

The Marietta Welcome Center & Visitors Bureau – A Million Visitors Strong

They came, they saw, they toured! One million visitors have passed through the doors of the Marietta Welcome Center & Visitors Bureau since opening in April 1984. The Bureau recognized its millionth visitor on Tuesday, September 14 when Linda & Simon Cook from Streetly, England came into the Center. The Cooks, who are visiting their daughter who lives in the area, are on their third visit to Georgia, but their first visit to Marietta. When asked why they chose Marietta, Mrs. Cook said, “We were looking for charming places to visit and Marietta fit the bill.”

“This is so exciting,” stated Executive Director, Theresa Jenkins. “We’ve had wonderful visitors from throughout the world and it’s nice to recognize the significance of this event. Marietta boasts a strong tourism economy and it is reflected in the number of visitors we have annually.”