

**Special Points  
of Interest:**

- City Council Meeting, Monday, December 3, 2007, 7:00 p.m. at City Hall.
- Annual Christmas Tree Lighting, Friday, December 7, 2007 6:00 p.m. at City Hall on the Winner's Circle.
- Planning Commission—Monday, December 17, 2007, 7:00 p.m. at City Hall

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# Dawsonville Profile

City News for the Residents of Dawsonville.

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## Annual Tree Lighting

Every year the City celebrates the holiday season with the Annual Tree Lighting. The tree is set up on the Winner's Circle at City Hall, and this year is no exception.

You and your family and friends are invited to attend this wonderful event. There will be live entertainment provided by the Dawson County High School chorus along with Kenny Williams and friends.

If the weather is a little chilly then you can warm yourself up with a complimentary cup of warm cider, hot cocoa, or fresh coffee.

The children will be thrilled



Annual Tree Lighting to be held Friday, December 7th at 6:00 p.m. at City Hall

when that Jolly Ole Man in red—Santa arrives as everybody sings “Here Comes Santa Claus”!

To top the night off children can share their wish list with Santa and let him know that they have been good little boys or girls!

While the children visit with Santa their picture will be made. You can take your complimentary photo home that evening.

Please join the Mayor, Council and Staff of City Hall as we celebrate the Annual Tree Lighting.

Festivities begin at 6:00 p.m. Be sure to dress warm and wear your brightest holiday smile!

## Downtown Merchants Gear Up For the Holidays!

In this segment of the newsletter, we hope to make our residents aware of the diverse businesses located downtown. These businesses are stocking up, preparing for the holiday season.

We urge you to take some time to visit all of our downtown businesses to see the merchandise and services they offer.

### Paper Moon

Kay Harris, proprietor of Paper Moon, located at 3 Hwy. 9 South says she is ready for holiday shoppers!

Kay carries a wide variety of gifts and collectibles, antiques, jewelry—both vintage and new, furniture, quilts, holiday items and gift baskets.

Kay is an expert decorator and can help you decorate for the holidays or help you refresh a room or your whole house. She also creates cus-



Kay Harris, proprietor of Paper Moon.

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Office Hours

Monday—Friday

8:00 a.m.—5:00 p.m.

**City Hall will be closed on December 24th and 25th in observance of Christmas; and also on December 31st and January 1st in observance of New Year's.**

**For after hours water or sewer system emergencies please call: (706) 974-3197 or (706) 429-6211**

**City Staff at Your Service**

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Planning & Zoning Director



**Downtown Merchants Continued...**

tomized gifts baskets that are sure to please.

Kay also supports the Humane Society and sells t-shirts and cookbooks to raise funds to build a new animal shelter.

Stop in and meet Kay anytime 11-6 Tuesday—Saturday, or call the Paper Moon at 706-265-2421.

**His Rock Café**

Bob Johnson started His Rock Café this past year to create a place for people to come and enjoy a good cup of coffee, or other delicious drink, and listen to some really great Christian music.



Bob Johnson, owner of His Rock Cafe

Bob organizes concerts every month utilizing both local talent and known artists in the Christian music industry.

For more info on Bob's holiday concert series contact him at 706-216-4005 or visit his My Space account at [www.myspace.com/hisrockcafe](http://www.myspace.com/hisrockcafe)

You can always met Bob in person at His Rock Café which is open Monday—Friday 7-6, Saturday 8-7, and Sunday 11:30-4. Serving hot and cold beverages, snacks, desserts, and subs.

After a day of shopping His

Rock Café is the perfect place to relax and partake of some tasty refreshments.

**City Liquor**

For those who enjoy some fine wine, beer (domestic and imported) or other holiday spirits, City Liquor is now open and is conveniently located downtown at 55 Hwy. 53 West.

Partners Russ Marcotte and



Russ Marcotte, co-owner of City Liquor

John Evans purchased the old service station and

re-stored it as

well as the adjoined building right beside City Liquor. Now the old Gulf station is an attractive building which makes a beautiful retail store.

City Liquor stocks beer, fine wine and distilled spirits. They have great gifts sets for the holidays, egg nog, and they offer military discounts.

**Uncle John's Attic**

John Dobson and Robyn Jones have converted an older residential home in to a beautiful shop of unique gifts and collectibles.

Uncle John's Attic is located at 515 Hwy. 53 West. To truly appreciate their gifts and collectibles you have to stop in during their operating hours which are: 10-5 Tuesday—Saturday. Starting in December they will also be

open on Sundays from 1-5.

Uncle John's Attic carries Department 56, Cow Parade, Case Knives, Enesco music boxes, unique candles, Gui-



Robyn Jones, Buyer for Uncle John's Attic

llermo Forchino, collegiate giftware, wreathes, teachers gifts, and Byrds cookies.

Uncle John's Attic carries something for everyone and will make gift baskets and gift bags up for busy shoppers.

[www.unclejohnsattic.com](http://www.unclejohnsattic.com)

**Dawsonville Trading Company**

Tony Romano opened this past year and specializes in authentic antiques, collectibles, crafts, vintage and turquoise jewelry, and also in musical instruments.



Tony Romano, owner of Dawsonville Trading Company

Tony invites the public to come in to his store to view his merchandise and get to know him!

Dawsonville Trading Company is located at 58 Hwy. 9 South and is open 10:30—5:30 Monday-Saturday or call 706-429-0100.

**Notice of Mandatory Water Restrictions effective October 1, 2007 for the City of Dawsonville**

The Georgia Environmental Protection Division (EPD) has declared a level four drought response across the state and requires all Georgians to follow the following outdoor water use schedule:

**Total outdoor watering ban.**

For any further information please call the City of Dawsonville at (706) 265-3256.