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PRESENTS



the 3rd annual Reading Between the Wines A NIGHT IN TUSCANY SATURDAY, OCTOBER 21, 2023

7:00 - 11:00 P.M.

705 WEST AVENUE

CARTERSVILLE, GEORGIA

WINE TASTING

FEATURING

MUSIC BY ETHAN SENGER,
DINNER, AND WINE TABLES

HOSTED BY



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INSIDE YOU'LL FIND:

- Achievements from this year's summer program
- Photos from recent events
- "In case you missed it..." Bookmobile in the news!



- Sponsor and donor "thank you"s
- Upcoming dates to remember

AND MORE!

A NIGHT IN TUSCANY

the 3rd annual Reading Between the Wines

Presented by



Friends,
Please join us on October 21st at 7 p.m. for "A Night in Tuscany," the 3rd annual Reading Between the Wines fundraiser for the Bookmobile. Hosted in one of Cartersville's most beautiful historic homes at 705 West Ave, the evening will feature a selection of Italian wines, dinner provided by Buy Your Side Catering, and music by Ethan Senger.



Purchase Tickets



Tickets are \$125 each. Dress is casual to cocktail. Location is rain or shine. Attendance is limited, so **purchase your tickets today!** Your attendance at this event will help provide thousands of books to Bartow County children. Together we are increasing childhood literacy! Thank you.



Thank
you



Free Coffee Friday regulars pose for a photo at the Allatoona Resource Center in August. You can join us for Free Coffee Friday every third Friday from 8-11 a.m. at 6503 Allatoona Gateway (formerly Glade Rd.), Acworth, GA 30101



Thank you, Trudie Vernon and Chris Pocase, for responding to our call for stamp donations! Thank you, Modern Woodmen of America/Garth Gherardini for matching \$1,500 of the proceeds of the Pickleball Tournament.



IN CASE YOU MISSED IT...

The Daily Tribune News July 14, 2023



Excerpt from the article written by Marie Nesmith.
Photos by Randy Parker:



Photos clockwise from top-left: Article as it appeared in the newspaper; Maliyah Beard, right, receives a book from Kim Dennis, program director for The Bookmobile: Reading to Go Places! Harper Britt, 9, holds up a book during The Bookmobile's visit to Faith Methodist Church.

Article Excerpt: "As the school year nears, a pair of literacy efforts are continuing their endeavors to help young readers stay on track during summer break. The Bartow County Library System and The Bookmobile: Reading to Go Places! are both currently busy promoting the importance of books with their summer reading programs."

"The purpose of the summer reading program is to keep children reading during the school break so they don't lose skills they developed in school," said Valerie Gilreath, executive director of The Bookmobile. "Summer reading regression is so common, it has been coined the 'summer slide.' Reading throughout the summer and continuing to practice those skills is the only way to prevent summer slide."

[CLICK HERE to read the article](#)



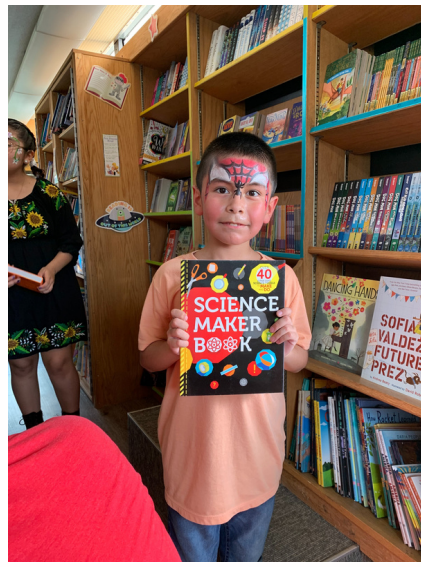
Left: Bookmobile Program Director Kim Dennis stands with summer camp founder and former pro basketball player Eddie Lee Wilkins



We ended the summer at the Eddie Lee Wilkins Youth Association Summer Camp.

The Bookmobile provided **3,619 books** to children during the months of June and July!





The Latino Festival, Saturday, September 9th at Oakland Heights Baptist Church



REMINDER

If you have a child or grandchild between the ages of 0 and 5, [CLICK HERE TO REGISTER](#) for Dolly Parton's Imagination Library



Scenes from Serve Saturday at the Allatoona Resource Center



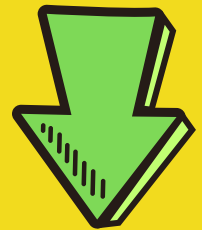
October

- Sunshine House Classroom Visit, October 12, 9:30-10:30 a.m.
- Clear Creek Elementary Fall Festival, October 13, 4:30-7:30 p.m.
- Cloverleaf Elementary Fall Festival, October 19, 5-8 p.m.
- Free Coffee Friday, October 20, 8 - 11 a.m., Allatoona Resource Center
- Serve Saturday, October 21, 10 a.m. - 12 noon, Allatoona Resource Center
- 3rd Annual Reading Between the Wines: "A Night in Tuscany," October 21, 7-11 p.m., 705 West Ave., Cartersville
- Trunk or Treat, Faith Methodist Church, October 29, 4-7 p.m.

November

- Free Coffee Friday, November 17, 8-11 a.m., Allatoona Resource Center
- Serve Saturday, November 18, 10 a.m. - 12 noon, Allatoona Resource Center

LOOKING AHEAD



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