



# Cobb Update

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### Special Dates of Interest

- Nov 7 - Roving Gourmet
- Nov 17 - Book Group
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- Dec 7 - Holiday Get-together and Roving Gourmet



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We are not having a regular meeting in November.

Please reserve December 7th and plan to be at our Holiday Get-together!!!

We will be attending the Michael O'Neal Singers presenting "A John Rutter Christmas" at 3 p.m.

with dinner to follow at a nearby restaurant. See details for the concert at [www.mosingers.com](http://www.mosingers.com)

Hope you all have a.....



# Book Group

For additional Book Group information please email or call Barbara Hammond at [Bhammond@kennesaw.edu](mailto:Bhammond@kennesaw.edu) or 770-973-1988

Our Book Group meeting will be  
**Monday, November 17th at 2 pm**

in the home of  
**Norma Cannon**  
3002 Kalah Place  
Marietta 30067

Please let Norma know if you will be coming.  
Arden Stone is facilitating and Norma is providing refreshments!!

Please RSVP to: [jimnorma@comcast.net](mailto:jimnorma@comcast.net) or **770-952-6432**

*Our book this month:*

Hotel on the  
Corner of Bitter  
and Sweet

By: Jamie Ford

....and we begin a New Year of preparation for Bookfair 2015

Don't forget our need for workers in the Book Room!!

Working hours in the Book Room are Tuesday, Thursday & Saturday 10 am to 2 pm

For more info call Karen Peters (she's there many hours) or the Bookroom at 404-261-7646

Address: 3060 Pharr Court North, Atlanta, GA 30305



## ROVING GOURMET



November 7th, 7 p.m.

### Big Chow Grill

In the Galleria Mall across 41 from Cumberland Mall  
1 Galleria Pkwy, Suite 1B1 Atlanta, GA 30339  
770-405-2464

They serve Asian stir fry! You select your own uncooked veggies and meat,  
then you give them to the cook, and they bring it to your table cooked!

*[www.bigchowgrill.com](http://www.bigchowgrill.com)*

Please RSVP to Marie Shockley at [mariepearsonshockley@yahoo.com](mailto:mariepearsonshockley@yahoo.com) or 770-984-9928

Please note: Next month we will combine Roving Gourmet with our Holiday Get-together on Sunday Dec. 7th.

## PRESIDENTS' CORNER

Submitted by:  
Co-President Nancy Coakley

Happy Thanksgiving in advance! Since November is a holiday month during which many travel, we have not scheduled any Branch activities.

There will be a Bookfair Celebration on Sunday, November 22nd, at the home of Alta Birdsong. All participants are invited to attend. Directions and additional information can be found on page 4.

Those of you who did not attend our October meeting missed an excellent presentation on today's female college student by Dr. Gail Scott, psychology professor at KSU. She was accompanied by the officers of our KSU chapter. These young women are bright and articulate - a group of which we can be proud. They are working hard to make our KSU chapter viable.

I attended a talk sponsored by them at KSU entitled: "Go, Eat, Give." The speaker, Sucheta Rawl, formed this non-profit to foster understanding among different cultures. The premise is that traveling to foreign countries, engaging in communal dining and community service will increase international understanding and acceptance among women.

EARLY in December, the 7th, the concert by the Michael O'Neal Singers will be our holiday social event, followed by dinner at a local restaurant. It is entitled "A John Rutter Christmas." If you wish to learn more about this event, go to the Singers website. [www.mosingers.com](http://www.mosingers.com) Tickets for the concert can be obtained from Karen Peters whose husband is a member of the Singers.

co-President Debbie Karvey (along with Barbara Blue) is in the UK enjoying a well-earned vacation and will return on November 4th.

Don't forget that our next Book Group meeting will be at Norma Cannon's home at 2 pm. The book for our discussion is "The Hotel on the Corner of Bitter and Sweet".

Finally, congratulations to Yetta McMillan who single-handedly ran a wine-tasting event at the Marietta Wine Market which was a great success. The Directory should be on-line very soon with paper copies also available. Please check the Schedule of Events for additional information.

Enjoy Thanksgiving with loved ones. Nancy



*"I am only one, but still I am one. I cannot do everything, but still I can do something; and because I cannot do everything, I will not refuse to do something that I can do." Helen Keller*

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## 2014 Bookfair Celebration

**Saturday, November 22, 2014 10:00 a.m.**

Many thanks to all of the volunteers who made the 2014 Bookfair a success! Bookfair is the primary source of our philanthropic funds, and we are pleased to have completed another great year. Bookfair is also an excellent opportunity to reach out to the metro-Atlanta community to share our mission of advancing equity for women and girls.

Anyone who assisted with Bookfair in any way throughout the year is invited to join us in a celebration on Saturday, November 22, at 10:00 a.m. Alta Birdsong has generously offered her hospitality at 5241 Manhasset Cove, Dunwoody, GA 30338. We will enjoy a light brunch, along with each other's company. 2014 Bookfair Chair Debbie Karvey and Steering Committee Chair, Sylvia Goodyear will announce the results of the 2014 Bookfair, and they will present the proceeds to the Cobb County, North Fulton, and Atlanta branches.

Please carpool as possible, and park on one side of the street in consideration of the neighbors. We look forward to seeing you there!

