



# 2026 EVENTS/ACTIVITIES CALENDAR

**COLLECT\*PRESERVE\*EDUCATE**



The Gainesville-Hall County Black History Society, Inc. is a designated 501(c)3 nonprofit organization founded April 20, 2002 and incorporated on January 8, 2003. Our mission is to educate the public by identifying, collecting, preserving, publishing and displaying cultural and historically significant data and artifacts from the Gainesville-Hall County African American community.

(REVISED:12/16/2025)

<b>DAY</b>	<b>DATE</b>	<b>EVENT/ACTIVITY</b>	<b>TIME</b>	<b>LOCATION*</b>
Sat.	Jan. 10	Regularly Scheduled Meeting	1:00 p.m.	Butler Center, Conf. Rm.
Sat.	<b>Jan. 31</b>	<b>“Echoes of Our Past” History Workshop</b>	<b>1:00-3:00 pm</b>	<b>Harper-Smith House</b>
Sat.	<b>Feb. 01</b>	<b>2026 BLACK HISTORY MONTH BEGINS...</b>		
Sat.	Feb. 14	Regularly Scheduled Meeting	1:00 p.m.	Butler Center, Conf. Rm.
Sat.	<b>Feb. 28</b>	<b>4th Annual “TASTE OF SOUTHSIDE HISTORY” Fundraising Gala</b>	<b>6:30 p.m.</b>	<b>Gainesville Civic Center</b>
Sat.	Mar. 14	Regularly Scheduled Meeting	1:00 p.m.	Butler Center, Conf. Rm.
Sat.	Apr. 11	Regularly Scheduled Meeting	1:00 p.m.	Butler Center, Conf. Rm.
Sat.	<b>Apr. 25</b>	<b>“Echoes of Our Past” History Workshop</b>	<b>1:00-3:00 pm</b>	<b>ButlerCenter, Classroom</b>
Sat.	May 09	Regularly Scheduled Meeting	1:00 p.m.	Butler Center, Conf. Rm.
Sat.	Jun. 13	Regularly Scheduled Meeting	1:00 p.m.	Butler Center, Conf. Rm.
Thu.	<b>Jun. 18</b>	<b>2026 Juneteenth Weekend- Day1</b>	<b>TBD</b>	
Fri.	<b>Jun. 19</b>	<b>2026 Juneteenth Weekend- Day2</b>	<b>TBD</b>	
Sat.	<b>Jun. 20</b>	<b>2026 Juneteenth Weekend- Day3</b>	<b>TBD</b>	
Sat.	Jul. 11	Regularly Scheduled Meeting	1:00 p.m.	Butler Center, Conf. Rm.
Sat.	<b>Jul. 25</b>	<b>“Echoes of Our Past” History Workshop</b>	<b>1:00-3:00 pm</b>	<b>ButlerCenter, Classroom</b>
Sat.	Aug. 08	Regularly Scheduled Meeting	1:00 p.m.	Butler Center, Conf. Rm.
Sat.	Sep. 12	Regularly Scheduled Meeting	1:00 p.m.	Butler Center, Conf. Rm.
Sat.	Oct. 10	Regularly Scheduled Meeting	1:00 p.m.	Butler Center, Conf. Rm.
Sat.	<b>Oct. 31</b>	<b>“Echoes of Our Past” History Workshop</b>	<b>1:00-3:00 pm</b>	<b>ButlerCenter, Classroom</b>
Sat.	Nov. 14	Regularly Scheduled Meeting	1:00 p.m.	Butler Center, Conf. Rm.
Sat.	Dec. 12	2027-2029 Officers Election		
Sat.	<b>ANNUAL MEETING</b>		<b>1:00 p.m.</b>	Butler Center, Conf. Rm.

\*If COVID or other health issues necessitate, ZOOM activities will be considered as an alternative plan.

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**THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!**

-Rickey D. Young, Pres. -Emory Turner, Vice Pres. -Shirley Lipscomb, Sec. -Bobbie Cox, Asst. Sec.  
-Linda Hutchens, Treas. -Shalia Campbell, Asst. Treas. -Martha Mays, Parl.

**Thank You for becoming a 2026 Member of the Gainesville-Hall County Black History Society, Inc.**

**We are looking forward to a new year of continued**

**“Village Growth and Southside Sustainability!”**