HOLIDAY GREETINGS FROM THE FULFORD CENTER!

It is hard to believe the holidays are upon us already! I find this time of year quite special—a time to reflect on this past year and to dream of and plan for the future. This has been a very busy and productive year for us, and it is with great pride and satisfaction that I wish 2012 farewell.

I am inspired by everything we have achieved. Each day, Fulford Center opportunities are growing, and as we grow, we collectively impact the lives of people throughout this community and this area.

I wish you a healthy and happy holiday season, and I thank you for your continued interest and support. See you in January for another great year at the Fulford Center!

JEAN D. SCHWABE, DIRECTOR

NOVEMBER/DECEMBER 2012

OUR MISSION
By providing an environment where learning opportunities take place and community relationships are enriched, the Sudie A. Fulford Community Learning Center will develop individual capacity and improve the quality of life for Swainsboro and Emanuel County.

OUR GOALS
Education
Civic Engagement
Hospitality
HOLIDAY DROP AND SHOP TO BE HELD ON DEC. 1

Need to get your holiday shopping done?

Drop your child off at the Fulford Center for the upcoming Holiday Drop and Shop. This event will give parents some extra time to do holiday shopping, grocery shop, or wrap gifts.

While you’re finalizing the last details for the perfect holiday season, your child will have fun participating in an array of activities, including holiday planetarium shows, arts/crafts, storytelling, and a holiday movie.

Lunch and an afternoon snack will be provided. The event is scheduled for Saturday, December 1, from 10:00 a.m. until 3:00 p.m. for children ages 5 to 10. The fee for participation is $25 per child and $15 for additional siblings.

Registration is required and may be made by contacting the center at 289-2464. Enrollment is limited to 25 participants. Let your kids have fun while you get your holiday shopping tied in a bow of accomplishment!

TWO HOLIDAY SHOWS ADDED TO FULFORD PLANETARIUM

To help celebrate the upcoming holiday season, two new shows have been added at the Fulford Planetarium. Both are fun and entertaining experiences for all ages, especially families. The shows will be available beginning November 26. If you would like to bring a group to the planetarium, please contact the Center for more details.

Santa is in a flying saucer instead of a sleigh! Will Christmas ever be the same? Join us as Santa and his alien friend, Mr. Freep visit all the planets of the solar system to see what children on those planets might like for Christmas.

Let it Snow features a new variety of festive classics from Frank Sinatra and Chuck Berry to Burl Ives and Brenda Lee. The soundtrack is visually enhanced with a variety of high resolution scenery and artistic animation.
ADULT CHESS CLASSES

We had very good attendance at our recent organizational meeting for adult chess classes.

The first class was held Monday, November 5, at noon at the center. Participants brought a sack lunch, and the one hour session was led by Mike Lisenby.

Future sessions will be held each Monday at noon. For more information, contact the Fulford Center.

A TIME FOR GIVING

Please consider the Sudie A. Fulford Community Learning Center when making charitable contributions and when memorializing family and friends. Your donations allow us to provide valuable educational resources for the community.

Donations can be made through the East Georgia State College Foundation. The Foundation is a 501 (c)3 non-profit organization. All gifts are tax deductible to the extent approved by law.

Contact Jean Schwabe to learn more about how your donation of any amount can help with the Center’s outreach efforts.

HOLIDAY GREETINGS FROM THE FULFORD CENTER’S ADVISORY BOARD!

Ada Lee Correll
Betsy Johnson
Courtney Joiner
Karen Jones
Norma Kennedy
Elizabeth Kraus
Bill Rogers
Jean Schwabe
Susan Stephens
Mike Strobridge
Tammy Wilkes
UPCOMING EVENTS

BRIDGING COMMUNITIES

Nov. 5  Chess for Parents/Adults
Nov. 12 Glad & Seedling Garden Club Meetings
        Relay for Life Meeting
Nov. 15 AARP Driver Safety Training for Veterans
Nov. 16 Georgia Southwestern State University Visit
Nov. 17 Vidalia Cub Scout Planetarium Visit
Nov. 19 Chess for Parents/Adults
Nov. 26 GYSTC Board of Directors Meeting
        Chess for Parents/Adults
Dec. 1  Holiday Drop and Shop
Dec. 3  Fulford Estate Planning Forum, Part 3
        Chess for Parents/Adults
Dec. 4  GDOE Title I Monitoring Training
        Emanuel Rangers UDC Luncheon Meeting
Dec. 5  Georgia Department of Community Affairs
        Training
Dec. 6  Fulford Center Advisory Board Meeting
Dec. 7  Boatright Rehearsal Dinner
Dec. 10 DFACS MOM Training
        Chess for Parents/Adults
Dec. 12 Emanuel County Institute Bulldog Buddies
        Celebration
Dec. 14 Sammons Rehearsal Dinner
Dec. 18 Swainsboro High SAT Fun Day

IMPORTANT REMINDER

FINAL ESTATE PLANNING FORUM REMINDER

The third and final session of our three-part Fulford
Estate Planning Forum is scheduled for December 3,
at noon. There is no cost to attend, and lunch will
be provided. Registration is required and may be
made by contacting Jean Schwabe at 289-2464 or
jdschwabe@ega.edu.

Jeffrey Williamson, elder law and taxation attorney,
will present Medicaid Asset Protection Trusts: What
They Are and How They Can Protect Your Assets.

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