

News & Alerts

October

COUNTY NEWS

Family Fun Fest This Saturday!

The **3rd Annual Cobb County Family Fun Fest** will be held on the **Marietta Square** on **Saturday October 13 from 9 am to 3 pm**. There will be live music, inflatables, free game booths, craft activities, wellness displays and information, law enforcement safety vehicles and much more. **County employees will participate to provide a day of fun to the citizens of Cobb.**

Also on October 13th, the **7th Annual Make-A-Wish 5K** will take place. Registration **will begin at 7 am with the race starting at 8 am**. The race will begin at the Marietta Square. Pre-registration is \$15 until October 8. After this date, the registration cost will be \$20 up to race day. Registration is \$10 for children 12 and under with children 5 years and under free.



All registered participants will receive a commemorative long-sleeve t-shirt. (children 5 and under) All proceeds go to the Make-A-Wish Foundation to grant wishes for Cobb County children with life-threatening illnesses. Last year we were able to grant wishes for seven Cobb children. You can read each child's wish profile by going to our web site at www.cobbmakeawish5k.org

The Family Fun Fest activities will immediately follow the race.

For more information, to print a registration form or register on-line, please visit our web site or you may contact Beverly Martin at x2620, beverly.martin@cobbcounty.org or John Houser x3813, john.houser@cobbcounty.org



Veteran's Appreciation Program

REGISTER NOW

<http://cobbweb/vet2/prevversion/login.asp>

**County Manager/EXCEL Alumni
Veteran's Appreciation Program**

Thursday, November 8, 11:00 a.m.

**Jennie T. Anderson Theatre - lunch following in the Civic Cen
Speaker: Retired Navy Captain and former Blue Angel Commar
Donnie L. Cochran**

175th Anniversary Shirts for Sale Celebrate Cobb County's Birthday with this Commemorative Shirt!



The **Purchasing Department** is selling **175th Anniversary shirts** for a limited time starting **Thursday, October 2007. Cost is \$18.50 + tax.** There is a limited quantity and will be first come, first serve.

For the ordering form and instructions [click here](#) (in MS Excel).

We're getting Greener!

The **Purchasing Department** has teamed up with **Office Depot** to establish a wide program to **collect and recycle used inkjet and laser toner cartridges**. Together we can reduce the flow of these materials into landfills and through the environment and save energy.

There is no cost to Cobb County. Office Depot will furnish collection boxes and pre-paid shipping labels. Each work location should place the box in convenient designated locations, encourage all staff to deposit empty cartridges, and then return them when full. New boxes can be requested by calling, toll free, Office Depot Customer Service (877-237-8858). Office Depot staff will be contacting department contacts the next several days to get us started. [Read more...](#)