

The Voice of Telfair County

August 2018

#PlayforLifeTelfair

Telfair County Schools Open House

Telfair County High School
Thursday, August 2; 9:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.
(229) 868-6096

Telfair County Middle School
Thursday, August 2; 9:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.
(229) 868-745

Telfair County Elementary School
Thursday, August 2; 1 p.m. - 3 p.m.
(229) 868-7483

Telfair County Pre-K
Thursday, August 2; 9 a.m. - 11 a.m.
(229) 868-5414



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Be Aware!

It's almost time for the new school year to start.

Parents will be dropping off their kids at school, some kids will walk to school and others will ride the bus.

Remember to be aware of school crossings, school entrances and buses on the roads.



Ladies Night Out

Take a night off and come paint with us!
August 10, 2018
6:30 p.m. - 8 p.m.

Lumber City Hardware
208 S. Third Ave.
McRae-Helena, GA 31055

It is free to come eat and watch the demos but the project will cost \$5.

Come enjoy a night off with us!



Krylon-Valspar representatives will be on site to show off some awesome projects. Projects will be available to the ladies to participate in.



Find and Like Us on Facebook

www.facebook.com/TelfairCountyGA

Check Out Our Website

www.telfairco.org

Telfair County
Chamber of Commerce
9 East Oak Street
McRae-Helena, GA 31055
(229) 868-6365
rogers@telfairco.org

Educational Opportunities

Oconee Fall Line Technical College

OFTC's Little Ocmulgee Instructional Center (LOIC)

140 North Third Ave.
McRae-Helena, GA
(229) 868-7834

Are You Ready TO ENROLL?

Employers want workers who are trained and ready to work.

Most jobs require education and training beyond high school like what you'll find at OFTC.

It's fast. Full time students can complete our degree and diploma programs in two years or less.

Certificate programs take three terms or less to complete.

It's affordable. Students can take advantage of the HOPE scholarship, grants, student loans and payment plans.

www.oftc.edu

OFTC is a unit of the Technical College System of Georgia and an Equal Opportunity Institution.

ADULT EDUCATION.... MORE THAN A GED!

- GED Preparation & Testing
- Basic Computer Skill Building
- Remediation for Test
- COMPASS AND ASSET Test Preparation
- Work Ready Test Preparation
- SAT Preparation

Flexible Hours Available

Two Locations

Telfair County
140 N. Third Ave.
McRae-Helena, GA 31037
(229) 868-3084
Monday & Wednesday

Wheeler County
203 W. Forrest Ave.
Alamo, GA 30411
(912) 568-1751
Tuesday & Thursday



Academy of Professional Leadership Series

Oconee Fall Line Technical College's (OFTC) Department of Continuing Education is offering an Academy of Professional Leadership Series at the Little Ocmulgee Instructional Center (LOIC) in McRae, Thursdays in August from 9AM – 12 PM.

The series will cover the techniques of true leadership and influence including communication skills, customer expectations, managing conflict, and understanding diversity.

Classes will meet on the following Thursdays: August 2nd, 9th, 16th, 23rd and 30th.

The cost to attend is \$50 per class and enrollment is limited.

For more info or to register, visit the Continuing Education page on the College's website, OFTC.edu, or call 478-275-6592.

Employment Opportunities

Coca Cola

Apply online at
www.Coca-ColaUnited.com/Careers

Husqvarna

Applications can be obtained from
Husqvarna
263 E. Oak St.
McRae-Helena, GA 31055
(229) 868-6737

Lumber City Nursing & Rehab

CNAs, PRN LPNS
To apply:
93 Highway 19
Lumber City, GA 31549
(912) 363-2484

**WE'RE
HIRING!**

Telfair Forest Products

Apply in person at:
11 West Industrial Blvd.
Lumber City, GA 31549

Telfair State Prison

Walk in Interviews Welcome!
Applications can be obtained from:
Telfair State Prison
170 Longbridge Rd.
McRae-Helena, GA 31055
(229) 868-3288

Wheeler Correctional Facility-Core Civic

All interested candidates can apply at
www.corecivic.com

Georgia Department of Labor

5016 Park Way
Eastman, GA 31023-6152
(478) 374-6994
(478) 374-6996 FAX
(478) 374-6832 TTY
www.dol.state.ga.us
Counties Served: Bleckley, Dodge, Telfair, Wilcox

**we can
help**

Job Training Unlimited

7 Forsyth St.
McRae-Helena, GA 31055
(229) 868-2000
www.region9wib.org
Office Hours:
Monday: 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.
Wednesday: 9 a.m. - 4 p.m.
Friday: 9:30 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.

Telfair County Farmers Market

Location

139 North Third Ave
(Hwy 280 across from
Little Ocmulgee
Instructional Center)
McRae-Helena, GA
(229) 860-0370

Hours of Operation

Saturdays
9 a.m. - 2 p.m.



Lumber City Farm Day Festival



Classic Car Show

Hosted by Friends of
Little Ocmulgee State Park
Saturday, September 22
10 a.m. - 4 p.m.

Door Prizes * Food Drinks

\$20 Car/Vendor Registration

Registration forms can be downloaded from
<http://www.telfairco.org/statepark.html>

Categories:

1930-1950
1951-1965
1966-1975
1976-1985
1986-2000

Classes:

Classic
Modified

Trophies for:

Best of Show
People's Choice
1st, 2nd, 3rd
Place/Class

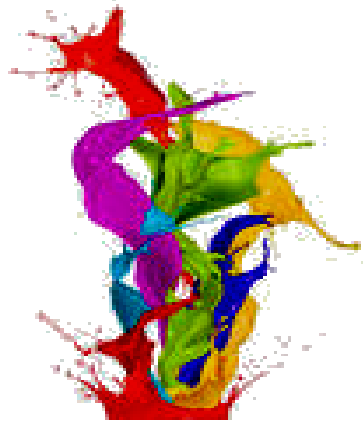
For more information: (229) 860-0657



Arts on the Hill

Arts on the Hill Annual Art Show
September 16, 2018
2 p.m. - 5 p.m.

Telfair Center for the Arts
903 W. College St.
McRae-Helena, GA 31055



Artists from the area display their originals
of various art forms.

Arts & Crafts
Food & Beverages

Guidelines for Submitting Information for Chamber Newsletter

**Requirements for listing an event, article or information in the
Telfair County Chamber of Commerce monthly newsletter:**

- ◆ Must be a current member of the Telfair County Chamber of Commerce;
- ◆ Information must be submitted according to the schedule listed below;
- ◆ Information will be accepted on a first received basis and as long as space is available;
- ◆ Information should be submitted in a Word Document, Publisher Document or and photos in a high quality .jpeg;
- ◆ Information should be submitted to the following email: rogers@telfairco.org.
- ◆ Chamber cannot guarantee what page your information will be on or the size of the item.

**Deadline to submit articles, events or information to be included in the
Chamber's Monthly Newsletter:**

August 2018 Newsletter:
September 2018 Newsletter:
October 2018 Newsletter:
November 2018 Newsletter:
December 2018 Newsletter:
January 2019 Newsletter:

Deadline-July 20, 2018
Deadline-August 17, 2018
Deadline-September 21, 2018
Deadline-October 19, 2018
Deadline-November 16, 2018
Deadline-December 21, 2018

Join the Telfair County Chamber of Commerce

**Let the Chamber
work for you!**

Reasons to Join

◆Savings

- ⇒ Chamber members could qualify for discounts on commercial property/equipment insurance
- ⇒ Chamber members that participate in the “Drugs Don’t Work Program” may qualify for discounts on worker’s comp insurance premiums
- ⇒ Discount on AirMedCare enrollment

◆Exposure

- ⇒ Chamber Newsletter Announcements
- ⇒ Brochure/Rack Card Courtesy Display
- ⇒ Referrals
- ⇒ Website Listings
- ⇒ Facebook Announcements
- ⇒ Ribbon Cuttings/Grand Openings
- ⇒ Relocation Guides & Resources

◆Economic Development

- ⇒ Membership supports the Chamber’s economic development efforts with the State Economic Development offices and local Development Authorities

◆Tourism Development

- ⇒ Membership supports the Chamber’s efforts in promoting tourism throughout the county for shopping, dining, events, festivals and attractions.

2017 Annual Membership Rates (January 1, 2018 to December 31, 2018)

<i>Churches</i>	<i>\$ 75</i>
<i>Civic Organizations</i>	<i>\$ 75</i>
<i>Educational Facilities</i>	<i>\$350</i>
<i>Financial Institutions</i>	<i>\$350</i>
<i>Health Institutions</i>	<i>\$350</i>
<i>Individuals</i>	<i>\$ 25</i>
<i>Industry Level I (1-50 Employees)</i>	<i>\$125</i>
<i>Industry Level II (51-499 Employees)</i>	<i>\$175</i>
<i>Industry Level III (500 plus Employees)</i>	<i>\$500</i>
<i>Professional Services</i>	<i>\$125</i>
<i>Retail Level I (1-50 Employees)</i>	<i>\$125</i>
<i>Retail Level II (51-499 Employees)</i>	<i>\$175</i>
<i>Retail Level III (500 plus Employees)</i>	<i>\$500</i>
<i>Utility Companies</i>	<i>\$250</i>

Telfair County Chamber of Commerce Meeting of the Board of Directors

2018 Monthly Meeting Schedule

Date	Time
January 9, 2018	5:30 p.m.
February 13, 2018	5:30 p.m.
March 13, 2018	5:30 p.m.
April 10, 2018	5:30 p.m.
May 15, 2018	5:30 p.m.
June 12, 2018	5:30 p.m.
July, 2018	No meeting scheduled
August 14, 2018	5:30 p.m.
September 11, 2018	5:30 p.m.
October 16, 2018	5:30 p.m.
November 13, 2018	5:30 p.m.
December, 2018	No meeting scheduled

All regular monthly meetings of the Telfair County Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors are held at the Telfair County Chamber of Commerce Office located at 9 East Oak St., McRae-Helena, GA unless otherwise indicated.

Board of Directors

Larry Wells, Chair | Jana Williams, Past Chair
 Laura Smith, Secretary
 Lee Cannon, Director | Ora Cooper, Director
 Ruthie Jackson, Director | Laura Kirk, Director
 Matt Singleton, Director | Eric Smith, Director
 Bo Yawn, Director

Access Loan Company of Telfair County
ALS Telfair-Perlis LLP
Altman Eye Clinic
American Legion Auxiliary & Thrift Store
Bank of Lumber City
Cedar Lane Supper Club
City of Lumber City
City of McRae-Helena
City of Milan
City of Scotland
CJ's Flowers & Gifts
CL Defense, LLC
Colony Supply, LLC
Community Health Care Systems, Inc.
Crossroads City Antiques and Flea Market, LLC
Deep Productions, LLC
El Aguila Mexican Restaurant
Farmers Home Furniture
1st Franklin Financial Corporation
Georgia Department of Labor - Eastman
Career Center
Georgia Power
Golden Peanut Company, LLC
Gorday Farms, LLC
Griffins Warehouse-McRae, LLC
Hilliard & Milton, LLC
Hofstadter and Associates, Inc.
Huddle House 226
Husqvarna Outdoor Products
Jason's Fast Lube, LLC
Job Training Unlimited, Inc.
Little Ocmulgee EMC
Little Ocmulgee Instructional Center
Little Ocmulgee State Park & Lodge
Lowe's Funeral Home
Lumber City Hardware
Lumber City Nursing & Rehab
Lumber City Womens' Club
Martin Trucking, LLC
McRae Coca Cola
McRae Correctional Facility
McRae-Helena Estates, LP
McRae-Helena Telfair County Boys and Girls
Center, Inc.
McRae Lions Club
McRae Manor
McRae Rotary Club
Milan State Bank
Ocmulgee Title & Abstract
Oconee Dental Associates
Oconee Fall Line Technical College
Panda-On
Parker House Inn
Piggly Wiggly
Pioneer Historical Society
Premier Heating & Air
Rhett Knight Farms, LLC
Robins Financial Credit Union

Rockin G Timber
Routh Realtors
Ryals Drug Store
Smith Fitting Service, Inc.
Southern Charm Personal Care Home
Southeastern Immediate Care
Southern Star Grill
Stamps-Walker Agency, Inc.
State Farm Insurance
Stinson's Bar-B-Que, Inc.
Subway
Susan Evans Realty, LLC
Telfair County Bank
Telfair County Board of Education
Telfair County Department of Family
& Children Services
Telfair County Extension/4-H
Telfair County Farm Bureau
Telfair Enterprise, Inc.
Telfair Forest Products, LLC
Telfair Snapshots
The Cannon Law Firm
The Cleft, Inc.
The Housing Authority of the City
of McRae-Helena
The Merchants & Citizens Bank
The Security State Bank
Three Rivers Home Health Services
Toni's House of Style
Trinity Therapy Services, Inc.
Vaughn Funeral Home, Inc.
Webb Swamp Logging, LLC
Wheeler County State Bank
Willow Creek Drive In
Windstream
World Outreach Church

Howard Abney
Paula Anderson
Thomas Anderson
Guy Bland
Sarah Bowen
Betty Brewer
Debbie Bullard
Lee Cannon
Ora Cooper
Billy Fred Crawford
Rose Crawford
Gerald Ellington
W. Don Holland
Ruthie Jackson
Danny Jones
Deanna Jones
Martha Ann Mullis
Quinton Mullis
Jimmy Pruett
Matt Singleton
Eric Smith
Laura Smith
Neal Stanley
Belinda Thomas
Larry Wells
Jana Williams
Bo Yawn

Cornerstone Members

City of McRae-Helena

McRae Correctional Facility

Robins Financial Credit Union

Southern Star Grill

For more information about a
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