



Celebrating our 52-year history of  
**KEEPING COBB SENIORS CONNECTED AND INFORMED**

Welcome to the Senior Citizen Council of Cobb e-BULLETIN  
The Senior Citizen Council of Cobb is an all-volunteer, independent, nonprofit (501) (c)(3) organization formed to inform and empower Cobb Seniors.

The BULLETIN has been published by the Senior Citizen Council since 1999

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**CLICK HERE** to help us continue our mission to **KEEP COBB SENIORS INFORMED** in 2025 with a donation



The Senior Citizen Council of Cobb would like to wish all Cobb seniors a very **Happy New Year!**



**We need your help!**  
 Our Cobb senior community is counting on volunteers to make a difference. Whether you can give an hour or a few, your time and support will have a lasting impact. Let's make 2025 the year of connecting with others.  
Join us today and help spread kindness!   
Either attend in person or Zoom in to a meeting below or **CLICK HERE** to contact us  
[#Volunteer](#) [#CommunityConnections](#)

**Start the new year with a family portrait**

The Senior Citizen Council of Cobb and the Cobb Photographic Society invite you to a collaborative event to welcome in 2025 with a photographic keepsake.

We will be providing New Year's portraits

CAPTURE your ESSENCE with PHOTO FUN!

JANUARY 11

12:30 PM - 3:30 PM

SWITZER LIBRARY

266 Roswell St NE, Marietta, GA



**Tips for your photo session:**

- Dress comfortably and choose solid colors to keep the focus on your face. Avoid patterned and white tops.
- Relax and be yourself and let your personality shine through for a natural look.
- Play with poses to capture joy and your fun self!

**NEW YEAR NEW YOU  PORTRAITS**

**FREE** of charge for Cobb seniors and family members.

**DATE: Saturday, January 11**

**Location: Switzer Library, 266 Roswell Road, Marietta**

Participants will receive 2 professional digital portraits ready for sharing. Time slots are filling up so register below soon.

**CLICK HERE to REGISTER**

## Upcoming meetings and events

You will find our monthly meetings and events which are open to the public at: <https://www.seniorsofcobb.org/>

### **JANUARY 10, 2025 Open Board Meeting, in person and via Zoom**

- **CLICK HERE** for more information and Zoom link
- Date: 1/10/2025, 11:30 AM - 1:00 PM
- Location: Cobb Senior Services Wellness Center ([Map](#))
- 1150 Powder Springs Street, Marietta, GA

**January 11, Senior Picture Day, See above for date and time and registration**

### **February 22, 2025, Short Board Meeting and presentation on *Downsizing and Decluttering*.**

- Location: South Cobb Library Large Meeting Room
- 805 Clay Road, Mableton, GA 30126
- Time: 10:30 to 12:00 PM
- **CLICK HERE** to register

### **March 14, 2025, Board Meeting open to Cobb seniors, in person or via Zoom**

- **CLICK HERE** for more information and Zoom link
- Date: 3/14/2025, 11:30 AM - 1:00 PM
- Location: Cobb Senior Services Wellness Center ([Map](#))
- 1150 Powder Springs Street, Marietta, GA

The Senior Citizen Council meets every month on the second Friday of the month.

**Looking to make a difference in the world?  
It all starts by volunteering in your community!**



The Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) Program provides an opportunity for Cobb County citizens to gain knowledge about disaster preparedness for hazards that may impact their areas and trains them in basic disaster response skills such as fire safety, light search and rescue, team organization, and disaster medical operations. Using the training learned in the classroom and during

exercises, CERT members can assist others in their neighborhoods or workplaces following events when professional responders are not immediately available to help.

[CLICK HERE](#) for more information

## Georgia's Woman Veteran of the Year

*The Georgia Department of Veterans Service is* excited to announce the launch of the third annual **Woman Veteran of the Year Award**. This award honors women veterans across the state who separated from military service and continue to make a lasting impact on veterans, their families, caregivers, or youth in areas such as Entrepreneurship, Homelessness, Legal Assistance, Research, Violence Against Women, LGBTQ+ Advocacy, and Mental Health and Wellness. These individuals have made significant contributions both within Georgia and nationwide.

Submit a nomination by Friday January 24, 2025. A public event recognizing the award winners will take place in March 2025, with the exact date to be announced.

[CLICK HERE](#) for more information



[CLICK HERE](#) to see the January newsletter from Cobb County Senior Services

Cobb County is partnering with **FINDHELP** to assist residents in finding resources near them. Search for free or reduced-cost services like medical, food, job training and more.

[CLICK HERE](#) for more information.



### Cobb Senior Services Veteran Connection

[CLICK HERE](#) for the January Veteran Connection Newsletter.

**Apple Corp. & Senior Citizen Council of Cobb**



Apple and SCC have teamed up to provide dedicated Apple classes every Friday at the Apple Lenox Mall Store. These one-hour classes are taught by a seasoned 20-year Apple instructor specifically tailored for seniors.

- The Apple Store address is 3393 Peachtree Rd NE, Atlanta, Class starts at 11:00 AM.
- There is free parking right in front of the Apple Store.
- You can learn valuable skills related to using Apple products including photos, iMovie and security.

Also, the class will cover the newest emergency features like SOS which can be critical to seniors.

Email [info@seniorsofcobb.org](mailto:info@seniorsofcobb.org) with name and phone number to reserve a spot in 2025



## Looking for current information on Social Security?

**CLICK HERE** to sign up for the SSA Newsletter

## RESOURCES FOR SENIORS

**CLICK HERE** for a helpful website list for seniors

Additional Resources:

**SEC Resources for Seniors**

**Who do I contact - Social Security or Medicare?**

**Frequently Accessed Online Services, SSA.gov**

**What You Can Do online, SSA.GOV**



The Senior Citizen Council of Cobb announces our affiliation with the **Benevity Cause Portal**. Benevity is the leading global provider of social impact software, providing the only integrated suite of community

investment and employee, customer and nonprofit engagement solutions.

Please check with your current or former employer to see if you can donate to the Senior Citizen Council through Benevity. <https://benevity.com/about-us>



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