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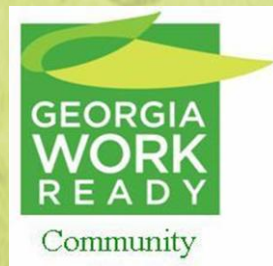
Newsletter

Telfair County... Helena * Jacksonville * Lumber City * McRae * Milan* Scotland
Georgia

June 2012 Featured Chamber Members

McRae Correctional Facility

1000 Jim Hammock Drive
McRae, GA 31055
229-868-7778
Fax: 229-868-7964
www.cca.com



McRae Lions Club

Henry Williams, President
127 S 4th Ave
McRae GA 31055-2224
R (229) 868-6670
<http://galions.org/18b/McRaeLionsClub.htm>



McRae Manor Nursing Home

1104 S. First Ave.
McRae, GA 31055
(229) 868-6473



McRae Rotary Club

9 E. Oak St.
McRae, GA 31055
(229) 868-6365
www.mcraerotary.org



Telfair County Courthouse
McRae, GA

Telfair County Chamber of Commerce
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2012 Telfair-Wheeler Youth Leadership Class



Paul Rogers
Telfair County
Chamber of Commerce

Debbie Bellard
Program Coordinator

Joe Ethos
Instructor



Little Ocmulgee EMC Treasure Level	Sponsors	McRae Rotary Club Training Level
Bryant K. Barrows D.M.D., P.C. Testimony Level	Telfair County Chamber of Commerce	Pine Leaf Investments Teamwork Level
The Merchants & Citizens Bank Testimony Level	McRae Correctional Facility Testimony Level	Routh Realtors Title Level
Russell Clark, Attorney at Law Contributor	Wheeler County Eagle Title Level	Southern Charm Title Level
	Southern Star Grill Title Level	Robins Federal Credit Union Title Level

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Telfair County Summer Youth Fest

Telfair County Recreation Department
408 E. Oak ST.
McRae, GA 31055
Info:
Rose Crawford
(229) 868-6701

June 16, 2012
9 a.m. - 3 p.m.

Free for all ages
Children under 13
must be accompanied by an adult

Sports * Entertainment
Music * Food



Youth Idol Contest

Register at Telfair County
Recreation Department
3 p.m. - 6 p.m.
Contest registration ends June 15.

Tune in to WYSC/WYIS Radio (102.7)
Friday- June 1, 2012
9 a.m.
Chamber Community Update

Vacation Reading Program



Telfair County Library

101 W. College St.
McRae, GA 31055
(229) 868-2978

Programs begin at 1:00 p.m.

- June 5, 2012** - Magician Ken Scott
- June 12, 2012** - Storyteller Cathy Kaemmerlen
- June 19, 2012** - Musician Anna Moo
- June 26, 2102** - Arts and Craft Party

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Chamber Membership

What is the Telfair County Chamber of Commerce?

The Telfair County Chamber of Commerce is a voluntary organization of the business community. It unites business and professional individuals, creating a central agency that lends itself to improving businesses and building a better community.

The Chamber is the main voice working to improve the ECONOMIC STATUS of the county. The Chamber maintains Telfair County's information at the Resource Centers in Atlanta.

If you would like to become a member of the Telfair County Chamber of Commerce, just complete the below application and return it, along with payment, to the Chamber at 9 E. Oak St. McRae, GA 31055.

Telfair County Chamber of Commerce

9 East Oak Street * McRae, GA 31055 * ph: (229) 868-6365 * fax (229) 868-7970
www.telfairco.org

2012 Membership Application
(Valid January 1 - December 31, 2012)
(Please return completed application with payment)

Name of Business/Firm/Individual

Contact Name, Title

Street Address

Mailing Address

City State Zip Code

Phone Number Fax Number

Email Address Website

Type of Business Number of Employees
I wish to be a Telfair Shop at Home Merchant: Yes No (Please check ONE)

Types of Membership (Please check one)

- Churches \$ 75.00
- Civic Organizations \$ 75.00
- Education Facilities \$350.00
- Financial Institutions \$350.00
- Health Institutions \$350.00
- Individuals \$ 25.00
- Industry Level I: 1-50 Employees \$125.00
- Industry Level II: 51-499 Employees \$175.00
- Industry Level III: 500 plus Employees \$500.00
- Professional Services \$125.00
- Retail Level I: 1-50 Employees \$125.00
- Retail Level II: 51-499 Employees \$175.00
- Retail Level III: 500 plus Employees \$500.00
- Utility Company \$250.00

- Cornerstone Level \$1,000.00
(annually plus the above applicable regular annual membership dues)

What does the Telfair County Chamber of Commerce DO?

The focus of the Telfair County Chamber of Commerce is the community's economic well-being. The Chamber works to increase wealth and prosperity by facilitating growth of existing businesses and fostering new ones. The new wealth can be directed toward establishing and improving civic, educational and cultural facilities to create the proper business climate for attracting more business and industry.

The Chamber tirelessly works to encourage growth throughout all of Telfair County-growth that will lead to creation of more jobs and more people moving to Telfair County to live and creating new customers for your business.

How is the Chamber financed?

As in most everything, there is an expense in providing these services and that is where you can help! The Telfair County Chamber of Commerce is supported primarily by the members in the business community who are interested in stimulating new and improved businesses and in building a better community.

Remember your investment amount, paid each year to the Chamber of Commerce, should be considered an investment to your business and the future of your community. Without your support, the Chamber would not be able to perform its duties in a manner to bring SUCCESS to Telfair County.

Who can and should belong to the Chamber?

ALL businesses, industries, professionals and individuals are not only eligible to be Chamber of Commerce members, but should be! In addition to investing in the growth of your county, Chamber members also receive many benefits.

Cornerstone Membership

In addition to the regular annual membership, you can provide additional financial assistance in Economic Development by becoming a Cornerstone Level Member.

The cost of this investment in the Telfair County Chamber of Commerce is far exceeded by the return that your business will receive as a result of development encouraged and cultivated by the Chamber's activities. All Cornerstone Dues will be dedicated for economic development uses, such as prospect development, economic development marketing activities and staff development.

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Junior Ranger Camp



Little Ocmulgee State Park

80 Live Oak Trail
Helena, GA 31037
(229) 868-7474

Now accepting applications for
Junior Ranger Camp

Camp for ages 5-8 will be held July 9-11
Camp for ages 9-12 will be held July 16-18

Camp hours are from 10 a.m. - 4 p.m.

Applications can be obtained from the front
desk at the Park Lodge or by calling
(229) 868-7474.

**“Get Out. Get Dirty.
Get Fit”**

Free 4-H Horse Day Camp



Date: June 23, 2012

Time: 10am-3pm

**Location: Tumbleweed International
Equine, LLC**

339 Bell Line Rd, Eastman, GA 31023

Grades: 4th – 12th

Lunch Provided

**Code of Conduct/ Medical Release Forms Required.
Forms available at your local 4-H Office.**

Hands & Hearts for Horses - Therapeutic Riding
Demo * Riding demonstrations
Farrier demonstration (horse shoeing)
Parts of the horse/ grooming tips
Body condition scoring * Riding disciplines/
Tack/ Bits
Games and MORE!!!

**Chaperones must accompany 4-H'ers attending
from each county.
FFA groups welcome!**

Register before June 22nd to ensure lunch.

Telfair County Extension Office
Brooke Jeffries,
Telfair County 4-H Horse Club Leader
Office: 229-868-6489
uge4271@uga.edu
brooke@uga.edu

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4-H Summer Day Camps:

Location: Telfair County 4-H Office, 91 Telfair Avenue, Ste. E, McRae, GA 31055

Contact: Brooke Jeffries or Amanda Adams
Phone: 229-868-6489
Website: www.ugaextension.com/telfair

Cost: \$3.00/day camp & \$5.00 for the reward trip
(please register before each day camp to ensure snacks and supplies for activities!)

Grades: 4th through 7th

Dates

June 5: **Emergency Career Day** (visit the fire department & Telfair EMS)

June 7: **Movie Day** (Watch a movie at the 4-H office)

June 12: **Business Day** (Visit a bank and learn to count and save money)

June 14: **Anti-Bully Day** (Learn to deal with bullying)

June 19: **Farm Day** (Visit local farms. Learn about crops and animals)

June 21: **Healthy Snacks Day** (Learn how to make healthy delicious FUN snacks)

June 26: **Recycling Day** (Learn how to recycle and make "green" crafts)

June 28: **Reward Trip** (\$5.00)

Music on the Hill

Telfair Center for the Arts
119 College St.
McRae, GA 31055

Saturday
June 16, 2012
7 - 9 p.m.

A gathering of regional musicians providing standards and originals for your listening pleasure



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Current Sponsors



City of Helena
P.O. Box 369
Helena, GA 31037
Phone: (229) 868-6711



McRae Correctional Facility
112 Jim Hammock Dr.
McRae, GA 31055
(229) 868-7778



City of Scotland
Southern Charm



Farmers Home Furniture
Little Ocmulgee EMC
Security State Bank
The Merchants & Citizens Bank
Willow Creek Drive In
Routh Realtors

Special Thanks to:

McRae & Helena
Fire Departments

Telfair County
Recreation
Department

GOD & COUNTRY FESTIVAL AND FIREWORKS SHOW

Wednesday
July 4, 2012
4 p.m. - 9:30 p.m.

Accepting Vendor Applications

Location:
Telfair County Recreation Complex
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Telfair Camera Ready Program

In February of this year, Telfair County joined 135 other communities across Georgia in earning the designation as a Camera Ready Community by the Georgia Film, Music and Digital Entertainment Office. Being named Camera Ready means we have in place a program that provides film and television production companies with easier, faster and better access to local resources and location information. The Telfair County Chamber of Commerce was appointed as the Camera Ready liaison for our community. This means the Chamber is the primary local contact for production companies. The Chamber helps identify local resources, from locations and hotels to associated businesses, such as caterers and dry cleaners.

Producers love Georgia for our diverse settings, talented workforce and tax incentives. Since it was created in 2005, the Georgia Entertainment Industry Investment Act has helped generate unprecedented direct investment in our state... approximately \$2.4 billion with Georgia being one of the top five production destinations in the country.

Some of the benefits of having films shot in Telfair County are: hiring of local residents, hotel stays and the purchases of goods and services locally.

The Chamber is looking for locations to submit to the Camera Ready Program that will hopefully be considered for a film or television production site. Below is a list of sites that film and television producers look for in filming locations.

Please contact the Chamber if you own (or know of) such property and would like it to be submitted to the Telfair County Camera Ready Program (Office: 229-868-6365; email: rogers@telfairco.org)

- Vacant properties such as prisons, hospitals, institutions, schools
- Interesting geographic areas
 - Quarries
 - Lakes
 - Creeks/Streams
 - Meadows (without homes/lines/towers)
 - Fields of crops or orchards
- Homes
 - Mansions (all architectural styles - period is always better)
 - Antebellum mansions
 - Period homes on lakes or Rivers
 - Shacks
 - Mill Houses
 - Farms/barns
 - Two story farm houses
 - Low end farm houses
 - Row houses
 - Decrepit homes on property
- Factories
 - Mills
 - Large manufacturing plants (one could shoot in)
 - Closed plants
 - Cotton Gins
 - Old water wheels



- Roads (car commercials)
 - Country roads (no lines)
 - Old bridges
 - Roads through wild flower fields
 - Roads through row crops or orchards
 - Roads through expansive flat lands