



2024

An adventure through
northwest Georgia

Murray County



Gordon County

You cannot solve a problem from the same consciousness that created it. You must learn to see the world anew. - Albert Einstein ~

COMMITTEE SPOTLIGHT: DIVERSITY, EQUITY & INCLUSION

The DEI Committee educates and empowers staff on the vital role of Diversity, Equity, & Inclusion in the workplace. This committee promotes person-centered care by improving cultural competence and understanding of how unconscious biases can create barriers to recovery. To join this committee, reach out to deicommittee@highlandrivers.org.

January



SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
	1 	2	3	4	5	6
7	8 	9  National Law Enforcement Appreciation Day	10	11	12	13
14	15 	16	17	18 Addiction Recovery Awareness Day 	19	20
21	22 	23	24 Mental Health Day at the Capitol 	25	26  National Have Fun at Work Day - make plans to eat your brown bag lunch at work with coworkers .	27 International Holocaust Remembrance Day
28	29	30	31	 T-shirt sale from The Pulse Committee! 		



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Haralson County




“Success is the sum of small efforts, repeated day in and day out.” – Robert Collier


COMMITTEE SPOTLIGHT-THE PULSE:

The Pulse committee focuses on helping people live their best lives by improving all areas of wellness. We work on initiatives to educate and promote physical, psychological, financial and mental well-being for our employees by providing activities that support health. To join The Pulse, contact amylasher@highlandrivers.org.

February

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SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
	LGBTQ+ History Month			1	2	3
4	5 	6	7	8	Jersey Day! Wear your favorite 9 football jersey 	10
11 	12	13	14  Wear Jeans & Pink or red shirts	15 Parinirvana Day 	16 	17  Random Acts of Kindness Day
18	19  President's day	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29		

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It's Health Health Month!
Look for event activities from The Pulse Committee.

Pickens County



“Fall seven times, stand up eight.” – Japanese proverb

March



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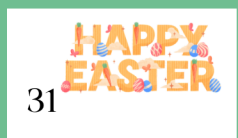
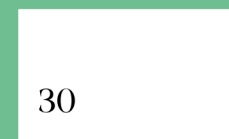
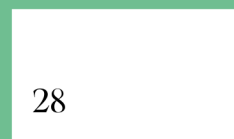
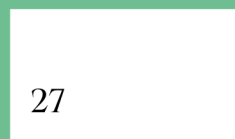
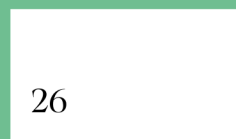
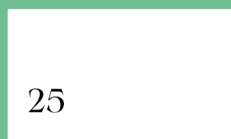
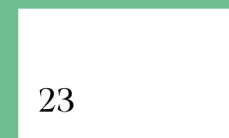
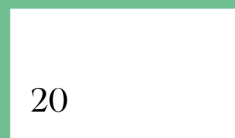
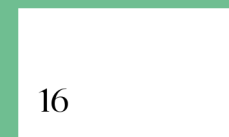
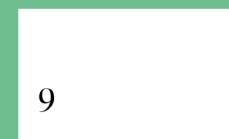
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Cherokee County

“If all difficulties were known at the outset of a long journey, most of us would never start out at all.” – Dan Rather



COMMITTEE SPOTLIGHT-TRAUMA-INFORMED CARE:

The Trauma Informed Care (TIC) Committee works to educate all employees in the agency about what Trauma Informed Care is, what it is not, and how it relates to every position in the agency. The committee provides proactive, realistic approaches to implementing TIC. Are you interested in learning how to become a TIC Advocate? Please contact jamieallison@highlandrivers.org.

April



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	1 	2 	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11  Ramadan Begins	12	13
14	15 	16	17	18	19	20
21	22  Passover Begins	23	24	25	26	27
28	29 	30 Passover Ends		 Arab-American Heritage Month	 Celebrate Diversity Month	 April is SEXUAL ASSAULT Awareness Month



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Floyd County



It's all part of our journey - scars, mistakes and difficulties we've been through. –Marquinhos

May

COMMITTEE SPOTLIGHT-EMPLOYEE ENGAGEMENT COMMITTEE:

The Employee Engagement Committee meets monthly to discuss and plan agency-wide activities and to identify ways staff can participate in special designated days and events. Some of the events we plan include "Have Fun At Work Day," "Red Ribbon Week," and "Staff Appreciation Day." We are open to any staff member who likes to work with a team to bring our agency together. To join, contact melissaobrien@highlanddrivers.org.

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
			1	2	3	4
	NURSE'S WEEK				Children's Mental Health Day 	11 Ramadan Ends
	6	7	8	9	10	
	MENTAL HEALTH AWARENESS WEEK					
12	13 	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24 	25
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Fannin County



“There are many paths but only one journey.” – Naomi Judd



COMMITTEE SPOTLIGHT-RECOVERY-FOCUSED TRANSFORMATION:

The Recovery Focused Transformation Committee is made up of staff with lived experience and those who are strong recovery advocates. Through time limited projects the committee seeks to transform services, programs, environments, and communication to a recovery-based model that is person centered, and fosters hope, empowerment, choice, advocacy, respect, and personal responsibility. To join this committee, reach out to staceymccarthy@highlandrivers.org

June



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		Men's Health Month 				1
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9	10 	11	12	Men's Health Week		
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23	24 	25	26	27  PTSD AwarenessDay	28	29
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Paulding County

Come dress yourself in love, let the journey begin. – Francesca da Rimini



Sales begin for
Recovery T-shirts!

July

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Minority Mental Health Month	1	2	3	Independence Day	5	6
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21	22 	National Women Touched by Addiction Day 	International Self Care Day	25	National Disability Independence Day	27
28	29	30	31			



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Polk County



“What’s a hero if not for its journey?” – J.H. Wyman

August



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4	5 	6  National Night Out	7	8	9	10
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18	19 	20	21	22	23	24
25	Be kind to human kind Week					31  International Overdose Awareness Day



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Bartow County



“It does not matter how slowly you go, as long as you do not stop.” — Confucius

September



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1 LET THE RECOVERY ADVENTURE BEGIN!	2 LABOR DAY	3	4	5	6	7
8	National Suicide Prevention Week					
15	16 Payday	17	18	19	20	21
22 HAPPY Equinox	23	24	25	26	National Native American Day	28
29	30 Payday	National Suicide Prevention Month	Hispanic Heritage Month	NATIONAL RECOVERY MONTH	Look for activities all this month from our Recovery Focused Transformation Committee!	



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Whitfield County



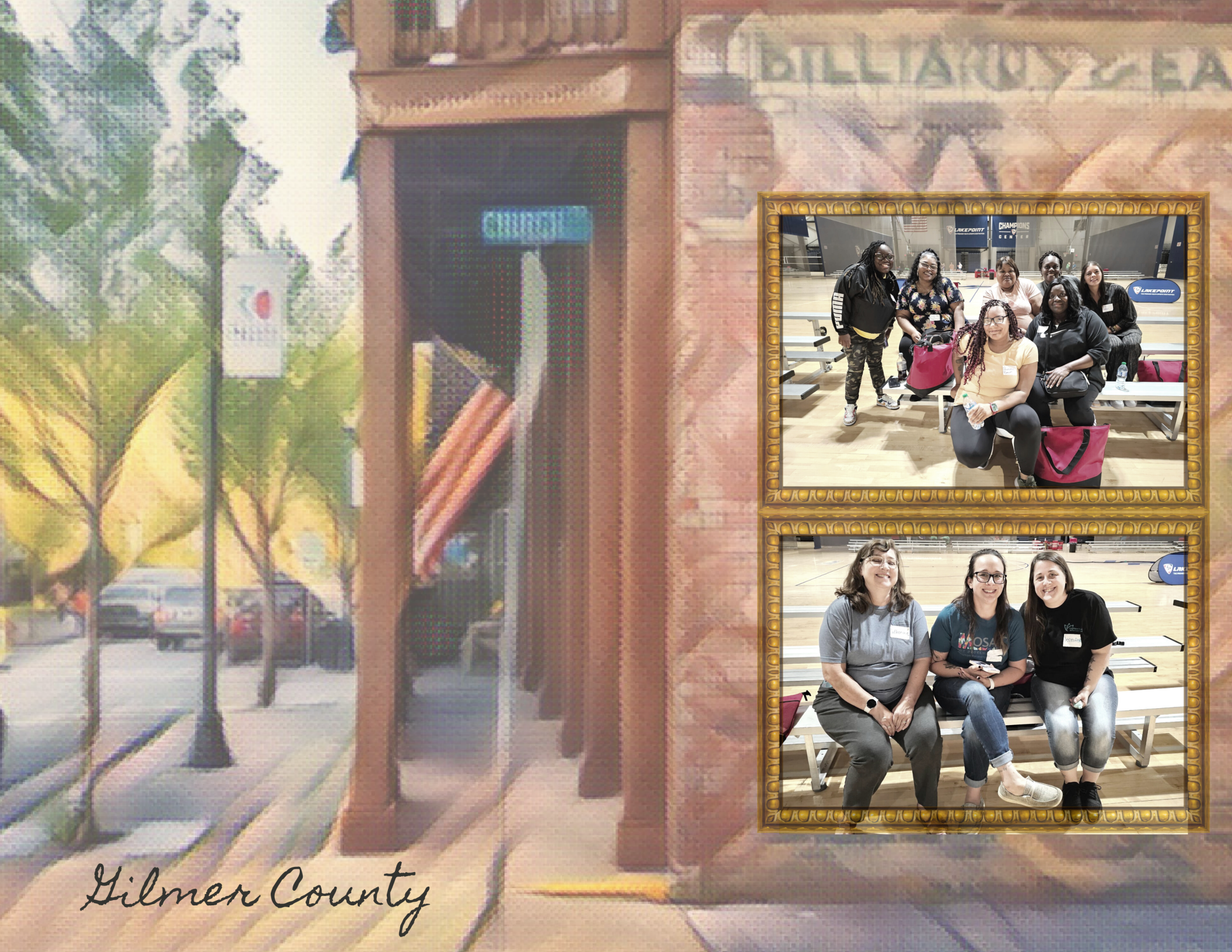
“Not until we are lost we begin to find ourselves.” ~Henry David Thoreau

October

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20	21	22	23	24  FALLAPALOOZA STAFF APPRECIATION DAY!!	25	26
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Gilmer County

“Recovery is taking all twelve steps...over and over and over and over...” – Toni Sorenson

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Colli County



"Every day is a journey, and the journey itself is home." – Matsuo Basho

December



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1 World AIDS Day	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9 Holly Jolly Trivia Starts \$ Payday	10 Universal Human Rights Day HUMAN RIGHTS	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20 UGLY SWEATER Contest	21 WINTER
22	23 \$ Payday	24 Snowman	25 Merry Christmas Happy Hanukkah	26	27	28
29	30	31				



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