

Georgia Living Live!

SPECIAL EVENTS AND PEOPLE in the Georgia Living Program you don't want to miss!

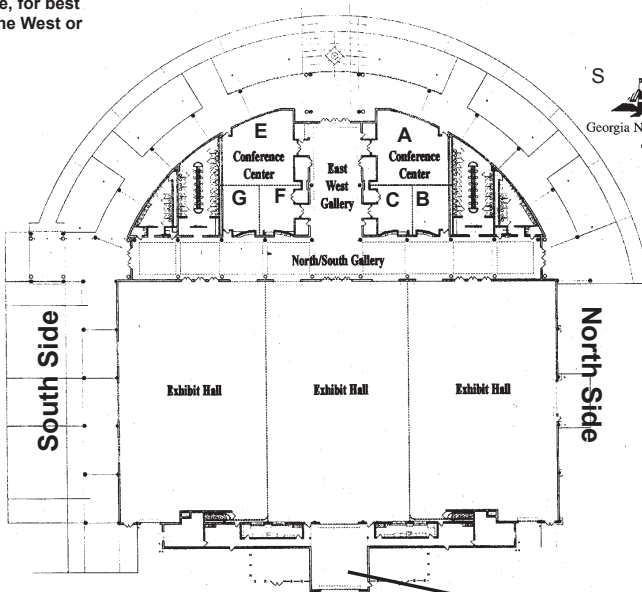
- Oct. 6 3:00 - 10:00 p.m. "Sneak-a-Peek"
- Oct. 6-9 **Crossroads Quilt Guild**, hands-on demonstration
- Oct. 6-9 **Couture Sewing Center**, Macon, will demonstrate Singer and Brother Sewing Machines. 12 p.m. - 8 p.m.
- Oct. 6-16 **Stories of Agriculture in MMH and HH**
- Centennial Farms Program Exhibit**, Heritage Hall
 - Georgia Christmas Tree Growers Show and Decorated Christmas Trees**, Heritage Hall
 - The Georgia Grown Story**, featuring the Georgia Grown retail shop, Heritage Hall
 - Georgia's Water Quality**, Miller-Murphy-Howard Building
 - The Honey Bee Story**, Heritage Hall
 - The Wool Story** - Wool spinning, dyeing, and weaving with Paula Vester, Miller-Murphy-Howard Building
- Oct. 6-16 **Gem and Mineral Exhibit**, the Mid-Georgia Gem and Mineral Society will display various specimens, MMH. See page 50.
- Oct. 6-16 **Artists- In-Residence**, the Miller-Murphy-Howard Building; complete schedule with biographies begins on page 23.
- Oct. 6-16 **The Georgia Living Store** located in the Georgia Building is a consignment shop for our exhibitors in the Georgia Living Program.
- Oct. 6-16 **Decorative Painting Demonstrations** Learn about decorative painting as you watch the experts. The Heart of Georgia and the Georgia Peach Chapters of the Society of Decorative Painters will demonstrate throughout the 10 days of the Fair.
- Oct. 6-16 **Georgia Cotton Women** educate fairgoers on the many uses of cotton and its history.
- Oct. 6-16 **Gluten Intolerance Group of Middle Georgia** educates Fairgoers on living with gluten intolerance.
- Oct. 6-16 **Middle Georgia Koi Society** will share information on koi and koi ponds.
- Oct. 6-16 **The Gourdmaster Sam X** demonstrates the creative process of gourd art.
- Oct. 6-16 **Wood Turning Demonstrations**, Georgia Wood Turning Clubs will demonstrate near the Southwest doors of the Miller-Murphy-Howard Building.
- Oct. 7-8 **Georgia Egg Commission** presents ""Catch the Fever with Eggs." See page 66.
- Oct. 7-9 **Camellia & Magnolia Districts Standard Flower Show**, "*Color My World*"
- Oct. 7-16 **Master Gardeners** present educational demonstrations daily in Heritage Hall. See inside front cover.

- Oct. 8 **National Spinning and Weaving Week “Spin-in”** 10:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. Hand spinners are invited to a Spin-in at the Miller-Murphy-Howard Building in honor of National Spinning and Weaving Week. See page 28.
- Oct. 8 **Fair Bear Writing Awards**, 12:30 p.m. at the WDEN Stage.
- Oct. 10 **Antique Appraisals**, 9-11 a.m. & 5-7 p.m. See page 14.
- Oct. 10-11 **Georgia Leathercrafters Guild**, demonstration and sales
- Oct. 10-12 **Crochet Club of Middle Georgia**, demonstration and sales
- Oct. 12-14 **Georgia Homemakers Clubs**, demonstrations and craft sales
- Oct. 13 **Georgia Peanut Commission** culinary demonstration, 2:00 p.m. and 4:30 p.m.. See page 66.
- Oct. 13 **One Stitch at a Time**, 9-11 a.m., crochet group will have hands-on demonstrations.
- Oct. 14-16 **Magical Stitches, Macon**, will demonstrate Baby Lock Sewing Machines
- Oct. 15-16 **Camellia Show**
- Oct. 15-16 **Dahlia Show**
- Oct. 15-16 **Middle Georgia Carvers Guild** , woodcarving demonstration and sales
- Oct. 16 **Clovers & Company**, Georgia's 4-H Performing Arts Group, 12:30, 1:45, and 2:45 p.m. at the Georgia Stage

Check the Daily Fair Schedule for a final listing of additional artists and demonstrations.

Miller-Murphy-Howard Building

During Fair time, for best access, enter the West or North gates.



Georgia Stage

East Side Loading Entrance
Christmas Tree Delivery and Check-In Area

Antiques at the Fair

Are you curious about what that old lamp in your attic may be worth?

Our Antiques Superintendent, Jillinda Falen, will be on hand Monday, October 11, from 9-11 a.m. and again from 5-7 p.m. Bring your item to the Fair for a free estimate of its value. See the Antiques section, page 14 for more information.

2011 Georgia National School of the Arts

Gourd Art Classes with The Gourd Master Sam X of Sylvester, GA

Come learn how to turn a simple gourd into wild and wonderful works of art. The Gourd Master will teach you how to select, clean, envision and create surprising art using a pencil and a wood-burning tool.

Monday, Oct. 10 or Wednesday, Oct. 12, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. ; **Class Fee:** \$25

For more information or to register, please contact:
Sandy Kusuda at (478) 988-6555 or skusuda@gnfa.com.

Master Gardener Demonstrations

The Master Gardeners of Central Georgia will be in Heritage Hall during the fair, available to answer your lawn and garden questions. Each day there will be demonstrations on a variety of topics.

Oct. 7	11:00 AM, 1:00 PM 2:00 PM, 3:00 PM	"Plants Made for the Shade" - Sandy Lee "Under-Utilized Plants for Georgia Gardens" - Karen Atkins
Oct. 8	11:00 AM, 1:00 PM 2:00 PM, 3:00 PM	"Gardening Projects for Kids" - Andy Rodriguez "How to Install Drip Irrigation" - John Wingfield & Jack Floyd
Oct. 9	1:00 PM, 3:00 PM	"Bonsai Basics" - Beth Collins & Liz Derman
Oct. 10	11:00 AM, 1:00 PM 2:00 PM, 3:00 PM	"The Wonderful World of Orchids" - Dawn Grill "Community Gardens" - Mary DeLorenzo
Oct. 11	11:00 AM, 1:00 PM 2:00 PM, 3:00 PM	"Camellia Culture" - Buddy English "Making Pot Feet" - Ann Reynolds
Oct. 12	11:00 AM, 1:00 PM 2:00 PM, 3:00 PM	"Garden Birds" - Janice Williams "Daylilies: The Ultimate Perennial" - Windy Smith
Oct. 13	11:00 AM, 1:00 PM 2:00 PM, 3:00 PM	"Gardening With Worms" - Karyn Sims & Tonda Seyl "Cloning: Making Free Plants" - Linda Dupree
Oct. 14	11:00 AM, 1:00 PM 2:00 PM, 3:00 PM	"Back to the Basics of Gardening" - Jeff Stapleton "The Joy of Hydrangeas" - Mary Stephens
Oct. 15	11:00 AM, 1:00 PM 2:00 PM, 3:00 PM	"Leaking the News on Water Features" - Diane Stephens "Succulents in the Garden" - Patricia Foster
Oct. 16	1:00 PM, 3:00 PM	"Square Foot Gardening: Extending your Vegetable Season" - Terri Brearley

Many thanks to the following wood turning clubs that made the additional 2011 Wood Turning Merit Awards, Best of Show, and People's Choice Awards possible!

American Association of Woodturners, www.woodturner.org
Apple Ridge Woodturners, Ellijay, jrueckert@aol.com
Atlanta Woodturners Guild, atlantawoodturnersguild.org
Barnesville Woodturners, Barnesville, dkyost40@yahoo.com
Bi-City Woodturners, Columbus, dawsonmcl@att.net
Chattahoochee Woodturners, Gainesville, wwjones@comcast.net
GA Assn. of Woodturners, Atlanta, president@gawoodtuner.org
Gwinnett Woodworkers Assn., Lawrenceville, dupdav@comast.net
Low Country Woodturners, Savannah, atroise@comcast.net
Middle Georgia Woodturners, Gray, woodtsmith@yahoo.com
Peach State Woodturners, Covington, R22johnson@hotmail.com

Fair Bear Writing Contest

This contest provides an opportunity for students to participate in a creative writing competition. The contest is open to 4th through 6th graders currently enrolled in Georgia public schools and private schools accredited by the Georgia Accrediting Commission and is facilitated through the school systems. For more information, visit www.georgianationalfair.com.



2011 Theme:

“Fair Bear Travels Around the World in a Hot Air Balloon”

The 2011 Champion Cub Reporter will be announced at the Georgia National Fair, October 8, and will be chosen from the following first place winners:

- Fourth Grade: Heather Ray
Mt. Yonah Elementary/Sautee
White County Schools
Teacher: Mrs. Susan Brittain
- Fifth Grade: Mattie Winburn
Grace Christian Academy/Bainbridgelin
Independent
Teacher: Mrs. Sara Jones
- Sixth Grade: Hannah Gerbig
Jefferson Middle School/Jefferson
Jefferson City Schools
Teacher: Mrs. Janie Sirmans

The 2012 theme will be “Fair Bear Goes Green.”