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## CLAYTON COUNTY SENIOR SERVICES DEPARTMENT

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### **Senior Services Department to Host Annual Mayfest**

RIVERDALE — Clayton County Senior Services Department will host its annual Mayfest event in honor of Older American's Month on May 18 from 10 a.m. until 2 p.m. The event will be held at the Clayton County International Park (The Beach) in Jonesboro.

"The purpose of Mayfest is to celebrate, honor and show our deepest appreciation for seniors who are 55 and older," Senior Services Director Tori Strawter-Tanks said. "Seniors should come to let their hair down, dance, party and enjoy the well thought-out activities our staff put together for their enjoyment."

Mayfest is a health and fitness event that connects Clayton County's senior adults with health vendors, live entertainment, give-a-ways, a competitive fitness walk, demonstrations of fitness classes and various performances. Last year's event was a huge success with over 1200 seniors in attendance. This year Kaiser Permanente and JenCare Senior Medical Center are sponsoring the event.

The Fitness Walk competition, with the opportunity for cash prizes, will begin at 9 a.m. Health vendor booths will open at 10 a.m. and remain open throughout the event. A boxed lunch will be served to all participants during the event.

This is a free event for senior adults 55 and older; no children are allowed to attend the event. Mayfest souvenir shirts will also be available for purchase to wear to the event for seven dollars (\$7).

Interested seniors may call (770) 347-0120 or email [seniorservices@claytoncountyga.gov](mailto:seniorservices@claytoncountyga.gov) for more information. To register, please visit [claytonseniors.com](http://claytonseniors.com).

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