



City News



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Spotlight



The City of Semmes held the organizational meeting for the new Junior City Council in July, and it was a fantastic beginning to what promises to be an exciting year. Students learned how local government works, how City Council meetings are conducted, and the important role public service plays in our community.

They also elected their first student leaders, with Melody McLean serving as President and Nathan Williams as Vice President. To give more students the opportunity to develop leadership skills and experience different roles, the positions rotate throughout the year.

Beginning in August, the Semmes Junior City Council will hold regular meetings, which are open to the public just like all other City meetings, on the 3rd Tuesday of each month at 10:00 a.m. at City Hall. We look forward to watching these outstanding students grow as leaders, gain a deeper understanding of local government, and make a positive impact on our community.

Upcoming Events

SEMMES NATIONAL NIGHT OUT

★★ 2026 ★★



STRONGER COMMUNITIES.
SAFER TOGETHER.
★★★

Join us for an evening of family fun,
community connection, and public safety demonstrations.



FIRST
RESPONDERS



VEHICLES



ACTIVITIES



FAMILY FUN



TUESDAY,
AUGUST 4, 2026



5:00 PM –
8:00 PM



SEMMES FIRE
TRAINING CENTER



3940 ILLINOIS STREET
SEMMES, AL 36575

COME MEET YOUR NEIGHBORS. SUPPORT OUR FIRST RESPONDERS. BUILD A STRONGER SEMMES.



Aug 15th

Semmes Community Center

10-6 p.m.

Cosplay and Art Display Info



August LUNCHEON



Guest Speaker:

Derrick Turner with Alabama
Department of Workforce.

Topic: Part 2! Preparing Today for
Tomorrow



Wednesday, August 12th
11:30am-1:00pm



Semmes Community Center
10141 Moffett Rd

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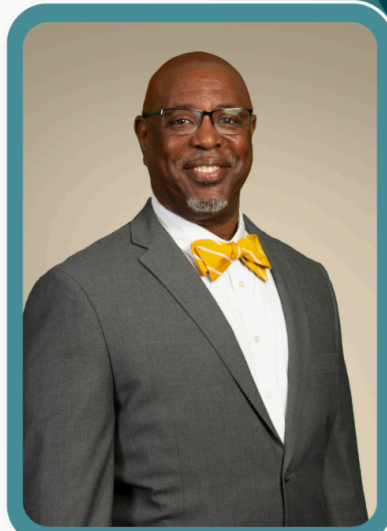


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A Gathering Place



Register online at
SEMMECHAMBER.ORG



Must Register by
Monday, August 10th
by noon!

[Register Here](#)



BUSINESS

After-Hours

CONNECT. NETWORK.
BUILD RELATIONSHIPS.



AUGUST 20TH



5:00 PM - 7:00 PM



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ENJOY GREAT
CONVERSATION,
DELICIOUS FOOD,
AND LOCAL
CONNECTIONS!

**WE HOPE TO
SEE YOU THERE!**

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Calendars and Schedules



AUGUST MEETINGS

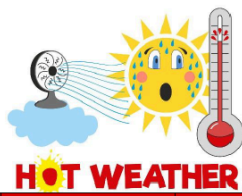


All meetings are held in the City Hall Council Chambers/ One Main Street, Semmes, AL. 36575
Open to the Public

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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2	3	4	5	6 City Council Work Session 5:00pm & Regular Meeting 5:30pm	7	8
9	10 Finance Committee/ 5pm Community Development Committee/ 6pm	11 Planning Commission/ 5pm Public Safety Committee/ 6pm	12	13 Public Works & Parks Committee/ 5:30pm	14	15
16	17 Beautification & Infrastructure Committee/ 5:30pm	18 Junior Council 10:00am City Council Work Session 5:00pm & Regular Meeting 5:30pm	19	20	21	22
23	24	25 Planning Commission/ 5pm	26	27 Finance Committee/ 5pm	28	29
30	31					

August- Debris Removal Schedule

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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16	17 Debris Removal	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
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SEMMES SENIOR CENTER ACTIVITY CALENDAR AUGUST 2026

9635 Moffett Road
Semmes, Alabama 36575
251-649-2010
Monday-Friday
8:00 AM-4:00 PM

SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
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2	8:30 Cardio with Pam 9:00 Rook 9:30 Rummikub w/Wanda Hankins 11:00 Quick Draw/Pictionary-Jackie Barnett-Gentiva Hospice 1:00 Open Cards/Games	3 8:30 Yoga with Pam 10:45 Bus leaves Center for Seniors' Day Out 1:00 Open Cards/Games 5:00 PM – 8:00 PM National Night Out-Semmes Public Safety Training Building-Illinois St	4 8:30 Tai Chi with Pam 11:00 Bingo-Wanda Hankins 1:00 Open Cards/Games	5 9:30 Line Dancing-Skip Smith 11:30 Attendance Gift Card Drawing 11:30 Lunch-Loaves & Fishes-\$8.00-Sign up 11:45 Mayor Brandon Van Hook 1:00 Bunco Group 1-Linda Ryals 1:00 Open Cards/Games	6 8:30 Stretch/Strength w/Pam 9:30 Crochet & Crafts 10:00 Crafts with Anna 12:30 Music Jam 12:30 Open Cards/Games	7 8
9	8:30 Self-Directed Exercise 9:00 Rook 9:30 Rummikub w/Wanda Hankins 1:00 Open Cards/Games	10 8:30 Yoga with Pam 10:45 Bus leaves Center for Seniors' Day Out 1:00 Open Cards/Games	11 8:30 Self-Directed Exercise 11:00 Birthday Bingo-Robert Prater 12:00 Birthday Cake (Walmart) and Ice Cream 1:00 Open Cards/Games	12 9:30 Line Dancing-Skip Smith 11:30 Lunch-Semmes House of Pizza 11:45 Cholesterol & Treatments-Semmes Pharmacy 1:00 Bunco Group 2-Eddie McCrory 1:00 Open Cards/Games	13 8:30 Stretch/Strength w/Pam 9:30 Crochet & Crafts 12:30 Music Jam 12:30 Open Cards/Games	14 15
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23	8:30 Cardio with Pam 9:30 Rummikub w/Wanda Hankins 10:00 Rook Tournament 1:00 Open Cards/Games	24 8:30 Yoga with Pam 9:00 Billiard Tournament-Ashley Reinsmith 10:45 Bus leaves Center for Seniors' Day Out 1:00 Open Cards/Games	25 8:30 Tai Chi with Pam 10:00 In-house Bingo with Mary & Earl Hudgins 11:00 Penny Auction-TBA 1:00 Open Cards/Games	26 9:30 Line Dancing-Skip Smith 11:30 Annual Football Kickoff Cookout-Hamburgers & Hotdogs provided by St Joseph Hospice 1:00 Open Cards/Games	27 8:30 Stretch/Strength w/Pam 9:30 Crochet & Crafts 12:30 Music Jam 12:30 Open Cards/Games	28 29
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AUGUST 2026 SENIOR BUS SCHEDULE

Call 251-300-0259 or
Email:
transport@cityofsemmesal.gov

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
26	27	28	29	30	31	1
2	3	4 SC Route 9:30am-10:30am Briquettes & Mobile Museum of Art 10:30-2:30pm SC Route 2:30pm-3pm	5 SC Route Grocery & Pharmacy Runs 9:30-2:30pm SC Route 2:30pm-3pm	6 SC Route 10am-11am SC Lunch 11:30am-12:30pm SC Route 2:30pm-3pm	7	8
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More in our Area



WE ARE HIRING

FIREFIGHTER & POLICE OPENINGS

Join the City of Semmes team.

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PAID
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VISION
COVERAGE



VACATION
TIME



SICK
TIME



Send your resume to
hr@cityofsemmesal.gov



251-649-8811

A vertical poster for the Semmes Camellia Maids City Ambassador Program. The background features a collage of girls in colorful, tiered dresses (pink, orange, yellow, green, blue, purple) holding wooden mops. The top has the 'semmes' logo in green and blue, flanked by white camellia flowers. The title 'Camellia Maids' is in a large, pink, cursive font, with 'CITY AMBASSADOR PROGRAM' in a smaller, blue, sans-serif font below it. A central banner reads: 'Be a part of a special tradition that represents our community with pride, grace, and leadership! ♡'. Below this are two white boxes with pink borders. The left box contains a calendar icon, the text 'APPLICATIONS OPEN', and the dates 'AUGUST 1 - SEPTEMBER 1'. The right box contains the text 'Interest Meeting' in cursive, followed by a calendar icon, 'THURSDAY, JULY 30, 2026', a clock icon, '5:00 PM', a location pin icon, 'SEMME HERITAGE PARK', and a pink banner that says 'Parents and girls are welcome to attend! ♡'. At the bottom, a pink banner reads 'MAKE MEMORIES ♡ BUILD FRIENDSHIPS ♡ MAKE A DIFFERENCE'. The entire poster is framed by a light brown, textured border.

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Camellia Maids

≡ CITY AMBASSADOR PROGRAM ≡

Be a part of a special tradition that represents our community with *pride, grace, and leadership!* ♡



APPLICATIONS OPEN

AUGUST 1 - SEPTEMBER 1

Interest Meeting

 **THURSDAY, JULY 30, 2026**

 **5:00 PM**

 **SEMME HERITAGE PARK**

Parents and girls are welcome to attend! ♡

MAKE MEMORIES ♡ BUILD FRIENDSHIPS ♡ MAKE A DIFFERENCE

[Application Here](#)

August 2026

Mon, Wed, Fri, & Sat:
10 a.m. - 6 p.m.
Tues & Thurs:
10 a.m. - 7:30 p.m.

SEMMEs REGIONAL LIBRARY



9150 Moffett Road
Semmes, AL 36575



(251) 494-4935



semcir@mplonline.org

PICTURE THIS OR THAT: A PHOTOGRAPHY EXHIBITION

Reception Thursday August 6 | 5:00 pm | Exhibit August 6-September 3

A Photography Exhibition featuring the works of local artists showcasing the beauty of the world through the lens of the camera.

LEGO FUN TUESDAY

Tuesdays | 4 p.m.

Use your imagination and challenge your building skills with Lego activities!
Ideal for ages 6-18.

GOOD LISTENERS STORYTIME

Wednesdays | 10:30 a.m.

This program is designed for children ages 3-6 and will help ignite their creativity, spark curiosity, and stimulate their imaginations!

CHESS CLUB FOR EVERYONE

Thursdays | 3 p.m.

Playing chess improves concentration and problem-solving skills. *Designed for ages 6 and up.*

BEGINNER GUITAR LESSONS FOR KIDS

Fridays, Aug. 7 & 21 | 4:30 p.m. | For children ages 6-11. Limited to 10 spots.

Join us for FREE guitar lessons. Lesson books will be available. **Please bring your own guitar. Registration is required. Please email semcir@mplonline.org or call 251-494-4935.**

FIBER FRIDAYS: CROCHET

Fridays, August 7 & 21 | 4 p.m.

This August we will be teaching crochet. Join us at the Semmes Regional Library to learn or practice crocheting. **Adults 18+ welcome.**

SATURDAY ANIME HANGOUT

Saturday, Aug. 8 | 10 a.m.

Join us every month in the meeting room for anime movies and shows, games, manga and more. **Teens ages 12-18 welcome.**

CONVERSATIONAL SPANISH

Tuesdays, Aug. 11 & 25 | 5:15 p.m. | All ages are welcome! Limited to 24 spots.

Ready to speak Spanish with ease? Our conversational Spanish class is designed to help you practice and improve your speaking skills in a fun and relaxed environment. **Registration is required. Please email semcir@mplonline.org or call 251-494-4935.**

CRAFT CAFE: PIPE CLEANER FLOWERS

Saturday, Aug. 15 | 10 a.m.

Enjoy a morning at the Crafty Cafe! Coffee and tea is provided, along with a craft - pipe cleaner flowers! You can also bring your own craft. **Designed for ages 6 and up.**

FAMILY | ADULT | TEEN | KIDS | MULTIPLE AGES

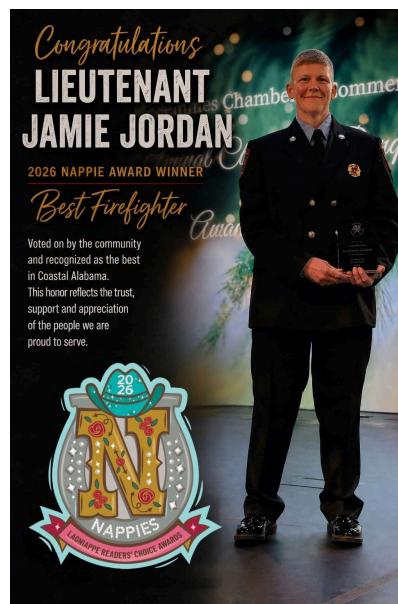
For a complete list of all events at Mobile Public Library, and more information on the ones listed above, visit mobilepubliclibrary.org/events.

Congratulations



The 10u Allstars team will be representing the City of Semmes and State of Alabama in the World Series in August in Safford, Va. They were recognized at the City Council in July. Go Semmes!

Congratulations
Lieutenant Jamie
Jordan with Semmes
Fire Rescue for being
recognized as Best
Firefighter in the 2026
Nappie Awards!





EMPLOYEE ANNIVERSARY SPOTLIGHT

Deputy Chief Cox 10 yrs
Driver Jason Horton 8 yrs

**THANK YOU FOR BEING A VALUED TEAM MEMBER &
CONGRATULATIONS ON YOUR YEARS OF SERVICE TO THE CITY
OF SEMMES!**

Save the Date



HERITAGE DAY

New Date: Sept 5th

10-2 pm

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Heritage Park Open House,
historical demonstrations and
displays, entertainment,
vendors, and lots of good old
fashioned fun.



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Participate in the Event

SEMMESONIAN PRESENTS

**"WE THE ARTISTS
CELEBRATE AMERICA 250"**

Exhibit Dates:

Sept. 8th- Oct. 27th

ART RECEPTION

Thursday, Sept. 10th

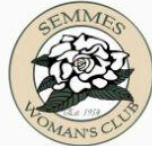
5:30-7:00 p.m.

Semmes Regional Library

CONTACTS:

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RUN

Saturday, September 19th
Semmes Honor Park

[Get Registered](#)



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CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

TEEING UP THE FUTURE — GOLF CLASSIC —

INVESTING IN OUR
FUTURE WORKFORCE

★
Benefiting Local Scholarships



SEPTEMBER 17, 2026
THURSDAY



RTJ GOLF TRAIL
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GREATER IMPACT.



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- Shotgun Start
- Prizes & Giveaways
- Fun for All Skill Levels



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leaders of our community.

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Registration Information at
SEMME'SCHAMBER.ORG

Be a Sponsor!

Register a Team!



Semmes Fall Festival

Save the Date!
October 18th

FOOD TRUCKS - GAMES - VENDORS- COSTUME CONTESTS- AND MORE!

Vendor Application

 REFUGE CHURCH

MARKET of Hope

Shop LOCAL

VENDORS

FOOD TRUCKS

VENDOR APPLICATIONS DUE SEPT. 20TH

 **SUNDAY, OCTOBER 4**

 **12PM - 5PM**

 **SEMMEES HONOR PARK**

Featuring local vendors, handmade items, boutiques, baked goods & food trucks!

FOR MORE INFORMATION EMAIL: EVENTS@REFUGEMOBILE.COM

Vendors- To Join the Waitlist

City of Semmes | One Main Street | Semmes, AL 36575 US

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