TO BENEFIT
UNITED WAY
Gordon County



9/23/25
6:30 PM



Open Sept 20 - Nov 1 2025

CORN MAZE
PUMPKIN PATCH

Where farm meets fun

COPPER CREEK
FARM & CORN MAZE

Everybody can have FUN at the...



Northwest Georgia Fair
Hwy 53/Rome Road Calhoun, Georgia

FRIDAY, SEPT. 5 - SATURDAY, SEPT. 13
GATES OPEN AT 5 NIGHTLY

PEACHTREE
RIDES
All your favorite thrill
rides for all ages!

● Nightly Concerts
● Livestock Show
● Pageants
● School Band Performances
● All American Animals Exhibition

● Low-e's Comedy Circus
● Circus Incredible Thrill Show
● Magical Adventures Show

UNLIMITED RIDE SPECIALS NIGHTLY • www.nwgafair.com

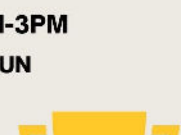


TWIN PONDS 2ND ANNUAL
CAR SHOW

922 RIVERBEND RD PLAINVILLE GA
OCTOBER 4 2025 FROM 10AM-3PM
FOOD TRUCKS AND FAMILY FUN

ALL PROCEEDS
GO TO
CHRISTMAS
FUND

● TOP 3 CARS
● TOP 3 TRUCKS
● TOP 2 MOTORCYCLES
● BEST RAT ROD
● BEST UNDER CONSTRUCTION
● PEOPLES CHOICE
● MOST UNIQUE



Twin Ponds Fall Festival
Chili Cook off

October 11th from 10am to 4pm
922 Riverbend Rd. SW Plainville Ga
ALL PROCEEDS GO TO CHIRSTMAS FUND

Live Music
"Sinner's Row Official"

Food vendors
MAMA BEEZ

Chili Cook off
\$30 entry fee

General Admission \$25.00 a car
Vender Booth rental \$25

● Balloon artist
● Catapult
● Face painting
● Dunking booth
● Bounce house

● Kids train rides
● Photo sets
● Cake walk
● Pie throwing

twinpondsatriverbend@gmail.com



Gordon Chamber
32ND ANNUAL
GOLF TOURNAMENT

Fields Ferry Golf Club
581 Fields Ferry Drive, NE
Calhoun, GA 30701

10.01.2025
CHECK IN & LUNCH: 11:00 AM
TEE TIME: 12:00 PM

More Information
gordoncountychamber.com/events



Breast Cancer
Awareness Event

Gordon County Health Department
October 6th 8:00 AM to 4:00 PM

Get your free
breast exam at the
Gordon County
Health Department.

Walk-ins accepted in
order of arrival.

We will be providing
refreshments and gift
bags to patients.

Make your appointment today:
Call (706) 624-1444
310 N River St, Calhoun, GA 30701



DOWNTOWN CALHOUN

ROCKTOBER FEST

SHOP. SIP. EAT. ROCK THE STREET.

SATURDAY | 10.11.2025



Want to build a snowman?

CLICK HERE

Want to be in the parade?

CLICK HERE

CHECK OUT THE FOLLOWING LINKS FOR OTHER LOCAL EVENTS:

Advent Health

CALHOUN CITY SCHOOLS

NGRL

GCA

GORDON COUNTY SCHOOLS

UNIVERSITY OF GEORGIA
EXTENSION

CITY OF CALHOUN
RECREATION
DEPARTMENT

GORDON COUNTY
RECREATION

ADVENTHEALTH GORDON EVENTS & SEMINARS | www.adventhealthgordon.com

CALHOUN CITY SCHOOLS | www.calhounschools.org | www.calhounschools.org/community/community-education

CALHOUN-GORDON COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY EVENTS | www.facebook.com/CalhounGordonCountyLibrary

GEORGIA-CUMBERLAND ACADEMY | www.gcasda.org

GORDON COUNTY SCHOOLS | www.gcsc.org

GORDON COUNTY 4-H EVENTS | www.extension.uga.edu/county-offices/gordon/4-h-youth-development/

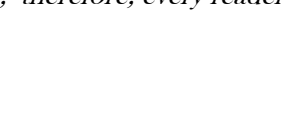
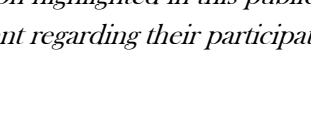
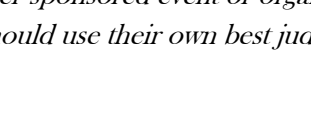
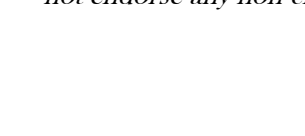
CALHOUN CITY RECREATION DEPARTMENT | www.cityofcalhoun-ga.com/recreation

GORDON COUNTY PARKS AND RECREATION | www.gordoncounty.org/departments/parks-recreation



Upcoming Events

In Northwest Georgia



The Creative Arts Guild
Annual Festival of
Fine Arts and Crafts
Dalton
September 20-21

Finster Fest
Summerville
September 20-21

Night Time Tunnel Tour
Tunnel Hill
September 27

Evening Sky Watch
Tellus Science Museum
Cartersville
October 17

explore
CALHOUN
Gordon County

WWW.EXPLORECALHOUNGORDON.COM

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