PAULDING

RETIRED EDUCATORS

ASSOCIATION

2025-2026 HANDBOOK

MEETING INFORMATION, BYLAWS, HISTORY

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GREA 2025-2026

Theme: Keeping the Vision

GREA President Geraldine Reid's Humanitarian Project:

The Children's Hospital of Georgia - Augusta

FELLOWSHIP • SERVICE • SUPPORT

2025– 2026 Paulding Retired Educators Association

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Georgia Retired Educators Association

2025 -2026 Officers

President	**Geraldine Reid**
President Elect	**Dr. Sallie Mills**
Treasurer	**Dr. John Upchurch**
Recording Secretary	**Liz Bouis**
Past President	**Shirley Grant**
Executive Director	**Johnny Smith**
Assistant to the Executive Director	**Linda Wright**
Membership Services/Office Manager	**Joy Smith**
Director of Communications	**Johnny Smith**
Bookkeeper/GREA and GREM	**Janet Allison**

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GREA President Geraldine Reid's Theme: Keeping the Vision
Charity: The Children's Hospital of Georgia - Augusta
Colors: Red, White, and Blue

GREA Mission Statement:

The GREA Mission shall be to unite retired educators in Georgia for fellowship, support, and educational/community service and to improve benefits for all

retired educators through cooperation with local, state, and national organizations.

Georgia Retired Educators Association

GREA History:

The Georgia Retired Educators Association began in 1958 as Georgia Retired Teachers Association. The organization has evolved through fifty-two years of specialization and diversity of educational roles and adopting its current name in 1998 to better describe the membership potential. GREA continues to be the only organization that concentrates exclusively on the needs of Georgia Retired Educators. Purposes of GREA:

- **To promote the economic, social, and professional status of retired educators, and the distribution of information of value to them.**
- **To promote passage of legislation beneficial to retired educators and work toward the defeat of legislation harmful to retired educators.**
- **To promote the advancement of high-quality education, to enable educators to maintain an interest in education and in their fields of specialization.**
- **To promote the involvement of retired educators in community service and in the decision-making process in the State and Local communities.**
- **To present the image of aging as one of dignity and independence.**
- **To encourage active educators to begin retirement preparation well in advance of retiring.**

PRESIDENTS GOALS FOR 2025 –2026

State President: Geraldine Reid

- **Increase membership in GREA**
- **Encourage all members to become more active at the local and state levels of GREA**
- **Encourage all units in donating to Children's Hospital of Georgia - Augusta**
- **Encourage all units in participating in the T-shirt Design Contest using the theme and colors**
- **Wear your eyeglasses proudly while representing GREA**

Paulding Retired Educators Association Local Officers

2025 - 2026

President(s)	**Beth Black and Patti Swift**
President Elect	**TBD**
Treasurer	**Paulette Rakestraw**
Secretary	**Leah Smith**
Past President	**Laura Weiss**

Area XV Director **Frank Hutcheson**
1529 Coppermine Rd
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Area XV Local Units

Bartow/Cartersville REA **Cherokee REA**
Cobb-Marietta REA **Floyd/Rome REA**
Haralson/Bremen REA **Paulding REA**
Pickens REA **Polk REA**

PREA Executive Committee

Beth Black and Patti Swift – Chairpersons

Margaret Arnold, Jeaneen Camp, Carol Griffith, Gloria King, Susan Lester, Christy Loftin, Frankie Shaw, Leah Smith, Betty Vollenweider, Laura Weiss

PREA Website ***www.pauldingrea.org***

2025 - 2026 PREA STANDING COMMITTEES

Finance Committee: Chair: Beth Black and Patti Swift Paulette Rakestraw, Sandra Parson	**Nomination Committee:** Chair: Laura Weiss, Gloria King

Handbook Committee: Chair: Patti Swift, Beth Black	**Program Committee:** Executive Committee Members
Humanitarian Projects: Chair: Patti Swift	**Publicity Committee:** Chair: Carol Griffith Barbara Cohran
Inspiration Committee: Chair: Christy Loftin Sandra McCollum, Ray Loftin, Betty Vollenweider	**Retirement Committee:** Chair: Beth Black Sandra McCollum, Susan Lester, Paulette Rakestraw, Janet Peppers
Legislative Committee: Chair: Beth Black, Patti Swift	**Scholarship Committee:** Chair: Susan Lester Barbara Cohran, Gloria King, Laura Weiss, Retha Tibbitts, Beth Black, Jeaneen Camp, Patti Swift
Membership Committee: Chair: Gloria King Laura Weiss Frankie Shaw	**State Scrapbook Page:** Chairs: Leah Smith, Betty Vollenweider
Memorial Committee: Chair: Margaret Arnold Becky James Gloria King	**Website:** Chair: Laura Weiss Paulding REA Facebook: Patti Swift
Newsletter Committee: Chair: Jeaneen Camp Elaine Puckett, Betty Vollenweider	

Paulding Retired Educators Association Community Outreach:
Helping Hands Paulding, Children's Hospital of Georgia – Augusta,
And Dallas Elementary School

2025 - 2026 MEETINGS

Location of Meetings: First Baptist Church, Dallas, GA unless otherwise noted

Dates of 2025-2026 Meetings (10:30 am – 12:30 pm)

September 11, 2025	**PREA Meeting - 10:30 am Dallas First Baptist Church** **Light Snacks** ***2025 PREA Scholarship recipients***
October 30, 2025	**Frightfully Fun Get Together 3 Strands Winery, Dallas, GA**
November 2, 2025	**Retired Educators Day Statewide Observance**
November 13, 2025	**PREA Meeting – 10:30 am Hardy Lake House** **Covered Dish Meal and Silent Auction benefitting** **Children's Hospital of Georgia - Augusta**
February 12, 2026	**PREA Meeting – 10:30 am Dallas First Baptist Church** **Light Snacks** ***Guest Speaker: Dr. Jennifer Dattolo, Optometrist "Love Your Eyes"***
March 12, 2026	**PREA Meeting 10:30 am Dallas First Baptist Church** **Covered Dish Meal** ***Memorials and Recognitions***
April 2, 2026	**Cluster Meeting Cherokee Country Club, Cedartown, GA** **11:00 am - 1:00 pm**
May 5-7, 2026	**GREA Convention Augusta Marriott, Augusta, GA**
May 2026	**Retired Educator's Luncheon** **Desserts sponsored by PREA** **Date and time to be determined**

Hosts/Hostesses Meeting Responsibilities

1. Arrive approximately 30 minutes prior to the meeting to set up.

2. Set up the room for the meeting with tables and chairs. Usually, 10 tables will do. Have 2 long tables by the back counter for refreshments and another long table on the side for drinks. Also have a long table in the front area for members to sign in.

3. Plan for seasonal decorations on the serving table (nothing fancy required).

4. Bring 3 door prizes. Examples: $10 gift cards, plants, candles, seasonal items, or a combination of items.

5. Provide the following supplies: plates, cups, napkins, plastic forks, spoons, 2 rectangular plastic tablecloths for the serving tables, drinks such as gallon jugs of sweet and unsweetened tea, pitchers of iced water, and coffee for brunch meetings.

6. Members will bring food items for all to enjoy.

The Hosts/Hostesses may be reimbursed for a total amount of $30. Please submit receipts to our treasurer. We appreciate anything you wish to donate to the success of our meetings.

PAULDING RETIRED EDUCATORS ASSOCIATION
2025-2026 GOALS

Goals:

- **To support passage of legislation beneficial to Retired Educators**
- **To oppose legislation detrimental to educators – Retired & Active**
- **To increase PREA membership by 7%**
- **To increase GREA membership**
- **To continue Communication Methods:**
    1. **PREA Newsletter**
    2. **PREA Auto-Phone Messages**
    3. **PREA Handbook**
    4. **Email**
    5. **PREA Meetings**
    6. **PREA web page: *www.pauldingrea.org***
    7. **GREA web page: *www.garetirededucators.org***
    8. **GREA e-mail: *grea3@grea3.org***
    9. **Local newspapers (submit information articles following PREA meetings and activities*)***
- **To continue our Scholarship Program**

  To award a scholarship(s) to deserving Paulding County employees who are continuing their education by pursuing an education degree leading to a teaching certificate or an advanced degree in education. Scholarships are awarded annually from donations.

- **To provide programs pertinent to retired educators**
- **To participate in GREA Annual Awards Programs**
- **To participate in worthy Community/Outreach Projects**

Money and Food Donations for Helping Hands-Paulding, Children's Hospital of Augusta and Dallas Elementary School

- **To recognize PREA members for accomplishments/volunteerism.**

Purpose of Local Unit:

- **To provide opportunities for support and fellowship**
- **To provide opportunities to continue a life of service**
- **To respond to community needs by contributing members' skills and resources**
- **To promote the benefits of membership in both the Local Unit and the State Organization**

2025 Paulding County Retirees

AMY ATCHESON SHELLY BACHEMIN JEAN BADEAU ROBERT BARRON KRISTI BIGHAM BILLIE BLACK KATHERINE BLAKE RHONDA BOATWRIGHT MARYSE BRADSHAW RONALD BROCK JILL BROGDON SCOTT CALTA STEPHANIE CARPENTER STEPHANIE CARTER LYRIC CASH MARGARET SUZANNE CLARK CHRISTOPHER CLEMENTS DONALD COFFMAN MARTHA COVINGTON GAIL CUSTER STEPHANIE DEGENAAR KARLA DODGEN DARLIA DOMBROWSKI TIMOTHY DOUTHIT ALLISON DUKES CHERYL DUNCAN HALLIE EBERLEIN JEANNE EBERT CHRISTINA EVANS JEAN FIERRO-MCARTHY KAREN FLOWERS PAULA FOUNTAIN WILLIAMAE FRASIER JASON FREEMAN CHRISTY GABLE DEBORAH GALLAGHER ZANN GIBSON LEROY GOODWIN DENISE GRAHAM LISA GRAY LAURA GROOMS ANGELA HAMILTON SHELIA HANEY DARI HARMON TANIA HENNESSEE JAMES HICKS CHRISTINA HIGHTOWER TRACEY HOLLIS	DAWN HOLMES JOHNNY HOWARD PAUL JOHNSON COLE MAXI JOHNSTON BRUCE JONES ESTHER JONES JOSEPH JORDAN EMMANUEL JOURAT CHRISTOPHER KENNEDY ROXANNE KENNEDY RITA KIMMEL JOY KNAUFF LISA KNIGHT TERRI KOCOPI STEPHANIE LATRICE BENNETT LAWRENCE LARRY LESLIE TAMMY LINDEMANN MICHELLE LOCKHORST PATRICIA MCWHORTER LEIGH MILLER GAYLYNN MILLS VICKIE MITCHELL ALETHA MONTGOMERY AMBER MORRIS ELISHA NEISWENDER ROBERT OLIVER LIADONNASANOVA- OWENS WILLIAMSON CAROL PARKER JENNIFER PATTERSON LISA PETTY TERESA RALEY CANDACE RAYMOND JOSEPH RHEA DONNA RICE DONNA ROGERS RONNIE ROPER ROBYN ROSS DENISE RYAN KATHI SCHREIN KATHY SCHROATH GLENDA SIMPSON MECHELLE SMITH BARBARA SPANOS JOHN STUDSTILL JONATHAN THOMAS LINDA TRAFFANSTED LOUISE WINCKLER JULIE WINDSOR

Paulding Retired Educators Association Bylaws

Article I – Name

The name of this organization shall be Paulding Retired Educators Association, hereto referred to as PREA.

Article II – Objectives

The Objectives of PREA are the following:

A. To cooperate with the Georgia Retired Educators Association.
B. To cooperate with the NREA Division of the American Association of Retired Persons by promoting Membership and Legislation.
C. To maintain and improve social, educational, economic, and recreational welfare and status of the retired educators in the local community, state, and nation.
D. To gather and disseminate information of value to members.
E. To encourage better fellowship among retired educators.
F. To present the image of aging as one of dignity, independence, and purpose.
G. To encourage active educators to prepare for retirement.
H. To work legislatively to improve retirement benefits of Georgia retired educators.

Article III – Governance

The PREA shall be governed by its Bylaws.

Article IV – Affiliation

The PREA shall be affiliated with the Georgia Retired Educators Association and the American Association of Retired Persons (AARP).

Article V – Membership

Section 1.

Active - Membership shall be open to any retired or former educator or Administrator who has been employed by any educational institution in the field of education, or who receives a monthly benefit check from the Teachers Retirement System of Georgia.

Section 2.

Associative - Associate Membership shall be open to any active teacher or other persons interested in the work of the Association and approved for membership by the Executive Committee. An associate member shall have membership rights and privileges, except the right to vote, hold office, or to represent PREA.

Section 3.

An Emeritus Member of PREA is a member in good standing that has reached the age of 90. At this time the designated member will no longer pay annual membership dues to the PREA organization. He/She will be informed of this by the PREA President or other PREA officer.

Article VI - Finance

Section 1.

Fiscal Year - The fiscal year of PREA shall correspond with that of the Georgia Retired Educators Association and shall begin July 1 and end June 30.

Section 2. Dues:

A. Amount of dues - The amount of dues of active, associate, and emeritus members shall be determined by the Executive Committee.
B. Payment of dues –
   (i) Continuing members - Dues of all continuing members are payable to the unit treasurer within a three month period of July 1.
   (ii) New members - Dues of new members received by treasurer within three months of the end of the fiscal year shall be credited to the following fiscal year.

(iii) Newly retired educators shall receive free PREA membership for first year of retirement provided they join GREA.

(iv) Emeritus members (Age 90 and over) shall receive free PREA membership.

Section 3. Finances:

The unit shall provide for such audit and control of its finances as are necessary for their complete accounting and safe keeping.

Article VII- Officers: Duties

Section 1.

Officers of PREA shall be President, President-elect, (who shall succeed to the presidency), Recording Secretary, Treasurer, and Immediate Past President.

Section 2. Members of the Executive Committee shall be PREA officers and chairpersons of the standing committees. All officers shall be GREA members.

Section 3. Election of PREA officers:

A. All PREA officers shall be elected for a two-year term.
B. The President, after serving as President, shall serve as Immediate Past President
C. The Nominations Committee shall present nominated officers to the PREA members for election. The Nominations Committee will present the names in March of the second year of the President's term.

Section 4. Duties of Officers:

A. The President shall:
   (i) Preside at all general meetings and meetings of the Executive Committee.
   (ii) Appoint the Committee chairmen and members of the committees, while serving as an ex-official member of all committees.
   (iii) Call regular and special meetings of the Executive Committee.
   (iv) Make recommendations to the Executive Committee for programs of action.

B. The President-elect shall:
   (i) Become President when the Presidency becomes vacant.
   (ii) Assist the President in the execution of the duties of the Presidency and perform other duties as may be delegated by the President. (iii) Serve as chairman of the Finance Committee.

C. The Secretary shall:
   (i) Record and keep a permanent file of minutes of the general meetings and of the Executive Committee meetings.
   (ii) Be responsible for correspondence including cards recognizing donations

D. The Treasurer shall:
   (i) Be responsible for collecting and recording receipts of all dues and other monies.
   (ii) Be responsible for paying any bills.
   (iii) Be responsible for keeping a proper set of books.

E. Immediate Past President shall:
   (i) Serve as advisor to the President and Executive committee.
   (ii) Serve as chairman of the Nominating Committee.
   (iii) (iii) Serve as Chairman of Membership committee.

Article VIII - Executive Committee

Section 1. Membership:

The Executive Committee shall include the officers and chairmen of the standing committees

Section 2. Duties:

The Executive Committee shall

A. Carry on the business of the unit.
B. Have the general power to administer the unit's affairs between meetings and shall report its actions to the members

Section 3. Meetings:

The Executive Committee shall meet at least twice a year.
Special meetings will be held as needed.

Article IX – Committees

Section 1: Committees shall be:

A. Standing Committees --There shall be unit standing committees as follows:

(i) Nomination
(ii) Membership and Necrology
(iii) Program
(iv) Legislative
(v) Handbook
(vi) Retirement
(vii) Inspiration
(viii) Public Relations
(ix) Finance
(x) Scholarship
(xi) Newsletter and Website
(xii) Scrapbook
(xiii) Memorial
(xiv) Humanitarian Projects

B. Additional Committees – There shall be additional standing and special committees when considered necessary to carry on the work of the unit.

Section 2: Duties of the committees:

A. Nominations -- This committee shall consist of a chairman and two other members. This committee shall present names of persons for President-Elect, Secretary, and Treasurer to the members of PREA.

B. Membership and Necrology -- This committee shall consist of a chairman and no more than four members. This committee is responsible for recruiting, reporting and retaining PREA and GREA members. This committee shall contact the Paulding County School Superintendent's office for the current list of retirees. This committee shall keep an updated list of all potential members. This committee shall report deaths of local members to the GREA office. This committee shall present an Honor Book to the appropriate local library upon the death of a PREA Member.

C. Program -- This committee shall consist of a chairman and no more than three members. This committee shall be responsible for planning the year's programs. This committee shall notify and/or check with the person(s) preparing the program.

D. Legislative -- This committee shall consist of a chairman and no more than three members. This committee shall keep the PREA members well informed about the State legislative program.

E. Handbook -- This committee shall consist of the Executive Committee and a chairman from this group appointed by the President of PREA. This committee shall be responsible for compiling, editing, printing, or emailing the handbook to members prior to the November meeting.

F. Retirement -- This committee shall consist of a chairman and no more than three members. This committee shall be involved in the county's Retirees Celebration.

G. Inspiration -- This committee shall consist of a chairman and no more than three members. This committee will be responsible for the inspiration at each meeting.

H. Publicity -- This committee shall consist of a chairman and no more than three members. This committee shall publish notices of meetings in the Dallas New Era and the Paulding Neighbor. This committee shall publish an article each month.

I. Finance -- This committee shall consist of a chairman (the PREA President-elect) and no more than three members. This committee shall prepare a yearly budget for the unit.

J. Scholarship-- This committee shall consist of a chairman and 6 to 8 PREA members. This committee shall be responsible for preparing, distributing, and collecting all application forms; responsible for selecting the recipient(s) based on published requirements; responsible for setting amounts and suggesting the means for raising needed funds.

K. Newsletter - Website -- This committee shall consist of an editor and members as needed to compile, edit, and print a newsletter to be mailed to PREA members. This committee will also maintain the website for the purpose of keeping the membership informed.

L. Scrapbook -- This committee shall consist of a chairman and one other member. They will construct a one two-sided page for the GREA Scrapbook. It will follow the criteria set forth by GREA and will be sent to the GREA Archives and History Committee by June 1.

M. Memorial – This committee shall consist of a chairman and other members. This committee shall honor those members who had passed away during the year.

N. Humanitarian Projects: This committee shall consist of a chairman who assists the President in raising money to support the State President's Humanitarian Project.

Article X -- Meetings and Quorum
Regular meetings of the unit shall be held in September, November, February, and March, in accordance with the school calendar. The regular meetings are held on the second Thursday of the above listed months, subject to change due to facility availability. The April meeting, Cluster Meeting, (which counts as a regular meeting), shall be held on the 1st Thursday of April at announced location, usually the Cherokee Country Club in Cedartown, GA. The date and location of the May meeting, The Annual Retirement Celebration, will be determined by the Paulding County School District and announced to the membership (Note: If different the membership shall be notified by newsletter or by phone call). Those members present shall represent a quorum.
Article XI – Amendments
These Bylaws may be amended at the Executive Committee meeting by a vote of 2/3 of the members present. These amendments will be presented and discussed at the following regular PREA meeting.
Article XII -- Rules of Order
The revised version of Robert's Rule of Order shall govern the meetings in all cases in which they are applicable, and in which they are not inconsistent with the Bylaws of the Paulding Retired Educators Association
{Revisions approved by the PREA Executive Committee.}
*The Telephoning Committee was removed from the Committee List when PREA agreed to do the Phone Tree method of keeping PREA Members informed of meetings and other pertinent information. The decision was made by and approved by the membership and the Executive Committee.
*The Scholarship Committee was formed and announced to the PREA membership. This Committee will continue to follow the rules set forth in the 'Duties of Committees" of the Bylaws.
Revisions approved by the PREA Executive Committee July 21, 2009

*Article V – Membership Section 1 – remove (PREA membership-first year of retirement is free)
*Article VI – Section 2B (iii) to read "Newly retired educators shall receive free PREA membership for the first year of retirement provided they join GREA."
These changes were presented to the membership at regular meeting Sept. 8, 2009.

*The Memorial Committee was formed and announced to the PREA membership. This committee will continue to follow the guidelines set up to honor those PREA members who have passed away.
*The PREA Executive Board voted on August 6, 2015, to give a $200 honorarium to the president to assist with expenses for the GREA State Convention. If this person cannot attend, the money would go to the president-elect. If neither can attend the money would not go to anyone else.
*The Executive Committee voted that beginning 2018 the PREA Past President will assume the roll as Membership Chairperson for their term as Past President.

Paulding Retired Educators Association History

Charter Members Sept. 9, 1975

Miss Janette Allgood
Miss Minnie Allgood
Mrs. Gladys Cole
Mrs. Lois Cole
Mrs. Cora Colquitt
Mrs. Jimmy Dickerson
Mrs. Velma Finch
Miss Elva Gordon
Mrs. Agnes Hay
Miss Nellie Matthews
Mrs. Mabelle McGarity
Mrs. Lillian Poole
Mrs. Ola Ragsdale
Miss Ruby Reeves
Mrs. Ora Lee Sanders
Mrs. Elsie Shipp
Mrs. Ruth Strickland
Mr. Broughton Walton
Mrs. Metta Wynn
Mrs. Edna Earl Young

Joining the group in March 1977

Mrs. Cecil Hyatt
Miss Elizabeth Tibbetts
Mrs. S. D. McCormick
Mrs. Mildred Watson

PREA Past Presidents

1975 – 1977	**Ola Ragsdale**
1977 – 1979	**Velma Finch**
1979 – 1983	**Louise Hall**
1983 – 1985	**Carl Scoggins, Jr.**
1985 – 1987	**Verdyne York**
1988 – 1993	**Louise Hall**
1993 – 1995	**Carl Scoggins, Jr.**
1995 – 1997	**Sara Ragsdale**
1997 – 1999	**Vera Arney**
1999 – 2001	**Mildred Watson**
2001 – 2003	**Velma Freeman**
2003 – 2005	**Sara Ragsdale**
2005 – 2007	**Randy & Margaret Arnold**

2007 – 2010	**Barbara Cohran**
2010 – 2012	**Retha Tibbitts**
2012 – 2014	**Marcia Bell**
2014 – 2016	**Don & Marsha Rauscher**
2016 -2018	**Ricky Clemmons**
2018 – 2020	**Barbara Cohran**
2020 - 2022	**Gloria King**
2022 – 2024	**Laura Weiss**

Necrology: Memorials to Members

GRTA FOUNDATIONS:

Mrs. Gladys Heath Cole	**1989**	**Mrs. Virginia Hay**	**1994**
Mrs. Ora Lee Sanders	**1990**	**Mrs. Sara Babb**	**1994**
Mrs. Agnes Hay	**1991**	**Mrs. Maude Ragsdale**	**1995**
Miss Ruth Bell	**1993**	**Mr. Paul Ritch**	**1995**
Mr. Adrian King	**1993**	**Mrs. Paul Ritch**	**1995**
Miss Janet Allgood	**1993**	**Mrs. Owen Weaver**	**1995**
Mrs. Metta Wynn	**1993**	**Mrs. Inis Carter**	**1996**

Books donated in honor of deceased PREA members to Paulding County Libraries

Mrs. Lillian Poole	**1997**	**New Georgia Library**
Mrs. Thelma King	**1999**	**Maude Ragsdale Library**
Miss Ruby Reeves	**1999**	**Paulding County Library**
Mrs. Iris Harris	**1999**	**New Georgia Library**
Miss Minnie Allgood	**2001**	**Maude Ragsdale Library**
Mrs. Lois Wills	**2001**	**Paulding County Library**
Mrs. Pearl Abney	**2001**	**New Georgia Library**
Miss Ethel Smith	**2001**	**Maude Ragsdale Library**
Mrs. Ira Foster	**2001**	**Paulding County Library**
Mrs. Trumie Wix	**2001**	**New Georgia Library**
Mr. Truman Strudivant	**2001**	**Maude Ragsdale Library**
Mrs. Lolos Thomason	**2001**	**Paulding County Library**
Mrs. Edna Earl Young	**2001**	**New Georgia Library**
Mrs. Ione W. Johnson	**2001**	**Maude Ragsdale Library**
Mr. Horace Dennis	**2001**	**Paulding County Library**

Mr. Carl Scoggins, Jr.	**2001**	**New Georgia Library**
Mrs. Lois Cole	**2002**	**Maude Ragsdale Library**
Mrs. Inez Hardin	**2002**	**Paulding County Library**
Miss Susie Gordon	**2003**	**New Georgia Library**
Mrs. Velma Finch	**2003**	**Maude Ragsdale Library**
Mrs. Ola Ragsdale	**2003**	**Paulding County Library**
Mrs. Mary Aderhold	**2003**	**New Georgia Library**
Miss Jane Austin	**2003**	**Maude Ragsdale Library**
Mrs. Mildred Watson	**2004**	**Paulding County Library**
Mr. A. J. Mitchell	**2004**	**New Georgia Library**
Mrs. Carrie Rogers	**2004**	**Maude Ragsdale Library**
Mrs. Mara Raleigh	**2004**	**Paulding County Library**
Mrs. Eleanor Paris	**2005**	**Maude Ragsdale Library**
Mrs. Adelyn Denton Worthy	**2005**	**Paulding County Library**
Mrs. Ruth Strickland	**2005**	**New Georgia Library**
Mrs. Elsie Shipp	**2006**	**Maude Ragsdale Library**
Mrs. Sara Ragsdale	**2006**	**Paulding County Library**
Mrs. Melba Johnson	**2006**	**New Georgia Library**
Mr. Ken Phillips	**2006**	**Maude Ragsdale Library**
Mrs. Yvonne Welch	**2006**	**New Georgia Library**
Mrs. Thelma Morris	**2007**	**Paulding County Library**
Mrs. Cora Colquitt	**2007**	**Maude Ragsdale Library**
Mrs. Thelma Green	**2007**	**New Georgia Library**
Mrs. Elizabeth McKoon	**2008**	**Paulding County Library**
Mr. Al Hornsby	**2008**	**Maude Ragsdale Library**
Mrs. Patty Watson	**2008**	**Paulding County Library**
Mrs. Kathrine Branch	**2009**	**New Georgia Library**
Mrs. Miriam Fleeman	**2009**	**Maude Ragsdale Library**
Mrs. Wilma Ione Bivens	**2010**	**Maude Ragsdale Library**
Mrs. Betty Catherine Crowe	**2010**	**Paulding County Library**
Mrs. Susie Jane Horner	**2010**	**New Georgia Library**
Mrs. Joe Ann Lawrence	**2010**	**Maude Ragsdale Library**

Mary Dodson	**2011**	**Paulding County Library**
L. B. Walton	**2011**	**Maude Ragsdale Library**
Virgie Ballentine	**2011**	**New Georgia Library**
Kathy Alred	**2012**	**Maude Ragsdale Library**
Susan Corley	**2012**	**Crossroads Library**
Lillie Goldin	**2012**	**New Georgia Library**
Joe Williams	**2012**	**Paulding County Library**
Mrs. Jimmie Gilbert	**2013**	**Crossroads Library**
Jane Womack Scott	**2013**	**Paulding County Library**
Mrs. Louise Hall	**2014**	**Maude Ragsdale Library**
Lena Moses	**2014**	**New Georgia Library**
Bob Watson	**2015**	**Dallas Public Library**
Allene Magill	**2018**	**Maude Ragsdale Library**
Janell Flemister	**2018**	**New Georgia Library**
Mary Nell Gann Burch	**2019**	**Crossroads Library**
Billy Freeman	**2020**	**Paulding County Library**
Jerry Hollis	**2020**	**Maude Ragsdale Library**
Jim Jordan	**2021**	**New Georgia Library**
Franklin Welch	**2021**	**Crossroads Library**
Frances Rakestraw	**2021**	**Paulding County Library**
Connie Tibbitts	**2021**	**Maude Ragsdale Library**
Lymus Holman	**2021**	**New Georgia Library**
Vikki Brown Garmon	**2023**	**Crossroads Library**
Randy Arnold	**2023**	**Paulding County Library**

2025 -2026 Paulding Retired Educators Membership Form

PREA President: Beth Black and Patti Swift

Contact us with any questions at our website www.pauldingrea.org under the "Links and Forms" tab or the "Contact Us" tab

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