

Speakers, Workshops and Presenters

Monday, October 21



Brandon Smith

Mayor of Greenwood

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Greenwood Genetics Center

Lori Bassett

Lori is Head of Office of Communications at Greenwood Genetics Center (GGC) and will share details of the work of this nonprofit research organization during our 2019 SCFCL annual meeting. With the goal of advancing the field of medical genetics and caring for families impacted by genetic disease and birth defects, this nonprofit was founded in 1974. At its home campus in Greenwood, South Carolina, a talented team of physicians and scientists provides clinical genetic services, diagnostic laboratory testing, educational programs and resources, and research in the field of medical genetics. You will enjoy hearing Lori's explanation of the amazing work that continues to expand at this site, as well as services that are offered at satellite offices in Charleston, Columbia, Florence and Greenville.



Lori Bassett

Cooking Healthy Finger Foods (\$2.00)

Shanna Sykes

Easy healthier finger foods that incorporate herbs and spices to reduce the use of salt. A diet that is too high in salt consumption can increase the risk of high blood pressure. Bring your light taste buds to this workshop.

Pumpkin Painting (\$5.00)

Darcy Shuler

Patterned after the popular "Paint and Pour" classes. This workshop is a miniature, quick version where participants will paint their own 7" pumpkin decoration.

Clutter Control

Darlene Talbert

Learn easy ways to simplify your household by organizing your family's essential items, storing the infrequently used items, and donating the items never used.



Sewing our State Project

Becky Dixon

If you have having trouble with this year's state project or just want to do a little sewing, join Becky Dixon to sew a little during this hands-on sewing workshop.

Tour the Greenwood Genetics Center Mobile Bus

Greenwood County is the home of a very unique, nonprofit institute centered on clinical genetic services, diagnostic laboratory testing, educational programs and resources, and research. With a focus on compassionate patient care and innovative scientific advancement. The Greenwood Genetic Center will have their mobile unit on site so participants can better understand the technology and services that they have to offer. GGC Gene Machine is a teaching laboratory on wheels which takes genetic research to schools and colleges across SC. You will have the opportunity to tour through this state-of-the-art experience, learning from its traveling staff more about what the GGC does and how it impacts lives in SC.



GGC Bus

Active Shooter

Christopher Harrington

Recognize a threat and transition quickly to take action. Determine how to prepare yourself to escape, hide, and fight during an active shooter incident.



Tom Dobbins

Director of Extension, Clemson University

Dr. Tom Dobbins

Dr. Dobbins will bring us greetings from Clemson University and an update on the Extension Service and our partnership.

State 4-H Leader, Clemson University
SCFCL 4-H Scholarship Recipient (Kershaw County)
SCFCL 4-H Scholarship Recipient (Lexington County)

Pam Ardern
Isabella Birket
Loni McKenzie

Delightful Cake Creations (\$2.00)

Connie Lake

This hands-on workshop will give you the opportunity to learn some basic cake decorating tips. Each participant will also decorate a cupcake using their skills.

Decorative Coffee Cups (\$3.00)

Becky Dixon

Visit with Becky Dixon as she instructs all participants in decorating a coffee cup that will be baked to set the colors. Each participant will have the opportunity to decorate a cup during the class.

Herb Cooking (\$2.00)

Amber Wilson

One of the easiest ways to enhance the flavor of the food you prepare is to use herbs. Cooking with herbs gives foods an amazing taste without the addition of extra fat, sugar, and sodium. Eating less salt is an important way to help us stay healthy and may reduce the risk of high blood pressure and some chronic illnesses.

Blooming Flower Pots (\$3.00)

Becky Dixon

Do you enjoy gardening? Create a decorative flower pot during this hands-on class with Becky Dixon.

Entertainment

Sabrina Miller

Singer, local in Greenwood. A hairstylist who is in demand for singing at weddings and churches. Sabrina is sure to bring enjoyment to the banquet.

Tuesday, October 22

2019 Buff-Swicegood Travel Study Award Presentation

Adair Hoover

As a Food Safety Agent with Clemson University, Adair has traveled to Charleston, Asheville, Florence, Colleton, Columbia and Lakeland, FL learning more about the Food2Market (F2M) program which exists to help South Carolina residents who want to produce and sell foods with the food safety and regulation requirements. The goal is to make starting a food-based business as smooth and easy as possible. Adair has visited food producers at varying levels of success and talked to them about their biggest challenges and explored how to increase the odds of success. By seeing how these producers process their foods and conduct business, she is better able to assist F2M clientele.