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## Chehaw Park Learn & Burn Pt.1

On Jan 24th, Golden Triangle partnered with NRCS, GA-DNR, Quail Forever and the Georgia Forestry Commission to host the classroom portion for our upcoming learn & burn at Chehaw Park.

The goal of these classes is to increase knowledge and confidence among landowners to burn their own land and encourage landowners with EQIP contracts to complete their burns and keep their contracts in compliance.

Funding for the event was provided in part by a Co-Operative Agreement from the Natural Resources.



## Reserve the Golden Triangle Prescribed Fire Trailer:

Golden Triangle RC&D is proud to announce that our Prescribed Fire Trailers are now available for rent.

These pull-behind trailers contain specified burning tools recommended by the Georgia Forest Commission. This includes drip torches, blowers, hand tools and more.

For more information and availability please call the Golden Triangle office at 229-995-2027





## Stay up-to date with Golden Triangle on social media

Facebook — Golden Triangle RC&D

Instagram — Goldentrianglercd

Twitter — @GTriangle\_RCD

## Thank You Mr. Billy Roland

Golden Triangle RC&D would like to recognize Billy Roland for his 30 years of service & dedication to the Golden Triangle Resource, Conservation, & Development Council. Mr. Roland has diligently served with the non-profit group in various capacities since its inception in 1992. In that time Mr. Roland has served as a representative for Miller County, a board member and as the Council President.

Golden Triangle RC&D's January 27th meeting in Colquitt GA marked Mr. Roland's last meeting as Council President. Executive Director Rhonda Gordon presented Mr. Roland with a plaque commemorating his time with the Council. The plaque thanked Mr. Roland for his "vision, love and dedication" over the last 30 years and is inscribed with Psalm 96:11-12:

*"Let the heavens rejoice, let the earth be glad; let the sea resound, and all that is in it. Let the fields be jubilant, and everything in them; let all the trees of the forest sing for joy".*



## Join the Southwest Georgia Forest Landowner Council:

The association will focus on issues and concerns regarding prescribed burning, benefits of fire, safety measures and protocols, along with technical resources and program assistance for landowners.

For more information contact Julie Shutters at [Jshutters@goldentrianglercd.org](mailto:Jshutters@goldentrianglercd.org) or 229-995-2027

## 2022 Golden Triangle Community and Fire Grants

The Golden Triangle RC&D believes it's a combination of factors that make a community great. Clean air and water, vibrant parks and recreation areas, active citizen involvement, great schools, effective social services, and a spirit of local pride all factor into making a community one we want to call home. Working through our mission and vision, we have created a self-funded investment program which works to assist the residents in our service delivery area to achieve a sustainable natural resource base, increase social and economic opportunities, and improve quality of life. This program endeavors to make a positive difference through targeted grants to causes and organizations that help advance the social, economic, educational, environmental, and agricultural interests of cities and counties in the communities we serve. Preference is given to organizations in our service delivery area that can demonstrate clear, measurable results toward stated objectives and a solid track record for success. 2022 community grants will be awarded at a maximum of \$1,000,. 2022 Fire and Rescue grants will be awarded at a maximum of \$2000.

Golden Triangle does not advertise these grants, instead we ask our member representatives and partners to please pass along grant information to the organizations who need it most. 2022 grant applications are available on our website at:

[www.goldentrianglercd.org/community-grants](http://www.goldentrianglercd.org/community-grants)



2021 - Clay County Food Bank



2021 - Decatur County Fire & Rescue

### Upcoming Events:

Stay tuned to our website for upcoming events

[www.Goldentrianglercd.org/events](http://www.Goldentrianglercd.org/events)



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