Fitzgerald Housing Authority Monthly Newsletter – August 2025

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A Message from the Executive Director

As we welcome the month of August, I want to take a moment to express my heartfelt appreciation for each of you. Your continued cooperation, feedback, and community spirit play a vital role in making the Fitzgerald Housing Authority more than just housing it's a place we all call home.

This summer has been filled with exciting programs and meaningful engagement from youth leadership opportunities to community involvement activities and wellness initiatives. As we transition into back-to-school season, I encourage everyone to stay involved and take advantage of the resources available to support your household's success and well-being.

We are especially grateful for the partnerships that continue to enrich our services. From Legacy Behavioral Services offering weekly support to our upcoming Health & Wellness Fair sponsored by Wiregrass Georgia Technical College, we are committed to addressing the diverse needs of our residents.

As always, we encourage open communication. If you have ideas, concerns, or simply want to get more involved, please don't hesitate to reach out to our team. Let's continue working together to build a stronger, safer, and more connected community.

Thank you for being part of the Fitzgerald Housing Authority family. Here's to a productive and positive month ahead!

Dr. Lemond Hall Executive Director Fitzgerald Housing Authority

Back to School Supply Drive - July 10, 2025 | 9:00 AM - 12 Noon

Although we have already held the drive, there are still some supplies available in the office to support our youth. Distribution took place at the Fitzgerald Housing Authority. Thank you to everyone who donated! A huge shout-out to **Walmart #686** and **The Gateway Center** for their generous contributions.

🏣 Youth Leadership Conference

Congratulations to the four students selected to attend the **2025 Youth Leadership Conference** at the Nantahala Outdoor Center in Bryson City, NC from **July 13–16**. Activities included zip-lining, rafting, and campfire discussions. We're so proud of our future leaders!

Payment Policy Reminder

We now accept debit and credit card payments.

Please note: There is a 3% processing fee for card payments.

O Cash payments are no longer accepted in the dropbox.

Get ready for our upcoming **Health & Wellness Fair on August 5, 2025**, from 9:00 AM to **11:00** AM, where **Wiregrass Georgia Technical College** will provide health screenings and other valuable resources. The event will cover topics such as nutrition, mental health, and staying active. Local health professionals will be available to answer questions and share helpful information.

Mental Health Resources

We have partnered with Legacy Behavioral Services, which meet in the office every Wednesday from 10:00 AM to 2:00 PM. If you know someone in need of services, please refer them to Legacy to schedule an appointment.

After School Program Resumes in August!

Starting Tuesday, August 12, our After School Program will be back in session every Tuesday - Thursday, from 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM at the R.E. Barfield Learning Center. Tutoring in reading and math is provided. Contact us to register your child!

Community Events

- BINGO Every Wednesday at 10:00 AM | 350 Butler Court Date to be Announced
- Resident Advisory Board Meeting August 30, 2025

Activities for Seniors

We're planning new programs for residents ages 65 and older at the Sultana Unit. Weekly bingo, health checks, and social gatherings are in the works!

Thank You for Being Part of Our Community!

As always, we are here to support you. We hope you enjoy the remainder of the summer and take advantage of the events and services available to you. Let's continue to work together to create a safe, supportive, and vibrant community for all!

Wishing you a wonderful August!

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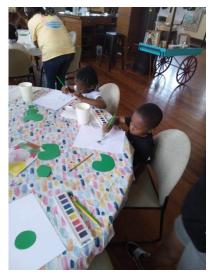
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