

LIBERTY PULSE



EVENTS

WHAT'S NEW

MEMBER INFO

COMMUNITY



PHOTO OF THE WEEK

by Leah Poole

Bryant Commons is beautiful in the morning light!

#LIBERTYCOUNTPROUD



YALL ORIENTATION

The Liberty County Chamber of Commerce 2019-202 Young Adult Liberty Leaders (YALL) class kicked off the year with Orientation last week.

In this first session, class participants were introduced to the program details and completed leadership and team building activities led by members of the YALL Committee.

"We are always proud to say that we bring this program to the youth of Liberty County. The value that the students receive is immeasurable, as is the experience and understanding of how a great community works together," said Chamber CEO, Leah Poole.

Young Adult Liberty Leaders is entering its 13th year as a community leadership initiative. Class participants take part in an intense 9-month class, meeting at least once per month and learning about various functions of the community to include: County Government, City Government, Public Health, Public Education, Tourism, Economic Development and much more. Different local civic, business and government entities host the class each month. This leadership course is part of a statewide collaborative, sponsored by the Georgia Rural Development Council in partnership with The Fanning Institute for Leadership at the University of Georgia.



CHAMBER BECOMES A GROW WITH GOOGLE PARTNER

The Liberty County Chamber of Commerce (LCCOC) is pleased to announce that we have been named a Grow with Google Partner, alongside the Liberty College and Career Academy (LCCA).

The LCCOC and LCCA will be hosting a workshop along with Grow with Google to help the community learn how to find customers online and promote businesses using Search Engine Optimization (SEO) & Smart Campaigns in Google Ads.

The workshop will be held on Monday, October 7, from 3:00-5:00pm at the Performing Arts Center at 2140 E Oglethorpe Hwy, Hinesville, GA 31313.

Since launching in 2017, more than three million Americans have been trained on digital skills. Through a network of more than 5,000 partner organizations—including local libraries, schools, and nonprofits—more people across the country can reach their full potential.

SUNBURY 5K

*Presented by Darsey, Black & Associates, the 10th Annual Sunbury 5K.
October 12 at 10am. www.facebook.com/sunbury5k*



OCTOBER BUSINESS AFTER HOURS

Vaden Nissan of Hinesville

Thursday, October 24th

5:00-7:00pm

@ 1009 E Oglethorpe Hwy,
Flemington

Come ready to mix & mingle!

OCTOBER PROGRESS THROUGH PEOPLE LUNCHEON

*Jeffrey Wright, Demographer, Carl
Vinson Institute of Government at
the University of Georgia*

Thursday, October 17th

12 noon

Liberty County Performing Arts Center

RSVP to operations@libertycounty.org

or call 912.368.4445



"TRY NOT TO BECOME A MAN OF SUCCESS. RATHER BECOME A MAN
OF VALUE."-- ALBERT EINSTEIN



THE SOUNDS OF LOCAL MUSIC

The South has a long list of incredible attributes that makes it the amazing place that it is. Food, people, manners, film locations, sweet tea and celebrities are all things that have made the South popular and well known. But one of the biggest attributes of the South is music! Some of the best music genres and musicians have been brought to life in our neck of the woods. Blues, jazz, country and rock'n'roll were all born in the South. So it should come as no surprise that music is a focal point in Liberty County events and festivals, or that we have our fair share of musicians. We even have a few songs featuring our coastal community! Want to see more? [Click here!](#)



LEADERSHIP LIBERTY ORIENTATION

The Liberty County Chamber of Commerce kicked off its 2019-2020 Leadership Liberty class this past Friday & Saturday.

On Friday, class participants met for the first time and partook in activities that fostered teamwork and leadership.

Chamber CEO, Leah Poole, led the session on the facets of leadership and the importance of trust and communication.

The next day, Leadership Liberty class participants woke up early to begin a day full of physical and mental challenges. Completing the COPE Course at the Ft. Stewart Youth Challenge Academy was the task for the day. Class participants had the opportunity to zipline and repel, and learn more about ways the Ft. Stewart Youth Challenge Academy positively impacts the community.

NEW MEMBERS FOR SEPTEMBER

*Magnolia Manor on the Coast
Butler's Royalty Cleaning
Ryan Feller, Realtor (R) Coldwell Banker Holtzman, Realtors
Remax All American
Brienne Felton, Realtor (R)
Live Oak Chiropractic
JM Allen Construction
Liberty Volleyball Association*



ILLUMINATED CHRISTMAS PARADE

Friday, December 6th

6:30pm

Want to sponsor? Email membership@libertycounty.org
Want to sign up? See the forms by clicking [here](#).

DOWNTOWN MERCHANTS MEETING

*at Ameris Bank, Hendry
Street, downtown Hinesville*

Tuesday, October 22nd
8:30am

You don't have to own a business to attend. You just need to want to see downtown Hinesville continue to move forward!



"THE ONES WHO ARE CRAZY ENOUGH TO THINK THEY CAN CHANGE THE WORLD, ARE THE ONES THAT DO."-- ANONYMOUS



WHO CAN JOIN THE CHAMBER?

Chamber membership is open to anyone who wants to do business in Liberty County or just be connected to the community. Did you know we have quite a few retirees who are members? They just want to give back, volunteer & be a part of things.

Chamber membership pricing is based on the number of employees that a business has, however, there are exceptions for those who are retired. Realtors (R) can also receive discounted pricing if their Broker/Owner is a member.

We also have members from Savannah, Jesup, Richmond Hill and other cities. These are businesses who want to do business in Liberty County. They want to network with our folks and get to know the community.

What are the benefits of Chamber membership? Well that could take us all day to explain but the basic explanation is you get out of it what you put into it. If you take advantage of all of the opportunities then the sky is the limit! Want to know more or refer a friend for membership? [Click here.](#)



BOARD MEMBER PROFILE

Ashley Dodd
Board Member

McDonald's is an internationally recognized brand, and the restaurants dot the globe. What you may not realize, however, is that each location is locally owned and operated. Here in Liberty County, Ashley Dodd is the second generation in her family to own locations on Highway 84, Highway 196 and inside the Walmart Supercenter. Her father, Gary Dodd, opened the original location here, and that 41 year-long family legacy is incredibly important to her.

Dodd attributes her success in business to her father who came from Detroit, Michigan. He started working at a McDonald's there at 14 and worked his way up in the company until he had enough money to buy his own franchise. And we are grateful to have her! Want to read more? [Click here.](#)



2019-2020 Magazine Launch

SAVE THE DATE

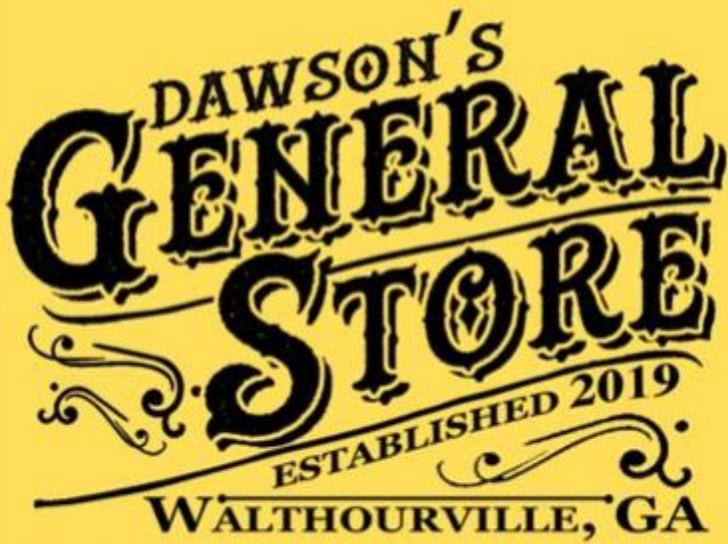
October 24, 2019 5-7pm
at Vaden Nissan of Hinesville
Business After Hours

RIBBON CUTTING

SPECTRUM OF HOPE

**FRIDAY, OCTOBER 18TH 12
NOON**

938 EG Miles Pkwy in Hinesville



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**FUN FOR THE
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COME GRAB A HOTDOG
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**OCTOBER 11 & 12
RIBBON CUTTING
10/11 @12 NOON
HWY 84/
WALTHOURVILLE**

RIBBON CUTTING

**GEORGIA HOSPICE
CARE**

**THURSDAY, OCTOBER 31ST AT
12 NOON**

481 E. G. Miles Parkway, Unit D,
Hinesville

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RELIEF EFFORTS**

Supplies Needed:

Non-Perishable Foods
Water Filtration Devices
Baby Formula
Toiletries
Women's Hygiene Kits
Diapers
Wet Wipes
Tarps
Mosquito Repellant
Large Trash Bags
Gloves
Portable Stoves
Butane Canisters
Air Mattresses
Disinfectants
Medical Supplies

Drop Off Locations:

Liberty Co Chamber/CVB
208 E Court Street
Hinesville

Midway Fire Dept
10490 E Oglethorpe Hwy
Midway

Riceboro City Hall
4614 S Coastal Hwy
Riceboro

For more info 912.312.0813



PRAY FOR THE BAHAMAS



Spouse Bus Tour

Fort Stewart/HAAF

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 23RD 8:45AM-2:00PM

BUS LOADS PROMPTLY AT THE YMCA,
MARY LOU DRIVE IN HINESVILLE.

LEARN MORE ABOUT LIBERTY COUNTY AS WE TOUR & EAT
LUNCH AT A LOCAL EATERY!

THE EVENT IS FREE THANKS TO
OUR GENEROUS SPONSOR.

SEATING IS LIMITED TO 25 & WILL BE FIRST COME, FIRST
SERVED. CHILDCARE PROVIDED AT NO CHARGE THANKS
TO THE YMCA, LIBERTY COUNTY,
WITH PRE-REGISTRATION.

RSVP DEADLINE IS OCTOBER 21ST

A \$5 DEPOSIT IS REQUIRED TO HOLD YOUR SEAT.

THIS IS PAYABLE VIA CHECK, CASH OR CARD.

RSVP TO OPERATIONS@LIBERTYCOUNTY.ORG OR CALL

912.368.4445



"The real test is not whether you avoid this failure, because you won't. It's whether you let it harden or shame you into inaction, or whether you learn from it; whether you choose to persevere." -- Barack Obama



THE ROBINS NEST

AN EXHIBIT OF HOMEMADE GOODS

Exhibit Opening

October 10th

5:30-7 pm

Community reception is free
and open to the public.

102 COMMERCE STREET DOWNTOWN HINESVILLE



THE MIDWAY MUSEUM'S ANNUAL OCTOBER CEMETERY TOUR!

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 26, 2019

COSTUMED HISTORICAL FIGURES COME TO LIFE TO TELL THEIR GRIPPING STORIES UNDER THE
GREAT OAKS IN THE 265-YEAR-OLD MIDWAY CEMETERY.



THE LIBERTY COUNTY SCHOOL
SYSTEM PROUDLY HOSTS

How to become a District Vendor

Sharing Capitol & Maintenance Projects planned & the types of services that are needed in the areas of Maintenance, Food Service, Transportation & Technology. Also reviewing the purchasing & procurement procedures necessary to provide service to the District & the Buy Board Purchasing Cooperative.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 11

STARTS AT 2PM

LIBERTY COUNTY PERFORMING ARTS CENTER

2140 E OGLETHORPE HWY, HINESVILLE

THERE IS NO COST TO ATTEND

Scarecrow Stroll & Beggars Night 2019

Friday, October 25
Downtown Hinesville
5 - 7 p.m.
hinesvilledowntown.com



**Join us for
Southern Cooks
Live w/
Rebekah Copes-Brown
aka The Cooking Chic**

**FRIDAY, OCT 18 AT 3PM
@ EXPLORE LIBERTY**



YOU ARE INVITED TO THIS FREE WORKSHOP

DEBT IS A THIEF, TAKE BACK YOUR LIFE

**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 12TH 9AM-12PM
@ THE LIBERTY COUNTY PERFORMING ARTS CENTER
2140 E OGLETHORPE HWY, HINESVILLE**

Learn more about finances, insurance, real estate, taxes, loans & more. Ask your questions, get speaker info & talk w/ them in a personal appointment. Text PROSPER19 to 797979 to sign up today!

Hosted by Kathy Villafane (an endorsed local provider of Dave Ramsey)
www.facebook.com/realestateresourcectr
Call 912.335.4544 for more info.

2019 Pumpkin Patch

A vintage dark blue truck, possibly a 1930s model, is the central focus. It is heavily decorated for a fall theme. An American flag is mounted on a tall pole behind the truck. The truck's body is adorned with various pumpkins and gourds. The name 'MILLIE JACK' is visible on the side panel. A woman is seated in the driver's seat, and another person is visible in the passenger area. The truck is parked on a grassy field. In the foreground, there is a large collection of pumpkins of various sizes, some with stems still attached. The background shows a clear blue sky and some trees.

**Presented by the
Hinesville/Et Stewart Shriners
Bryant Commons Park
Oct 12th, 10:00-2:00**

Twenty years from now you will be more disappointed by the things that you didn't do than by the ones you did do. So throw off the bowlines. Sail away from the safe harbor. Catch the trade winds in your sails.

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FPCA'S 13TH ANNUAL

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**SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 16
10AM - 1PM**

Entry Fee:

Ages 3 & under Free

Ages 4-9 \$5

Ages 10 & Up \$10

**Ride, Games,
Contests & Live
Music**

**Want to sponsor or compete?
contact: atanner@fpcahinesville.com**

LIBERTY VOLLEYBALL ASSOCIATION

Ages 14 - 18



Want to Improve Your Volleyball Skills? Want to have an Opportunity to play in front of College Coaches? Try-Out for Club Volleyball

VOLLEYBALL TRYOUTS

November 2-3, 2019 from 3:00 - 5:00pm.
Register at www.libertyvolleyball.com



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SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 9TH

9AM-5PM

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