

DON'T FORGET
THE CITY OF
MCRAE-HELENA'S

"Christmas is
Better Together!"

Christmas

Parade

Friday, Dec. 12
6 p.m.

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Eye On

Telfair
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A total of 754 out of 3,426 tracked meters (22.01%) were without power in Telfair County Monday, according to a national news service.

The Telfair County Christmas Parade has been rescheduled for Friday, December 12.

Under new business, the minutes of the November 12 called meeting show that the Telfair County Board Of Commissioners approved HOGARC's request to adopt the Georgia Federal Grants Cost Principles Policy. Commissioner Dakkia Bradshaw made the motion, which received a second from Commissioner Cravey, and was approved in a unanimous vote.

Sheriff Sim Davidson has announced that changes with the Oconee Drug Task Force have been made. He provided a copy of the e-mail to the County Clerk documenting the change to the new Regional Drug Enforcement areas and the Southeastern Drug Enforcement area that includes the counties of Appling, Atkinson, Bacon, Brantley, Long, McDuffie, McIntosh, Montgomey, Piece, Richmond, Screven, Tattnall, Telfair, Toombs and more.

At the November 19 meeting, the commissioners approved the 2025 digest and millage rate and voted to execute the appropriate items to be submitted to the state, including the resolution, a letter to Department of Revenue Commissioner Frank O'Connell, and the appropriate certification forms.



Contraband Confiscated By Sheriff

Sheriff Sim Davidson and his deputies confiscated a large amount of drugs during the month of November with six drug-related arrests made. The Sheriff's Office confiscated various types of drugs, including bags of marijuana, and made arrests for drug trafficking in the case above, which also included several cell phones and other paraphernalia associated with the drug trafficking operation. In photo below, a quantity of drugs plus a handgun and ammunition were confiscated.



More Confiscated Drugs

Six Drug-Related Arrests Made By Telfair Sheriff's Office Last Month

The Telfair County Sheriff's Office reports that Sheriff Sim Davidson and his deputies made no less than six drug-related arrests during the month of November.

That brings the total of cases made this year to 103 drug-related arrests year to date.

The Sheriff's Office investigated 476 total incidents during the month of November, worked 18 motor vehicle accidents, made 170 traffic stops, provided 11 roadside assists and made 27 total arrests during the month.

The Sheriff's Office also made two DUI/public drunkenness arrests, issued 72 citations or warnings to motorists in traffic stops, answered nine medical calls, conducted 183 building checks, attended five court sessions, served 102 warrants and/or civil papers, conducted 18 escorts of funerals or transports and made one other agency assist.

Contemporary GA Arts Exhibit Hosted At Historic Telfair Center For The Arts

The Telfair Center for the Arts will sponsor the Contemporary Georgia Arts 2025 - 2026 Traveling Art Exhibition from January 12 to February 20, 2026.

The exhibition will consist of 20 pieces of art from the Georgia Council for the Arts and art from 13 local artists.

Along with exhibition, free classes in Basketry, Charcoal Drawing, Flower Arrangement, Home Décor, Legos, Macrame, Intoduction to Manual Photography, Pottery, and wood carving will be offered to the public.

A quilting demonstration will be available for the public to help finish the quilt.

A class registration form is available for download at <https://www.tcfta.com/events> or scan QR code.

Some classes are one day and others are multiple days. Class sizes are limited so sign up early.

The registration form on the back page may be emailed to phshistory@yahoo.com or mailed to Pioneer Historical Society, 9 E. Oak St., McRae-Helena, GA 31055.

Nominations Still Open For Man, Woman And Business

Don't forget to nominate that Telfair County Woman and Man that has shown a generosity of spirit and volunteerism and of long-term community support and dedication to Telfair County, says Chamber President Paula Anderson. Nomination forms for the Woman and Man can be downloaded by clicking on the following link:https://www.telfairco.org/images/2026_Man_Woman_Citizen_of_the_Year_Nomination_Forms.pdf

Also take time to nominate that Telfair County Business, Organization, or agency, that is a member of the Telfair County Chamber of Commerce, that has made a positive contribution to fostering and promoting business vitality in Telfair County.

Nomination form for Business can be downloaded by clicking on the following link: https://www.telfairco.org/images/2026_Nomination_Form_Telfair_County_Business_of_the_Year_Award.pdf Deadline to submit nomination forms is 12 noon on January 5, 2026.