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Member SPOTLIGHT

PROUD MEMBER OF THE PIERCE COUNTY CHAMBER



Clough Pecan Company

Quality over Quantity.

We are a family run operation that focuses on *quality over quantity!*

All of our customers become a part of our family when they choose Clough Pecan.

What We Offer:

-  BUYING PECANS
-  SELLING PECANS
-  CRACKING SERVICES
-  SHELLING SERVICES



FAMILY
QUALITY
TRUST



Be first to get all the local news with the DIGITAL NEWSPAPER!

Have your paper e-mailed directly to you each Tuesday before it hits the NEWSSTANDS

The Blackshear Times
Liked by Many • Cussed by Some • Read by Them All

LOCAL MATTERS



Judged a newspaper of General Excellence 2025

Thank you for supporting
OUR FAMILY, OUR FARM,
AND OUR COMMUNITY. 



Please join us in
Welcoming

A NEW MEMBER TO THE

PIERCE COUNTY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE!



We are proud to welcome

Sentry Data Management, LLC

to our Chamber family!  

Based right here in **Blackshear**, Sentry Data Management provides secure, reliable solutions for businesses and individuals needing **document shredding, storage, and full-service information management.**

With **NAID AAA Certification**, they bring trusted, professional service to our community—protecting what matters most.

Big city services at a small-town price.



DOCUMENT SHREDDING



DOCUMENT STORAGE



FILE STORAGE



INFORMATION MANAGEMENT



INFORMATION DESTRUCTION



436 Nichols Street
Blackshear, GA



(912) 807-9904



sentrydatamgt.com



— PIERCE COUNTY —
family connection

At the local level, the Pierce County Family Connection collaborative works together to improve the lives of families and children in Pierce County.

Welcome our newest chamber member!



THE SOUTHERN SQUEEZE

The Southern Squeeze is a mobile drink trailer offering craft lemonades, dirty sodas, hot beverages, and specialty drinks. Proudly serving our community and surrounding areas.

 Call to schedule your event: **912-270-8874**



Welcome to
WAYCROSS
MOTOR SPEEDWAY
Est. 1951



COME JOIN OUR POST


BLACKSHEAR, GEORGIA

AMVETS (American Veterans) is the nation's most inclusive Congressionally-chartered veterans service organization, representing the interests of 20 million veterans. We proudly welcome all who have honorably served in the U.S. military – including the Reserve and National Guard.

With more than 250,000 members nationwide, AMVETS is veterans serving veterans.

Founded in 1944, AMVETS exists to enhance the quality of life for veterans, their families, and survivors. Membership is open to anyone who has honorably served or is currently serving in the U.S. Armed Forces.

 **MEETING TIME: 1ST MONDAY OF EACH MONTH**

 **6:00 PM**

 **200 SW CENTRAL AVE, BLACKSHEAR, GA 31516**

Contact: Commander Guyle Washington

912-514-1093



**ALL VETERANS ARE WELCOME - COME GET CONNec-
TED, SUPPORTED, AND INVOLVED!**



May EVENTS

AT A GLANCE



MAY 1-2 **KATTYWAMPUS AND PASS IT ON COLLABORATION CELEBRATION**

MAY 4 **LET THE WHEEL DECIDE CHAMBER GIVEAWAYS**
🕒 4:00 PM

MAY 4 **AMVETS MEETING**
📍 AT THE CHAMBER OFFICE 🕒 5:30 PM

MAY 5 **LIBRARY BINGO**
CHAMBER HOSTING EVENT 🕒 5:00 PM

MAY 5 **BRIDAL EXPO IN SCREVEN**
🕒 6:00 PM – 8:00 PM

MAY 7 **SOUTHERN FADE**
RIBBON CUTTING AND GRAND OPENING
🕒 11:00 AM

MAY 9 **BORN AGAIN TATOOS & PIERCING**
RIBBON CUTTING AND 5 YEAR ANNIVERSARY
🕒 11:00 AM – 2:00 PM

MAY 11 **ROOTED IN GRACE**
FIRST BAPTIST. BLACKSHEAR
🕒 6:00 PM



Together, we grow our community!

SUPPORT LOCAL. SHOP LOCAL. CHOOSE PIERCE COUNTY.



SHOP LOCAL

Week Challenge

MAY 3-9

7 DAYS. 7 WAYS TO SHOW UP FOR LOCAL BUSINESSES

SUNDAY MAY 3		START LOCAL Make your first purchase of the week from a local business.
MONDAY MAY 4		SWITCH ONE THING Choose local over a chain today.
TUESDAY MAY 5		TAKEOUT TUESDAY Skip the usual. Try a local spot tonight.
WEDNESDAY MAY 6		SHARE LOCAL Post a business you love and help spread the word.
THURSDAY MAY 7		SMALL BUSINESS DAY Go out of your way to support a small business today.
FRIDAY MAY 8		LEAVE A REVIEW Support a business you love in 2 minutes.
SATURDAY MAY 9		SHOW US LOCAL Tag us while you're out supporting local.

Together, we *strengthen* our community.

THANK YOU FOR SUPPORTING LOCAL!

WHEEL DECIDE

After the Pines Giveaway

The celebration may be over...
but the excitement
continues!

As a special thank you to our
A Night in the Pines gala attendees,
all ticket holders have been
entered into our
giveaway drawing.



**EXCITING
PRIZES AWAIT**



**WINNERS SELECTED BY
LIVE WHEEL SPIN**



**THE WHEEL COULD
LAND ON YOUR NAME**

WINNERS ANNOUNCED
MAY 4, 2026

★ *May the luck be with you...* ★

GRAND OPENING & RIBBON CUTTING

Pierce County Chamber of Commerce
— invites you to celebrate the ribbon cutting for —

THE SOUTHERN FADE

Precision Cuts. Southern Style.

BLACKSHEAR, GA



3349 US Hwy 84, Suite 99
Blackshear, Georgia 31516



THURSDAY
MAY 7



11:00 AM

Join us as we welcome The Southern Fade to the Pierce County business community and celebrate this exciting new business with an official Chamber Ribbon Cutting!



Specializing In:

- Men's Cuts
- Boy's Cuts
- Beard Trims



Master
Cosmetologist



912-286-5798

COME MEET THE OWNER, TOUR THE SHOP,
AND HELP US CELEBRATE!

Hosted by

PIERCE COUNTY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

pcgeorgia.com



CHAMBER OF COMMERCE



Save
the
Date

BEATS & EATS

MAY 1, 2026



ZAC BROWN TRIBUTE • 20 RIDE

VETERANS


INFORMATION SESSION

Bridging the Gap Between Veterans
and the Complex VA System



 **Friday, May 8th, 2026**

 **9:00 AM - 2:00 PM**






 **NFC Gym**
705 College Ave
Blackshear, GA 31516

For More Info:

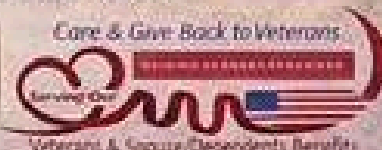
 **(912) 286-4810**

 **AMVETSPost1857@gmail.com**

Topics We Will Cover:

-  Secondary Conditions That Increase VA Disability Ratings
-  VA + Medicare Coordination (TFL, CHAMPVA, FEHB)
-  Surviving Spouse Benefits
-  VA Community Care Eligibility
-  Protecting VA Disability Ratings From Future Changes

Hosted by: **AMVETS Post 1857**



In Partnership With Offerman, Patterson, and Blackshear City Governments

Anniversary of Freedom

The Exchange Club of Waycross Presents



America 250



Anniversary of Freedom Event



Dear Business Leader,

The Exchange Club of Waycross respectfully invites you to partner with us as a corporate sponsor for the America 250 Field of Honor®, a powerful patriotic tribute commemorating the 250th anniversary of the United States of America while honoring the men and women who have served our nation with courage and sacrifice.

From June 27 through July 11, 250 United States flags will stand in solemn formation at the Exchange Club's location on Knight Avenue next to the fairgrounds. Each 7.5-foot white flagpole will bear the name and story of a veteran, active-duty service member, or fallen hero. This moving display will serve as a place of reflection, gratitude, and unity for the citizens of Ware County and visitors from across the region.

We are seeking support from local businesses who value patriotism, community, and honoring service. Corporate sponsorships are available.

Sponsors will receive recognition as valued supporters of the America 250 Field of Honor® and will play a vital role in making this meaningful community tribute possible. Your sponsorship directly supports event setup, maintenance of the display, the Dedication Ceremony, and educational outreach to our community. Event Sponsorship Opportunities and Registration Form is included.

The America 250 Field of Honor® is free and open to the public and is made possible solely through donations, sponsorships, and the dedication of volunteers. Your partnership demonstrates a strong commitment to honoring those who have defended our freedoms while investing in a project that brings our community together in a powerful and lasting way.

We would be honored to have your business join us in this historic celebration. If you have questions or would like to confirm your sponsorship, please contact us at [insert phone number/email].

Thank you for your consideration and for your continued support of our community.

With Sincere appreciation,

President Kirby McSwain
Exchange Club of Waycross
America 250 Field of Honor®
678-878-0340
kamcswain@myyahoo.com

The Exchange Club of Waycross Presents



America 250



Field of Honor

The Exchange Club of Waycross is proud to offer several sponsorship levels for the America 250 Field of Honor event. Each sponsorship level provides unique opportunities for recognition and involvement in this special celebration. Please review the details below to find the sponsorship level that best fits your business or personal interest.



Stars & Stripes – \$1,000

Your business logo will be showcased on the America 250th Anniversary of Freedom Banner.
Your business logo will be posted in the Exchange Club of Waycross social media outlets.
Six American flags will be planted in honor of your sponsorship.
Special seating for four guests at the ceremony.

Red, White, and Blue – \$750

Your business logo will be showcased on the America 250th Anniversary of Freedom Banner.
Your business logo will be posted on the Exchange Club of Waycross social media outlets.
Five American flags will be planted in recognition of your contribution.
Special seating for four guests at the ceremony.

Patriot – \$500

Your business logo will be showcased on the America 250th Anniversary of Freedom Banner.
Your business logo will be posted on the Exchange Club of Waycross social media outlets.
Four American flags will be planted to honor your sponsorship.
Special seating for four at the ceremony is included.

Let Freedom Ring – \$300

Your business logo will be showcased on the America 250th Anniversary of Freedom Banner.
Your business logo will be posted on the Exchange Club of Waycross social media outlets.
Two American flags will be planted in recognition of your support.
Special seating for two at the ceremony is included.

Betsy Ross – \$200

Your business logo will be showcased on the America 250th Anniversary of Freedom Banner.
Your business logo will be posted on the Exchange Club of Waycross social media outlets.
One American flag will be planted to honor your contribution.
Special seating for two at the ceremony is included.

Individual Hero – \$50

A flag will be flown "IN MEMORY OF" or "IN HONOR OF" a local hero of your choosing at the event.

Sponsorship Registration

If you are interested in becoming a sponsor, please complete the following information and submit your form with payment to the address provided below.

Name _____ Phone _____

Address _____ Email _____

Company/Organization _____

Name of Hero/ First Responder/ Service Member _____

Please send Completed form and payment to: Sponsorship Type _____

Exchange Club of Waycross

P. O. Box 926

Waycross, GA 31502

Contacts below for questions.

Kirby McSwain- 678-878-0340

Mary Louise Snyder- 912-614-5844

Let's be social!

 **MAY 2026** 

PIERCE COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY | WWW.TRRL.ORG/PIERCE
912-449-7040 | 785 COLLEGE AVE, BLACKSHEAR, GA 31516

SUN CLOSED	MON 10:00- 6:00	TUE 10:00 - 7:00	WED CLOSED	THU 10:00 - 7:00	FRI 10:00 - 6:00	SAT 10:00 - 2:00
					1 STORY TIME W/ MARSHALL 11:00AM(0-12)	2 LEARN ASL W/ BELINDA JO ADAMS 11:00AM (5+)
3	4 PAINT & CHAT W/ SENIORS 10:00 AM (18+)	5 BINGO W/ THE CHAMBER 5:00 PM (18+)	6 	7 CRAFT NIGHT: PAINT YOUR PET 5:00 PM (18+)	8 STORY TIME 11:00AM(0-12)	9 LEARN ASL W/ BELINDA JO ADAMS 11:00AM (5+)
10	11	12 NATURE LOVERS BOOK CLUB 6:00PM (13+)	13	14 	15 STORY TIME 11:00AM(0-12)	16 LEARN ASL W/ BELINDA JO ADAMS 11:00AM (5+)
17 	18	19 FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY MEETING 5:30PM	20	21 TEEN NIGHT: IMPROV STORY TELLING 5:00 PM (13- 17)	22 STORY TIME 11:00AM(0-12)	23 CLOSED
24 	25 CLOSED	26 CRAFT NIGHT: BYO CRAFT 5:00PM (9+)	27	28 MYTHICAL SOCIETY BOOK CLUB 6:00PM (18+)	29 STORY TIME 11:00AM(0-12)	30 LEARN ASL W/ BELINDA JO ADAMS 11:00AM (5+)



Upcoming Events

2026



WE NEED YOU

AS A VOLUNTEER IN TIMES OF CRISIS

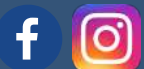
SIGN UP TODAY

Call or text Pierce is Prepared for more info: (657)570-6021

Pierce County Chamber of Commerce

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200 SW Central Ave. | PO Box 47 Blackshear, GA 31516 || pcgeorgia.com



Storybook Beginnings

**Community Baby Shower
and Family Literacy Day**



Save the Date
June 27th

10-1





Pierce County Chamber of Commerce?

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Chamber membership supports business growth, professional development, and the future of Pierce County.

All memberships include:

- ✓ Business or organization listing on the Chamber website
- ✓ Networking and promotional opportunities
- ✓ Priority access to Chamber educational classes
- ✓ Support of youth leadership initiatives including Pierce County High School Student Leadership Academy, P3, and Youth Legacy Leadership

A one-time \$25 application fee applies to all new members.

 <p>Entrepreneur / Startup</p> <p>\$100 annually \$125 first year</p> <p>Ideal for startups and home-based businesses building connections and visibility.</p>	 <p>Small Business</p> <p>\$175 annually \$200 first year</p> <p>Includes ribbon cutting or business spotlight opportunities and one promotional social media post per year</p>	 <p>Premier Business</p> <p>\$325 annually \$350 first year</p> <p>Enhanced visibility and leadership opportunities, including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Three Chamber email blasts per year • Two promotional social media posts • Priority referrals • Committee and leadership participation
 <p>Professional</p> <p>\$325 annually \$350 first year</p> <p>Designed for professional service providers and individuals.</p>	 <p>Non-Profit</p> <p>\$150 annually \$175 first year</p> <p>Supports outreach, collaboration, and community engagement.</p>	 <p>Chamber Awards Ceremony Supporter</p>



PIERCE COUNTY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

PRAYING FOR OUR *Communities*

During this difficult time,
we lift up all communities in prayer.



We are praying for:



Strength



Comfort



Peace



Healing



Most importantly,
we are praying for
every family affected.

In times like these, we are reminded
of the power of community, compassion,
and coming together.

You are not alone.

Pierce
County
CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

#WeChoosePierce



Leading THE WAY

TODAY'S STUDENTS. TOMORROW'S COMMUNITY LEADERS.



GROWING LEADERS

Building confidence and leadership skills.



BUILDING CONNECTIONS

Strengthening communication and teamwork.



ENGAGING CIVICALLY

Learning about our community and making an impact.



SERVING TOGETHER

Creating positive change through service.

Bright minds. Servant hearts. Bold voices.

PROUD TO SUPPORT THE NEXT GENERATION OF LEADERS

