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City of Chamblee Officials Celebrate Georgia Cities Week

April 14, 2023 — City of Chamblee officials announced the city will be celebrating “Georgia Cities Week” April 23-29. The city will hold a variety of events throughout the week, including a Car Seat Safety Check, Meet the City, and launching the Live on your Block series. The theme of this year’s Georgia Cities Week is “Lighting the Way.”

“We’re very proud of our city and the services we provide that make it attractive to residents and visitors,” said Mayor Brian Mock. “Cities provide the services and infrastructure to help businesses grow and set the stage for events where families and individuals can gather as a community.”

Events planned for the week are:

- **Sunday, April 23rd: Sunday Funday-** Check out your local park, take some “fun” photos and tag us on social media using the hashtag #ChambleeSundayFunday for a chance to be featured on our Facebook page.
- **Monday, April 24th: Police Serving the Community-** Visit the Chick-Fil-A (5450 Peachtree Blvd.) in Chamblee Plaza between 2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. for a chance to meet and be served your food by officers in the Chamblee Police Department!
- **Tuesday, April 25th: #ShopChamblee Tuesday-** Check out your favorite local Chamblee business and tag us on social media with the hashtag #ShopChamblee in preparation for Small Business Week occurring Sunday, April 30th – Saturday, May 6th.
- **Wednesday, April 26th: Car Seat Safety Check-** Go to Chamblee Plaza (5488 Peachtree Blvd.) near the IHOP between 11:00 a.m. -1:00 p.m. to get your car seat checked by officers in the Chamblee Police Department and other emergency service departments.
- **Thursday, April 27th: Sustainability Thursday-** Follow us on social media to learn what Chamblee is doing to be more sustainable and how you can join us to make our city greener.
- **Friday, April 28th: Meet the City/Live on your Block:** Join us at Chamblee’s new City Hall

from 5:00 p.m. -6:30 p.m. to meet our City staff, learn about the services we provide, and tour our new City Hall. Then join us right after at 6:30 p.m. for our first “Live on your Block” event on the front lawn of City Hall for live music, a food truck, and fun lawn games!

- **Saturday, April 29th: Huntley Hills 5K and Festival-** Sign up for the annual Huntley Hills 5K at 8:00 a.m., then enjoy food, games, and a festival directly after the race! For more information, visit <https://hhespta.square.site/2023-runforthehills>

Cities across Georgia will be celebrating Georgia Cities Week, sponsored by the Georgia Municipal Association (GMA), to showcase and celebrate cities and the many services they provide. Based in Atlanta, GMA is a voluntary, non-profit organization that provides legislative advocacy, educational, employee benefit and consulting services to its 538 member cities.

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Located just 14 miles from downtown Atlanta, Chamblee is a vibrant urban city with a diverse community and international flair. The City of Chamblee began as a small rail town and was incorporated in 1908. It has grown to more than seven square miles and nearly 30,000 residents. Chamblee is home to a heavy rail MARTA station, a historic downtown and Antique Row, the vibrant Buford Highway Corridor, DeKalb-Peachtree Airport (PDK), the Centers for Disease Control and a thriving business community with a unique sense of entrepreneurship and optimism. Visit www.chambleega.gov for more information.