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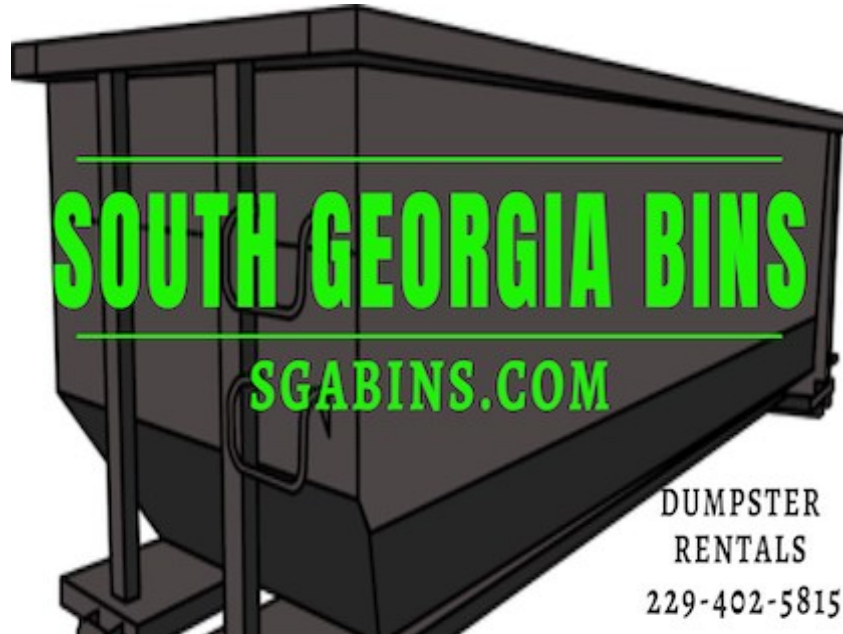
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## Time For Friday Night Lights

**GO RAMS**

**Worth County vs. Central Macon  
Friday, September 9th  
Home 7:30PM  
Military Night**

# WORTH COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL



# THE STAMPEDE

***BECAUSE RAMS RUN OVER THE COMPETITION!***

5:30 PM @ HOME GAMES  
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**Players Of The Week Named  
After Mitchell County Game**

Congratulations to the Rams for pulling off a win against Mitchell County, Friday night, August 26th.

Players of the week chosen after the Mitchell County game are listed below. Congratulations to you all.

Offense - Chip Cooper #3

Defense - Quentin Cole #11

Special Teams - Parker Weaver #13

Hustle - Hunter Barber #21 and  
Keyunte Jackson #1

Source: WCSD



### **Friday's In Ram Country**



The Worth County Rams Football Team looks forward to Friday mornings when they gather as a family together in a local church. This past Friday, September 2nd, the Rams joined with Pinson Memorial Methodist Church. It is a great day to start with a wonderful breakfast and a word from the pastor of each church. What made Friday,

September 2nd ever better was walking away with a win against Upson - Lee 56-33. The Ram Boys and coaching staff is very excited with the community support whether it is through feeding them on Thursday afternoon, Friday morning, Friday afternoon or filling the stands! Make plans to join them on September 9th for another home game! GO RAMS!

Source: WCSD





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Yummy Snacks for the Fall

It is one of my favorite times of the year... Fall! There are so many things to do this time of year. So many things to enjoy. I love decorating for the fall. I love the fall colors so much. The orange, red, green, gold and browns are so beautiful. Besides decorating, I love to see the fun things that you can create in the kitchen. Check out the creation above. Children can enjoy these and they are pretty healthy. It seems simple...apples, peanut butter and marshmallows. Now is a perfect time to make them! Hope you enjoy them and Happy Fall Y'all!



### WCMS Students Won 1st Place In The Junior Division In The State 4-H Land Judging Contest At Rock Eagle

Congratulations to the Worth County Middle School 4-H'ers: Colten Rogers, Jackson McCorvey, and Bowden Watts! They won 1st Place-Junior Division in the State 4-H Land Judging Contest at Rock Eagle. Colten Rogers was also awarded the top individual in the state. Land Judging consists of describing a soil profile such as soil texture, erosion, and drainage. Then using the description to determine how to best use and manage the land. Thank you to our Worth County 4-H Extension Agent, Kristen Ford for your work with our students. If any middle school student is interested in joining 4-H, email Kristen at [kpford@uga.edu](mailto:kpford@uga.edu) or call 776-8216.

Source: WCSD

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*Carly Patterson &  
John Michael Brooks  
September 10, 2022*

*Andi Branch & Avery Mathis  
September 10, 2022*

*Marianna Perez & Matthen Moore  
September 30, 2022*

*Littney Turner & Ashton Black  
October 1, 2022*

*Amy Bartley & Jeremy Doss  
October 22, 2022*

*Katie Ross & Eric Wisham  
October 22, 2022*

*Sarah Beth Bennett & Kyle Rhodes  
November 12, 2022*

*Kallie Kimbrough &  
Tucker Matthen's  
November 26, 2022*

*Avery Barber & Denzell Gowdy  
December 17, 2022*

*Molly Jones & Layton Gatenwood  
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*Tonya Webb & Ryan Marchant  
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## **Marksmanship and History Events**

**April 2-3, April 16, May 14, May 15, June 12, September 10-11, November 5, November 6**  
**Events start at 08:30. Please arrive early to allow time for setup and sign in.**

### Heritage

- The Debt We Owe To Our Forefathers
- The Duty We Owe To Our Posterity
- The Story Of Our Nation's Birth
- The Lessons Of April 19, 1775.

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### Marksmanship

- New Shooters - Learn fundamentals and make quick progress
- Experienced Shooters - learn new techniques
- Experts - polish skills and become an RWVA Instructor in Training
- Master the Riflemans Quarter Mile

Project Appleseed is a nationwide program that teaches rifle marksmanship skills that have been passed down from generation to generation and reconnects Americans with the people and events of colonial America. Participants are taught skills that allow a Rifleman to be accurate out to 500 yards using a standard rifle with iron sights. This ability is traditionally known as mastering the 'Rifleman's Quarter Mile' and is an American tradition that has been part of this nation from its very first days. So join us and hear some little-known Revolutionary War history, reaffirm your heritage, and make America a better place.

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10/28

11/4



2022 SCHEDULE



# Think Tifton

## City Opens New Recycling Center Located At Ryland Environmental Tifton Office

### Can I Recycle This?

# YES

Cardboard, paper, plastic bottles, and cans.



Clean Paper & Cardboard



Empty Plastic Bottles & Jugs



Empty Aluminum & Steel Cans

# NO

Plastic bags, food waste, glass, or Styrofoam.



Coated Paper Containers



Other Plastics & Styrofoam



All Glass, Food & Yard Waste

Tifton city residents now have another drop-off site for recycling. Ryland Environmental, which handles the city's solid waste disposal, says it has opened a recycling collection center at its new offices located at 1810 Eastman Drive behind the Walmart Supercenter in Tifton. At Tifton City Council's August meeting recently, John Nail of Ryland said that his firm has a compactor on site and will haul recyclable materials collected to Columbus for recycling. City Manager Pete Pyrzenski said there will be no additional costs to city residents for the drop-off service. "The material will be taken to a full-fledged recycling center," the city manager said. "We're not changing the (Ryland) contract," noted Mayor Julie B. Smith. "Recycling is still available." In April, Tifton halted curbside recycling pickup because of the closure of a nearby center for handling recyclable materials. Those materials now must be hauled to Columbus or Tallahassee, which officials said made curbside recycling pickup more expensive. In the interim, the city told residents they could take recyclables to the Tift County recycling center on Pecan Street, which all city and county residents help pay for. Vice Mayor Jack Folk noted that the new Ryland recycling site is for city residents only. City Solid Waste Director Ricky Hobby said that Ryland has another compactor available "if this thing grows. It's a starting point to see where we're going to move forward with collection." Mayor Smith said the recycling center is "a good start. We know it will be recycled and not taken to the landfill." Councilman Josh Reynolds agreed, adding, "We get 100% true recycling."

Source: Tifton Grapevine



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## Pecan Crop Needs More Sunshine UGA Specialist Says



Georgia's pecan crop is on time this year but enough sunshine is required during the critical weeks ahead to ensure the best crop, according to a recent report from UGA Extension's pecan specialist. In his report, Dr. Lenny Wells of the University of Georgia Pecan Team, said there have been good growing conditions this year for pecans with the exception of a scab outbreak in July. "Growers have done a fine job of protecting the nuts from scab throughout the rainy periods. Industry forecasts currently have Georgia estimated at about 130 million pounds, but as we have learned in years past, just because we can see the finish line doesn't mean we've crossed it," Wells said. Wells, who is based on the UGA Tifton campus, said the state's crop was in a similar position last year and cloudy weather in the fall affected the pecan kernel-filling stage. This year, "we had good solar radiation up through shell hardening of most mid-season harvest varieties" but for the past couple of weeks there has been much "cloudy weather over much of the pecan-producing region of the state," Wells said. However, he anticipates a normal kernel-filling period through Sept. 15 for mid-season harvest varieties of pecans. "Kernel filling is

an extremely energy-demanding process. Even under optimum conditions, pecan trees can be somewhat depleted of energy during the carbohydrate manufacturing process by which the kernels are filled," Wells said. "However, when one of the two key ingredients (soil moisture and sunlight) is missing there is often not enough energy to finish out this process. The heavier the crop load on the tree, the more demanding the process." Wells said the good news is that there is still time for this year's crop: "If we can get some clear, sunny days over the next few weeks and accumulate some better solar radiation levels, it will help to fill the crop out and leave the trees in better condition for next year.

Source: Tifton Grapevine



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**So much fun was had at the Margaret Jones Public Library last week during Books and Bubbles on Tuesday! They went to the zoo by reading stories about different zoo animals. They even played I spy and sang a fun song about elephants. All the children have so much fun at Books and Bubbles. They meet every Tuesday at 10:30am. Be sure to follow the Margaret Jones Public Library on Facebook for all updates and events.**

**Source: MJPL**



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# *Dates to Remember*

## *September*

- 5th ~ Happy Labor Day from The Martin News
- 5th ~ City of Sylvester Council Meeting 6pm
- 6th ~ WCMS Softball Away at 4:30pm
- 6th ~ WCHS Softball Home at 5pm
- 6th ~ Worth County Board of Commissioner Meeting 7pm
- 7th ~ Kiwanis Meeting at Noon
- 8th ~ WCHS Softball Double Header Away at 4pm
- 8th ~ WCMS Football Away at 5pm
- 8th ~ Bark in the Park Volunteer Meeting 5:30pm
- 8th ~ Bow Tie & Pearls Celebration 6:30pm-8:30pm
- 8th ~ Worth County Board of Education Meeting 7pm
- 9th ~ Worth County Rams Stampede and Tailgating 5pm - 7pm
- 9th ~ WCHS Rams Home against Central Macon at 7:30pm
- 10th ~ WCHS Cross Country Away at 8:30am
- 10th ~ Ward I Listening Session 10am-12noon
- 12th ~ Sumner Council Meeting 7pm
- 13th ~ Annual Title I Meeting at Worth County Primary School 9:30am
- 13th ~ Strategies To Help Your Worth County Primary School Student 10am
- 13th ~ Annual Title I Meeting at Worth County Primary School 5:30pm
- 13th ~ Strategies To Help Your Worth County Primary School Student 6pm
- 13th ~ Annual Title I Meeting at Worth County Elementary School 6pm
- 13th ~ BFHS Bingo at Ed's Truck Stop 6pm
- 13th ~ Poulan Council Meeting 6:15pm
- 14th ~ Picture Day at Worth County Primary School
- 14th ~ Kiwanis Meeting at Noon
- 15th ~ Bark in the Park Volunteer Meeting 5:30pm
- 16th ~ Last Chance Band in Downtown Sylvester 7pm-9pm
- 19th ~ City of Sylvester Council Meeting 6pm
- 20th ~ City of Warwick Council Meeting 7pm
- 21st ~ Kiwanis Meeting at Noon
- 27th ~ City of Poulan Council Meeting 6:30pm
- 28th ~ Kiwanis Meeting at Noon
- 30th ~ Shred Day in Downtown Sylvester 9am - 2pm



## Keeping Cholesterol At A Healthy Level

Children, young adults, and older Americans can have high cholesterol. Learning how to prevent high cholesterol and knowing what your cholesterol levels means is very vital for your health. September is National Cholesterol Education Month, a good time to get your blood cholesterol checked and take steps to lower it if it is high. National Cholesterol Education Month is also a good time to learn about lipid profiles and about food and lifestyle choices that help you reach personal cholesterol goals. Below you will find some information about cholesterol. How many Americans have high cholesterol? More than 102 million American Adults (20 years or older) have total cholesterol levels at or above 200 mg/dL, which is above healthy levels. More than 35 million of these people have levels of 240 mg/dL or higher, which puts them at high risk for heart disease. Cholesterol is a waxy, fat-like substance found in your body and many foods. Your body needs cholesterol to function normally and makes all that you need. Too much cholesterol can build up in your arteries. After a while, these deposits narrow your arteries, putting you at risk for heart disease and stroke. High cholesterol usually doesn't have any symptoms. As a result, many people do not know that their cholesterol levels are too high. However, doctors can do a simple blood test to check your cholesterol. High cholesterol can be controlled through lifestyle changes or if it is not enough, through medications. It's important to check your cholesterol levels. High cholesterol is a major risk factor for heart disease, the leading cause of death in the United States.



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## Where Were You When The World Stopped Turning?

There are some days that it feels like it has been 21 years and then there are days that it feels like it was literally yesterday. 9/11 is a day that most Americans will NEVER forget! I was living in Cedartown, Georgia which is in North Georgia and was working at the Haralson County Health Department which is in Buchanan, Georgia. I was sitting at my desk checking my emails and received my morning phone call from my dear friend. We were talking for just a few minutes while he was drinking his morning coffee and watching the news. He starts yelling that we are under attack. I had absolutely no clue what he was talking about. It was the scariest phone call I had ever had. I will never forget the fear in his voice. I then had to get off the phone as the State Health Department was calling a mandatory meeting. I will never forget!

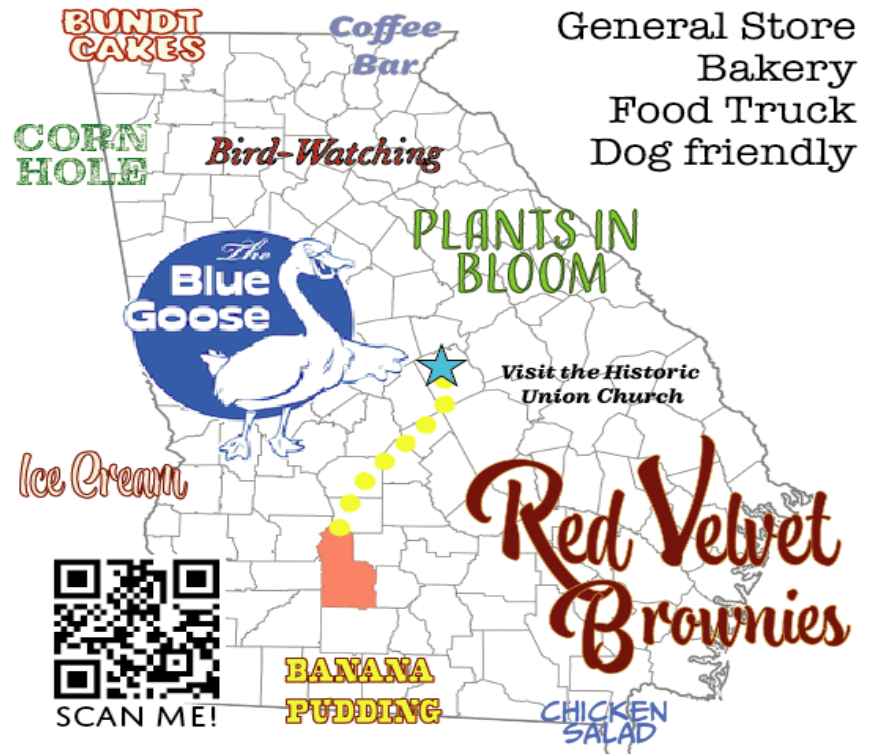


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UGA Libraries To Induct "The Secret Life Of Bees" Writer, Sue Monk Kidd, Into The Georgia Writers Hall Of Fame

Make plans to join the UGA Libraries for the induction of "The Secret Life of Bees" writer, Sue Monk Kidd, into the Georgia Writers Hall of Fame on Sept. 8th. The event will be held in the Special Collections Building located at 300 South Hull Street in Atlanta. Sue was born in Albany, Georgia, and grew up in the small town of Sylvester. Her first book, "The Secret Life of Bees", was published in 2001 and achieved critical acclaim. Like many of Kidd's other works, Bees tackles themes of race, gender, religion, and mental health. This event is free and open to the public, but RSVP is required. Email [LNessel@uga.edu](mailto:LNessel@uga.edu) to RSVP.

Source: UGA Libraries

## Chamber of Commerce Kicked Off 2022 50/50 Raffle

The Sylvester - Worth County Chamber of Commerce is excited to kick off their 2022 50/50 Raffle! First, they would like to thank everyone who participated in last year's raffle! It is due to this participation that the Chamber of Commerce would be able to provide scholarships to six Worth County High School CTAE 2022 graduates! They would like to be able to provide even more scholarships through this year's raffle! Just like last year's raffle, the Chamber of Commerce will be hoping to reach a goal of \$20,000! That means one person will win up to \$10,000! Their portion of the raffle will go to CTAE scholarships at Worth County High School and as well as going back into our Shop Local program! The tickets will be \$20 a piece and will be sold from now to December 15th, 2022! The tickets can be purchased at the Sylvester-Worth County Chamber of Commerce! If you have any questions, please call 229-776-7718 or email the Sylvester - Worth County Chamber of Commerce at [info@swcountychamber.com](mailto:info@swcountychamber.com).

Source: Sylvester - Worth County Chamber of Commerce



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# **2<sup>nd</sup> ANNUAL Vets & PETS 5K RUN**

**0800 Saturday September 24 2022 Jeffords Park Sylvester Ga.**

**Entry fee: \$25 per person [online@RunSignup.com](mailto:online@RunSignup.com) by Sept 17.**

**Entry fee \$30 per person after Sept 17**

**Offline registration forms (paper) may be picked up or dropped off at  
the front desk at the Margaret Jones Public Library**

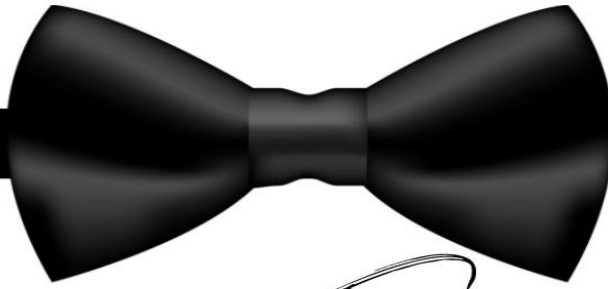
**You must be registered by Sept 17 to ensure receiving your  
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**`Day of run registration (24 Sept) will start at 0645**

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## Ashburn Landmark Peanut Monument Being Repaired “World’s Largest Peanut” Knocked Down By Hurricane Michael in 2018



Since Hurricane Michael walloped South Georgia and top-pled Ashburn’s big peanut in 2018, Turner County officials have been working to get the 20-foot-tall monument back up along Interstate 75. On Wednesday, state Sen. Carden Summers, R-Cordele, formally presented Turner County officials with \$55,000 from the Ga. Department of Agriculture to cap the local fundraising efforts to restore the Ashburn landmark. The monument’s restoration will cost more than \$80,000. The Turner County Young Farmers group had already raised about \$12,000, and the Ashburn-Turner County Chamber of Commerce had previously contributed \$15,000 toward the project. “The City of Ashburn and Turner County worked together to make this happen, along with the community – the Chamber of Commerce, Young Farmers, and other organizations,” Summers said.

“This just shows what can happen when a city and county and all the players come together for a common cause.” Summers said the Ashburn-Turner County Chamber of Commerce provided him with the monument’s history. The big peanut, built atop a crown on a brick base in 1975, was made the state’s official peanut monument in 1998. Summers then found a section in the state code that allows for the restoration of state monuments and was able to get the funding in the state budget with the aid of Senate Appropriations Chairman Blake Tillery, R-Vidalia. “I was really blown away how many people around the state know Turner County because of that peanut,” Summers said. Officials hope the monument will be fully restored by mid 2023. Georgia leads the nation in peanut production; nearly half of all of all peanuts grown in the United States come from Georgia.

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TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 2022  
5:00 PM - 6:00 PM  
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## REQUEST FOR QUALIFICATIONS

2019 COMMUNITY HOME INVESTMENT PROGRAM (CHIP) GRANT

### CONSTRUCTION OF SINGLE-FAMILY HOMES

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Sylvester Housing Authority, a recipient of the GA Department of Community Affairs 2019 CHIP grant program, will receive Statement of Qualifications from general contractors of residential home builders interested in participating in the construction of two (2) new homes to be completed before December 31, 2022, and sold to qualified home buyers.

Prospective general contractors are encouraged to prepare a statement of qualifications detailing their housing experience and project management experience. The Sylvester Housing Authority will select one or more general contractors or builders with proven experience, financial resources, capacity, and professional expertise to successfully construct up to two houses at one time.

This is a Section 3 contract opportunity. The Sylvester Housing Authority provides equal opportunity for all businesses and does not discriminate against any person or business because of race, color, religion, sex, national origin, and handicap or veterans' status.

Bids will be accepted beginning August 10, 2022. Bid package can be picked up at 411 North Jefferson Street, Sylvester, Georgia 31791. The bid opening is scheduled for September 13, 2022, at 11:00AM at the Sylvester Housing Authority located at 411 North Jefferson Street Sylvester, Ga 31791.

**Submit all Documents and the Pre-Qualification Application by September 13, 2022, by 10:45AM**

Michael Allen, Chief Executive Officer  
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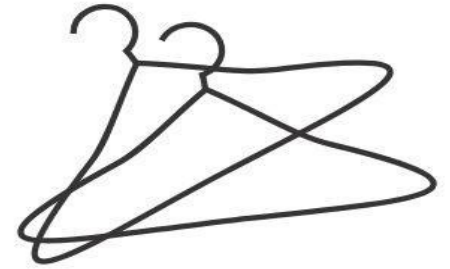
- Approved for drivers beginning at 16 years of age with valid driver's license, if accompanied by adult. Younger drivers should check with their insurance company to confirm whether the discount will apply before taking the class.
- Each class provides 6 hours of instruction.
- Automobile insurance discount is available for drivers who have had no moving violations or at fault claims for the past three years.
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## CROSS COUNTRY 22-23

<b>Date</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>Opponent</b>	<b>Home/Away</b>	<b>Location</b>
August 13th	9AM-11AM	2nd Annual Peach State Preview	AWAY	Heritage Center at Town Bluffs Park Hazelhurst, GA
August 20th	8AM-10:30AM	Patriot Pride Invitational	AWAY	1358 Hwy 215 South Rochelle, GA
August 27th	8:30AM-10AM	6th Annual Furlow Fast Feet Invitational	AWAY	Sumter County Recreation Complex Americus, GA
September 10th	8:30AM-11AM	Lee County Invitational	AWAY	295 Leslie Highway Leesburg, GA
September 17th	8AM-10:30AM	Deerfield-Windsor Invitational	AWAY	Albany State University Albany, GA
September 24th	9AM-11:30AM	Tiftarea Panther Prowl	AWAY	Tiftarea Academy Chula, GA
October 1st	8AM-10:30AM	21st Tift Invitational	AWAY	ABAC Tifton, GA
October 6th	5PM-6:30PM	The Red Flame Classic	AWAY	Wilcox County High School Rochelle, GA
October 26th	10:30- HS Boys 11:15- HS Girls	1-AA Region Meet	AWAY	Heritage Center at Town Bluffs Park Hazelhurst, GA
November 5th/6th	TBA	GHSA State Championship Meet	AWAY	Carrollton High School Carrollton, GA

Head Coach - Sanders Dorough

Athletic Director - Will Smith

Principal - Melissa Edwards



# Bark in the Park September 23 & 24

LOCATION:

## JEFFORD'S PARK IN SYLVESTER

CORNER OF GA HWY 112 & WILLINGHAM ST.

### Games and ENTERTAINMENT *for everyone!*

Families with  
& without pets  
are invited  
to come out &  
join the fun!

FRIDAY EVENING: VENDORS, DJ AT 5  
PM, AND FAMILY MOVIE AT 8:30 PM

**FESTIVAL OPENS AT 10 AM ON SAT.**

### 5K VETS & PETS RUN

Rescues and Animal Shelters  
are welcome to be a part of  
the Adoption Depot.

*Events subject to change*

WATCH FOR  
UPDATES ON THE  
*BFHS BARK IN  
THE PARK FESTIVAL*  
FACEBOOK PAGE.







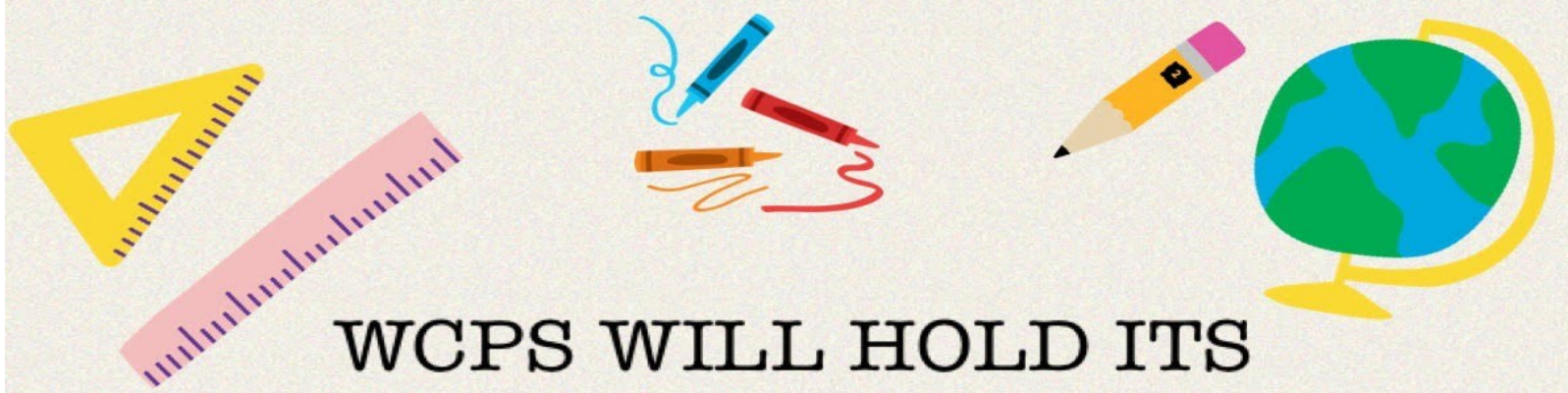
### 2022 WCMS Football A-Team Schedule

Date	Opponent	Location	Time
<b>August 18</b>	<b>Thomas County Central</b>	<b>Home</b>	<b>5:00PM</b>
August 25	Washington Middle School	Cairo	5:00PM
September 1	OPEN		
September 8	Ben Hill Middle School	Fitzgerald	5:00PM
September 15	OPEN		
<b>September 22</b>	<b>Thomasville</b>	<b>Home</b>	<b>5:00PM</b>
<b>September 29</b>	<b>Cook County</b>	<b>Home</b>	<b>5:00PM</b>
October 6	Playoffs	TBA	TBA
October 13	Championship	TBA	TBA
<b>October 25</b>	<b>Football Banquet</b>	<b>Cafeteria</b>	<b>6:00PM</b>

### 2022 WCMS Football B-Team Schedule

Date	Opponent	Location	Time
September 14	Cook County	Away	5:00PM
September 28	Thomas County Central	Away	5:00PM





WCPS WILL HOLD ITS  
ANNUAL TITLE 1 MEETING ON  
Tuesday September 13, 2022

***WE WILL HOST TWO MEETINGS ON  
THIS DAY AT WORTH COUNTY  
PRIMARY SCHOOL  
IN MRS. WORN'S OFFICE***

AM Meeting at 9:30  
PM Meeting at 5:30

Thank you for  
your support of  
WCPS





# STRATEGIES TO HELP YOUR WCPS STUDENT

**What:** Join us to learn specific strategies to help your K, 1, or 2nd grade student. Teachers will be presenting easy and practical ideas that you can do at home.



**Who:** All WCPS parents and guardians

**When:** Tuesday,  
September 13th

10:00am or  
6:00pm  
At WCPS in Mrs.  
Worn's office

**Why:** When parents and teachers work together we can accomplish amazing things!



Use the QR  
code below to  
RSVP!





# WCES ANNUAL TITLE 1 MEETING



TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 13TH  
6 P.M.  
WCES CAFETERIA

Come find out information about our  
Title I Program at WCES!







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