

What's Going On CALHOUN-GORDON COUNTY

January 15, 2026

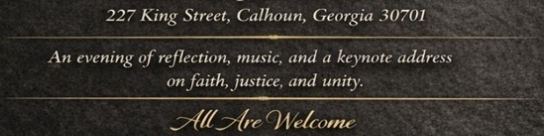
Come Say Goodbye to the Rec Center!

Visit the Rec Center one last time before
demolition and new construction begin!



FRIDAY, JANUARY 16 | 8:00 AM - 5:00 PM

You Are Cordially Invited



**DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. DAY
COMMUNITY COMMEMORATION**

"Where Do We Go From Here: Community, Courage, and Service"

Sunday, January 18, 2026
2:00-3:30 PM

Allen Chapel AME Church
227 King Street, Calhoun, Georgia 30701

An evening of reflection, music, and a keynote address
on faith, justice, and unity.

All Are Welcome
Church or Business Attire | Free Admission



Sponsored By: The Gordon County Civic Club, Inc.

"OUR LIVES BEGIN TO END THE DAY WE BECOME SILENT ABOUT THINGS THAT MATTER."

—DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.
"REMAINING AWAKE THROUGH A GREAT EVIL" (1969)



Dr. Shamus Woods, Red Life Ministry, Guest Speaker
Rev. Timothy Williams, Keynote Speaker
Pastor Regina Williams, Allen Chapel AME, Guest Speaker
Pastor James D. Harris, 1st Corinth Christian Church, Guest Speaker
Pastor Gail Gailor, Pine Grove-Missionary Baptist Church, Guest Speaker
Minister Maryanne Gungor, 1st Corinth Christian Church, Guest Speaker
Jim Leavelle, President, The Commemorative Foundation, Guest Speaker
Tiffany Tamm, The Voices of Zion, Musical Artists
Mary Helen Mays, Musical Artists

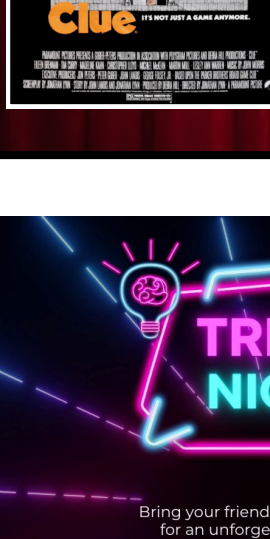
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**BIG TROUBLE
IN LITTLE CHINA**

THURSDAY
JANUARY 15
7PM

SPONSORED BY:
COMMUNIST PARTY FOUNDATION



**CLUE WITH
TRILOGY ENDING**

FRIDAY
FEBRUARY 6
7PM

SPONSORED BY:
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THUNDERBEARD: A TRIBUTE TO ZZ TOP
SATURDAY | JANUARY 24 | 7:30PM | TICKETS: \$35 - \$45



SPANK THE 80'S: THE ULTIMATE 80'S TRIBUTE BAND EXPERIENCE
SATURDAY | FEBRUARY 7 | 7:30PM | TICKETS: \$30 - \$40

TRIVIA NIGHT

Bring your friends and your brain power
for an unforgettable night of trivia.

EVERY THURSDAY
TRIVIA STARTS AT 7PM

HEAVALE BREWING CO.
118 S PARK AVE. CALHOUN, GA 30701
CRAFT BEER • PRIZES

MUSIC BINGO

EVERY FRIDAY @ 7PM
118 S PARK AVE. CALHOUN, GA 30701

FREE TO PLAY
GRAB A BINGO CARD
MARK OFF THE SONGS PLAYING IN THE BREWERY
GET DOUBLE BINGO AND WIN FREE BEER!



HARRIS Arts Center VISUAL ARTS GUILD PRESENTS

A COLLECTION OF
Southern Artists

featuring the artwork of:
Leroy Almon, Jody Harris, John Lane,
Billy Smith, & Ruby C. Williams
plus a standalone piece by NJ Artist Jacob Lawrence

Free Admission to the Galleries:
January 5 - February 13, 2026

Harris Arts Center | 212 S Wall Street Calhoun, GA 30701
@harrisartscenter | harrisartscenter.com | 706.629.2599

HARRIS Arts Center & CALHOUN LITTLE THEATRE PRESENTS

THE DEMISE OF THE
DOWNHOME DEALERS

MURDER MYSTERY DINNER THEATER
FRIDAY, JAN 23 AT 7PM
SATURDAY, JANUARY 24 AT 7PM

THREE COURSE CATERED MEAL
CASH WINE/BEER BAR
TICKETS ARE GOING FAST!
\$35 PER PERSON

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JOIN THE 2026 CHALLENGE!

Make 2026 Your Year of Moving Forward!



THE CHALLENGE

Walk 226 miles in 2026
Drink 202.6 ounces of water
Drink More. Do More. Be More.

HOW TO JOIN:

Register online & print the required paperwork
OR Register in person at the Recreation Center
Turn in your completed forms to get started!

Calhoun Recreation Department
700 West Line Street
Calhoun, GA 30701
www.calhounrec.com
706-629-0177

PICKLEBALL 706

Champion
of the Court

24 JANUARY, 2026
9:00 AM - 12:00 PM

\$20 PER PERSON
122 WC Bryant Pkwy,
Calhoun, GA

sign up on our website or your
Court Reserve App!

www.pickleball706.com

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Paddles
For
Promise

Eddie Reeves Memorial Tournament

February 28 & March 1, 2026

Paddles For Promise
Eddie Reeves Memorial Pickleball Tournament

Skill Levels: 2.5, 3.0, 3.5, 4.0, 4.5+
(including 50+ divisions at each level)

• Men's & Women's Doubles -
Saturday, February 28th
• Mixed Doubles - Sunday, March 1st

• Southern Pickleball Sanctioned
Part of the Proceeds will benefit The
Eddie Reeves Scholarship Memorial
Fund.

8 Indoor Hard Courts
Lounge area
9 TVs & restrooms

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New Echota Cherokee Capital State Historic Site



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

UPCOMING EVENTS

DARN THOSE DAMS!
SATURDAY, FEB 7, 2026 11 AM TO 12 PM

HAVE YOU EVER WANTED TO KNOW THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN MAN-MADE DAMS AND NATURALLY MADE DAMS. WELL JOIN US ON SATURDAY FEB. 7TH FOR A HIKE OUT TO THE BEAVER POND DURING WHICH RANGERS WILL DISCUSS BOTH MAN-MADE AND NATURALLY MADE DAMS. RANGERS WILL ALSO DISCUSS THE EFFECT BOTH KINDS HAVE ON A LOCAL ECO-SYSTEM.

SUPER MUSEUM SUNDAY
SUNDAY, FEB 8, 2026 10 AM TO 3 PM

JOIN OUR RANGERS AND VOLUNTEERS FOR A DAY OF LEARNING AND ACTIVITIES! THE RANGERS WILL BE LEADING GUIDED TOURS AND DEMONSTRATIONS IN THE HISTORIC BUILDINGS OF NEW ECHOTA. IF HISTORY IS NOT YOUR CUP OF TEA THE NATURE TRAILS WILL BE OPEN FOR HIKING. ADMISSION FEES WILL BE WAIVED FOR THE DAY.



City of Calhoun

Arbor Day

Free Tree Giveaway
The City of Calhoun has been recognized as a TREE CITY for 32 years!

Where? Gordon County Livestock Pavilion, Hwy 53 Spur
When? February 21, 2026 - from 9 am - 12 pm
Questions? Contact 770-881-2710



GENERAL FEDERATION
OF WOMEN'S CLUBS
Calhoun Woman's Club



KEEP AMERICA BEAUTIFUL AFFILIATE

SAVE THE DATE

2026 UPCOMING EVENTS

JANUARY HARRIS ARTS CENTER MURDER MYSTERY

FEBRUARY NEW ECHOTA SUPER MUSEUM SUNDAY

FEBRUARY/MARCH HARRIS ARTS CENTER SPRING BASKET FUNDRAISER

MARCH GEORGIA MARCH BAND FESTIVAL

APRIL BBQ & BOOGIE FESTIVAL

MAY BATTLE OF RESACA

JUNE WINGS & WHEELS FLY-IN & CAR SHOW

JUNE SADDLE CREEK LAVENDER FARM U-PICK DAYZ

JUNE PHILLIPS CHAMPIONSHIP RODEO

JULY STAR SPANGLED CELEBRATION & FIREWORKS

SEPTEMBER NORTHWEST GEORGIA REGIONAL FAIR

OCTOBER ROCKTOBER FEST

OCTOBER CUPPER CREEK FARM CORN MAZE & PUMPKIN FEST

OCTOBER ANTIQUE ENGINE & TRACTOR SHOW

NOVEMBER CHRISTMAS TREE LIGHTINGS & OPEN HOUSE

NOVEMBER/DECEMBER HARRIS ARTS CENTER FESTIVAL OF TREES

DECEMBER SNOWMAN SPECTACULAR

DECEMBER CALHOUN CHRISTMAS PARADE OF LIGHTS

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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 PARKS AND 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.gcacsa.org

GORDON COUNTY SCHOOLS | www.gcche.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 NWGA In Northwest Georgia

Take Off With Aerial Robotics
Tellus Science Museum
Cartersville
January 21

Fire & Ice Chili Cookoff
and Craft Beer Festival
Blue Ridge
February 14

Equine and Ag Expo
Cartersville
February 14-15

Rome Symphony Orchestra
presents
Quintet for Piano & Winds
Rome
February 28

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