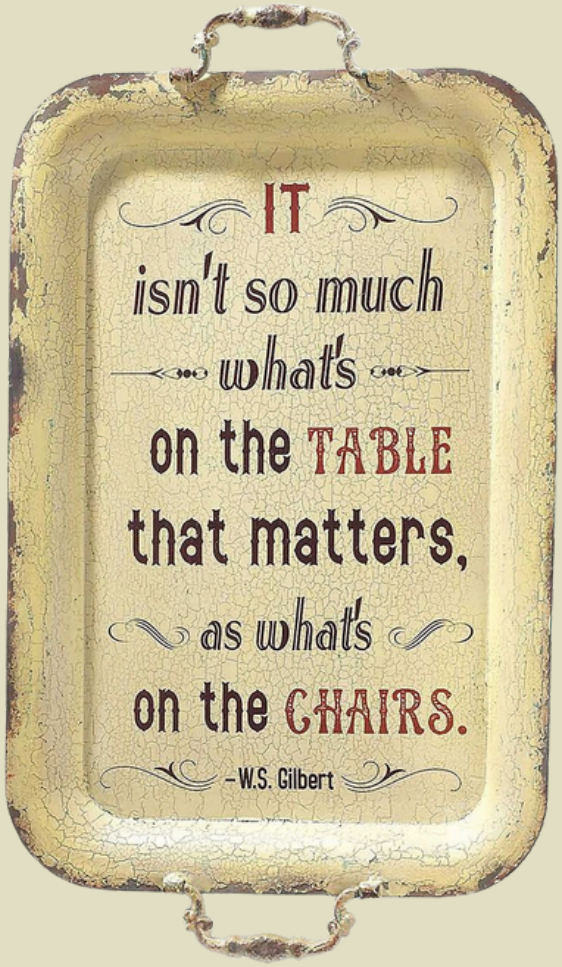
FOCUS

FELLOWSHIP OUTREACH CONNECTIONS UPLIFT SERVICE

NOVEMBER - DECEMBER 2026







DON'T FORGET TO BRING YOUR PURCHASED CHRISTMAS PAJAMAS FOR CLEVELAND ELEMENTARY TO THE MEETING ON THURSDAY!

FCREA Contact Information

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Website:**fayettegaretirededucators.org**

BIRTHDAYS

NOVEMBER

Mili Lewis (01)
Andrea Ferrara (6)
Sheila Crawford (8)
Linda Beaubien (8)
Maxine Patterson (09)
Wenonah Bell (09)
Athene Tenney (17)
Connie Ewing (21)
Marilyn Taylor (24)
Suzy Searcy (24)
Carolyn Pitts (28)
Rhonda Jones (30)

DECEMBER

Lynda Kinzey (03)
Diane Lattimore (07)
April Mobley (09)
Susie Lucsko (09)
Sharon Mitchell (13)
Sharon Collins (16)
Maggie Lachmayr (17)
Jill Daniel (20)
Nancy Wortman (21)
Joyce Taylor (29)

*Birthday List will be updated when all members renew their membership for this year. Membership Directory available in 2027.

MEETING Time



2nd THURSDAY OF EACH MONTH

10:30 am

LEC - MEDIA CENTER

D BUILDING

WE DO NOT MEET IN DECEMBER, JUNE, JULY, AUGUST

SOME MEETINGS MAY BE HELD AWAY FROM THE LEC CAMPUS, YOU WILL BE NOTIFIED

Dues are $20 per year!

Payable at meetings or by mail! Check payable/FCREA and mail to:

FCREA POBox 202, Fayetteville, GA 30214

Cathy Geis, Administrator

New Information for FB users on p.3

WEEKLY UPDATES ARE ON FACEBOOK!
COMMENT AND LIKE US!

Fayette County GA Retired Educators Association

Join us Nov. 12, 2026
Guest Speaker, April Potter, Diabetes Specialist,
"Living with Diabetes"



TREASURER'S UPDATE

CURRENT BALANCE AS OF THE DATE ON THE EMAIL
Account balance: $5,507.69
Treasurer's Report will be provided at each of our meetings

Tracie Fleming - Treasurer

A NOTE FROM OUR SECRETARY

Minutes from the previous monthly meeting will be attached to this month's email. A copy will be provided at this coming month's meeting

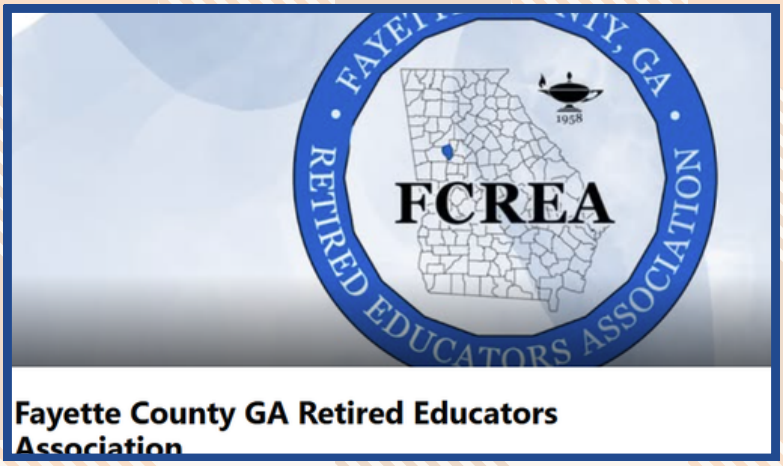
Shirley Tolbert - Secretary



Members FB Update for FCREA Page

Members -
if you are still on our old FB page please go in and remove yourself. We don't want you to be exposed to nonsense and we are unable to close the page.
This is the old page.





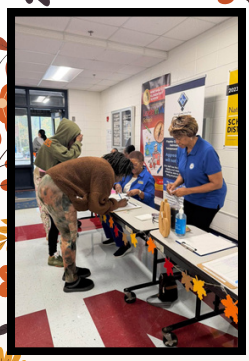
Please use our current FB page called Fayette **County** GA Retired Educators Association

LOS MIEMBROS DE FCREA VOLUNTARIOS EN LA CELEBRACIÓN DEL MES DE LA HISTORIA HISPANA DE BMMS

FCREA Members volunteered at the Bennett's Mill Middle School Hispanic History Month Celebration



"Volunteering is the highest form of living."





No one wears a hairnet better than these FCREA Volunteers!
Terri Allison served at Peachtree City Elementary



North Fayette Elementary
Adrine Green, Sheila Crawford, Andrea Ferrara, Doe Evans, Pat Franklin, Wenonah Bell





Or these members whose pictures were made before the hairnets!
Cathy Corbett, Laura Thompson, Gail, Jere & Jim Haymans, Sharon Collins, Tracie Fleming & Karen Wyler at Cleveland Elementary.



We are so thankful for these wonderful volunteers from FCREA!!



Save these Dates

Information for any upcoming FCREA event will be at the sign in desk at our meetings.



November 12 through December 1, 2026
Cleveland Christmas Pajama Drive
bring to meeting and/or to Bee Hive through December 1.
Kids sizes in Sm, Med, L, XL, and adult S



December 3, 2026 - Bennett's Mill Middle
4 volunteers to organize lunches for students returning from field trip
11am-1pm



February 11, 2027 - Valentine's Luncheon
Our tradition is to raffle an item(s) to benefit our Scholarship account. This year will will have several items. Tickets go on sale at our November meeting!!

WHAT? HAVEN'T PAID YOUR DUES?

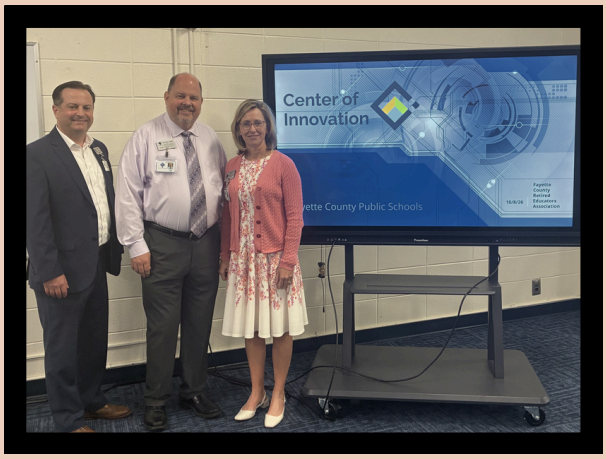
Sharon Walters, Membership Chair, is inviting all past members who have not yet paid their dues to please do so by the end of the year! We are so close to reaching our goal of 100% dues paid by current and past members! $20 per year.
If you haven't joined GREA, please consider becoming a member too!
Our unit benefits monetarily when FCREA members
JOIN GREA! $27 per year or $2 per month when you have it taken out of your retirement check. Membership forms for both FCREA & GREA are available at our meetings.

Our October meeting was hosted by the Fayette County Public Schools

Center of Innovation

James Stanford, Dan Lane, and Melanie Duncan

For More Information see p. 6







BY THE GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF GEORGIA

A PROCLAMATION

RETIRED EDUCATORS DAY



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HONORING RETIRED EDUCATORS

GEORGIA RETIRED EDUCATORS DAY

We extend our sincere thanks to these faithful FCREA members for representing our organization at the FCBOE Board Meeting and proudly accepting the proclamation recognizing November 1, 2026, as Georgia Retired Educator Day in the State of Georgia.

Dr. James Patterson, Superintendent, Wenonah Bell, Karen Wyler, Pat Franklin, Dr. Gloria Jones, Linda & Ted Lombard

Welcome to the Fayette County Public Schools

CENTER OF INNOVATION

Preparingstudents tobe collegeandcareer ready



250 South Peachtree Parkway
Peachtree City, Georgia

An innovative partnership...

Fayette County Public Schools – Where Excellence and Creativity Merge
Southern Crescent Technical College
Clayton State University
Launch Fayette

OUR AREAS OF FOCUS...

- ✓ Dual Enrollment Coursework
  - ✓ Career-Technical
  - ✓ Advanced Academic
- ✓ High School Allied Health Courses
- ✓ Launch Fayette Business Incubator
  - ✓ Work Spaces for Entrepreneurs
  - ✓ Comprehensive Training
  - ✓ Work Based Learning for Students

Dr. Dan Lane, COI Lead Administrator

Mr. David Conti, Launch Fayette Director

#EmbraceTheAnd

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If you would like to be notified on any updates from **GREA**, you can sign up on their website.
AMBA can be contacted through **GREA** website



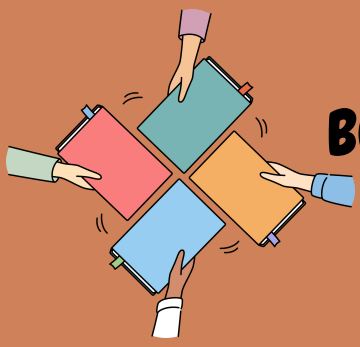
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REMINDER:
BOOK SWAP EACH MEETING
BRING A BOOK OR TWO, TAKE A BOOK OR TWO!

As an educator organization, we want to recognize any member of FCREA or non-member who worked for Fayette Public Schools and has passed away. They might not have taught or been a member of FCREA but still had an impact on students.

In rememberance of...

Glenna Ross, 1945 - 2026
Former FCREA member, Teacher at FES and East Fayette,
House parent at Christian City

Suzy Search, 1965 - 2026
FCREA Member, Sister of Member Cindy Hall,
Teacher of 30 yrs, Clayton County

"While their physical presence may be gone, their impact on our lives will never be forgotten."

