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**City Departments**

Emergencies	911
Police	770-455-1000
Court	770-455-1001
Animal Control	770-451-7845
Parks & Rec	770-936-3850
Pool	770-458-4186
Library	770-936-3852



*Mayor's Report . . .*

As you know, school is back in session. I urge everyone to observe safety rules and be on the lookout for our children as they go back and forth to school.

On behalf of the residents of the City of Doraville, I want to extend our thanks and appreciation to Brad Lingerfelt and his staff at Chick-Fil-A for the neighborhood contests and cookouts which they conducted in July for the benefit of IOH.

The flower boxes at City Hall are looking good, despite the dry, hot weather this summer. Ms. Brigitte Weese keeps the flowers watered and pruned. Thank you, Brigitte.

Ms. Eleanor Duke, a long time Doraville resident and library user, has agreed to serve as Doraville's representative on the DeKalb County Library Board. Thank you, Eleanor. We look forward to working with you.

The Library and Recreation Department had very successful summer programs for the children. I am proud of these departments and the encouragement they have been receiving from the community. I am also proud of the support our schools—Cary Reynolds Elementary, Hightower Elementary and Oakcliff Elementary—have received from Doraville citizens and businesses. Regardless of differing opinions, we have all been able to rally support for our children—the future of our City and beyond.

My door is always open. Please stop by and let me know your ideas, concerns and/or achievements.

*Ray Jenkins*

Mayor

**Doraville Seniors Birthday Club**

The Doraville Seniors Birthday Club will be celebrating September birthdays with a potluck luncheon in the Doraville Civic Center on Wednesday, September 12th at 11:30 A.M. All seniors are welcome.

We want to thank all the citizens and businesses who have donated school supplies and/or funds for our schools. There was a tremendous response to this project. The presentation of all collected school supplies will take place during our September luncheon. We will continue to take donations until then.

Anyone having questions about the Doraville Seniors Birthday Club and their activities, please feel free to call Jackie Beyer at 770-457-9744.



**All City offices will be closed  
for Labor Day on  
Monday, September 3rd.**

# THE CHIEF'S CORNER

Now that school is back in session, the school zone speed limits will be enforced to protect our children. As you drive through the City and in our neighborhoods, be sure to watch out for children, pay attention to crossing guards, stay alert and drive slowly.

We continue to have success in fighting against individuals engaging in illegal business located in our residential areas. Thanks to your confidence and support and the tips generated by concerned citizens, we have shut down several houses where illegal operations have been taking place. We are in the process of re-organizing our patrol division to have a stronger patrol car presence and have started the second Citizens Police Academy. Thank you all for your support and your continued confidence.

Respectfully,

John King

Chief of Police

# ANIMAL SERVICES

The Animal Control Department of Doraville would like your input. I am asking for your advice on how we can work together to give our City a more pet-friendly atmosphere. Our City needs an aggressive policy regarding not only the legal aspect of animal control but also the humane treatment of all animals. By working together, we can set an example of responsible treatment of pets and other animals found in our City.

I am currently in the process of finding and working with various animal rescue groups. I believe this is one step toward a more comprehensive approach to animal services. Please contact me if you have other suggestions.

Thank you for all the years of support.

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# PROTECT YOURSELF AGAINST WEST NILE VIRUS

Mosquito surveillance in DeKalb County has revealed several areas with mosquitoes testing positive for the West Nile Virus. As we get more rain, it will be even more important to protect yourselves against this threat. Here are some steps to take that will reduce your risk of becoming infected:

1. As much as possible, avoid being outside when mosquitoes are most active—dusk to dawn.

# SANITATION

Three types of waste are collected at the curb—household waste, yard waste and bulk waste. Each type of waste requires a specific method of preparation for pickup.

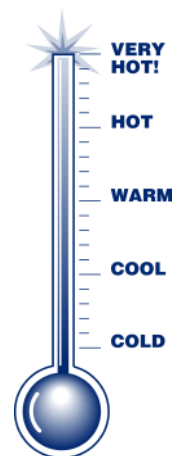


1. Household waste goes in garbage carts or cans. Do not put yard waste in with household waste. Carts are to be placed at the curb the night before the scheduled pickup day.
2. Yard waste must be in bags or cans and placed at the curb on Sunday evenings. Make sure no wires, pieces of metal, household waste, etc. are mixed in, as these become dangerous when loaded into the chipper truck.
3. Bulk waste, including appliances and large household items, can be placed at the curb. However, do not place tires or cans containing wet paint at the curb. Please call the Sanitation Clerk to schedule pickup.

For any problems or questions, contact Sandra Bryant, Sanitation Clerk, at City Hall at 770-451-8745. Sanitation information is also available at the City of Doraville website at [www.doravillega.us](http://www.doravillega.us).

# IT'S STILL HOT!

Although we are approaching the fall season, heat-related illnesses are still a real threat. Be sure to drink plenty of liquids, limit exercise and activities when it is hot, dress in light colored natural fabrics and avoid being outside for long periods. If you live in a home or apartment without fans or air conditioning, open your windows at night, keep them covered during the hottest part of the day or when they are in direct sunlight, and try to spend at least 2 hours a day in someplace air conditioned—for example, a mall, the movies, the library or a friend's house.



2. Wear long-sleeved shirts, long pants and socks.
3. Apply insect repellents (DEET, picaridin or oil of lemon eucalyptus) to exposed skin.
4. Eliminate as many sources of standing water as possible to reduce mosquito breeding areas. Frequently empty or change the water in any containers (pet water bowls, birdbaths, etc.) where water remains for three or more days.



## **Friends of Doraville Library Sponsor Book Sale**

Friends of Doraville Library, Inc. will be sponsoring its very first book sale on

**Saturday, October 20th  
from 10 am to 3 pm.**

Funds raised at the book sale will be used to support Library services and programs. Donations of books, audiobooks, videos, DVDs and music CDs are currently being accepted at the Doraville Library.

*Receipts for tax purposes  
are available upon request.*

If you have questions, call 770-936-3852  
or send an email to  
[doravillefriends@reallyfast.info](mailto:doravillefriends@reallyfast.info).

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<b>City of Doraville</b> <a href="http://www.doravillega.us">www.doravillega.us</a> <h1 style="margin: 0;">SEPTEMBER 2007</h1>						
<b>2</b>	<b>3</b> Library & All City Offices Closed  Labor Day	<b>4</b> Low Impact Aerobics 8:30-9:30am, Arena Grade School Storytime 6:30pm, Library  Work Session, 6pm <b>City Council Mtg</b> 7pm, City Hall	<b>5</b> Preschool Storytime 10:30am, Library	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b> Low Impact Aerobics 8:30-9:30am, Arena  Gymnastics 3:30-4:30pm, Arena  Ballet & Tap 4:30-5:30pm, Arena	<b>8</b> FDL Exec Mtg, 1pm <b>Friends of Doraville Library</b> 2pm, Library
<b>9</b>	<b>10</b> English Conversation 6-7:30pm, Library  NNA Mtg 7pm, Civic Ctr	<b>11</b> Low Impact Aerobics 8:30-9:30am, Arena  Highway Watch 9am, Library CPA—6:30-9:30pm, PD Grade School Storytime 6:30pm, Library	<b>12</b> Preschool Storytime 10:30am, Library  Seniors Birthday Luncheon 11:30am, Civic Ctr  ONA Mtg 7pm, Civic Ctr	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b> Low Impact Aerobics 8:30-9:30am, Arena  Gymnastics 3:30-4:30pm, Arena  Ballet & Tap 4:30-5:30pm, Arena	<b>15</b> READ TO ROVER 10-11am, Library
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# RECREATION DEPARTMENT

## DORAVILLE SUMMER CAMP

Summer Day Camp wrapped up a great summer on August 3rd. The Recreation Staff would like to thank the camp counselors, Shernette Denerson (Director), Mike Jones, Chelsea Bryant, Seth Carbaugh, Virginia Avila, Desarae Jackson, Shamaz Denerson, and James Neumann for their long hours and dedication to having a fun summer. This year camp was filled with Arts & Crafts, Swimming, Games and Field Trips. We visited the Georgia Aquarium, Stone Mountain, World of Coca Cola, and the IMAX Theater. We wish all the children and their families a wonderful school year and hope to see them next year.



## CBAA Fall Picnic & Business Expo

The CBAA (Chinese Business Association of Atlanta) will host their second annual Fall Picnic and Business Expo at the Forest Fleming Arena on September 22, 2007. Come and enjoy food, entertainment and business exhibits for all ages from 3:00 pm to 9:00 pm. If you have any questions or are interested in participating in the exhibits, please call Frank Zhou at (770) 895-9983. For directions, call the Doraville Recreation Department at (770) 936-3850.

## ***NEW!! Doraville Library Offers Extended Hours\* During Sept & Oct***

Would you like to have the Library open more evenings? During September and October, Doraville Library will be extending its hours on Wednesday evenings to determine if there is a need for additional evening hours.

These added hours of service will not only fulfill the needs of adults employed during regular business hours and school children doing their homework, but will provide opportunities for programs, book clubs, etc.

Please take advantage of these extra hours and let the Library Staff and/or your City Council representative know if you want these hours to continue.

# LIBRARY NEWS

## September is Library Card Sign-Up Month.

Now is the time to get a library card for you and your child. It's the smartest card you can have in your wallet.



*D'Avante Parks draws a large crowd of 60 children and 38 adults for the End of Summer Celebration.*



## **PRIME TIME: FAMILY READING TIME**

Beginning September 22nd, Doraville Library will be hosting PRIME TIME: FAMILY READING TIME, a six-week program designed for families with children over the age of 6 who struggle with reading and who have Spanish as their first language.

If you know of a family in this situation, please contact Doraville Library at 770-936-3852 or Ev Shepherd, the program coordinator, at 770-936-1380.

We are still looking for volunteers to assist with registration, setup and breakdown, etc. and donors to provide food, door prizes, funding for materials, etc. If you or someone you know is able to assist us, please call Lynn Watanabe at 770-936-3852.

## **Library Hours for Sept & Oct**

Mon	9 am - 8 pm
Tues	9 am - 8 pm
Wed	9 am - <b>8 pm*</b>
Thurs	9 am - 5 pm
Fri	9 am - 5 pm
Sat	9 am - 5 pm

## IMPORTANT DATES

Sept. 3	<b>Library &amp; City Offices Closed</b> <i>Labor Day</i>	
4	Council Work Session • 6:00 pm	City Hall
	<b>City Council Meeting</b> • 7:00 pm	City Hall
8	<b>Friends of Doraville Library</b> • 2:00 pm	Library
10	Northwoods Neighborhood Assn. • 7:00 pm	Civic Center
11	Highway Watch Training • 9:00 am	Library
12	Seniors' Birthday Luncheon • 11:30 am	Civic Center
	Oakcliff Neighborhood Assn. • 7:00 pm	Civic Center
15	<b>Read to Rover</b> • 10:00 am	Library
17	<b>Planning Commission</b> • 7:00 pm	City Hall
22	<b>Prime Time</b> • 9:00 am	Library
	<b>CBAA Picnic/Expo</b> • 3:00 pm	Arena
29	<b>Prime Time</b> • 9:00 am	Library

## ONGOING PROGRAMS

### ***Monday***

English Conversation Class • 6-7:30 pm      Library

### ***Tuesday***

***NEW! Grade School Storytime*** • 6:30 pm      Library

Citizen Police Academy • 6:30-9:30 pm      Police Dept.

### ***Tuesday & Friday***

Low Impact Aerobics • 8:30-9:30 am      Arena

### ***Wednesday***

Little Book's Storytime • 10:30 am      Library

### ***Friday***

Gymnastics • 3:30- 4:30 pm      Arena

Ballet & Tap • 4:30-5:30 pm      Arena

## **VOTER REGISTRATION**

The deadline for registering to vote in the November elections is Tuesday, October 9th. Voter registration forms are available at the Doraville Library. Be sure to fulfill your responsibility as a citizen and exercise your right to vote.