

CALENDAR of EVENTS

AUGUST 12 Tuesday Talk at 8 a.m.

AUGUST 13 PPG Paints Ribbon Cutting at 11 a.m.
(3722 Pepperell Parkway)

AUGUST 14 Watson's Backyard Living Ribbon Cutting
at 10 a.m. (1799 Ogletree Road, Suite 300)

AUGUST 19 Leads to Business at 8:30 a.m.

AUGUST 26 Auburn City Council Elections

AUGUST 27 Auburn Chamber Business Fair at
Auburn University from 9 a.m.-3 p.m.

AUGUST 28 BurgerFi Ribbon Cutting at 10:30 a.m.
(339 S. College Street, Suite c)

SEPTEMBER 1 Auburn Chamber Office Closed

SEPTEMBER 4 Auburn Dental Spa Business After Hours
5-7 p.m. (1575 Professional Parkway)

SEPTEMBER 20 Stone Martin Builders presents Cotswolds
Phase 2 Ribbon Cutting at 10:30 a.m. (755 Cotswolds, Auburn)

For additional details, visit www.auburnchamber.com.

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CITY COUNCIL ELECTIONS WILL BE HELD AUGUST 26.

Cast an informed vote! Candidate forums for **Wards 3, 5 and 6** will be held at the Auburn Chamber on **August 14**.

WARD 3 5:30 PM

WARD 5 6:15 PM

WARD 6 7 PM

The candidate forum for **Ward 1** will be held at Boykin Community Center on **August 11 at 6 pm**.

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MEMBER HAPPENINGS

MUGSHOTS GRILL & BAR AUBURN NOW HIRING

Mugshots Grill & Bar-Auburn is now hiring for all positions and will be taking applications Monday-Friday from 10 a.m.– 4 p.m. Mugshots is looking for candidates with a positive attitude, great work ethic and a smile. Drop by the new location at 1447 Opelika Road to pick up an application.

LEGENDS SPORTS CAFÉ OFFERING SPECIAL DISCOUNT

In appreciation of those who serve, Legends Sports Café is offering all police officers, firefighters, military and teachers 20% off their purchase through August 7. Show your ID to your server to receive your discount and entry into their monthly drawing for a Legends gift certificate.

HALFTIME SPORTS GRILL NOW OPEN FOR LUNCH

Halftime Sports Grill is now open every day for lunch at 11 a.m. The lunch menu includes daily specials on burgers, wraps, wings, tacos and much more. Halftime is located at 154 North College Street. For more information or for take out orders, call (334) 887-7800.

LIFESOUTH COMMUNITY BLOOD CENTERS WEEKLY BLOOD DRIVES

August 4: AU Facilities, 9 a.m.– 4 p.m.; Auburn Post Office, 10 a.m.-5 p.m.

August 6: Health Plus Fitness, 8 a.m.-12 p.m.

August 7: Arbor Springs Health & Rehab, 8 a.m.– 3 p.m.; Health Plus Fitness, 4-8 p.m.

Donors can also give blood at the donor center every day starting at 9 a.m. The donor center is located at 505 E. Thomason Circle in Opelika. For more information, please call (334) 705-8884.

PRE-FALL COLLECTION NOW AVAILABLE AT ELLIE

The new pre-fall collection is now available at Ellie Boutique and Ellie Shoe Boutique. From maxi skirts to kimonos, they have just what you want for back-to-school, special events and everything in between. Like them on Facebook for more information or visit www.elliethclothing.com.

ADVANCED GRAPHICS AUGUST SPECIAL

Advanced graphics is offering 25% off all banners now through August 31. Don't forget to stop by the office at 939 Opelika Road to enter their drawing for a free set of 12"x24" vehicle magnets. Simply drop your business card into the bucket and they will randomly draw a winner on August 31. For more information, please call (334) 501-8600.

SIGNATURE CHEFS AUCTION TO BE HELD SEPTEMBER 16

The March of Dimes Signature Chefs Auction will be held on September 16 at the Auburn University Club. This culinary event will feature distinguished chefs and fine dining establishments in the East Alabama area. Enjoy a showcase of culinary masterpieces, a generous sampling of fine wines, fabulous entertainment and a lively auction featuring one-of-a-kind packages. For more information, or to attend, contact Linda Gross at (334) 513-7381 or email her at lgross@marchofdimes.com.

THE EVENT CENTER DOWNTOWN UPCOMING EVENTS

Every Wednesday is Wine Down Wednesday from 5-8 p.m., featuring half price house wines.

August 9: Mean Clean Comedy Show featuring Jonnie W, Marty Simpson and Clayburn Cox. Show starts at 8 p.m. Tickets are \$10 at the door

August 16: Comedy Night featuring The Stuttering Comic Jody Fuller and concert performance by Dallas Dorsey & The Rails. Tickets are \$15 in advance and \$20 at the door. Reserved tables available.

The Event Center Downtown is located at 614 N. Railroad Avenue in Opelika. For more information, please contact (334) 705-5466.

GREATER PEACE BAPTIST CHURCH TO HOST COMMUNITY ROAST

Greater Peace Baptist Church will host the first Community Comedy Roast & Silent Auction on August 14 at 7 p.m. at the Greater Peace Family Center. All proceeds from the event will go towards the church's family, youth and children programs. Tickets and dinner are \$50 and sponsorships are \$750-\$1500. To purchase your tickets or to sponsor a table, please contact the GP Family Life Center at (334) 749-9487.

EAST ALABAMA SOCIETY FOR HUMAN RESOURCE MANAGEMENT TO HOLD OSHA WORKSHOP

The East Alabama Society for Human Resource Management will host an OSHA workshop, "An Ounce of Prevention: Avoiding, preparing for, and handling OSHA inspections, citations and appeals." The workshop will be held at the EAMC Health Resource Center on August 14. Registration will begin at 7:30 a.m. and the program will be from 8-11 a.m. Enrollment is \$25/person for sponsor member companies and \$35/person for non-sponsor member companies. Email eashrm@gmail.com with contact info and then mail registration fees to P.O. Box 4198, Opelika, AL, 36804, or bring a check to the workshop.

ARICCIA TO REPRESENT LEE COUNTY IN THE 2014 ALABAMA RESTAURANT WEEK

For the third year in a row, Ariccia Trattoria & Bar will participate in the annual Alabama Restaurant Week from August 15-25. This 10-day culinary event will serve to highlight the cuisine at independently owned restaurants throughout the entire state of Alabama. Ariccia will offer a three-course dinner menu for \$20, excluding tax and gratuity. Reservations are recommended and can be made by calling (334) 844-5140.

ALABAMA SMALL BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT CENTER NETWORK OFFERING WORKSHOP

The Alabama Small Business Development Center Network is offering a workshop on Tuesday, August 19, on the 8(a) Business Development Program and the HUBZone Program. The workshop will be from 10 a.m. – 12 p.m. in Building 570 (570 Devall Drive) of the Auburn Research Park. This workshop will cover the 8(a) Business Development Program and the HUBZone Program, including the qualifications to participate, the application processes, and the benefits of the programs in government contracting. Representatives from the U.S. Small Business Administration District Office in Birmingham, Alabama, will be the presenters for this program. There is no charge for this program, but attendees must pre-register. To register go to <http://bit.ly/GovCertAll>. For more information, contact Judy Callin at jcallin@troy.edu or call (334) 674-2425

<http://www.auburn.edu>. For more information, contact Judy Cunniff at jcunniff@trioy.edu or call (334) 877-2125.

JIM 'N NICK'S NOW OFFERING BREAKFAST CATERING

Jim 'N Nick's of Auburn is now catering breakfast meals. The menu features classic favorites with a Jim 'N Nick's twist. For more information or to place an order, contact Jordan Thomas at (334) 704-4489 or email her at jthomas@jimnicks.com.

THE HOTEL AT AUBURN UNIVERSITY TO HOST OKTOBERFEST

The Hotel at Auburn University will host its 5th annual Oktoberfest on September 20. This year they have a new component where they will be inviting home brewers to participate in the festival with "Home Brew Alley." A select number of participants can showcase their beers and a panel of judges and festival guests will vote on their favorites. The winning selection chosen by the judges will be featured on draft in Ariccia Trattoria & Bar during the fall. The winner and the head brewer of Blue Pants Brewery will brew their recipe as a one-off beer in the Blue Pants facility. The deadline for home brewers to enter is August 15. Deadline for samples to be submitted is September 5. For additional questions, please contact Adam Keeshan at (334) 321-3165 or adam.keeshan@auhcc.com. Visit <http://www.auhcc.com/oktoberfest/> for details.

BACK TO SCHOOL BASH TO BENEFIT THE BIG HOUSE FOUNDATION

Plan on attending the Back to School bash at Airport Plaza for a night of free food and family fun on August 15 from 4-7 p.m. The event is sponsored by Cornerstone Family Chiropractic, Chick-fil-A, Marco's Pizza, Earth Fare and Milestone Learning Center and will benefit the Big House Foundation.

RAPA SEEKING MANUFACTURING ENGINEERS

RAPA is currently looking for two experienced manufacturing engineers. Anyone with interest can send a resume to jobs@rapa.com. For more details, please call (334) 321-0875.

EARLY BIRD PRICING NOW AVAILABLE FOR LEADERSHIP SIMULCAST

L2: Learn Lead is coming to Opelika. Don't miss early bird pricing now through August 10. Learn from leadership experts John C. Maxwell, Linda Kaplan Thaler, and Tim Sanders as they inspire you and share their expertise to help you succeed as a leader. This half-day live simulcast leadership event will expand your capacity to lead. Get details at <http://l2.johnmaxwell.com/>.

MOUNTAIN HIGH OUTFITTERS TO HOLD FITNESS ONBOARD CERTIFICATION

Mountain High Outfitters will be offering FREE master/demo Stand Up Paddleboard (SUP) Fitness and SUP yoga classes on August 17 from 1-4 p.m. at Chewacla State Park. There will be 15 boards available for FREE per class session. Reservation is required for the demo class by emailing mhoamanager@mhovement.com. For more information, please contact Lori Fuller at (334) 559-4940.

AUBURN PARKS AND RECREATION UPCOMING EVENTS

Aug. 6...Master Gardeners Fountain Making Workshop: The Master Gardeners will host a FREE fountain making workshop for adults 50+ at the Harris Center on Wednesday, Aug. 6, from 1 – 2:15 p.m. Master Gardener Phil Raley will instruct participants on how to make a beautiful fountain using old or new pots.

Aug. 6...Last Day to Register for Fall Soccer: Walk-in registration for fall soccer will be held on Wednesday, Aug. 6, from 6 – 7 p.m. at the Auburn Soccer Complex. Participants may also register online at www.auburnalabama.org/athletics.

Aug. 7...Walk-in Registration for Fall Baseball, Softball, and Flag Football: Walk-in registration for fall baseball, softball, and flag football will be held on Thursday, Aug. 7, from 6 – 7 p.m. at the Dean Road Recreation Center.

Aug. 8...Outdoor Movie Featuring "The Lego Movie": "Everything is awesome" because Auburn Parks and Recreation's Outdoor Movie Series continues on Friday, Aug. 8 with "The Lego Movie." Bring a blanket, chairs, and a picnic to Duck Samford Park - Field 10 and enjoy a family-friendly evening of fun. Children's activities begin at 7 p.m. with inflatables, followed by the movie at 8:30 p.m. Movie concessions such as popcorn, cotton candy, and sno cones will be available for purchase. A map of the movie location and parking is available online at www.auburnalabama.org/parks. Admission is FREE to the public!

Aug. 9...Walk-in Registration for Tackle Football: Walk-in registration for tackle football will be held on Saturday, Aug. 9, from 10 a.m. – noon at the Dean Road Recreation Center.

Aug. 9...Final Day to Register for Fall Baseball, Softball, Flag & Tackle Football, and Cheerleading Online: Don't miss the final day to register for fall sports, including baseball, softball, flag & tackle football, and cheerleading. Log on to www.auburnalabama.org/athletics for more information and to register.

Aug. 15...Float-N-Movie Featuring "Surf's Up": Grab your floats and join us at Samford Pool for a poolside movie featuring "Surf's Up" on Friday, Aug. 15 at 8:30 p.m. Admission is FREE with a 2014 Splash Pass or \$2/person. Chairs are welcome on the pool deck.

