



Barnesville
Housing Authority



DECEMBER
2025
EDITION



- **After Hours Emergency Maintenance 770-584-1753.** For any repairs needed during office hours, call the office 770-358-3935.
- Please keep in mind that only EMERGENCY work orders will be done while we are closed for the holidays. If you call the emergency number for a non emergency, you will be charged a fee.
- **NO PARKING ON SIDEWALKS, YOU WILL BE TOWED!** It is city ordinances.
- Maintenance will be doing inspections throughout the month of December.
- Maintenance will be moving stoves and refrigerators to get serial numbers, please make sure that the top of refrigerators are free from clutter.
- Cold weather is coming! Please turn your heat on to ensure it is working properly before the temperature drops.

The maintenance staff would like to wish everyone a happy holiday season!



A note from our Executive Director

On behalf of our entire team, I want to extend my heartfelt thanks to each of our tenants for another wonderful year.

Your partnership, cooperation, and continued trust in our community mean so much to us, and we are truly grateful for the relationships we've built together. As we enter this festive season, I wish you and your loved ones a joyful, safe, and peaceful holiday, and a happy, healthy New Year. We look forward to serving you and growing together in the year ahead.



Talk with Tiffany

Hello residents,
As we enter this beautiful season of celebration, I want to wish each of you a joyful and peaceful December. Whether you're gathering with loved ones, exchanging gifts, or simply enjoying the glow of holiday lights, I hope this month brings warmth, rest, and moments of gratitude.

Please be mindful of all of the inserts in this newsletter. There is important information that requires your action contained therein.

Thank you for being part of our community. It's a privilege to serve you, and I look forward to the year ahead. May your holidays be bright, and may the new year bring blessings to you and your families!
Warmest wishes,
Tiffany



Tenant Buzz with Belinda



As this year comes to a close, I want to thank each and every one of you for making the Barnesville Housing Authority the best part of working here. It has truly been my pleasure.

If your contact information has changed—phone number and/or email—please call me so I can update your information in our system.

If you are in need of food assistance, please refer to the section on local food pantries in this newsletter. If you need help contacting any of these resources, please feel free to reach out to me for assistance.



December 2025



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1 <u>Rent Due</u>	2	3 Air Filters - Smith and Bush	4	5	6
7 <u>Pearl Harbor Remembrance Day</u>	8 <u>Late Day</u>	9	10 Air Filters -Hillside	11	12	13 <u>Barnesville Christmas Parade</u>
14 <u>Hanukkah begins at sundown</u>	15	16	17 Air Filters- Towaliga	18	19	20
21 <u>Winter Begins</u>	22 <u>Last Day to Pay</u>	23 <u>DISPO Day</u>	24 <u>Christmas Eve</u>	25 <u>Christmas Day</u>	26 <u>Kwanza Begins</u>	27
28	29	30	31 <u>New Year's Eve</u>			

Happy Birthday

Ayden Burden	Theodos Masters	Bruce Hale
Anazay Carter	Asher Mays	Frances Major
Shellexia Caslin	Shawna Pippin Ingham	Bennie Mobley
Melissa Cravey	Brinley Radford	Briyonna Smith
Zoe Cravey	Floyd Richardson Jr	Kenleigh Smith
Olivia Dennis	Briana Taylor	Desond Stewart Jr
Amarah Foster	Antrevius Thompson	Noah Williams
Zanique Geiger	Tammy Warner	Congrats Charlie Goddard!
Patricia Gilbert	Olivia Webb	You are our birthday winner for December.
Charlie Goddard	Zavi Weldon	Please come by the office for your gift
Kiara Johnson	Nancy Wilson	
Malik Kelley	Khaylee Berry	

DECEMBER

- CANDLES
- COOKIES
- GIFTS
- HOLIDAYS
- JOY
- LIGHTS
- MILK
- ORNAMENTS

- REINDEER
- REBBIION
- SLEIGH
- STOCKINGS
- TRAVEL
- TREATS
- WINTER
- WREATH



C R A W N O S L E I G H D N J
 G E O R O R T T F T C S E O L
 K I G E I N H D O I L O Y B H
 A N F A S A G Y J C O Y L B T
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Community Spotlight



Jay Henderson is a Community Impact Specialist with Wellstar Health System. In his role he develops and coordinates community health initiatives, engages with local organizations to build strategic partnerships, and serves the community through volunteerism and advocacy. His primary focus is addressing disparities in women and children's health to ensure all individuals regardless of background have access to quality care and opportunities for a high quality of living.

Jay attended Florida A&M University (FAMU) where he received a B.S. In Psychology and played the trumpet in the world-famous Marching 100 band. He received a Master's of Public Administration from Troy University. He is a Pittsburgh Steelers fan and enjoys traveling, fishing, hiking, and community events. His personal moto is "YOLO-you only live once, so make the best of it".

Javez "Jay" Henderson, MPA
Community Impact Specialist

For pre-pregnancy, pregnancy, and postpartum visit picklesandicecreamga.org for support and resources.



Local Food Assistance and Resources

Below is a complete list of local food assistance programs and resources available in **Lamar County**, along with **two options in Spalding County**.

If you need any help contacting the resources listed below, please feel free to reach out to me at **(770) 358-3935** or email ressvcs@barnesvilleha.com.

— *BeLinda Whitaker, Resident Service Coordinator*

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Local Food Assistance/Resources

Community Growth Enterprise

770-584-6276
344 Roberts Rd. Barnesville, GA 30204
Call for appointment

Donovan's Dream

470-592-2004
100-3 Southland Drive Barnesville, GA 30204
Food pickup weekly. Visit <https://calendly.com/ddfoodpickup/schedule-a-pick-up>

Greater Spring Hill Baptist Church

770-358-1818
117 Locust Street Milner, GA 30257

Hope Tree Ministries

770-358-3127 or 678-972-2457
110 Carleeta Street Barnesville, GA 30204
Food pickup as needed. Call for appointment.

Sufficient Grace Ministry Inc.

770-358-6238
226 Main Street Barnesville, GA 30204
Monthly pickup, call for emergency needs.

Towaliga County Line Baptist Church

770-775-3995
154 Short Rd. Jackson, GA 30233

Lamar County Senior Center

770-358-5361
Congregate meals for Seniors 60+

Five Loaves & Two Fish Food Pantry

678-603-1238
412 West Slaton Avenue Griffin, GA 30223
www.griffinfoodpantry.org

Salvation Army

770-412-6561
724 Meriwether Street Griffin, GA 30224
Mondays & Fridays 1:00-4:00 (Bring I.D.)

WIC

Assistance for pregnant or nursing women & children up to age 5
770-722-0633