May 2019

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**Senior Connection**

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**May This Month:**
1. Census Bureau Jobs
2. Register for trips
3. Birthdays
4. Events
5. Calendar

**Census Bureau Job Opportunities**

For assistance with the 2020 Census, the U.S. Census Bureau is recruiting thousands of people across the country. With thousands of locations and a variety of temporary jobs, including census takers, recruiting assistants, office staff and supervisory staff, this is a great way to earn extra income while helping your community.

To be eligible, you must be 18 years old, have a valid Social Security Number, and be a U.S. Citizen.

For more information or to apply, call (855) 562-2020 or visit https://2020census.gov/en/jobs.
May 1st: Steel Magnolias, Alabama Shakespeare Festival, Montgomery, AL

Before the play or the movie existed, ‘steel magnolias’ was simply a description of Southern women. It means something that appears delicate and fragile but witheld unexpected strength. Steel Magnolias is the hilarious and heartwarming story of six Southern women who gather and gossip at the local beauty parlor. With wit, warmth, and intelligence, they rise to meet whatever challenges life sends their way. This production features a live music preshow performance. Cost of the trip includes transportation and admission. Please bring extra money for lunch.

This trip is full, but you can be added to the waitlist.
$50. Payable to the AAB. Wednesday, May 1st 10:30am-5pm

May 9th: Million Dollar Quartet, Springer Opera House, Columbus, GA

This Tony Award-winning musical megahit returns to the Springer for a victory lap on the mainstage with the same dazzling cast that broke records last year. Hit songs include: Blue Suede Shoes, Walk the Line, Sixteen Tons, Blue Smoke, All Shook Up, I Walk the Line, Tennessee Ernie Ford, Million Dollar Quartet, On the Boulevard, and more. Cost of the trip includes transportation, admission and dinner.

This trip is full, but you can be added to the waitlist.
$45. Payable to the AAB. Tuesday, May 9th 4-10pm

June 11th: Kayaking with Coosa River Adventures, Wetumpka, AL

Are you ready for adventure and excitement? Then look no further than Wetumpka Alabama and Coosa River Adventures. Coosa River Adventures will outfit us with a sit-on-top kayak, transportation to the launch site, and life jackets (PFD’s). Sit-on-Top kayaks do not require any special skills such as an eskimo roll because the paddler literally sits on TOP of the boat (thus their name). Advantages of the sit-on-top kayaks are they don’t sink or fill up with water, are easy to paddle and are just great fun in the whitewater rapids on the Coosa! The trip will average 3 to 4 hours and the numerous class II rapids (wide open clear channels easily paddled by novices) make the Coosa River a great first time whitewater experience. The cost of the trip includes transportation and rental. Participants should bring snacks, water and sunscreen for the trip. Please bring extra money for breakfast prior to kayaking.

Registration begins May 6th. $30. Payable to the AAB. Tuesday, June 11th 8am-5pm

June 26th: My Fair Lady, Red Mountain Theatre Company, Birmingham, AL

It’s the tale of Eliza Doolittle’s transformation from a lower class cockney flower girl to an elegant lady with the help of Professor Henry Higgins. Based on George Bernard Shaw’s play Pygmalion, your hearts will be warmed by the unlikely friendship that develops between Eliza and Higgins and how much they learn from each other. The cost of the trip includes transportation and admission. Please bring extra money for lunch prior to the show.

Registration begins May 6th. $45. Payable to the AAB. Wednesday, June 26th 9am-6pm

The Crafty Crew
Come hang out with us on Wednesday, May 8th at 2pm and enjoy making modge podge flower pots with succulents!

$5 per person to cover the cost of supplies. Please register in advance. Payable to AAB.

Golden Giving Day—Our House
Join us on Thursday, May 9th at 10:30am, as we donate our time to the Our House After School Outreach Program. We will assist them with set up, serving and clean up at their annual Mother’s Day Luncheon. Limited to 15 volunteers. Please register in advance. FREE to the public.

Food for Thought — A 50+ Breakfast Speaker Series
On Tuesday, May 14th join us at 9am for a FREE breakfast as we listen to AEIS Weather Service Meteorologist Karl Harker. This breakfast is sponsored by Hearing Professionals of Alabama. Please register in advance at the Harris Center so we can provide enough food.

Get Out and Go Local Adventure Club
Join us on Wednesday, May 15th at 2pm as we tour the Auburn University School of Veterinary Medicine, located at 1010 Wire Road, Auburn, Alabama 36849! Please enter the Veterinary Education Center near the flagpole and in the large park lot near the corner of Simms and Wire Road. Participants must provide their own transportation.

FREE to the public. Please register in advance.

Movie Night at the Harris Center
Nothing like eating food and a good flick together! Come join us for pizza and a movie, Mary Poppins Returns, on Thursday, May 16th from 5:30-8pm. In Depression-era London, a now-grown Jane and Michael Banks, along with Michael’s three children, are visited by the enigmatic Mary Poppins following a personal loss. $5 (includes dinner).

Please register by the Wednesday prior at 5 p.m. Payable to the AAB.

Match Game and Lunch
Get out and go together! Come hang out with us on Friday May, 24th at 12 for Match Game! This fun game features two competitors and a panel of six “celebrity judges.” Throughout the rounds competitors answer questions and the panelists try to match their answers to gain points. Prizes will be awarded!

$5 per person. Payable to the AAB. Register by Tuesday, May 21st at 5pm.

Get Out and Go Local Adventure Club *Date Change*
Join us on Wednesday, May 22nd at 3pm as we tour Resting Pulse Brewery, located at 714 1st Avenue, Opelika, Alabama 36801! Participants must provide their own transportation. FREE to the public. Please register in advance.

Read and Reflect Book Club for Seniors
Gather with your peers on Tuesday, May 28th at 1:30pm for a discussion on The Girls of Atomic City: The Untold Story of the Women Who Helped Win World War II by Denise Kiernan. The novel shares the story of the young women of Oak Ridge, Tennessee, who unwittingly played a crucial role in one of the most significant moments in U.S. history. The Auburn Public Library, located at 749 E. Thach Avenue, has 2 hard copies. Please call 334-501-3190 to reserve your copy today. FREE to the public.

Munch and Mingle Lunch Club
Get together with old friends and make some new as we gather on Wednesday, May 29th at 11:30am for lunch at La Cantina, located at 870 N Railroad Avenue, Opelika, AL. Participants must provide their own transportation and cover the cost of lunch.

Please register by 5 p.m. on the Tuesday prior so reservations can be made for the group.