

# ***Southern 356 Drive September 9-12, 2021***



## **EVENT REGISTRATION CENTER...What to do when you arrive...**

*(Check this link for all key updates before you depart for the event!)*

1. When you arrive in Helen, we suggest you check in first at your lodging choice, or with the folks at the Tanglewood Office (if you reserved a cabin through them), before you come to registration check in.
2. **Event check in is at the Registration Center, in the Deer Crossing Lodge, at Tanglewood.**
  - Each registrant **MUST** sign the Registry Insurance waiver, Covid waiver, you and will be given a goodie bag, T-shirt, mug, nametag w/ lanyard,(all one per person), parking sticker to place on your windshield, map book (one per car of each), and, if you ordered them, extra T-shirts and event badges.
  - There will be event & drive updates, photo safari info, a message board, and also WIFI there.
  - The Deer Crossing Lodge, pavilion, and meadows will be the centers for most event activities hosted at the Tanglewood complex. It is the parking, hospitality and main gathering area for socializing, refreshments, snacks, coffee, food, music, bonfires, staged event drives, photo safari, and swap meet.
3. Only pre-registered participants, who have signed the required waivers, may use the lodge, pavilion, & all event facilities or join in the drives, dining, hospitality, bonfires and other events. Each registrant must wear your event badge/lanyard at all times during the event; each registered car must have the event decal affixed to the windshield. We appreciate your cooperation. Thanks.



4. COVID WARNING & INFORMATION: Under Georgia law, there is no liability for any injury or death of an individual entering the event premises if such injury or death results from the inherent risks of contracting COVID-19. You are personally assuming this risk by entering any event premises. Any person entering the event premises and participating in the event in any manner waives all civil liability against this premise's owner and operator/event organizers for any injuries caused by the inherent risk associated with contracting COVID-19 at public gatherings.

The GA DPH cannot/will not provide the specific risk level for every activity in every community for every type of event. The current guidance is:

*It is important to consider your own personal situation and the risk to you, your family, and your community before venturing out. If you are fully vaccinated you can resume activities that you did before the pandemic. It is squarely upon individuals to be responsible for their choices; to be individually aware of state recommended Covid behavior; and to act accordingly.*

5. We also suggest if you have Covid type symptoms, temperature, cold, flu, any other illness or condition that puts you or others at greater risk; or if you have any type of exposure fear or anxiety; or if you are uncomfortable with GA activities and policies, simply, don't attend! Use distancing common sense, wash your hands often, and if you feel you must mask, then bring your own mask please. We are providing hand soap and sanitizer in each goodie bag for you.

6. Unless there is a government imposed lockdown/do not travel policy at event start, this event will go on as scheduled; rain or shine. The cancellation date for full refund has passed. The Registry Event Insurance program requires each attendee also sign a Covid liability release waiver.

7. Again, this is a rain or shine event! Although the cabin and common areas are cut back and trimmed, secured, clean, and safe, you are still out in the country for a lot of outdoor activity. Pack accordingly. Use common sense, be aware of critters, and do not leave food in your cars! Projected sunrise is @ 7:15AM; Sunset @ 7:45PM with day temperatures averaging in the 60's-70's, nights 50's-60's. There are NO activities or facilities for the young set on site, this is an adult oriented event. Bring your own folding chairs for outdoor activity. There are porches, meadows, fire pit area & more at the main lodge but limited outside chairs & tables.

8. The faux German town of Helen is a lot of fun. It is a popular destination for many, and traffic is often heavy in town on weekends. There are a lot of nice boutiques, sites to see, and unusual stores, so experience it, and surrounding towns. Take advantage of and enjoy many scenic and adventuresome individual drives in the surrounding area. Also see Link 9 on this website for things to do & see. The two organized drives are to Wolf Mountain Vineyards and to Glen Ella Springs Inn; all others, you are Captains of Your Own Destiny.

9. **SUNDAY DRIVE reminder:** See links 8 & 10 and please review them. Non-ethanol gas is plentiful in GA, we suggest you download the app PURE GAS. Everyone please be parked in the meadow at Tanglewood Lodge by 1030. Enter at the bottom of the meadow, come up past pavilion and line up behind the lead cars we have positioned. No order by type or year, except non-356 VIN cars will depart AFTER all 356 VIN cars are on the road to Glen Ella. **Have your map book.** We will have a short drivers meeting @ 10:45 with wheels rolling @ 11 AM. Be courteous, be careful, see you at Glen Ella @ 1PM. Park where directed, in no car model order, just as you arrive. You will have some time to use restrooms and have refreshments before lunch is served.

***On Sunday morning, please do not block the meadow area at the lodge. If you need last minute repairs or have unscheduled issues, PLEASE do not tend to them on the main grassy area at the lodge where we will be staging cars for the drive. Get off to the side or somewhere out of the way. Non 356 VIN cars, please stay in the lower meadow. Thank you.***

10. Once you received your registration email confirmation, no further action is needed on your part or ours. You're registered, no worry! Just arrive safely Thursday the 9<sup>th</sup> and check in at the Lodge. The event list is closed, there are no standbys, or pending guests, or late registrations. Everything a registered guest needs to know about the event is on this website. The map book you will be given at check in (one per car) contains event info, schedule, routes & more. ENJOY your time with us on beautiful GA Highway 356 & the surrounding area.

Still the SAME FUN in 21..and More BETTER!