



June 15, 2022

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[www.opelikachamber.com](http://www.opelikachamber.com)!



**Preferred Hearing Solutions**

June 21 | 10am  
3784 Pepperell Parkway | Opelika

**AuburnBank**

July 8 | 10am  
100 N. Gay St | Auburn



Spend a Friday night in Downtown Opelika on Food Truck Friday, where you can enjoy dinner and drinks from our downtown restaurants, bars & breweries, live music, and various food truck partners each week. Join us for our next Food Truck Friday **Friday, June 17th from 5pm - 12am!** Stay updated on our Facebook, the line up of the upcoming food trucks will be posted soon [here!](#) Check out this [video](#) of Food Truck Friday to know what you can expect!

[Learn more!](#)

CONGRATULATIONS

Congrats to **Lee County Association of REALTORS® (LCAR)** for raising \$23,000 for the Food Bank of East Alabama and Mercy Medical Ministry & Clinic at their annual BASH fundraiser held this year!

MEMBER NEWS

### **Opelika Giving Day is TODAY**

Opelika Giving Day is today starting at noon! For more details about organizations being featured on the giving initiative can be found [here!](#)

### **Travel with the Chamber**

Learn more about how you can travel with the chamber to **Scotland in 2022** or **Croatia in 2023** [here](#). Booking deadline for Scotland is **June 30th!**

### **O Grows Farmers Market**

**Every Tuesday | 3pm-6pm**

Visit the O Grows Farmers Market to enjoy baked goods, fresh produce, and more from our local vendors every Tuesday from 3pm-6pm located at 1103 Glenn Street in Opelika!

### **Anytime Fitness Hiring Club Manager**

Anytime Fitness in Opelika is hiring a club manager! The club manager should be a passionate individual who seeks to help members and guests improve their lives through health and fitness! Learn more [here!](#)

### **Tart & Tartan June Menu & Schedule**

Tart & Tartan has announced their June menu of casseroles along with their full schedule for the month, see [here!](#)

### **Auburn-Opelika Tourism Photo Contest**

Auburn-Opelika Tourism's annual AO Photo Contest is back! Professional and amateur photographers of all skill levels are invited to submit their work for a chance to win the grand prize of a \$500 gift card to an Auburn-Opelika business beginning June 1. Photo submissions must be taken in Auburn or Opelika. The contest **closes on August 31**. If you are interested in entering, visit [www.aotourism.com/photo-contest](http://www.aotourism.com/photo-contest) and submit your photo(s).

### **This Week's Crumbl Cookie Line Up**

Calling all candy lovers! Crumbl Cookies is serving up some delicious cookie options this week including caramel shortbread featuring twix, classic krispy bar, peanut butter cup featuring reese's, original featuring m&m's candies, peach sugar featuring peachie os, and their milk chocolate chip flavors! Learn more [here!](#)

### **Donate Prizes for Whistle Stop Bottle & Brew's Charity Bingo**

Whistle Stop Bottle & Brew is in need of prizes for their charity bingo (and raffle) events! Bingo is played 2x/month (every other Wednesday) and the first card is free. Additional cards and raffle tickets can be bought for \$1 and all of the money raised goes to charity. They'd love to offer local prizes to their patrons, in addition to great beers and gift certificates. Prize donations should be a simple and don't need to be expensive! Donators will get lots of brand awareness through social media and more! To donate, reach out via email to [whistlestopbrewshop@gmail.com!](mailto:whistlestopbrewshop@gmail.com)

### **The Toy Bunker Warhammer Horus Heresy Game Release this Saturday**

The countdown for Horus Heresy has begun for release this Saturday at The Toy Bunker. Early stock is limited after pre orders, secure yours this weekend! Learn more [here!](#)

### **The Bottling Plant Event Center**

### **Float-In Movie ft. Luca at Opelika SportsPlex Pool**

**June 17 | 7pm-9pm**

The Opelika Parks & Recreation will be hosting a Float-In Movie night on June 17th! Bring your float and your family to enjoy watching Disney's Luca in the SportsPlex pool! This event is free for all SportsPlex members, and \$5 for guests! Registration required by June 10th. Register/learn more [here](#) or call 334.705.5560.

### **Gear Gaming**

- **June 21 | 7:30pm | Trivia Tuesday**

### **Red Clay Brewing Company**

- **June 21 | 7pm | Brains & Brews Trivia**

### **Summer Swing Schedule**

**June 21 | Route 66 - oldies, pop, rock, dance music**  
Every Tuesday night May 3 - August 2 at 7:00 p.m. at Monkey Park you can attend Summer Swing! This event is free and open to the public! See the entire calendar for Summer Swing [here](#).

### **Summer Film Series Returns to Jay & Susie Gogue Performing Arts Center**

The Summer Film Series has returned with film screenings under the stars! Experience the fun at the Amphitheatre at the City of Auburn Lawn & Porch! Summer Film Series screenings are free, open to the public, and start at 7pm! Learn more about the full summer schedule [here!](#)

- **June 23 | Encanto**
- **July 7 | Beauty and the Beast**
- **July 21 | Sing 2**
- **August 4 | Black Panther**

### **Opelika Theatre Company Announcements**

The Opelika Theatre Company has many great things going right now! Check out the list below and for more information visit their website [www.opelikatheatrecompany.com](http://www.opelikatheatrecompany.com).

- **June 27 - July 1 | OTC's "THEATRE BUDS CAMP - Where Earth Meets Art" OTC** is partnering with O-GROWS again this summer to bring a unique camp experience to ages k-12.
- Try a free acting class on OTC - Ages k - through 12.
- Tickets for upcoming shows of Disney's "Newsies" are available now! Show dates are August 5-7 and August 12-14! Learn more [here!](#)

### **Toast to Tuesday with Home Instead**

**June 28**

Home Instead Opelika/Auburn is hosting its first Toast to Tuesday for nurses and social workers in our community. They will be educating guests on senior care options all over wine and charcuterie! Learn more [here!](#)

### **Auburn University New Venture Accelerator Lunch & Learn**

**June 28 | 12pm-1pm**

Hosted by Jennifer Nay, Entrepreneur-in-Residence at the New Venture Accelerator, a free business lunch & learn workshop titled "INCOME STATEMENTS" will be held on June 28. This workshop will provide detailed information about the structure and elements of an income statement as well as its uses as a financial tool for companies of all sizes. For questions, contact Ayshia Green-Calloway at [greenay@auburn.edu](mailto:greenay@auburn.edu). RSVP [here!](#)

- **June 15 | 5pm |** Wine Down Wednesday

### Rock 'N Roll Pinball

- **June 15 | 7:30pm |** COAFAC Movie showing of "War of the Gargantuans"
- **June 16 | 7:30pm-10pm |** Open Mic Night
- **June 17 |** Open 11 - midnight
- **June 18 | 8pm-11pm |** Neal Lucas performs

### Resting Pulse June Events

- **June 16 |** Chad Jernigan performs
- **June 17 |** Caleb Gamble performs
- **June 18 |** Kasey Kaschek performs
- **June 21 |** Cookie Decorating
- **June 24 |** Kasey Kaschek performs
- **June 25 |** Dixon Darling performs
- **June 30 |** Kasey Kaschek performs

### Opelika Public Library Summer Events

The Opelika Public Library has lots of fun & creative summer activities all week long for you to get involved in! For more information on the info below call the Children's Desk 334.705.2214 or visit [opelikalibrary.com!](http://opelikalibrary.com!)

- **June 16 | 5pm-7pm |** Friend Game Night with board games, card games, and snacks! Learn more [here!](#)
- **Mondays | 10am** Movies, **6pm** Sail-A-Way Story Time
- **Wednesdays |** Special Performances (check for times)
- **Fridays | 10am-11am** Pre-school Discovery Zone, **2pm-4pm** Fantastic Fridays

### Alabama Statewide Survey of Young Adults

Are you 18-25 years old, living in Alabama? The East Alabama Health Mental Health Prevention Team is partnering with Omni Institute and the Alabama Department of Mental Health to conduct a survey to assess the needs within their community that will help them implement needed health and wellness programs! If you take the survey you will also be entered to win a \$500 gift card! Text ALABAMA to 855.632.2201 for the survey link! Learn more [here!](#)

### Central Alabama Works - Regional Workforce Leadership Training

The classes are offered to all businesses and do not have to be taken in sequential order. The cost is \$25 per day per participant for in-person sessions. Class date is June 29th. Learn more [here](#).

### Epic Office Solutions Offer Free Service & Clean

Epic Office Solutions takes the headache out of copier service by offering simple, flat rates and cutting-edge equipment. They are authorized dealers of Epson, Toshiba, and Brother office equipment! They are currently offering a free service & clean! Learn more [here](#) or at their website [here](#).

Check out our [NEW](#) youtube video below!





### **The Connector Policy**

Please contact Lenzi Womack, [lenzi@opelikachamber.com](mailto:lenzi@opelikachamber.com) if you have an announcement that you would like to put on *The Connector* newsletter. Our policy is to run the announcement for 2 weeks. Check out our event calendar on our website, [www.opelikachamber.com](http://www.opelikachamber.com).

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