

# CALENDAR OF EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES



Latin American  
Association

## March 2018

### EVENTS

#### FREE Citizenship Workshops (registration required)

Help for individuals seeking citizenship.

**When:** Friday 9th and 16th, Monday 19th, Tuesday 20th and Saturday, March 24th

**Time:** 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. (3/9), 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. (3/16, 3/20, 3/24), 1:30 to 4:30 p.m. (3/20)

**Where:** LAA on Buford Hwy. (3/9, 3/20), Lilburn Library Branch (3/16), Chamblee Library Branch (3/19), Oconee United Methodist Church (3/24)

**Registration:** Marlene Silva, 404.702.0184

#### Annual Latina Empowerment Conference

**When:** Saturday, March 31

**Time:** 8 a.m. to 3 p.m.

**Where:** Infinite Energy Center in Gwinnett

#### Job Fair (Annual Latina Empowerment Conference)

**When:** Saturday, March 31

**Time:** 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.

**Where:** Infinite Energy Center in Gwinnett

### EDUCATION (registration required)

#### English as a second language (ESL)

We offer ESL classes for all levels at a low cost.

**When:** Weekdays and Saturdays

**Time:** Weekdays from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. and 6:30 to 8:30 p.m., Saturdays from 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. and 1 to 4 p.m.

**Where:** LAA on Buford Hwy. and Norcross Cultural Center

#### Computer Classes (Spanish)

We offer computer classes for all levels in Spanish.

**When:** Weekdays and Saturdays

**Time:** Weekdays from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. and 6:30 to 8:30 p.m., Saturdays from 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. and 1 to 4 p.m.

#### Spanish Classes

We offer group, corporate and private Spanish classes.

**When:** Weekdays and Saturdays

**Time:** Weekdays from 12 to 2 p.m. and 6:30 - 8:30 p.m. and Saturdays from 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

**\*For more details, visit Adult Education under Services on our official web page [www.thelaa.org](http://www.thelaa.org).**

### EMPLOYMENT

#### Employment Orientation

Free 90 minute orientation for individuals seeking employment.

**When:** Tuesday and Wednesday

**Time:** 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. (Tuesday) and 2 to 3:30 p.m. (Wednesday)

#### Employment Assistance offered by Goodwill

Free personalized employment assistance.

**When:** Tuesday, March 6 from 1 to 5 p.m.

**Registration:** 404.638.1837

**\*For more details, visit Employment Services under Services on our official web page [www.thelaa.org](http://www.thelaa.org).**

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### LATINA EMPOWERMENT PROGRAM / 'PLANNING YOUR BUSINESS'

#### \*Budget and Credit

Lecture addressing how to manage your personal budget and credit.

**When: Tuesday, March 13**

**Time: 10 a.m. to 12 p.m. and 6 to 8 p.m.**

#### \*Are You Ready to Start Your Own Business?

**When: Thursday, March 15**

**Time: 10 a.m. to 12 p.m. and 6 to 8 p.m.**

#### Microloans

Lecture addressing the options and requirements you need to request a loan to start your business.

**When: Tuesday, March 20**

**Time: 10 a.m. a 12 p.m.**

**\*Lectures required prior to registering for the Women & Business course. Registration required. For details on the Latina Economic Empowerment Program, visit Services on our official web page [www.thelaa.org](http://www.thelaa.org).**

### IMMIGRATION LEGAL SERVICES

#### Citizenship Classes (English, 8 weeks)

FREE citizenship classes in English for individuals who are residents and eligible for naturalization.

**When: Mondays and Wednesday**

**Time: 6 to 9 p.m.**

**Where: LAA Lawrenceville Service Center (308 N. Clayton St., Lawrenceville, GA 30046)**

**Registration: Marlenne Silva, 404.702.0184**

### SUPPORT GROUPS

#### Group for individuals with lupus

**When: Saturday, March 10 at 11 a.m.**

#### FREE HIV and Hepatitis C exam

Presented by VIDA Life.

**When: Tuesday, March 13 and 27 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.**

#### Group for individuals impacted by cancer

Presented by Cancer Support Community Atlanta.

**When: Wednesday, March 21 from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m.**

**Tel.: 770.457.5232**

#### Support for DACA beneficiaries

Program rendering mental health support (confidential).

**When: Thursday, March 22 at 6:30 p.m.**

**For info.: [dacasgga@gmail.com](mailto:dacasgga@gmail.com)**

#### Pre-natal care workshop

Presented by Healthy Mothers Healthy Babies.

**When: Friday, March 23 from 10 a.m. to 12 p.m.**

#### FREE clinical breast exam

**\*Important:** For GA female residentes 40 yrs. of age or older with low income and no insurance. Must call for appointment.

**When: Saturday, March 31**

**\*For more details or to make an appointment call 404.638.1839.**

### CLUBS

#### Toastmasters at the LAA

Learn communication skills and how to speak in public.

**When: every Thursday from 6:30 to 8 p.m.**

**For More info.: [www.laa.toastmastersclubs.org](http://www.laa.toastmastersclubs.org)**

#### Coffee Hour

Practice your English and/or Spanish, twice a week.

**When: every Tuesday and Wednesday**

**Time: 5:30 to 6:30 p.m.**

#### Senior Citizens Club

Group of senior citizens 55 yrs. old and over meet to do crafts, exercise, celebrate bithdays and life.

**When: every Friday from 10 a.m. to 12 p.m.**

**More info.: Thomas Fuller (404.638.1813, [tfuller@thelaa.org](mailto:tfuller@thelaa.org))**

#### Book Club (Spanish)

Book club meets monthly to discuss contemporary Latin American novels.

**Next novel:** "El albergue de las mujeres tristes: una radiografía del amor y el desamor" by Chielan writer Marcela Serrano.

**When: Wendesday, March 21 at 6:00 p.m.**

**More info.: [apascual@thelaa.org](mailto:apascual@thelaa.org)**

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