



# JOHNS CREEK HEALTHCARE ASSOCIATION

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**The 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Johns Creek Giving Gala, hosted by the Johns Creek Healthcare Association (JCHA) will take place Friday, November 20, 2009 at 6:30 p.m. at the Atlanta Athletic Club.**

The Gala will be an evening of celebration and camaraderie featuring delicious hors d'oeuvres and multi-course seated dinner, decadent dessert buffet, live entertainment by "Last Five Standing featuring Frank Valdez" (the same amazing band at the 2008 Gala), photographer, special guests and more.

Individuals and business/practice owners alike are invited to consider the Gala their own company holiday or end-of-the-year party. Individual tickets are \$95 ea and tables are \$855 ea (includes 1 free seat at a 10 top). **Tickets are currently on sale at [www.johncreekhealthcare.org](http://www.johncreekhealthcare.org).**

**The Johns Creek Giving Gala is seeking Silent Auction items.** The highlight of the gala will be a Silent Auction with proceeds benefitting Operation Homefront-Georgia. Operation Homefront provides emergency assistance and morale to our troops, to the families they leave behind, and to wounded warriors when they return home. For more information about Operation Homefront-Georgia, call 770-973-0014 or visit [http://www.operationhomefront.net/Chapter\\_root/chapter\\_index.asp?Chapter\\_ID=18](http://www.operationhomefront.net/Chapter_root/chapter_index.asp?Chapter_ID=18).

Suggested auction donations include vacation getaways, electronics, gift baskets, wine, sports memorabilia, spa treatments, tickets to social or athletic events, unique experiences (skydiving, hot air balloon rides), original artwork, restaurant or store gift certificates, and professional services. All contributions are welcome. If unable to produce an item to donate, the Giving Gala committee will assemble a themed gift basket in your name for the auction at a selected monetary level.

Individuals and businesses contributing will be promoted to the Johns Creek community and Johns Creek Giving Gala attendees through acknowledgment on the auction bid sheet, a listing of your donation and name on Johns Creek Giving Gala promotions, a listing in the Silent Auction Program, distributed to attendee and a listing on the JCHA

website and newsletter.

**The Johns Creek Giving Gala is also seeking Sponsorship.** There are multiple sponsorship levels available \$300 to \$5000. Sponsors receive fitting benefits ranging from tickets to the Gala to promotion on website, onsite signage and in print.

Further info on the Johns Creek Giving Gala, ticket sales, silent auction donation form and sponsorship registration can all be found at [www.johnscreekhealthcare.org](http://www.johnscreekhealthcare.org) or email [Ashley@theassociationcompany.com](mailto:Ashley@theassociationcompany.com).

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The **Johns Creek Healthcare Association, Inc. (JCHA)**, is a not for profit, multi-specialty organization comprised of over 130 individuals in the healthcare industry from the Duluth and Suwanee, Georgia area known as Johns Creek. This organization not only includes physicians but individuals from every facet of the care of the human being, such as nurses, physician assistants, physical therapists, pharmacists, long term care providers, chiropractors, etc. The uniqueness of this group is that it's community based but with no single hospital association.

Located just north of Atlanta in the heart of the rapidly growing business district along Highway 141 where it intersects with McGinnis Ferry Road, the Johns Creek area radiates out to the three counties of Fulton, Forsyth, and Gwinnett, and has long been a leader in the medical field, where so many practices have found their suburban home. Continued growth has established the Johns Creek medical community as a preferred destination for referrals and treatment.

To learn more about JCHA please contact Executive Director, Maryann McGrail at 404-310-5866 or visit us <http://www.johnscreekhealthcare.org/>.