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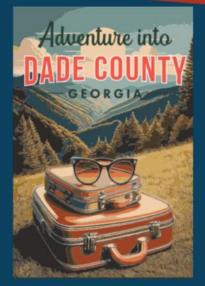
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Welcome to the next edition of Alliance Builder a bi-monthly newsletter of the Alliance for Dade, your chamber of commerce and welcome center. This newsletter will feature news and happenings in and around Dade County. If you have a article or flyer that you would like to share with the community, please feel free to submit it to the Alliance office. Deadline for submissions for the next newsletter will be October 10, 2025.



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Swanson helped Roberts update her inventory management, pricing, and projections, and breathe new life into her social media marketing. These and other planned improvements have positioned the company for rapid online and potential export growth.



Roberts and Swanson met while working at the same table at a Rockdale County Chamber of Commerce event. When she found out what he did, she asked him for advice.

"Marge had been running the business for a couple of decades and knew about financing, but she needed help with her financials," Swanson said. "I suggested we could work together on that."

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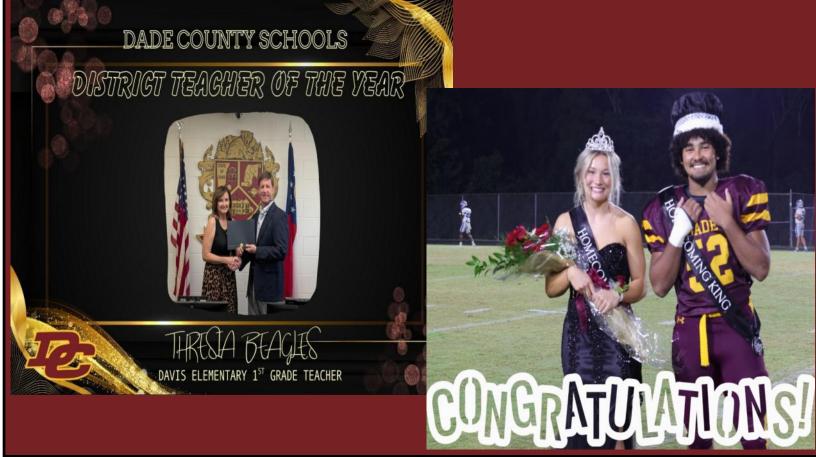
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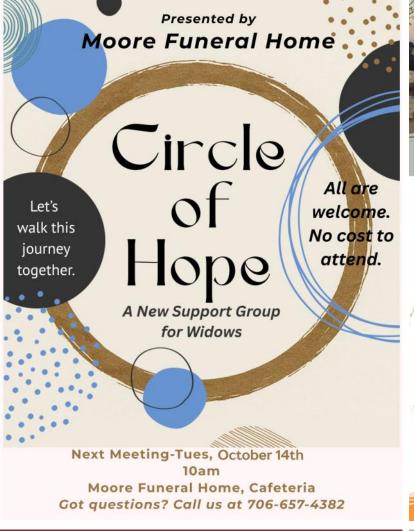
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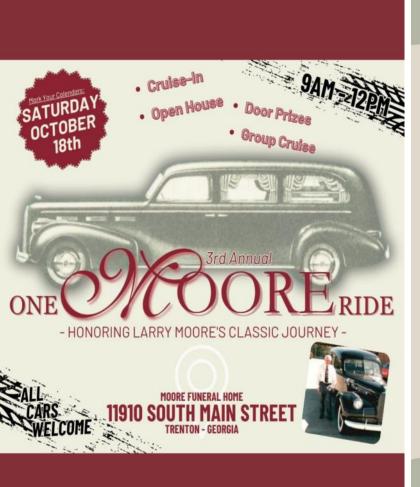




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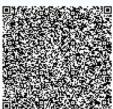
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The 2025 Dade County 4-H Chicken Show will be held on Monday, *November 3, 2025* at 6 pm at the Dade County UGA Extension/4-H Agricultural Center.

In May 2025, Dade County 4-H'ers in the 2025 Chick-to-Chicken Project received 10 chicks. They've been raising these chicks into soon-to-be laying hens. During the Dade County 4-H Chicken Show, 4-H'ers will pick out their 3 best hens to compete in the show.

Our Judge will select a Grand Champion and a Reserve Champion Pen of Hens. At the conclusion of the show, the Grand Champion and Reserve Champion pens of hens will be auctioned off to the highest bidder in our 5th annual "Sale of Champions."

We invite you to come out and support our Dade County 4-H'ers by bidding on their hens! The winning bidder of each pen will go home with ready-to-lay hens! The winning bidder may also choose to donate the hens back to the 4-H'er who raised them.

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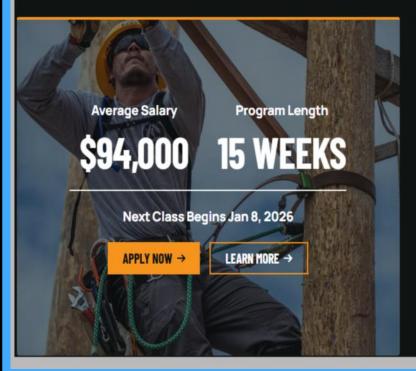
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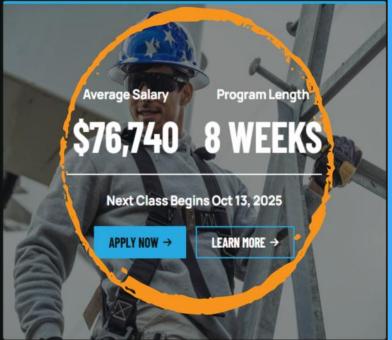


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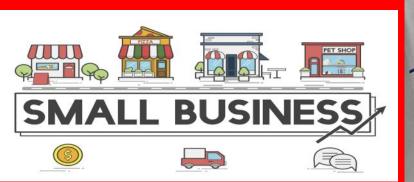
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