

### Melanie Brueggemann

Municipal Utilities Director (Poopy Engineer)
Croy Engineering

Nickname: Mel

Married/Committed/Single: Married

Spouse/Significant Other Name: Alex

Children: N/A

Fur Babies: Ozzie

Place of Birth: Home of the KFC - Corbin, KY

Birthday: January 30

Alma Mater: Auburn University

### Melanie Brueggemann

Favorite sports team:

**Auburn Tigers** 

**Favorite movie:** 

The Wedding Date

Favorite song to dance to:

Love on Top by Beyonce

What one item can you not live without? Chapstick

**Dream Vacation:** 

Bora Bora

**Favorite hobby:** 

Tennis

If they made a movie about your life, who would play the lead role?

**Emily VanCamp** 

Who do you most admire?

Aunt Jenny





# Toby Carmichael Alderman City of Acworth

Nickname: Doc

Married/Committed/Single: Committed

Spouse/Significant Other Name: Deb

Children: Rachel (23), Grant (21)

Fur Babies: Ralph, Sunshine, and Punky cats. Koi

pond and fish tanks.

Place of Birth: Tifton

Birthday: April 8

Alma Mater: Abac and UGA

# Toby Carmichael

**Favorite sports team:** 

UGA

**Favorite movie:** 

Bourne movies

Favorite song to dance to:

Strokin

What one item can you not live without?

Coffee

**Dream Vacation:** 

Australia

**Favorite hobby:** 

Cooking and Gardening

If they made a movie about your life, who would play the lead role?

Jason Statum

Who do you most admire?

**Dwain Montgomery** 



# Owen Farist Attorney

Gregory, Doyle, Calhoun & Rogers

Nickname: O

Married/Committed/Single: Married

Spouse/Significant Other Name: Courtney

Children: Baker (7) and Molly (5)

Fur Babies: Dog named Rosie

Place of Birth: Savannah

Birthday: May 1

Alma Mater: UGA

## Owen Farist

#### **Favorite sports team:**

**UGA Football** 

#### **Favorite movie:**

Shawshank Redemption

#### Favorite song to dance to:

Bluey theme song

#### What one item can you not live without?

My glasses

#### **Dream Vacation:**

Overwater huts in Bora Bora

#### **Favorite hobby:**

College basketball referee

### If they made a movie about your life, who would play the lead role?

Owen Farist

#### Who do you most admire?

Ron Swanson





# Kellie Fletcher Construction Program Manager BDR Partner

Nickname: Coach

Married/Committed/Single: Single

Spouse/Significant Other Name: N/A

Children: N/A

Fur Babies: Plant Mom!

Place of Birth: Germany

Birthday: June 4

Alma Mater: North Carolina A&T State University

and Savannah State University



## Kellie Fletcher

**Favorite sports team:** 

**Dallas Cowboys** 

**Favorite movie:** 

Coming to America

Favorite song to dance to:

Reggae

What one item can you not live without?

Calendar

**Dream Vacation:** 

Taj Mahal

**Favorite hobby:** 

Hot Yoga & Traveling

If they made a movie about your life, who would play the lead role?

Kerry Washington

Who do you most admire?

Hazel L. Fletcher



# Brad Humphrey Associate Vice-President HNTB Corporation

Nickname: J. Breeze

Married/Committed/Single: Married

Spouse/Significant Other Name: Jenée

Children: Bradford (11), Joseph (8), Jason (5)

Fur Babies: N/A

Place of Birth: Charlotte, NC

Birthday: June 14

Alma Mater: Florida A&M University

## **Brad Humphrey**

#### Favorite sports team:

Carolina Panthers

#### **Favorite movie:**

The Five Heartbeats

#### Favorite song to dance to:

I Like the Way You Move by OutKast

#### What one item can you not live without? **iPhone**

#### **Dream Vacation:**

Fiji

#### **Favorite hobby:**

Playing/Listening to Music

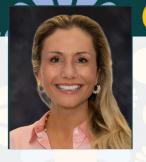
#### If they made a movie about your life, who would play the lead role?

Jeffrey Wright

#### Who do you most admire?

My Grandfather





Alyssa Liguori DO, FACOG Northside Hospital

Nickname: Aly

Married/Committed/Single: Married

Spouse/Significant Other Name: Mark

Children: Rosario (7)

Fur Babies: Lucy - American Staffordshire Terrier -

Blue Nose

Place of Birth: Connecticut

Birthday: December 14

Alma Mater: Yale University

# Alyssa Liguori

Favorite sports team:

**NY Rangers** 

**Favorite movie:** 

Vertigo

Favorite song to dance to:

Reminiscing by Little River Band

What one item can you not live without?
Coffee

**Dream Vacation:** 

Italy - one month on the Amalfi Coast

**Favorite hobby:** 

**Pilates** 

If they made a movie about your life, who would play the lead role?

Elizabeth Banks

Who do you most admire?

My mother-in-law



### **Jeremy Lorens**

Agency Deputy Director
Cobb County Department of Transportation

Nickname: J.D.

Married/Committed/Single: Married

Spouse/Significant Other Name: Maria

Children: None

Fur Babies: Greyhounds - Chase, Ruger, Bullet;

Dachshunds - Jager, Rusty, Dixie, Lemon

Place of Birth: Mt. Clemens, Michigan

Birthday: April 26

Alma Mater: Reinhardt University

## **Jeremy Lorens**

**Favorite sports team:** 

Georgia Tech

**Favorite movie:** 

**Shawshank Redemption** 

Favorite song to dance to:

(I Had) The Time of My Life

What one item can you not live without? Chapstick

**Dream Vacation:** 

Bora Bora

**Favorite hobby:** 

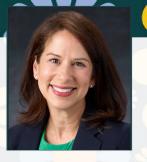
Golf

If they made a movie about your life, who would play the lead role?

Gallagher

Who do you most admire?

The American Soldier



Lisa Mello CEO LiveSafe Resources

Nickname: Lulu

Married/Committed/Single: Married

Spouse/Significant Other Name: Scott

Children: Sadie (14), Emmy (12)

Fur Babies: Gracie - Shiz Tsu (4)

Place of Birth: Baton Rouge, LA

Birthday: September 22

Alma Mater: Texas Tech University

## Lisa Mello

#### Favorite sports team:

Texas Tech University Red Raiders

#### **Favorite movie:**

Steel Magnolias

#### Favorite song to dance to:

Shut Up and Dance

#### What one item can you not live without?

My phone (unfortunately) & hand lotion

#### **Dream Vacation:**

Ireland and Wales

#### Favorite hobby:

Working out & watching my kids activities

### If they made a movie about your life, who would play the lead role?

Sandra Bullock

#### Who do you most admire?

My mom



# Cheryl Morgan Intelligence Superintendent Dobbins Air Reserve Base

Nickname: Ma'am

Married/Committed/Single: Married

Spouse/Significant Other Name: Patrick

Children: N/A

Fur Babies: N/A

Place of Birth: Jasper, AL

Birthday: August 1

**Alma Mater:** James Madison; University of Massachusetts Boston; Kennesaw State

# **Cheryl Morgan**

#### Favorite sports team:

Alabama Crimson Tide/Red Sox/Patriots

#### **Favorite movie:**

Arsenic and Old Lace

#### Favorite song to dance to:

Nothing specific--maybe Friday I'm in Love(?)

#### What one item can you not live without?

A good book

#### **Dream Vacation:**

Somewhere quiet - away from the things of man

#### **Favorite hobby:**

Reading/Running slowly

### If they made a movie about your life, who would play the lead role?

Kathy Bates

#### Who do you most admire?

My mom





#### **Kevin Pounds**

Director of Strategic Partnerships
MUST Ministries

Nickname: LBS

Married/Committed/Single: Married

Spouse/Significant Other Name: Christin

Children: Jude (15), Wren (13), Skye (10)

Fur Babies: Moose - Mini Golden Doodle, Maple -

Mini Sheep-a-doodle

Place of Birth: Marietta, GA

Birthday: May 18

Alma Mater: University of Georgia

# **Kevin Pounds**

**Favorite sports team:** 

Georgia Bulldogs

**Favorite movie:** 

Star Wars

Favorite song to dance to:

Ice Ice Baby

What one item can you not live without?

Road Bike

**Dream Vacation:** 

Alaska

**Favorite hobby:** 

Hiking/backpacking

If they made a movie about your life, who would play the lead role?

Paul Rudd

Who do you most admire?

My mom



Nick Rider
Partner
Mauldin & Jenkins

Nickname: Coach Nick

Married/Committed/Single: Married

Spouse/Significant Other Name: Heather

Children: Nick Jr (8), Lucas (4)

Fur Babies: Dog - Margaret (Maggie, Mags, Maggie

May, Magoo)

Place of Birth: LaGrange, GA

Birthday: April 13

Alma Mater: LaGrange College - Undergrad,

KSU - Masters



## Nick Rider

#### **Favorite sports team:**

Falcons, Braves

#### **Favorite movie:**

Step Brothers, Talledega Nights

#### Favorite song to dance to:

I only dance at weddings, cupid shuffle?

### What one item can you not live without? Bible, family

#### **Dream Vacation:**

Anywhere quiet/mountains

#### Favorite hobby:

Bbq, coaching baseball

### If they made a movie about your life, who would play the lead role?

Bert Kreisher

#### Who do you most admire?

My wife





### Naporsha Valentine

Senior Trial Attorney

Allstate - Law Office of Marcus A. Blackwell

Nickname: Hollywood or Queen Mommy

Married/Committed/Single: Married

Spouse/Significant Other Name: Justin

Children: Justice (8), Nylah (5), Nolan (3)

Fur Babies: None, but I claim by little brother

Bentley - my mom's toy poodle

Place of Birth: Pine Bluff, Arkansas - Down in the

Delta

Birthday: November 27

Alma Mater: University of Arkansas

# Naporsha Valentine

Favorite sports team:

Stingrays

**Favorite movie:** 

Coming to America

Favorite song to dance to:

Cupid Shuffle

What one item can you not live without?

Phone

**Dream Vacation:** 

Zanzibar with my entire family + Nanny

**Favorite hobby:** 

Writing

If they made a movie about your life, who would play the lead role?

Gail Bean

Who do you most admire?

My daddy





Colt Chambers
Owner | Producer
The Alley Stage

Nickname: Colt 45

Married/Committed/Single: Single

Spouse/Significant Other Name: N/A

Children: N/A

Fur Babies: Theodore Ryker - Chihuahua

Place of Birth: Rome, GA

Birthday: June 25

Alma Mater: University of Kentucky



# **Colt Chambers**

#### **Favorite sports team:**

Georgia Bulldogs

#### **Favorite movie:**

Steel Magnolias

#### Favorite song to dance to:

December, 1963 (Oh, What a Night)

#### What one item can you not live without?

My hair dryer

#### **Dream Vacation:**

Yacht Week in Croatia

#### Favorite hobby:

Karaoke

### If they made a movie about your life, who would play the lead role?

Nathan Lane

#### Who do you most admire?

Cameron Mackintosh



# Ollie Clemons, Jr. Mayor City of Austell

Nickname: Slim

Married/Committed/Single: Married

Spouse/Significant Other Name: Valerie

Children: Cherie (41), Crystal (40), Terrence (37),

Stephanie (28), Victoria (24)

Fur Babies: N/A

Place of Birth: Chicago, IL

Birthday: December 23

Alma Mater: Georgia State



# Ollie Clemons, Jr.

#### **Favorite sports team:**

Chicago Bulls

#### **Favorite movie:**

Equalizer

#### Favorite song to dance to:

All Night Long

#### What one item can you not live without?

Bible

#### **Dream Vacation:**

Hawaiian Cruise

#### **Favorite hobby:**

Learning new things

### If they made a movie about your life, who would play the lead role?

Dwayne Johnson

#### Who do you most admire?

My wife



### Elizabeth Colletti

Senior Director, Member Strategy
Cobb Chamber

Nickname: EB

Married/Committed/Single: Married

Spouse/Significant Other Name: Mark

Children: N/A

Fur Babies: The Girls: Busy & Heidi (cats)

& Cali (dog)

Place of Birth: Huntsville, AL

Birthday: February 17

Alma Mater: University of Alabama



### Elizabeth Colletti

#### **Favorite sports team:**

Alabama Crimson Tide

#### **Favorite movie:**

My Cousin Vinny

#### Favorite song to dance to:

The Wobble/any group dance

### What one item can you not live without?

My planner

#### **Dream Vacation:**

Any with salt water, sunshine, a good book and cold beverages

#### **Favorite hobby:**

Walking though Marshalls

### If they made a movie about your life, who would play the lead role?

Kimberly Williams-Paisely

#### Who do you most admire?

CJ Cregg (The West Wing)



# AikWah Leow Communications Manager Office of Cobb District Attorney

Nickname: Aikee, Mama Qua

Married/Committed/Single: Married

Spouse/Significant Other Name: I am recently

widowed. Hubs is David.

Children: Marissa (23), Amaya (23)

Fur Babies: Goldendoodle named Cooper

Place of Birth: Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia

Birthday: April 2

Alma Mater: Marshall University - GO HERD!



### **AikWah Leow**

#### Favorite sports team:

Atlanta Braves

#### **Favorite movie:**

Sound of Music

#### Favorite song to dance to:

80s and early 90s dance music

#### What one item can you not live without?

My purse

#### **Dream Vacation:**

A six-month long trip to discover all of Asia - beaches, mountains and historical sites. Without skeeter bites.

#### **Favorite hobby:**

Crochet, travel, tennis, time with Cooper

## If they made a movie about your life, who would play the lead role?

Ming-Na

#### Who do you most admire?

My dad



# Jennifer McNeely IFS Government Affairs Rep. Delta Air Lines

Nickname: Jenn

Married/Committed/Single: Married

Spouse/Significant Other Name: Michael

Children: Iyanna (30)

Fur Babies: Sebastian (Yorki-Poo)

Place of Birth: East Point, GA

Birthday: October 8

Alma Mater: UGA School of Law



## Jennifer McNeely

#### **Favorite sports team:**

Falcons

#### **Favorite movie:**

Steel Magnolias

#### Favorite song to dance to:

I Wanna Dance With Somebody

#### What one item can you not live without?

Water

#### **Dream Vacation:**

Tour of Asia/Pacific Islands

#### Favorite hobby:

Reading

### If they made a movie about your life, who would play the lead role?

Rhyon Nicole Brown

#### Who do you most admire?

My Aunt Shiron



# Stacey Nicely Sr. Director, New Ticket Initiatives Atlanta Braves

Nickname: Nicely

Married/Committed/Single: Single

Spouse/Significant Other Name: N/A

Children: N/A

Fur Babies: N/A

Place of Birth: Clifton Forge, VA

Birthday: May 3

Alma Mater: Roanoke College (Undergrad),

Georgia State (Masters)



## **Stacey Nicely**

#### Favorite sports team:

Atlanta Braves

#### **Favorite movie:**

Clueless

#### Favorite song to dance to:

The Right Stuff by New Kids on the Block

#### What one item can you not live without?

Chapstick & Eyeliner

#### **Dream Vacation:**

Tokyo

#### Favorite hobby:

Reading

### If they made a movie about your life, who would play the lead role?

Gwen Stefani

#### Who do you most admire?

Michelle Obama



# Angela Orange Board of Education Member Marietta City Schools

Nickname: Angie P

Married/Committed/Single: Single

Spouse/Significant Other Name: N/A

Children: N/A

Fur Babies: N/A

Place of Birth: Donalsonville, GA

Birthday: September 17

Alma Mater: Emory University



# Angela Orange

## Favorite sports team:

Atlanta Falcons

#### **Favorite movie:**

Back to the Future 1 & 3

## Favorite song to dance to:

I Wanna Dance with Somebody by Whitney Houston

What one item can you not live without? Lip gloss

#### **Dream Vacation:**

Canadian Rockies Train tour

# Favorite hobby:

Arts and crafts of all kinds

If they made a movie about your life, who would play the lead role?

Maya Rudolph

Who do you most admire?

My mom



# **Troy Refuge**

The Deed Defender; The Dealmaker
Refuge Law, PLLC | DTSpade Specialized Real Estate

Nickname: TroyBoy (Grandmother's nickname)

Married/Committed/Single: Married

Spouse/Significant Other Name: Channelle

Children: N/A

Fur Babies: Our plant is our pet (affectionately

named "Ronnie")

Place of Birth: New Orleans, LA

Birthday: August 31

Alma Mater: University of Houston (Go Coogs)



# Troy Refuge

Favorite sports team:

Football: Saints, Basketball: Celtics, and

Baseball: Stros

**Favorite movie:** 

Scarface ("Say hello to my little friend")

Favorite song to dance to:

The Second Line

What one item can you not live without?

Bible

**Dream Vacation:** 

Maldives

Favorite hobby:

Traveling

If they made a movie about your life, who would play the lead role?

**Denzel Washington** 

Who do you most admire?

Reginald Lewis or Don Peebles



# Rick Shumpert Captain Kennesaw Police Department

Nickname: Rick

Married/Committed/Single: Married

Spouse/Significant Other Name: Ashlea (Ashley)

Children: Riley (13), Emma Ruth (9)

Fur Babies: Dog - Ranger

Place of Birth: Kennestone

Birthday: August 30

Alma Mater: Kennesaw State University



# **Rick Shumpert**

# Favorite sports team:

Braves

#### **Favorite movie:**

Point Break (original)

# Favorite song to dance to:

Baby Got Back by Sir Mix-a-Lot

# What one item can you not live without?

Caffeine

### **Dream Vacation:**

Montana Hunting Trip

# Favorite hobby:

Hunting

# If they made a movie about your life, who would play the lead role?

Jeffrey Donovan (Burn Notice)

# Who do you most admire?

Jocko Willink (Navy Seal, Author)



# Kelli Spearman Labor & Employment Associate Freeman Mathis & Gary, LLP

Nickname: Kels

Married/Committed/Single: Single

Spouse/Significant Other Name: N/A

Children: N/A

Fur Babies: Goldendoodle named Job (biblical

pronunciation)

Place of Birth: Same place as Elvis

Birthday: Pi Day (March 14)

Alma Mater: Ole Miss



# Kelli Spearman

# Favorite sports team:

The 2015 Ole Miss football team

## **Favorite movie:**

The Devil Wears Prada

# Favorite song to dance to:

Your Love by The Outfield

# What one item can you not live without?

My lucky dry erase marker

### **Dream Vacation:**

The Poconos

# Favorite hobby:

Sitting in rush-hour traffic on the connector

# If they made a movie about your life, who would play the lead role?

Gennifer Goodwin

# Who do you most admire?

My mom



# **Eric Trehern**

Senior Manager - Asset Protection The Home Depot

Nickname: "E", "Tree" or Treeheezy

Married/Committed/Single: Married

Spouse/Significant Other Name: Julie

Children: Ansley (14), Wyatt (8)

Fur Babies: Black Labs - Johnny and June. My wife

and kids have a bunny... named Pat the Bunny

Place of Birth: Marietta, GA

Birthday: February 25

Alma Mater: THE University of Georgia



# **Eric Trehern**

## Favorite sports team:

Georgia Bulldawgs and Atlanta Braves

## **Favorite movie:**

Last of the Mohicans

# Favorite song to dance to:

Play That Funky Music (white boy)

# What one item can you not live without?

Coffee / My Integrity

## **Dream Vacation:**

Mountain Lake Home with my family - completely unplugged

# Favorite hobby:

Boating / Wake Surfing

# If they made a movie about your life, who would play the lead role?

Chuck Norris.... but seriously, Kevin McKidd

# Who do you most admire?

There are many, but people who in the face of adversity/life's defining moments act courageously



# Danny Vander Maten Senior Vice President Cresa

Nickname: DVM

Married/Committed/Single: Married

Spouse/Significant Other Name: Becky

Children: Clyde (9), Ruthie (6), Penny (3)

Fur Babies: Dog - Knowley

Place of Birth: St. Louis, MO

Birthday: February 13

Alma Mater: Auburn University



# Danny Vander Maten

# Favorite sports team:

**Auburn Tigers** 

## **Favorite movie:**

The Goonies

## Favorite song to dance to:

I Want You Back by The Jackson 5

# What one item can you not live without?

A radio (or whatever can play music)

### **Dream Vacation:**

A month-long RV trip to the Grand Canyon in the summer with my wife and kids

# Favorite hobby:

"Dad-joking"

# If they made a movie about your life, who would play the lead role?

Chris Pratt (the chubby version)

# Who do you most admire?

People who never seem like they have a bad day



# **Eliese Bernard**

President, Wellstar Cobb Medical Center
Wellstar Health System

Nickname: Energizer Bunny

Married/Committed/Single: Married

Spouse/Significant Other Name: Malcolm

Children: Gabriel (14), Landon (13)

Fur Babies: N/A

Place of Birth: Miami, FL

Birthday: March 7

Alma Mater: Andrews University



# **Eliese Bernard**

## Favorite sports team:

Miami Dolphins

# **Favorite movie:**

Hitch

## Favorite song to dance to:

Gonna Make You Sweat by C & C Music Factory

# What one item can you not live without?

Water

## **Dream Vacation:**

Bora Bora, Polynesian Islands

# Favorite hobby:

Reading or walking

# If they made a movie about your life, who would play the lead role?

Jessica Pearson from "Suits"

# Who do you most admire?

My parents



# Sean Ferrell CFO LGE Community Credit Union

Nickname: Da Banker

Married/Committed/Single: Married

Spouse/Significant Other Name: Marla

Children: Christian (18), Orion (7), Sean Jr. (6)

Fur Babies: N/A

Place of Birth: Warner Robins, GA

Birthday: September 29

Alma Mater: Georgia Southern University



# Sean Ferrell

# **Favorite sports team:**

Philadelphia Eagles

### **Favorite movie:**

The Matrix

# Favorite song to dance to:

My Drank and My 2 Step

# What one item can you not live without?

Television

### **Dream Vacation:**

Australia

## **Favorite hobby:**

Golf

# If they made a movie about your life, who would play the lead role?

Chiwetel Ejiofor

### Who do you most admire?

My Grandfather, Isaac Ferrell, Sr.



# **Rachel Franklin**

Epidemiology & Infectious Disease Director Cobb & Douglas Public Health

Nickname: Rae

Married/Committed/Single: Married

Spouse/Significant Other Name: Richard

Children: Samuel (12), Elizabeth (10)

Fur Babies: N/A

Place of Birth: Charleston, SC

Birthday: April 18

Alma Mater: University of Alabama at Birmingham



# Rachel Franklin

**Favorite sports team:** 

Atlanta Braves

**Favorite movie:** 

La La Land

Favorite song to dance to:

Livin' On a Prayer

What one item can you not live without? Chapstick

**Dream Vacation:** 

1 month traveling around western Europe

Favorite hobby:

Hiking

If they made a movie about your life, who would play the lead role?

Julia Roberts

Who do you most admire?

Mother Teresa



# Kim Franz Director of Programs & Events Cobb Travel & Tourism

Nickname: Kimbo

Married/Committed/Single: Married

Spouse/Significant Other Name: Kevin

Children: John Roger (4.5), Walker (3)

Fur Babies: N/A

Place of Birth: Mobile, AL

Birthday: August 7

Alma Mater: Georgia Southern University



# Kim Franz

## Favorite sports team:

Atlanta Braves

#### **Favorite movie:**

The Sandlot

# Favorite song to dance to:

I Wanna Dance with Somebody by Whitney Houston

# What one item can you not live without?

Sunglasses

# **Dream Vacation:**

The Maldives

# Favorite hobby:

Relaxing near a body of water (pool, lake, beach, river)

# If they made a movie about your life, who would play the lead role?

Mila Kunis (specifically her role in Bad Moms, ha)

# Who do you most admire?

**Dolly Parton** 



# Evan Ingram Director of Development Goshen Valley

Nickname: Uncle Phil

Married/Committed/Single: Married

Spouse/Significant Other Name: Kara

Children: N/A

Fur Babies: Dooley, Labradoodle, Therapy dog

Place of Birth: Tallahassee, FL

Birthday: October 27

Alma Mater: University of Georgia



# Evan Ingram

Favorite sports team:

**UGA Football** 

**Favorite movie:** 

Braveheart

Favorite song to dance to:

Crab Rave

What one item can you not live without?

Mtn Dew Baja Blast Zero

**Dream Vacation:** 

New Zealand

Favorite hobby:

Golf

If they made a movie about your life, who would play the lead role?

Josh Peck

Who do you most admire?

Mark Richt



# Anthony Iorillo Director of Architecture CROFT & Associates

Nickname: Pasta

Married/Committed/Single: Married

Spouse/Significant Other Name: Penny

Children: Trey (25), Thomas (23), Tori (20)

Fur Babies: N/A

Place of Birth: Orange County, CA

Birthday: May 16

Alma Mater: Georgia Institute of Technology



# **Anthony Iorillo**

## **Favorite sports team:**

Atlanta Braves

#### **Favorite movie:**

The Sound of Music

# Favorite song to dance to:

Joy and Pain by Rob Base and DJ Easy Rock

# What one item can you not live without?

My planner

## **Dream Vacation:**

Rome, Florence, Venice, and Como

# **Favorite hobby:**

**MTB** 

# If they made a movie about your life, who would play the lead role?

Christian Slater or Matthew McConaughey

# Who do you most admire?

Jesus



# **Rich Jakob**

Director, Facility Operations
Atlanta United FC

Nickname: Bacon

Married/Committed/Single: Married

Spouse/Significant Other Name: Erin

Children: N/A

**Fur Babies:** I'm not a pet person, but my wife is trying to flip me

Place of Birth: Long Island, NY

Birthday: June 13

Alma Mater: THE Ohio State University



# Rich Jakob

# Favorite sports team:

Go Mets!!! but the Braves are my 2nd favorite...

### **Favorite movie:**

Goodfellas

## Favorite song to dance to:

**Bad Romance** 

# What one item can you not live without?

A good book and a sharp chef's knife

# **Dream Vacation:**

Galapagos Islands

# Favorite hobby:

Cooking

If they made a movie about your life, who would play the lead role?

Jeff Bridges

# Who do you most admire?

Atticus Finch - fictional people can't let you down:)



# Chyeena Kellogg

Managing Partner
Cultured Ag Inc.

Nickname: Chy

Married/Committed/Single: Married

Spouse/Significant Other Name: Guilliaume

Children: N/A

Fur Babies: Leo and Mikey (corgis)

Place of Birth: Chicago, IL

Birthday: August 3

Alma Mater: Kendall College - Chicago



# Chyeena Kellogg

# Favorite sports team:

White Sox (Chicago)

# **Favorite movie:**

Mary Poppins

# Favorite song to dance to:

Beyonce - Break my Soul

# What one item can you not live without?

Chapstick

## **Dream Vacation:**

Cape Town South Africa

# Favorite hobby:

Relaxing

# If they made a movie about your life, who would play the lead role?

Fantasia

# Who do you most admire?

Guill Kellogg...my husband. :)



# Adebola Lamikanra Counsel

Genuine Parts Company

Nickname: Bola

Married/Committed/Single: Single

Spouse/Significant Other Name: N/A

Children: N/A

Fur Babies: N/A

Place of Birth: Tallahassee, FL

Birthday: January 12

Alma Mater: UCF and IU



# Adebola Lamikanra

# Favorite sports team:

**UCF** Golden Knights

## **Favorite movie:**

Dune 2

# Favorite song to dance to:

IPlenty- Burna Boy

# What one item can you not live without?

French Fries

#### **Dream Vacation:**

Fiji

# **Favorite hobby:**

**Pilates** 

# If they made a movie about your life, who would play the lead role?

Issa Rae

## Who do you most admire?

People who have the courage to change the status quo



# Jesus Martinez

Peach Tree Commercial Capital, LLC

Nickname: Papa Bear

Married/Committed/Single: Married

Spouse/Significant Other Name: Cristina

Children: Prince Joseph (29), Sir Nemer (21), Sir

JonPaul (19), Lady TannerMarie (17)

Fur Babies: Guadalupe (Lupe) Martinez / Malteepoo lady dog Elvira (Elvi) Martinez / Malteepoo lady dog Ceviche Martinez / king of our jungle / Cat

Place of Birth: Brooklyn New York, Sheephead Bay

Birthday: February 24

Alma Mater: University of Maryland

# Jesus Martinez

# Favorite sports team:

Roll Tide Roll, Alabama

## **Favorite movie:**

Gladiator with Russell Crowe

## Favorite song to dance to:

Any Bachata or old school salsa songs

What one item can you not live without? Coffee! Only coffee.

## **Dream Vacation:**

Toss up between the moon and sun, but will settle for Thailand

# Favorite hobby:

Riding motorcycles, Hiking, jet skies, traveling

If they made a movie about your life, who would play the lead role?

Ruben Blades

Who do you most admire?

Our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ



# Kirstin Popper President & Founder kirpop

Nickname: Kir

Married/Committed/Single: Committed

Spouse/Significant Other Name: Lee

Children: N/A

Fur Babies: Two cats (sisters) Snoop Dogg and

Martha Stewart

Place of Birth: Boston, MA

Birthday: December 20

Alma Mater: Emory



# **Kirstin Popper**

## **Favorite sports team:**

Dillon Panthers

## **Favorite movie:**

Brazil

# Favorite song to dance to:

Real: Go F\*ck Yourself, Shaggy. Appropriate

answer: Mambo No. 5

# What one item can you not live without?

Glasses!

#### **Dream Vacation:**

African safari

# Favorite hobby:

Cooking

If they made a movie about your life, who would play the lead role?

Diane Keaton

# Who do you most admire?

Ida Mae Burt (my grandmother, "mema")



# Chris Wasserman Chief Recruiting Officer

Wasserman Talent Solutions

Nickname: Mr. Cobb

Married/Committed/Single: Married

Spouse/Significant Other Name: Lily

Children: Luna (9), Lucian (3)

Fur Babies: 2 Cats - Mimi and Blu

Place of Birth: Georgia

Birthday: November 11

Alma Mater: Georgia Tech



# Chris Wasserman

## **Favorite sports team:**

**Atlanta Braves** 

### **Favorite movie:**

The Matrix

# Favorite song to dance to:

Party Rock Anthem

# What one item can you not live without?

Lawn mower

## **Dream Vacation:**

Trip around the world touching every continent

## **Favorite hobby:**

Working out

# If they made a movie about your life, who would play the lead role?

Christian Bale

# Who do you most admire?

Barack Obama



# Benjamin Andrews Statewide Program Manager ATDC

Nickname: Ben

Married/Committed/Single: Married

Spouse/Significant Other Name: Casey

Children: Ella (2), Brooks (2 months)

Fur Babies: Tully - three legged dog

Place of Birth: Camp Lejeune, NC

Birthday: August 22

Alma Mater: Georgia Tech

# **Benjamin Andrews**

# **Favorite sports team:**

Atlanta United

## **Favorite movie:**

Star Wars: A New Hope

# Favorite song to dance to:

The Sugarhill Gang - Apache (Jump On It)

# What one item can you not live without?

Sunglasses

## **Dream Vacation:**

**Fhloston Paradise** 

# Favorite hobby:

Disc golf

# If they made a movie about your life, who would play the lead role?

Tom Hiddleston

# Who do you most admire?

Princess Leia - the real hero of the story



# **Denise Czarnik**

**Executive Director** Smyrna Public Safety Foundation

Nickname: D

Married/Committed/Single: Married

Spouse/Significant Other Name: Rob

Children: Robbie (34), Cory (30)

Fur Babies: 2 German Shepherds - Samson & Elijah

Place of Birth: Centralia, IL

Birthday: August 11

Alma Mater: Lee University

# **Denise Czarnik**

# Favorite sports team:

Atlanta Braves - Hockey

## **Favorite movie:**

The Holiday

# Favorite song to dance to:

?

# What one item can you not live without? Coffee

#### **Dream Vacation:**

Anywhere on the beach

# Favorite hobby:

My dogs

If they made a movie about your life, who would play the lead role?

Sandra Bullock

Who do you most admire?

God



Mariel Ellis
Manager of Customer Care
Gas South

Nickname: Ella

Married/Committed/Single: Married

Spouse/Significant Other Name: Addison

Children: N/A

Fur Babies: Cazadora we call her Cassie -

Chesapeake Bay Retriever Ruger - English Cocker

Spaniel

Place of Birth: Mexico City

Birthday: August 15

Alma Mater: Kennesaw State University

# **Mariel Ellis**

# **Favorite sports team:**

Clemson and Illini

#### **Favorite movie:**

Saw series. Any scary, gruesome movie. I love Halloween.

# Favorite song to dance to:

Propuesta Indecente by Romeo Santos

## What one item can you not live without?

Makeup - I have to always have my makeup with me

#### **Dream Vacation:**

Would love to visit - Iceland

# Favorite hobby:

Scrapbooking and reviewing new makeup to update my products

# If they made a movie about your life, who would play the lead role?

Barbara Mori

## Who do you most admire?

Anyone who has had to overcome adversity and pulled themselves up by their bootstraps



Molly Gillis
Owner / Managing Partner
Gillis Law Firm, LLC

Nickname: Moxie Molly

Married/Committed/Single: Married

Spouse/Significant Other Name: Austin

Children: Emily (10), Jack (8)

Fur Babies: Woody Marshmallow Murphy Pickles

Gillis - Labrador Retriever

Place of Birth: Springfield, MO

Birthday: September 25

Alma Mater: UGA and University of Denver Sturm

College of Law

# **Molly Gillis**

## **Favorite sports team:**

Go dawgs!

#### **Favorite movie:**

Hallmark Christmas movies, Dirty Dancing, and Shawshank Redemption

# Favorite song to dance to:

Hey Ya

What one item can you not live without? Sunscreen

## **Dream Vacation:**

Paws Up Resort in Montana

## Favorite hobby:

Photography

If they made a movie about your life, who would play the lead role?

Emma Stone

Who do you most admire?

Notorious RBG



BJ Martin
Director of Operations, Atlanta
W&A Engineering

Nickname: BJ

Married/Committed/Single: Single

Spouse/Significant Other Name: N/A

Children: Jacob (16), Maggie (13), Levi (10)

Fur Babies: Gracie - Labradoodle

Place of Birth: Orlando, FL

Birthday: April 15

Alma Mater: Auburn University

# **BJ Martin**

# **Favorite sports team:**

Braves

## **Favorite movie:**

**Pulp Fiction** 

## Favorite song to dance to:

I don't dance

# What one item can you not live without?

My sunglasses

### **Dream Vacation:**

Anywhere with a beach, waves and relaxing environment

## Favorite hobby:

Classical music

# If they made a movie about your life, who would play the lead role?

Leonardo DiCaprio

# Who do you most admire?

Ben Watts. Manager and mentor in my first job.



# Ashley Palmer State Court Judge State Court of Cobb County

Nickname: Pumpkin (only my mother has ever called me this)

Married/Committed/Single: Married

Spouse/Significant Other Name: Robert

Children: Robert Archie (13), Ashton Langford (9),

Avery Lynell (7)

Fur Babies: N/A

Place of Birth: Nashville, TN

Birthday: October 26

Alma Mater: Vanderbilt University

# **Ashley Palmer**

# Favorite sports team:

Atlanta Braves

### **Favorite movie:**

The Wedding Singer

# Favorite song to dance to:

Any Beyonce' Song

# What one item can you not live without? My Kindle

#### **Dream Vacation:**

Italy

## Favorite hobby:

Traveling

# If they made a movie about your life, who would play the lead role?

Kerry Washington

# Who do you most admire?

My maternal grandmother



# **Rico Short**

Endodontist / Root Canal Specialist
Apex Endodontics PC

Nickname: Rico Suave

Married/Committed/Single: Married

Spouse/Significant Other Name: Angela

Children: Jayla (18), Ava (16)

Fur Babies: Georgia - Miniature F1B Goldedoodle

Place of Birth: Columbus, GA

Birthday: June 29

**Alma Mater:** Morris Brown College / The Medical College Of Georgia School Of Dentistry / Nova

Southeastern University

# **Rico Short**

## **Favorite sports team:**

Atlanta Falcons / Hawks / Braves

#### **Favorite movie:**

The Shack

# Favorite song to dance to:

Toosie Slide - Drake

# What one item can you not live without? Cell phone

## **Dream Vacation:**

Maldives

# Favorite hobby:

Working out & reading my Bible

# If they made a movie about your life, who would play the lead role? Denzel Washington

Who do you most admire?
Inky Johnson / Jeremy Abernathy



# **Douglas Simmons**

Software Engineer Cox Communications

Nickname: Fresh

Married/Committed/Single: Married

Spouse/Significant Other Name: Donna

Children: Maya (20), Deshawn (22)

Fur Babies: Onyx/ Black Lab

Place of Birth: Cleveland, OH

Birthday: January 14

Alma Mater: Troy University

# **Douglas Simmons**

**Favorite sports team:** 

NY KNICKS, San Francisco 49ers, Braves

**Favorite movie:** 

Anything 007

Favorite song to dance to:

Anything Ole Skool House or Dougie Fresh

What one item can you not live without?
Camera

**Dream Vacation:** 

Bora Bora, Tahiti

Favorite hobby:

Photography

If they made a movie about your life, who would play the lead role?

**Anthony Anderson** 

Who do you most admire?

Nia Long



Casey Tanner
Vice President of External Affairs
Kennesaw State University

Nickname: Case

Married/Committed/Single: Married

Spouse/Significant Other Name: Chris

Children: N/A

Fur Babies: Rory - golden retriever

Place of Birth: Atlanta, GA

Birthday: November 3

Alma Mater: Georgia Tech, UGA

# **Casey Tanner**

## **Favorite sports team:**

Savannah Bananas

### **Favorite movie:**

Dodgeball

## Favorite song to dance to:

Danza Kuduro

# What one item can you not live without?

Chapstick

## **Dream Vacation:**

Galapagos Islands

# Favorite hobby:

**Pickleball** 

# If they made a movie about your life, who would play the lead role?

Emilia Clarke

# Who do you most admire?

My mom



# **Chad Williams**

Owner; Investor; Financial Advisor GB's Lake & Stable

Nickname: The Chad

Married/Committed/Single: Married

Spouse/Significant Other Name: Jenna

Children: N/A

Fur Babies: Horses: Aladdin, Kelly, Titan;

Dogs: Maddie, Confetti

Place of Birth: Austell, GA

Birthday: November 6

Alma Mater: Osborne High; Kennesaw State

# **Chad Williams**

# Favorite sports team:

Braves

## **Favorite movie:**

A River Runs Through It

# Favorite song to dance to:

?

# What one item can you not live without? Unfortunately cell phone

## **Dream Vacation:**

African Safari

# Favorite hobby:

Genealogy

# If they made a movie about your life, who would play the lead role?

Tom Hanks

# Who do you most admire?

My late Grandmother



# Jennifer Willis Owner Summit Heating and Air

Nickname: Jen

Married/Committed/Single: Married

Spouse/Significant Other Name: Tim

Children: David (17), Zach (17), Mackenzie (15)

Fur Babies: Maggie - Goldendoodle, Holly - Bichon,

Mittens - Cat

Place of Birth: Marietta, GA

Birthday: January 14

Alma Mater: University of North Georgia

# Jennifer Willis

## **Favorite sports team:**

Atlanta Braves

#### **Favorite movie:**

Fun with Dick and Jane

## Favorite song to dance to:

Fireball, Pitbull

# What one item can you not live without?

Chapstick

## **Dream Vacation:**

Bora Bora

# Favorite hobby:

Writing

# If they made a movie about your life, who would play the lead role?

Tea Leoni

## Who do you most admire?

Tim my husband, Stage 4 survivor



# Nick Winbush Director T. Dallas Smith & Company, LLC

Nickname: Nick

Married/Committed/Single: Married

Spouse/Significant Other Name: Jasmine

Children: Phoenix (6), Taj (3)

Fur Babies: N/A

Place of Birth: Cleveland, OH

Birthday: December 30

Alma Mater: Miami University (OH)

# Nick Winbush

# Favorite sports team:

Cleveland Browns

#### **Favorite movie:**

Do The Right Thing

# Favorite song to dance to:

All 2000s Hip hop and R&B

# What one item can you not live without?

Cell phone

## **Dream Vacation:**

East African Tour (multiple countries)

# Favorite hobby:

Jogging

# If they made a movie about your life, who would play the lead role?

Lakeith Stanfield

## Who do you most admire?

My Father



# **Carl Crumbley**

Deputy Fire Chief of Community Risk Reduction Cobb County Fire & Emergency Services

Nickname: The Hazard Handler

Married/Committed/Single: Married

Spouse/Significant Other Name: Ashley

Children: Walker (17), Addison (14)

Fur Babies: Sadly, no pets. My houseplants are

barely hanging on as it is!

Place of Birth: Austell, GA

Birthday: August 28

Alma Mater: Columbia Southern University



# **Carl Crumbley**

## **Favorite sports team:**

The Atlanta Falcons

#### **Favorite movie:**

Major League - Wild thing, you make my heart sing!

## Favorite song to dance to:

The Floss – because nothing is more satisfying than embarrassing my teenagers with my epic dance moves!

### What one item can you not live without?

My yoga mat – because it's the only time I can pretend lying on the floor is exercise!

#### **Dream Vacation:**

Hawaii - where else can I wear a grass skirt?

## **Favorite hobby:**

Kayak fishing – because who doesn't love fishing with the added challenge of staying upright?

# If they made a movie about your life, who would play the lead role?

Steve Carell, "Somehow I Manage" edition

### Who do you most admire?

Colin Powell: He could broker peace talks between a cat and a mouse.



Sean Ditzel
Owner/Partner
Abernathy Ditzel Hendrick, LLC

Nickname: Showtime

Married/Committed/Single: Married

Spouse/Significant Other Name: Dr. Robin Casey

Children: Xavier (8), Alex (7)

Fur Babies: Max - Westie dog, Coco- Tuxedo cat

Place of Birth: Baltimore, MD

Birthday: April 21

Alma Mater: UGA Law, GSU Undergraduate



# Sean Ditzel

# **Favorite sports team:**

Georgia BULLDOGS!

#### **Favorite movie:**

Persona (Bergman)- huge movie buff

## Favorite song to dance to:

Anything I can do "the running man" to

## What one item can you not live without?

Briefcase - contains my whole office

#### **Dream Vacation:**

Hawaii is this summer- big bucket list one

#### **Favorite hobby:**

Kayaking

# If they made a movie about your life, who would play the lead role?

A de-aged Robert Deniro

## Who do you most admire?

Cliche as it is, my mom- best in the world!



# Christopher Gulledge Chief Medical Examiner Cobb County Government

**Nickname:** Don't really have one, although I'm pretty frequently called Doc

Married/Committed/Single: Married

Spouse/Significant Other Name: Alyssa

Children: N/A

Fur Babies: Byron - Dog

Place of Birth: Columbia, SC

Birthday: August 21

Alma Mater: The Johns Hopkins University



# **Christopher Gulledge**

## **Favorite sports team:**

Basketball - Duke or UNC, whoever is having a better season

## **Favorite movie:**

Young Frankenstein

# Favorite song to dance to:

As Time Goes By

What one item can you not live without?

## **Dream Vacation:**

The Moon. Mars is also acceptable, but I don't think I can get the time off work for that.

# Favorite hobby:

Shooting

If they made a movie about your life, who would play the lead role?

Harold Ramis

Who do you most admire?

Weird Al Yankovic



BJ Haisten
Senior Project Manager
Brasfield & Gorrie, LLC

Nickname: BEEJ

Married/Committed/Single: Married

Spouse/Significant Other Name: Emily

Children: James (9), Reid (7), Cantey (5)

Fur Babies: Dog (Long Haired Dachshund) - Dottie

Place of Birth: Montgomery, AL

Birthday: June 25

Alma Mater: Auburn University



# **BJ Haisten**

## **Favorite sports team:**

**Auburn Tigers** 

## **Favorite movie:**

Forrest Gump

# Favorite song to dance to:

Outkast - The Way You Move

# What one item can you not live without?

Coffee

## **Dream Vacation:**

Bora Bora

### **Favorite hobby:**

Golf

# If they made a movie about your life, who would play the lead role?

Justin Timberlake

# Who do you most admire?

My wife, Emily



# Earnest Johnson Senior Engineer Rep, Economic Development Georgia Power

Nickname: Earnt-dog

Married/Committed/Single: Single

Spouse/Significant Other Name: None yet.

**Emphasis on YET** 

Children: N/A

Fur Babies: N/A

Place of Birth: Atlanta, GA

Birthday: February 24

Alma Mater: Clemson University



# **Earnest Johnson**

## **Favorite sports team:**

Atlanta Braves

#### **Favorite movie:**

Love Actually

# Favorite song to dance to:

Rockin' Robin by The Jackson 5

# What one item can you not live without?

Chips. I spend over \$200 a month on chips

## **Dream Vacation:**

Italy. I'm saving it for marriage.

# Favorite hobby:

Swing dancing

# If they made a movie about your life, who would play the lead role?

Brad Pitt, my celebrity man crush

### Who do you most admire?

My favorite pastor, Matt Chandler, in Texas



# Brittany Lambert Talent Acquisition Manager Walton Communities

Nickname: Britt

Married/Committed/Single: Committed

Spouse/Significant Other Name: Wesley

Children: N/A

Fur Babies: N/A

Place of Birth: Augusta, GA

Birthday: April 29

Alma Mater: Georgia State University



# **Brittany Lambert**

## **Favorite sports team:**

Bama football, all Atlanta professional teams

#### **Favorite movie:**

Love Jones

## Favorite song to dance to:

Lord of the Rings

# What one item can you not live without?

Calendar

# **Dream Vacation:**

Bora Bora

## Favorite hobby:

Baking

# If they made a movie about your life, who would play the lead role?

Deborah Ayorinde

# Who do you most admire?

My mom



### **Stephanie Meyer**

Vice President of Institutional Effectiveness Chattahoochee Technical College

**Nickname:** Stacy - I don't answer to it but blame Stacy

Married/Committed/Single: Married

Spouse/Significant Other Name: Ed

Children: Ella (16), Brooks (10)

Fur Babies: Echo (10) - Miniature Schnauzer

Place of Birth: Davenport, IA

Birthday: October 1

Alma Mater: UGA, University of West Georgia, and

Western Illinois University



### **Stephanie Meyer**

#### **Favorite sports team:**

Georgia Bulldogs - that's what living in the south taught me

#### **Favorite movie:**

Just about anything Will Ferrell

#### Favorite song to dance to:

Cupid Shuffle - those directions make it easy!

#### What one item can you not live without?

Vaseline Lip Therapy - old design

#### **Dream Vacation:**

Iceland - I missed the Aurora Borealis!

#### Favorite hobby:

Reading (guilty pleasure reading - tabloids and Britney Spears)

### If they made a movie about your life, who would play the lead role?

Jennifer Garner - she's funny and seems to respect privacy

#### Who do you most admire?

Cliché - my mom - her strength over the years amazes me



#### Nehemiah Pace Senior Fan Services Executive Atlanta Falcons Football Club

Nickname: Neo

Married/Committed/Single: Married

Spouse/Significant Other Name: Rebecca

Children: N/A

Fur Babies: N/A

Place of Birth: Villa Rica, GA

Birthday: August 12

Alma Mater: Point University



### **Nehemiah Pace**

#### **Favorite sports team:**

Falcons, Hawks, Braves

#### **Favorite movie:**

Rush Hour (1, 2 & 3)

#### Favorite song to dance to:

Love Slide - Cupid

### What one item can you not live without? Glasses

#### **Dream Vacation:**

Hawaiian All Inclusive Beach Resort

#### Favorite hobby:

Pick-Up Sports

### If they made a movie about your life, who would play the lead role?

Jamie Foxx

#### Who do you most admire?

Wifey!



## Keisha Register Director of HR & Risk Management City of Marietta

**Nickname:** Fancy Pants

Married/Committed/Single: Married

Spouse/Significant Other Name: Mike

Children: Trixie (9)

Fur Babies: Trixie Register, rescue puppie

Place of Birth: Alexandria, VA

Birthday: November 1

Alma Mater: Virginia Commonwealth University/

**Bowie State** 



### Keisha Register

#### **Favorite sports team:**

Go BRAVES!!

#### **Favorite movie:**

**Bridesmaids** 

#### Favorite song to dance to:

Billie Jean by Michael Jackson

#### What one item can you not live without?

Tote bag

#### **Dream Vacation:**

Costa Rica

#### **Favorite hobby:**

Peloton

### If they made a movie about your life, who would play the lead role?

Paula Patton

#### Who do you most admire?

Jackie Onassis



## Alina Stevens CSO All-Pro Pest Services

Nickname: The Bug Pro

Married/Committed/Single: Married

Spouse/Significant Other Name: Mickey

Children: Savannah (21), Hank (18), Ruby (16)

**Fur Babies:** Maisel - English Bulldog, Autumn - Min. Schnauzer, Sully - AussieDoodle, Rip - Catahoula

Leopard

Place of Birth: Tallahassee, FL

Birthday: January 21

Alma Mater: University of Alabama



### **Alina Stevens**

#### **Favorite sports team:**

The one my son plays for, The University of West GA football team

#### **Favorite movie:**

UP

#### Favorite song to dance to:

Anything my daughter (Savannah) sings

### What one item can you not live without? Coffee

#### **Dream Vacation:**

**European Tour** 

#### Favorite hobby:

Sitting on my screened in porch with a book, coffee, & my iPad

### If they made a movie about your life, who would play the lead role?

Sandra Bullock (Blind Side) or Julia Roberts (Erin Brockovich)

#### Who do you most admire?

God my Lord and Savior



Joy Ugi
Director of Operations
ACEC Georgia

Nickname: J

Married/Committed/Single: Single

Spouse/Significant Other Name: N/A

Children: N/A

Fur Babies: Dog — Quincy

Place of Birth: Tom's River, NJ

Birthday: July 3

Alma Mater: Piedmont College



### Joy Ugi

#### **Favorite sports team:**

Atlanta Braves

#### **Favorite movie:**

It's a Wonderful Life

#### Favorite song to dance to:

Walking on Sunshine

#### What one item can you not live without?

My dayplanner

#### **Dream Vacation:**

U.S. National Parks

#### **Favorite hobby:**

**Pickleball** 

### If they made a movie about your life, who would play the lead role?

Anne Hathaway

#### Who do you most admire?

My parents — they're generous to a fault



#### **Gretchen Walton**

Assistant Superintendent - Compliance, Legal & Legislative Affairs Cobb County School District

Nickname: Scarlet Wonder

Married/Committed/Single: Married

Spouse/Significant Other Name: Charles

**Children:** Charlie (29), Elisabeth (23), Foster (18), Alexandria (15)

**Fur Babies:** We have a zoo. 3 cats, 2 dogs, and 2 mini-hippos (Frenchies).

Place of Birth: Detroit, MI

Birthday: November 30

Alma Mater: Washington and Lee University



### **Gretchen Walton**

#### **Favorite sports team:**

Lassiter Ladies Lacrosse

#### **Favorite movie:**

Good Will Hunting or Princess Bride

#### Favorite song to dance to:

Danza Kuduro

#### What one item can you not live without?

Books/My Kindle

#### **Dream Vacation:**

A few months of adventures in Australia or hiking/rafting in Canada

#### Favorite hobby:

Making music

### If they made a movie about your life, who would play the lead role?

**Emma Watson** 

#### Who do you most admire?

My grandmother



Jennifer New
Chief Development Officer
Mount Paran Christian School

Nickname: Jen, JNew, DJ Jazzy Jen

Married/Committed/Single: Married

Spouse/Significant Other Name: Kevin

Children: Ryan (girl) (17), Hunter (boy) (14)

Fur Babies: "Zeke" the MOST AMAZING mutt EVER!

Place of Birth: Opelika, AL

Birthday: December 13

Alma Mater: UGA...GO DAWGS!

## Leadership

### **Jennifer New**

#### **Favorite sports team:**

Atlanta Braves

#### **Favorite movie:**

Legends of the Fall

#### Favorite song to dance to:

**Cupid Shuffle** 

#### What one item can you not live without?

"Jolene" the Jeep

#### **Dream Vacation:**

Italy

#### Favorite hobby:

Cooking, eating, talking about food...

### If they made a movie about your life, who would play the lead role?

Gilda Radner

#### Who do you most admire?

Condaleeza Rice



Greg Mize
VP, Marketing & Innovation
Atlanta Braves

Nickname: My boys call me "Dub" or "Fah" - my

nickname in high school was "Mizey"

Married/Committed/Single: Married

Spouse/Significant Other Name: Kristin

Children: Riley (14), Matthew (12), Grayson (12)

Fur Babies: Ellie (lab/hound mix)

Place of Birth: Concord, MA

Birthday: August 8

Alma Mater: Fairfield University

## Leadership

### **Greg Mize**

#### **Favorite sports team:**

Duh...

#### **Favorite movie:**

**Empire Strikes Back** 

#### Favorite song to dance to:

I don't dance to songs - I \*play\* the songs that people dance to ;)

#### What one item can you not live without?

Sadly, my phone

#### **Dream Vacation:**

Italy, Greece or Australia

#### Favorite hobby:

Following my boys from lacrosse field to lacrosse field

### If they made a movie about your life, who would play the lead role?

The only person that could do it justice...me!

#### Who do you most admire?

My dad. Patient, loyal, selfless and kind.



Joyette Holmes
Board Member
State Board of Pardons & Paroles

Nickname: Shorty

Married/Committed/Single: Married

Spouse/Significant Other Name: Bridges

Children: Morgan (20), Reagan (18)

Fur Babies: N/A

Place of Birth: Valdosta, GA

Birthday: August 5

Alma Mater: University of Georgia

## Leadership

### Joyette Holmes

#### **Favorite sports team:**

Georgia Bulldogs

#### **Favorite movie:**

The Color Purple

#### Favorite song to dance to:

Before I Let Go - Frankie Beverly & Maze

#### What one item can you not live without?

Popcorn

#### **Dream Vacation:**

...the next one

#### Favorite hobby:

**Puzzles** 

### If they made a movie about your life, who would play the lead role?

Tasha Smith

#### Who do you most admire?

My parents



Eddie Wade COO Croy Engineering

Nickname: Tedward

Married/Committed/Single: Devoted to Jesus, my

kiddos, hunting, and engineering

Spouse/Significant Other Name: N/A

Children: Ryan (11), Tara (4)

Fur Babies: Greg Teague is my companion

Place of Birth: Northside Hospital

Birthday: May 4

Alma Mater: Auburn University

## Leadership

### **Eddie Wade**

#### **Favorite sports team:**

War Damn Eagles

#### **Favorite movie:**

Smoky and the Bandit

#### Favorite song to dance to:

Lil Boo Thang

#### What one item can you not live without?

My Cooking Supplies

#### **Dream Vacation:**

Hunting Dall Sheep in Alaska

#### Favorite hobby:

Being outside! Golfing, Cooking, Fishing, Hunting, Farming etc.

### If they made a movie about your life, who would play the lead role?

Woody from Toy Story

#### Who do you most admire?

My Dad, My Mom....and Bubba



## Kai Lawrence Senior Manager, Leadership Programs Cobb Chamber

Nickname: Kai Lawrence (literally my whole name)

Married/Committed/Single: Committed

Spouse/Significant Other Name: Leadership Cobb

Children: LC22, LC23, LC24 & LC25

Fur Babies: N/A

Place of Birth: Montego Bay, Jamaica

Birthday: November 30

Alma Mater: University of South Florida

## Leadership

### Kai Lawrence

#### **Favorite sports team:**

Sports? What are those...

#### **Favorite movie:**

Bandersnatch

#### Favorite song to dance to:

Dancing Queen, ABBA

#### What one item can you not live without?

Running shoes- because I'm always running late

#### **Dream Vacation:**

Norway for the Aurora Borealis

#### Favorite hobby:

Singing (badly) in the shower

### If they made a movie about your life, who would play the lead role?

Ayo Edebri

#### Who do you most admire?

My grandmother (nan) who always reminds me to live life fully and completely.



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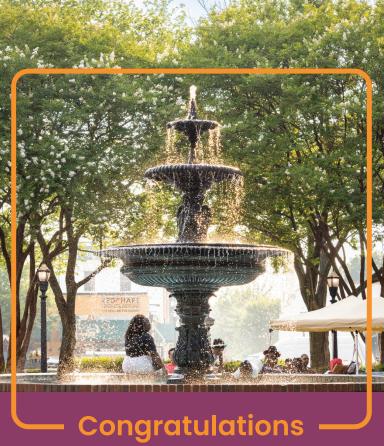
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