# The Sudies are in Full Bloom!

The bed of beautiful Sudie daylilies is providing one bountiful display at the Center. The glorious blossoms are in full bloom. As the name implies, the blooms last only a day, but because the plants have produced so many flowers, we will enjoy the display for weeks and weeks to come. The daylilies were provided by Deb Schwabe, of Swans Island, ME, and Ada Lee Correll, in honor of her sister, Beverly.











#### FULFORD CENTER SUMMER CAMP SCHEDULE

•	• June 8-11Camp Adventure IV	8:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.
	• June 22-25 Inter./Adv. Chess Camp	
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• July 6 ........... Science Is Fun! Mini-Camp ......... 9:00 a.m.-11:00 am

• July 9 ...... Gadgets &Gizmos Mini-Camp ..... 9:00 a.m.-NOON



## DERDEN DISCUSSES CAMP LAWTON AT LUNCH AND LEARN

At our most recent Lunch and Learn, Dr. John Derden, professor emeritus of history at East Georgia State College, electrified participants with a fascinating look at the Civil War prison camp located near Millen, Georgia. Dr. Derden is the author of a recent book, The Largest Prison in the World: The Story of Camp Lawton, which is the first full-length, documented history of Camp Lawton.

The next Lunch and Learn will be held in the fall. Watch for updates in upcoming newsletters.



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## **JUNE** 2015

#### **OUR MISSION**

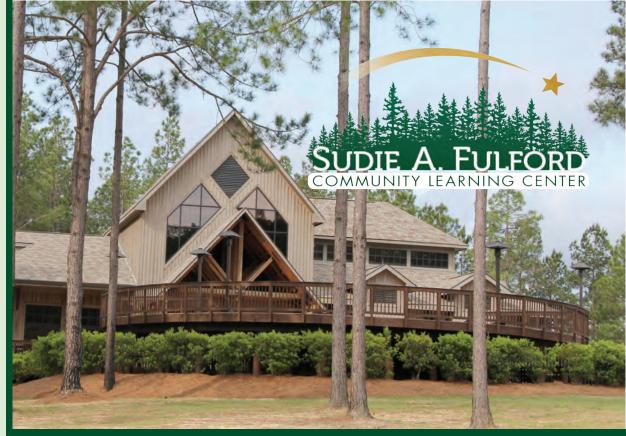
By providing an environment where learning opportunities take place and community relationships are enriched, the Sudie A. Fulford Community Learning Center will develop individual capacity and improve the quality of life for Swainsboro and Emanuel County.

#### **OUR GOALS**

Education
Civic Engagement
Hospitality



JEAN D. SCHWABE DIRECTOR



#### Message From The Director

The summer season is upon us, and if our first camp is any indication of the kind of summer ahead, we're going to have a truly wonderful and fun-filled summer! We have a wide variety of camps scheduled through the end of July. We also have many other events planned...everything that makes summer a very special time at the Fulford Center.

I hope you'll include the Center in your summer activities, and I hope to see you soon.

HAVE A GREAT SUMMER!

#### **UPCOMING** Events

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June 11Fulford Advisory Board		
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SU Partnership for Rural Health		
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termediate/Advanced Chess Camp		
SSC Foundation Meeting		
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SU Partnership for Rural Health Meeting		
July 20-24 Camp Invention		
GA Extension Regional Training		

### DIABETES WELLNESS PART 2 HELD



The second part of our four-part
Diabetes Wellness series was a success!

Kacy NeSmith, East Georgia Health Care FNP, and Marnie Dekle, UGA Extension FACS Agent provided a most informative program on the many benefits of physical activity in managing diabetes. In addition to a variety of informational hand-outs, pedometers were given to each participant. The third session, Risk Control and Heart Attack and Stroke, is scheduled for September 10. The series is sponsored by East Georgia State College, East Georgia Health Care, Emanuel Medical Center, Emanuel Partnership for Rural Health, UGA Extension, and WellCare. To register for the September program, please contact the Center.



#### AREA STUDENTS TAKE PART IN 4-H TEEN LEADERSHIP TRAINING

Fifty-two students from Emanuel, Candler, Evans, Chatham, and Johnson Counties recently visited the Center for a one-day 4-H Teen Leader training.

The training provided students with a broad understanding of leadership and the qualities of an effective leader, activities to sharpen verbal and interpersonal communication skills, and opportunities for team building, as well as developing individual responsibility. Angie Daughtry, UGA Extension Coordinator for Candler and Emanuel County, lead the training.

## **CAMP SUCCESS A ROUSING SUCCESS!**



We've just completed our first camp of the summer, Camp Success, and we are off to a fantastic summer. Betsy Johnson served as camp instructor and helped the rising fourth, fifth, and sixth graders develop important leadership and social skills. The goal of the camp was to launch confident young people into a successful pattern for life. The culminating activity was a luncheon on the final day of the camp where students were able to demonstrate proper table manners and dining etiquette.

#### LOCAL STUDENTS AND TEACHERS ENJOY VISITS TO CENTER

Close to 800 local students visited the center in May. Students from Swainsboro Pre-K, Swainsboro Primary, and Swainsboro Elementary took part in a variety of fun, educational activities. Students enjoyed planetarium shows, hands-on science activities, art activities, and time with EGSC Men's Head Basketball Coach Leroy Jordan and some of his players. The visits were the culminating activity of the students' academic school year.



