

Community Broadcasters, LLC.

WIBZ/WDEX/WWBD/WWKT/WOLH/WHYM/WWHM/WSIM/**WFRK**/ WPDT/WLJI
4th Quarter 2022

Additional events/issues receiving LIVE on-location coverage or airtime/support:

October 20 – Education Appreciation Night event in Sumter

October 19-21 – Children’s Miracle Network Radiothon. Live 3-day broadcast to raise money to benefit McLeod Children Hospital. For 12 hours each day, we broadcast live on location from the concourse at McLeod hospital. Directly from these efforts, over \$120,000 was raised. This is a new record amount.

October 22 – Kickin’ Chicken Wing & Chili Fest (Florence SC Chamber of Commerce)

November 5 – South Carolina Pecan Festival

November 9 – Sumter United Ministries Give-A-Thon. Live 12 hour broadcast to raise money for Sumter United Ministries. Total amount raised \$7450

November 21 – Pee Dee Action Agency

December 9 – Share the Warmth finale. Collected cold weather items blankets, coats, etc. Drop boxes at many locations in Sumter. Items presented to United Ministries for proper distribution.

December – Season of Giving. Listeners and sponsors donated a total of \$11,385. Money was used to purchase wish list items for families in need. Distribution was managed by Youth Mentors of the Pee Dee and Boys & Girls Clubs of the Pee Dee Area

Live local play-by-play coverage:

Sumter P-15 Baseball

Sumter High School Football

Hartsville High School Football

Wilson Hall Football

Thomas Sumter Football

West Florence, South Florence, Wilson High School Football

Followed South Florence all the way to state championship

Additional Issues:

Chamber Link Program. Weekly forum provided to Sumter and Florence Chamber’s.

Arbor Day Foundation

Movember Foundation

Rotary International

Supporting Pets

Talking Is Teaching

Wake Up Carolina - WFRK/WHYM/WDCY/WTQS

Mon Oct 3, 2022

8am Terri Hadsorff (fox news)

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Created by: mike_yanno@commbroadcasters.com

9:45am Flo Cty Parks and Rec

Calendar: Wake Up Carolina - WFRK/WHYM/WDCY/WTQS
Created by: randal.catoe@gmail.com

Tue Oct 4, 2022

8:10am Scott Kaufman & Will Bolt

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1pm Chamber Link Recording

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Wed Oct 5, 2022

7:30am Tonya J Powers

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8am Charmaine Yoest (Fox News)

Calendar: Wake Up Carolina - WFRK/WHYM/WDCY/WTQS
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Thu Oct 6, 2022

7:05am Armstrong Wealth

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Created by: randal.catoe@gmail.com

7:25am Jon Decker 202-770-6065

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8:30am Jeff Monosso

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Created by: mike_yanno@commbroadcasters.com

9am Jared Halpern

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Fri Oct 7, 2022

8am Delegation Interview

Calendar: Wake Up Carolina - WFRK/WHYM/WDCY/WTQS
Created by: whitneyphelanhill@gmail.com

Mon Oct 10, 2022

7:30am Ryan Schmelz

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Wake Up Carolina - WFRK/WHYM/WDXY/WTQS

8am Hal Lambert

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Created by: mike_yanno@commbroadcasters.com

9am Robert Cahaly

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Tue Oct 11, 2022

7:30am Robby Wells

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8:10am Scott Kaufman & Will Bolt

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9am Jared Halpern

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1pm Chamber Link Recording

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Wed Oct 12, 2022

7:30am Whiner Wednesday

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Created by: randal.catoe@gmail.com

8am Russell Frye

Calendar: Wake Up Carolina - WFRK/WHYM/WDXY/WTQS
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9am Jim Messina

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Thu Oct 13, 2022

7:05am Armstrong Wealth

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7:25am Jon Decker 202-770-6065

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8am Superintendent O'malley

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9am Calvin Dark

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Wake Up Carolina - WFRK/WHYM/WDXY/WTQS

Fri Oct 14, 2022

7am Ryan Schmelz

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7:30am Tonya Powers

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8am Delegation Interview

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9am Jason Priester & Chris Clarke

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Mon Oct 17, 2022

7:30am Terri Hasdorff

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Tue Oct 18, 2022

8:10am Scott Kaufman & Will Bolt

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9am Ellen Weaver

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Wed Oct 19, 2022

6am Mcleod-athon

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Thu Oct 20, 2022

6am Mcleod-athon

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7:05am Armstrong Wealth

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7:25am Jon Decker 202-770-6065

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Wake Up Carolina - WFRK/WHYM/WDEXY/WTQS

8:30am FC Sherriffs Dept

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8:40am Brian Lee(SCHP)

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Fri Oct 21, 2022

6am Mcleod-athon

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8am Delegation Interview

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Mon Oct 24, 2022

7:30am Ryan Schmez

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8am Jesse Cartrette

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8:30am Jared Halpern

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9:30am Beverly Cooks for Christ 9:45

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Tue Oct 25, 2022

8:10am Scott Kaufman & Will Bolt

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9:15am Jared Halpern (9:20)

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1pm Chamber Link Recording

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Wed Oct 26, 2022

7:30am Whiner Wednesday

Calendar: Wake Up Carolina - WFRK/WHYM/WDEXY/WTQS
Created by: randal.catoe@gmail.com

8:30am Tonya Powers

Calendar: Wake Up Carolina - WFRK/WHYM/WDEXY/WTQS
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Wake Up Carolina - WFRK/WHYM/WDXY/WTQS

10am No Schofields or Regi today

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Thu Oct 27, 2022

7:05am Armstrong Wealth

Calendar: Wake Up Carolina - WFRK/WHYM/WDXY/WTQS
Created by: randal.catoe@gmail.com

7:25am Jon Decker 202-770-6065

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8am Ryan Schmelz

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8:30am Christina Haley

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Fri Oct 28, 2022

7:30am joey mcmillian

Calendar: Wake Up Carolina - WFRK/WHYM/WDXY/WTQS
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8am Delegation Interview

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9am HS Football coaches

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9:30am Priester and Clarke

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Mon Oct 31, 2022

7:30am Terri Hasdorff

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8:30am Jared Halpern

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Tue Nov 1, 2022

7am Tonya Powers

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7:30am Tris Waystack

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8:10am Scott Kaufman & Will Bolt

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9am Ryan Schmelz

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9:30am Jared Halpern

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1pm Chamber Link Recording

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Wed Nov 2, 2022

7:30am Sarah Chamberlin

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8am Russell Fry

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8:30am DR Marie Cossgrove

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10am Schofields & Armstrong recordings

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Thu Nov 3, 2022

7:05am Armstrong Wealth

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7:25am Jon Decker 202-770-6065

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8am Jeff Monosso

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8:30am Brian Seitchik

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9am Robert Cahaley

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Fri Nov 4, 2022

7:15am Ryan Schmelz 7:20

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8am Delegation Interview

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9am Priester and Clarke

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Mon Nov 7, 2022

7:30am Tonya Powers 7:30

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8am Eben Brown

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8:30am Joe Cunningham

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Tue Nov 8, 2022

7am calvin dark

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7:30am Ted Harvey

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8:10am Scott Kaufman & Will Bolt

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9am Gurnal Scott

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1pm Chamber Link Recording

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Wed Nov 9, 2022

7:30am Whiner Wednesday

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10am Schofields & Armstrong recordings

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Wake Up Carolina - WFRK/WHYM/WDXY/WTQS

Thu Nov 10, 2022

7:05am Armstrong Wealth

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7:25am Jon Decker 202-770-6065

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8:30am Russell Fry

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9am Krystin Goodwin

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9:45am Joey Edwards Charity Golf Tourney

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Fri Nov 11, 2022

8am Delegation Interview

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9am Krystin Goodwin

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9:45am out @ 9:54:20

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Mon Nov 14, 2022

8:30am Chris Westfall

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Tue Nov 15, 2022

7:30am Eben Brown

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8:10am Scott Kaufman & Will Bolt

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9am Jared Halpern

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9:30am Jeff Zell

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1pm Chamber Link Recording

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Wed Nov 16, 2022

7:30am Steven Rabb

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8am Eben Brown

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10am Schofields & Armstrong recordings

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Thu Nov 17, 2022

7:05am Armstrong Wealth

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7:25am Jon Decker 202-770-6065

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8am John Pudner

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8:30am FC Sherriffs Dept

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8:40am Brian Lee(SCHP)

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9am Ryan Schmelz

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Fri Nov 18, 2022

7:30am Sarah Chamberlin

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8am Delegation Interview

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9am Priester

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9:30am Clarke

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Mon Nov 21, 2022

7:30am Eben Brown

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8:30am Terri Hasdorff

Calendar: Wake Up Carolina - WFRK/WHYM/WDCY/WTQS
Created by: mike_yanno@commbroadcasters.com

Tue Nov 22, 2022

8:10am Scott Kaufman & Will Bolt

Calendar: Wake Up Carolina - WFRK/WHYM/WDCY/WTQS
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1pm Chamber Link Recording

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Wed Nov 23, 2022

7:30am Whiner Wednesday

Calendar: Wake Up Carolina - WFRK/WHYM/WDCY/WTQS
Created by: randal.catoe@gmail.com

10am Schofields & Armstrong recordings

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Thu Nov 24, 2022

7:05am Armstrong Wealth

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7:25am Jon Decker 202-770-6065

Calendar: Wake Up Carolina - WFRK/WHYM/WDCY/WTQS
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Fri Nov 25, 2022

8am Delegation Interview

Calendar: Wake Up Carolina - WFRK/WHYM/WDCY/WTQS
Created by: whitneyphelanhill@gmail.com

Tue Nov 29, 2022

8:10am Scott Kaufman & Will Bolt

Calendar: Wake Up Carolina - WFRK/WHYM/WDCY/WTQS
Created by: randal.catoe@gmail.com

9am bikes or bust Beverly

Calendar: Wake Up Carolina - WFRK/WHYM/WDCY/WTQS
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Wake Up Carolina - WFRK/WHYM/WDXY/WTQS

9:30am Beverly Mckee Cooks for Christ

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Created by: mike_yanno@commbroadcasters.com

1pm Chamber Link Recording

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Wed Nov 30, 2022

7:30am Antony Ghee

Calendar: Wake Up Carolina - WFRK/WHYM/WDXY/WTQS
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8:30am Jeff Monosso

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10am Schofields & Armstrong recordings

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Thu Dec 1, 2022

7:05am Armstrong Wealth

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7:25am Jon Decker 202-770-6065

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1:30pm Mike Injection

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Fri Dec 2, 2022

7:30am Ryan Shmelz

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7:45am Coach Marlowe (S Florence HS FB)

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8am Delegation Interview

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9am Clarke and Preister 9:05 & 9:20

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Created by: mike_yanno@commbroadcasters.com

Mon Dec 5, 2022

8:30am Jessica Rosenthal (Fox News)

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Wake Up Carolina - WFRK/WHYM/WDXY/WTQS

Tue Dec 6, 2022

7:30am Steven Rabb

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8am Tonya Powers 8:05

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Wed Dec 7, 2022

7:30am Whiner Wednesday

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8:30am Terry Schilling

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8am Russell Fry

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8:30am Lauren Daugherty

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Fri Dec 9, 2022

7:30am Local Delegation

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8am Delegation Interview

Calendar: Wake Up Carolina - WFRK/WHYM/WDXY/WTQS
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Wake Up Carolina - WFRK/WHYM/WDCY/WTQS

Mon Dec 12, 2022

8:30am William Schofield

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Tue Dec 13, 2022

8:10am Scott Kaufman & Will Bolt

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9am Ryan Schmelz

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12pm Chamber Link Recording

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Wed Dec 14, 2022

7:30am Ryan Schmelz

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8:30am Jared Halpern

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10am Schofields & Armstrong recordings

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Thu Dec 15, 2022

7:05am Armstrong Wealth

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Created by: randal.catoe@gmail.com

7:25am Jon Decker 202-770-6065

Calendar: Wake Up Carolina - WFRK/WHYM/WDCY/WTQS
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8am Eben Brown

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8:30am FC Sherriffs Dept

Calendar: Wake Up Carolina - WFRK/WHYM/WDCY/WTQS
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8:40am Brian Lee(SChP)

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Wake Up Carolina - WFRK/WHYM/WDCY/WTQS

Fri Dec 16, 2022

8am Delegation Interview

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Mon Dec 19, 2022

7:30am Ryan Schmelz

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8am Tammy Hicks

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Tue Dec 20, 2022

8:10am Scott Kaufman & Will Bolt

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1pm Chamber Link Recording

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Wed Dec 21, 2022

7:30am Whiner Wednesday

Calendar: Wake Up Carolina - WFRK/WHYM/WDCY/WTQS
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8:30am Jared Halpern

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Thu Dec 22, 2022

7:05am Armstrong Wealth

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7:25am Jon Decker 202-770-6065

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Wake Up Carolina - WFRK/WHYM/WDXY/WTQS

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Florence Festivals & Events

Sat Oct 1, 2022

9am - 1pm City Center Farmers Market

Where: City Center Farmers Market Sanborn St., 200 Sanborn St., Florence, SC, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

The Florence City Center Farmers Market is open every Saturday from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. and Tuesday from 4 to 7 p.m. The market features local farmers and artisans from the surrounding cities and counties. Local farmers will provide a variety of fresh produce, meat, dairy, and bread. There also will be some crafts vendors. www.facebook.com/citycenterfarmersmarket

10am - 10am Addie's Baby Paint Class

Where: Addie's Baby Paint & Sip Studio, 290 W Evans St, Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

Addie's Baby has many classes to choose from this month. You can join a class via zoom or in the studio. Click here to register
Friday, Sept 23 at 7 p.m. – "Gucci Girl" Trap Paint & Groove Saturday, Sept 24 at 11a.m. – "Butterfly" all ages paint class Saturday, Sept 24 at 2 p.m. – "Pumpkin Spice" Friday, Sept. 30 at 7 p.m. – "Relax'n with Wine" Trap Paint & Groove Saturday, Oct 1 at 2 p.m. – "Autumn Countryside" Saturday, Oct 1 at 6 p.m. – "Midnight Lantern"

10am - 1pm HMRA Farmers Market

Where: Main Street Commons, Main Street, Marion, SC, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description: The Historic Marion Revitalization Association Farmers Market is open on the 1st, 3rd and 5th Saturday, March through November.

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11:30am - 11:30am Wild Weekends

Where: Lynches River County Park – EDC, 5094 County Park Road, Coward, SC, 29530, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

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2pm - 2pm Seminar Brewing's Oktoberfest

Where: Seminar Brewing, 551 West Lucas Street, Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

Seminar Brewing is hosting its annual Oktoberfest Saturday. In addition, to live music featuring The Water Kickers, there will be goat yoga, German food, and a Homebrew Competition. Are you a seasoned brewer? Or have you always wanted to give home brewing a shot? During Seminar Brewing's Oktoberfest, they are offering the chance to compete with your brews. There is no entry fee; they only need four – 12oz—samples of your homebrewed beer, which the owners and staff will blindly judge. You may enter up to three different beers. All entries must be submitted by Friday, September 30. All styles are welcome! The Grand Prize winner will receive a \$200 house account and a four-barrel batch of their beer brewed and on tap at Seminar Brewing!

Florence Festivals & Events

3pm - 3pm Wild Weekends

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4pm - 8pm Southeastern Bluegrass Association Concert

Where: The Grand Old Post Office, 201 Pearl Street, Darlington, South Carolina, 29532

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

The Southeastern Bluegrass Association of South Carolina will hold monthly concerts on the first Saturday of every month. The doors open at 4 p.m. Come on out for jamming, socializing, and open mic. Light snacks and soft drinks are available for purchase. Admission is \$10, \$7 for members, \$5 for students, and free for children 12 and younger.

5pm - 5pm Jim & Hunter Live

Where: Wild Heart Brewing Company, 317 Railroad Ave, Hartsville, South Carolina, 29550

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description: Jim and Hunter will perform at Wild Heart Brewing Company Saturday at 5 p.m. Come out for some great music and delicious food.

7pm - 7pm Glow Throw Night

Where: Blade and Bull Axe Throwing, 551 West Lucas Street, SC, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

Blade & Bull Axe Throwing hosts Glow Throw every Friday and Saturday. Come out and wear your neon because they've got black lights!

7pm - 7pm The Latin Caravan

Where: Jazz on Dargan, 137 N. Dargan Street, Florence, SC, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description: The Latin Caravan will perform Saturday at Jazz on Dargan.

Sun Oct 2, 2022

12pm - 3pm BBQ and Live Music featuring Rod Brown

Where: Wholly Smokin' Downtown, 150 S. Dargan Street, Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

Every Saturday and Sunday, Wholly Smokin combines their love of BBQ and brunch with live music! Grab a seat and a mimosa or bloody mary, and join in the fun from 12 to 3 p.m.

12pm - 3pm Praise in the Park

Where: Terrence Carraway Park, 100 Magnolia Street, Darlington, South Carolina

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

The Darlington Area Parks, Recreation & Tourism presents Praise in the Park 2022. Bring your chairs and come to Praise in the Park Sunday from 4 to 7 p.m.

1pm - 4pm Gospel in the Park

Where: Pride Park, 630 S. 6th Street, Hartsville, SC, 29550, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

Gospel in the Park returns Sunday at 5 p.m. The theme this month is Breast Cancer and Domestic Violence Awareness Month. Bring your lawn chairs and enjoy the concert.

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Mon Oct 3, 2022

10am - 5pm Marcus Dunn: Re/Educated Exhibit

Where: The Waters Building, 135 S. Dargan St., Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

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Tue Oct 4, 2022

8am - 1pm Shannon Rae Lindsey: Displaced Processes Exhibit

Where: Steven F. Gately Gallery, 142 North Dargan Street, Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

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1:45pm - 1:45pm Growing Hobby Workshop: Succulent Pumpkins

Where: Pee Dee State Farmers Market, 2513 W. Lucas St., Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

Join Growing Hobby for an evening of fun. These evening workshops are BYOB. Sept 6 - Cracked Pot Planter - Use terra cotta pottery shards to design a succulent planter or a multi-level fairy garden. \$55 Sept 20 - Air Plant Mobile - Make a mobile with air plant globes or jellyfish, then brighten it up with beads. All supplies included. \$30 Oct 4 - Succulent Pumpkins - Create a stunning fall centerpiece with a pumpkin, succulents, and natural materials. \$45 Oct 11 - Succulent Pumpkins - Create a stunning fall centerpiece with a pumpkin, succulents, and natural materials. \$45 Oct 25 - Autumn Fairy Sticks (2 pcs) - Make fairy sticks to brighten your flower pots and garden. Includes supplies to make two items. \$40 Nov 1 - Mosaic Stepping Stone - Bring in your broken pottery and glass or use our supplies to create a mosaic stepping stone. \$45 Nov 15 - Christmas Tree Pot - Create a living work of art by planting succulents and decorating with vintage jewelry, glass, and pottery pieces. \$45 Nov 29 - Living Ornament - Create a living ornament that will continue growing long after the holidays. Great hostess gift! \$15 Dec 6 - Painted Cups and Pots - Decorate a coffee cup for the holidays or paint a face pot. Add a plant, and you'll have a great gift! \$20

3:30pm - 5pm Accidental Artist's Paint Classes

Where: Accidental Artist, 247 N Main Street, Bishopville, South Carolina

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

Join the Accidental Artist for their weekly paint classes. The themes vary from week to week! Tuesdays are \$10 Tuesday's Wednesday classes are \$15

5pm - 5pm Recycled Book Pumpkins

Where: Drs. Bruce & Lee Foundation Library, 509 S. Dargan St., Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

The Doctors Bruce and Lee Foundation Library will offer a free pumpkin craft workshop for adults (ages 18+) on Tuesday at 5 p.m. Participants will be upcycling old books and turning them into decorative pumpkins. Participation is free, but space is limited, and registration is required. All materials will be provided. For information or to register, call (843) 413-7074.

5pm - 7:30pm Southern Gardener's Bootcamp Series: Soil Basics

Where: Clemson Extension Darlington County, 300 Russell St. Room 222, Darlington, South Carolina

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

Every Tuesday evening in October and November, from 5 to 7:30 p.m., enjoy supper and an introductory class to gardening in southern climates. The sign-up for all eight classes is 100 dollars or pick and choose individual classes for \$15 per class. Master Gardeners receive a discounted rate of \$12 for each class. Oct. 4: Soil Basics: Improving and Managing Soil Fertility. Learn the key components of soil health, how to test your soil, and interpret soil results. In addition, learn the basics of composting, cover crops, vermiculture, and raised bed soil. Oct. 11: Landscape Plant Care: Trees, Shrubs, and Flowers. Learn basic botany principles around annuals, perennials, woody shrubs, and trees. Learn common trees, shrubs, and flowers in southern landscapes. Learn planting, pruning, and maintenance needs for yard plants. Oct. 18: Warm Season Lawns. Learn about the best warm-season lawns and how to establish and maintain a healthy southern lawn. Also included is how to identify problems and revive a declining lawn. Please bring pictures and lawn samples for personalized assistance. Oct. 25: Weeds, Pests, and Diseases of the Southeast. Learn how to identify problems in the landscape, whether it be invasive plants, various pests, or diseases. Learn the principles of integrated pest management, how to proactively prevent problems in your landscape, and how to rectify them as needed. Nov. 1: Cut Flower Gardens: Annuals and Perennials. A basic introduction to the best cutting flowers to add to a landscape for four-season interest and continuous blooms throughout the year. Learn the tips and tricks for good garden design principles, proper plant ratios, and choosing the best varieties. Also, information on maintaining and caring for annual and perennial flowering plants is provided. Nov. 8: Outdoor Container Gardening. Introductory concepts to how to maintain an urban garden in pots and containers. The instructor will review soil needs, pot selection, and the best variety types for container gardens. Additional information will be provided on the long-term care of perennials and trees in pots. Information also will be provided on designing a beautiful seasonal porch container, how to grow crops in pots, and how to maintain raised veggie trugs and repurposed IBC water tanks. Nov. 15: Edible Gardening Part 1: Fundamentals. Learn core concepts about building a vegetable patch, raised garden, to the long-term plot. Learn the key nutrients and care necessary for a successful edible garden. Learn what to grow, when, and the varieties and crops that grow best in the Pee Dee region. Nov. 22: Edible Garden Part 2: Advanced. Learn key techniques to start seeds indoors, transplants, crop planning, season extension tools, and post-harvest handling for crop storage. In addition, learn to develop plant-specific pest control plans and advanced plant problem diagnosis. You must pre register. Register online: [SouthernGardenBootcamp2022.eventbrite.com](https://southerngardenbootcamp2022.eventbrite.com), or you can register via phone at 843-944-8582

6pm - 8pm Cheraw: National Night Out

Where: Cheraw Community Center, 200 Powe St., Cheraw, SC, 29520, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

National Night Out is an annual community-building campaign to promote police-community partnerships and neighborhood camaraderie. This year's National Night Out will be held on Tuesday from 6 to 8 p.m. at the Cheraw Community Center. Come on out and meet the Cheraw Police Department members, see police equipment, and more!

6pm - 8pm Line Dance Class

Where: Greenwood Baptist Church (gym), 2401 Claussen Road, Florence, SC, 29505, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: scproduction@commbroadcasters.com

Description:

Heart & Sole Line Dance hosts a line dance class Tuesday evenings from 6 to 8 p.m. Come on out to learn new dances. The cost is \$5. For more details, visit our Facebook page Heart & Sole Line Dance, Florence SC.

Wed Oct 5, 2022

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Florence Festivals & Events

8:30am - 5pm Voluminous Care Exhibit by Michaela Pilar-Brown

Where: Adele Kassab Art Gallery, Heyward Drive, Florence

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

Voluminous Care interrogates the process of caregiving. In this moment of collective grief, what roles are we cast in? Who decides? Who is caring for the caregivers? This exhibition and performance examines the spaces we hold and protect for grieving and caregiving in moments of prescribed isolation. How do we feed the need for touch? Brown looks at the spaces we create and hold sacred and considers the grieving space as a space not exclusively held for the consideration of loss and mourning but for the amplification of care and joy. The exhibit will be on display from October 4-November 10. Michaela Pilar Brown is an image and object maker. She studied sculpture and art history at Howard University, though she has always been a maker of things. Born in Bangor, Maine, and raised in Denver, Colorado, she cut her teeth in the halls of a museum where her mother worked as a security guard and has been immersed in the culture of objects their making, and interpretation ever since.

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2pm - 4pm Florence Teen Library Gaming Day

Where: Drs. Bruce & Lee Foundation Library, 509 S. Dargan St., Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

The Florence County Library Teen Services Department will present Teen Gaming Day on Wednesday, October 5 from 2 to 4 p.m. Board games, card games, and a PS4 will be available for play. This program is free and open to all 6th through 12th graders. For questions, contact Julie Vaught at 843-413-7073 or teens@florencelibrary.org.

3:30pm - 5pm Accidental Artist's Paint Classes

Where: Accidental Artist, 247 N Main Street, Bishopville, South Carolina

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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Description:

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4pm - 5pm FCM Youth Drawing Classes

Where: Florence County Museum, 111 W Cheves St, Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

Explore foundational drawing basics through this 6-week introductory drawing class for students ages 12 and up. Students will work through a workbook featuring methods outlined in Dr. Betty Edwards's Drawing on the Right Side of the Brain book. In class, guided instruction will be provided along with at-home assignments, encouraging consistent and daily drawing practice. Workbooks are provided and included with the cost of the class. The class will meet weekly on Wednesdays from 4 pm-5pm at the Florence County Museum, October 5 through November 9. Image from the Wright Collection of Southern Art Female Study by Alfred Hutton (graphite)

Florence Festivals & Events

7pm - 7pm Music Bingo

Where: Green Frog Social House, 118 East Main Street, Lake City, SC, United States
Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events
Created by: Eric McKnight
Description: Green Frog Social House is having Music Bingo tonight. Come one, come all!

Thu Oct 6, 2022

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11am - 12pm SCORE: Use YouTube to Grow Your Business

Where: Online / Virtual Event
Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events
Created by: Eric McKnight
Description: By the end of this webinar, Grow with Google Trainer Demming Bass will show you how to: Create and brand a home/channel for your business on YouTube Create videos that capture the audience and achieve your business goals Organize your channel to attract viewers interested in your product/service Promote your business with video (even to those with short attention spans) How to stream video with YouTube Live and grow your customer base.

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12pm - 6pm Lake City Farmers Market

Where: The Bean Market, 111 Henry St., Lake City, SC, 29560, United States
Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events
Created by: Eric McKnight
Description: The Lake City Farmers Market is open Thursday from 12 to 6 p.m. Enjoy seasonal produce, plants, artisan jewelry, strawberries, homemade baked goods, local honey, and one-of-a-kind crafts. Located in the air-conditioned Bean Market.

Florence Festivals & Events

Sun Oct 9, 2022

2pm - 4pm Florence County Museum Open Studio

Where: Florence County Museum, 111 W Cheves St, Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

Introducing Open Studio Sundays occurring the 2nd Sunday of the month at the Museum. An opportunity for museum members of all ages to drop in and creatively work alongside others. Museum classroom space and courtyard will be open from 2 to 4 p.m. Supplies are not provided. Please bring your favorite water-based art materials and/or sketchbook to enjoy dedicated space and time to create. This is free for members of the FCM. Not yet a member or need to renew? Click here to become a member or renew your membership! Click here to register for Open Studio.

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Mon Oct 10, 2022

8am - 8am McLeod for Health Florence Open

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12pm - 3pm DCHI Pop Up Market

Where: Downtown Dillon, S. Railroad Ave. @ Fountain Square, Dillon, SC, 29536, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

The Dillon County Health Initiative (DCHI) Pop Up market dates are: May 9 – Woman's Health Month and Gift from Garden Month
June 13 – National Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Month
July 11 – Christmas In July
August 8 – National Farmers Market Week and Family Fun Month
September 12 – Bring your Grandparents to the Market
October 10 – Trick or Treat at the Market and Fire Safety

5:30pm - 7pm 10th Annual Arkhaios Cultural Heritage & Archaeology Film Festival

Where: Florence County Museum, 111 W Cheves St, Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

Join the Florence County Museum and the Arkhaios Cultural Heritage & Archaeology Film Festival for an evening dedicated to film, archaeology, and cultural heritage, on Monday, October 10, from 5:30 to 7:00 pm at the Waters Building located at 135 South Dargan Street in downtown Florence. This free event will include a reception, lecture, and screening of "The Mystery of the Cosquer Cave," a 2022, 52' film by Marie Thiry. The Arkhaios Film Festival is sponsored by the SC Institute of Archaeology and Anthropology (SCIAA) and the Department of Anthropology of the University of South Carolina, the Welsh Tract Historic Properties Association in South Carolina, and Pennsylvania by the Department of Anthropology of the University of Pittsburgh, and the Allegheny Chapter #1 of the Society for Pennsylvania Archaeology.

Florence Festivals & Events

7:30pm - 7:30pm FSO Season Opener: "Titan"

Where: FMU Performing Arts Center, 201 S. Dargan St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

The FSO 2022-2023 season opens with its performance of "Titan". The FSO will perform Symphony No. 1 by Mozart and Symphony No. 1 "Titan" by Mahler.

Tue Oct 11, 2022

8am - 8am McLeod for Health Florence Open

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1:45pm - 1:45pm Growing Hobby Workshop: Succulent Pumpkins

Where: Pee Dee State Farmers Market, 2513 W. Lucas St., Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

Join Growing Hobby for an evening of fun. These evening workshops are BYOB. Sept 6 – Cracked Pot Planter – Use terra cotta pottery shards to design a succulent planter or a multi-level fairy garden. \$55 Sept 20 – Air Plant Mobile – Make a mobile with air plant globes or jellyfish, then brighten it up with beads. All supplies included. \$30 Oct 4 – Succulent Pumpkins – Create a stunning fall centerpiece with a pumpkin, succulents, and natural materials. \$45 Oct 11 – Succulent Pumpkins – Create a stunning fall centerpiece with a pumpkin, succulents, and natural materials. \$45 Oct 25 – Autumn Fairy Sticks (2 pcs) – Make fairy sticks to brighten your flower pots and garden. Includes supplies to make two items. \$40 Nov 1 – Mosaic Stepping Stone – Bring in your broken pottery and glass or use our supplies to create a mosaic stepping stone. \$45 Nov 15 – Christmas Tree Pot – Create a living work of art by planting succulents and decorating with vintage jewelry, glass, and pottery pieces. \$45 Nov 29 – Living Ornament – Create a living ornament that will continue growing long after the holidays. Great hostess gift! \$15 Dec 6 – Painted Cups and Pots – Decorate a coffee cup for the holidays or paint a face pot. Add a plant, and you'll have a great gift! \$20

3:30pm - 5pm Accidental Artist's Paint Classes

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Description:

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5pm - 7:30pm Southern Gardener's Bootcamp Series: Landscape Plant Care: Trees, Shrubs, and Flowers

Where: Clemson Extension Darlington County, 300 Russell St. Room 222, Darlington, South Carolina

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

Every Tuesday evening in October and November, from 5 to 7:30 p.m., enjoy supper and an introductory class to gardening in southern climates. The sign-up for all eight classes is 100 dollars or pick and choose individual classes for \$15 per class. Master Gardeners receive a discounted rate of \$12 for each class. Oct. 4: Soil Basics: Improving and Managing Soil Fertility. Learn the key components of soil health, how to test your soil, and interpret soil results. In addition, learn the basics of composting, cover crops, vermiculture, and raised bed soil. Oct. 11: Landscape Plant Care: Trees, Shrubs, and Flowers. Learn basic botany principles around annuals, perennials, woody shrubs, and trees. Learn common trees, shrubs, and flowers in southern landscapes. Learn planting, pruning, and maintenance needs for yard plants. Oct. 18: Warm Season Lawns. Learn about the best warm-season lawns and how to establish and maintain a healthy southern lawn. Also included is how to identify problems and revive a declining lawn. Please bring pictures and lawn samples for personalized assistance. Oct. 25: Weeds, Pests, and Diseases of the Southeast. Learn how to identify problems in the landscape, whether it be invasive plants, various pests, or diseases. Learn the principles of integrated pest management, how to proactively prevent problems in your landscape, and how to rectify them as needed. Nov. 1: Cut Flower Gardens: Annuals and Perennials. A basic introduction to the best cutting flowers to add to a landscape for four-season interest and continuous blooms throughout the year. Learn the tips and tricks for good garden design principles, proper plant ratios, and choosing the best varieties. Also, information on maintaining and caring for annual and perennial flowering plants is provided. Nov. 8: Outdoor Container Gardening. Introductory concepts to how to maintain an urban garden in pots and containers. The instructor will review soil needs, pot selection, and the best variety types for container gardens. Additional information will be provided on the long-term care of perennials and trees in pots. Information also will be provided on designing a beautiful seasonal porch container, how to grow crops in pots, and how to maintain raised veggie trugs and repurposed IBC water tanks. Nov. 15: Edible Gardening Part 1: Fundamentals. Learn core concepts about building a vegetable patch, raised garden, to the long-term plot. Learn the key nutrients and care necessary for a successful edible garden. Learn what to grow, when, and the varieties and crops that grow best in the Pee Dee region. Nov. 22: Edible Garden Part 2: Advanced. Learn key techniques to start seeds indoors, transplants, crop planning, season extension tools, and post-harvest handling for crop storage. In addition, learn to develop plant-specific pest control plans and advanced plant problem diagnosis. You must pre-register. Register online: [SouthernGardenBootcamp2022.eventbrite.com](https://southerngardenbootcamp2022.eventbrite.com), or you can register via phone at 843-944-8582

6pm - 8pm Line Dance Class

Where: Greenwood Baptist Church (gym), 2401 Claussen Road, Florence, SC, 29505, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: scproduction@commbroadcasters.com

Description:

Heart & Sole Line Dance hosts a line dance class Tuesday evenings from 6 to 8 p.m. Come on out to learn new dances. The cost is \$5. For more details, visit our Facebook page Heart & Sole Line Dance, Florence SC.

Wed Oct 12, 2022

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11am - 5pm 18th Annual BBQ Fundraiser

Where: Central United Methodist Church, 167 S. Irby St., Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

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Florence Festivals & Events

Thu Oct 13, 2022

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9am - 9am 2022 SC Jazz Festival

Where: Downtown Cheraw, Cheraw, SC, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

Cheraw comes alive with a weekend of Jazz and activities. This year's festivities take place on October 13-15. Below are some of the scheduled events. Stay tuned for more details as they are released. October 13- Free Kick-off Concert - Dizzy Homesite Park with CHS graduate Robert Gardiner Quintet - 5:45-7pm - Bring Chair October 14 - In-school jazz concerts October 14- Free Jazz - Kevin Lear - 12noon - 2pm - Bring Chair October 14 - Free Jazz - Town Green - 3:30-5:30pm - Bring Chair October 14 - Evening Concert Theatre on the Green featuring Alfonso Horne & the Gotham Kings - 7pm - \$25 October 14- Evening Restaurant Jazz Crawl October 15 - Dizzy Gillespie Scholarship Golf Tournament October 15 - Chalk Art Contest.. Jazzy Trees.. Kids' Art Alley.. Bebop Parade... Art on the Green October 15 - Downtown Photo Tour with Ron Stafford - 11am October 15- Jazz Brunch - The Wine Factory - 11am-1pm October 15- Centennial Park- 208th Army Band - 1-3pm - Bring Chair October 15 - Free Evening Concert - Celebrating Dizzy by Mark Rapp Band & vocalist Martina Da Silva - Bring Chair October 16 - Afternoon Jazz - First Presbyterian Church - 2pm

Sun Oct 16, 2022

8am - 4pm Adult Pumpkin Decorating Contest

Where: City of Florence Athletics, 513 Barnes St., Florence, SC, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

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Where: Dr. Eddie Floyd Florence Tennis Center, 1300 Jennie O'Bryan Ave., Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

The McLeod for Health Florence Open, a USTA Pro Circuit Women's Tournament to benefit Susan G. Komen South Carolina will be held at the Dr. Eddie Floyd Florence Tennis Center October 10-16. Some of the best young professionals in the world will compete.

10am - 4pm Fall Plant and Flower Festival

Where: Pee Dee State Farmers Market, 2513 W. Lucas St., Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

The Pee Dee Fall Plant and Flower Festival is the area's largest selection of pumpkins, mums, and plants for fall planting. Master Gardeners will be available to answer all of your planting questions. Over 50 vendors will sell plants, flowers, and other items for indoor and outdoor enjoyment. In addition, local food vendors will be on site.

12pm - 3pm BBQ and Live Music featuring Brandon Clark

Where: South Carolina

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

Every Saturday and Sunday, Wholly Smokin combines their love of BBQ and brunch with live music! Grab a seat and a mimosa or bloody mary, and join in the fun from 12 to 3 p.m.

Florence Festivals & Events

2pm - 4:30pm Hartsville Library Book Sale

Where: Hartsville Memorial Library, 147 W College Ave, Hartsville, SC, 29550, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

Hartsville Memorial Library is having a fall Book Sale October 13-16. This book sale will be hosted by The Friends of Hartsville Memorial Library. Stop by for the great deals and to help support your local library! The Book Sale hours are: Thursday, Oct 13- 5 PM to 7:30 PM (this sale is open to Friends members only, but new members may join) Friday, Oct 14- 10 AM to 5 PM Saturday, Oct 15- 10 AM to 5 PM Sunday, Oct 16- 2 PM to 4:30 PM

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6:30pm - 6:30pm FLT's Always a Bridesmaid Auditions

Where: Florence Little Theatre, 417 S. Dargan St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

Florence Little Theatre auditions are open to everyone. The auditions for the upcoming production of Always a Bridesmaid are October 16 & 19. Auditions begin at 7 p.m. with registration beginning at 6:30 p.m. in the lobby. The performance is scheduled for January 20-28. We pride ourselves on having newcomers backstage or in the cast of every production. All auditions are held at the Florence Little Theatre. Prior experience is not required and all audition materials will be provided. Usually, those who are auditioning will be asked to read scenes from the show with others. For musicals auditions, you will be asked to sing a song that demonstrates your vocal abilities. The musical director will go over the song before you are asked to sing. You will also be required to dance and the choreographer for the production will go over dance with you before you dance for the director.

Mon Oct 17, 2022

8am - 4pm Adult Pumpkin Decorating Contest

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10am - 10am Johnsonville Library Book Club

Where: Johnsonville Public Library, 242 S. Georgetown Hwy., Johnsonville, SC, 29555, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

Join the Johnsonville Library Book Club to discuss two different graphic novels for the spooky season: In the Woods by Emily Carroll and Pumpkinheads by Rainbow Rowell, illustrated by Faith Erin Hicks.

10am - 5pm Marcus Dunn: Re/Educated Exhibit

Where: The Waters Building, 135 S. Dargan St., Florence, SC, 29501, United States

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Florence Festivals & Events

5:30pm - 6:30pm Florence Teen Library Events

Where: Drs. Bruce & Lee Foundation Library, 509 S. Dargan St., Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

The Florence County Library Teen Services Department will present Teen Sphero Ramp Challenge on Monday, October 17, from 5:30 p.m.- 6:30 p.m. Using Sphero robotic balls, teens will try different ramp challenges, even creating their challenges. This program is free and open to all 6th through 12th graders. For questions, contact Julie Vaught at 843-413-7073 or teens@florenceclibrary.org.

7pm - 7pm Addie's Baby Paint Class: Midnight Forest

Where: Creekside, 1115 S. Irby Street, Florence, South Carolina, 29501

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

Addie's Baby Paint & Sip Studio is partnering with Creekside Monday at 7 p.m. Sip, paint, and eat with them. You can purchase your seat online or text 843-0229-5862. The cost is \$38 per painter or four seats for \$28 per painter.

Tue Oct 18, 2022

8am - 4pm Adult Pumpkin Decorating Contest

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9am - 9am Botanical Paper Mache Sculpture

Where: Black Creek Arts, 116 W College Ave, Hartsville, SC, 29550, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

Play with paper, sticks, and goop with me! You'll be delighted at what treasures can come from your backyard and the recycling bin. We will build a nature-inspired sculpture using the paper mache method and a fun curved paper bending technique. The resulting sculpture will be sturdy and lightweight with the feel and look of plaster or clay. INVESTMENT: \$35. *All materials are included.

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Florence Festivals & Events

11am - 5pm Take Place: Contemporary Landscapes Exhibit

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Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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Description:

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4pm - 7pm A Volunteer Celebration and Interest Event

Where: HopeHealth, 360 N. Irby Street, Florence, SC, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

Join HopeHealth Volunteers on Tuesday, October 18, for Voluntober: A Volunteer Celebration and Interest Event. Are you interested in giving back to your community? Come to the event and bring a service-minded friend! Meet Cindy Averitt, manager of volunteer programs, and learn about HopeHealth's volunteer program while enjoying food and fun! When | Tuesday, October 18 from 4-7 pm Where | HopeHealth Medical Plaza Meditation Garden, 360 N. Irby Street, Florence RSVP to Cindy Averitt at volunteer@hope-health.org by October 12.

5pm - 7:30pm Southern Gardener's Bootcamp Series: Warm Season Lawns

Where: Clemson Extension Darlington County, 300 Russell St. Room 222, Darlington, South Carolina

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

Every Tuesday evening in October and November, from 5 to 7:30 p.m., enjoy supper and an introductory class to gardening in southern climates. The sign-up for all eight classes is 100 dollars or pick and choose individual classes for \$15 per class. Master Gardeners receive a discounted rate of \$12 for each class. Oct. 4: Soil Basics: Improving and Managing Soil Fertility. Learn the key components of soil health, how to test your soil, and interpret soil results. In addition, learn the basics of composting, cover crops, vermiculture, and raised bed soil. Oct. 11: Landscape Plant Care: Trees, Shrubs, and Flowers. Learn basic botany principles around annuals, perennials, woody shrubs, and trees. Learn common trees, shrubs, and flowers in southern landscapes. Learn planting, pruning, and maintenance needs for yard plants. Oct. 18: Warm Season Lawns. Learn about the best warm-season lawns and how to establish and maintain a healthy southern lawn. Also included is how to identify problems and revive a declining lawn. Please bring pictures and lawn samples for personalized assistance. Oct. 25: Weeds, Pests, and Diseases of the Southeast. Learn how to identify problems in the landscape, whether it be invasive plants, various pests, or diseases. Learn the principles of integrated pest management, how to proactively prevent problems in your landscape, and how to rectify them as needed. Nov. 1: Cut Flower Gardens: Annuals and Perennials. A basic introduction to the best cutting flowers to add to a landscape for four-season interest and continuous blooms throughout the year. Learn the tips and tricks for good garden design principles, proper plant ratios, and choosing the best varieties. Also, information on maintaining and caring for annual and perennial flowering plants is provided. Nov. 8: Outdoor Container Gardening. Introductory concepts to how to maintain an urban garden in pots and containers. The instructor will review soil needs, pot selection, and the best variety types for container gardens. Additional information will be provided on the long-term care of perennials and trees in pots. Information also will be provided on designing a beautiful seasonal porch container, how to grow crops in pots, and how to maintain raised veggie trugs and repurposed IBC water tanks. Nov. 15: Edible Gardening Part 1: Fundamentals. Learn core concepts about building a vegetable patch, raised garden, to the long-term plot. Learn the key nutrients and care necessary for a successful edible garden. Learn what to grow, when, and the varieties and crops that grow best in the Pee Dee region. Nov. 22: Edible Garden Part 2: Advanced. Learn key techniques to start seeds indoors, transplants, crop planning, season extension tools, and post-harvest handling for crop storage. In addition, learn to develop plant-specific pest control plans and advanced plant problem diagnosis. You must pre-register. Register online: [SouthernGardenBootcamp2022.eventbrite.com](https://southerngardenbootcamp2022.eventbrite.com), or you can register via phone at 843-944-8582

6pm - 8pm Line Dance Class

Where: Greenwood Baptist Church (gym), 2401 Claussen Road, Florence, SC, 29505, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: scproduction@commbroadcasters.com

Description:

Heart & Sole Line Dance hosts a line dance class Tuesday evenings from 6 to 8 p.m. Come on out to learn new dances. The cost is \$5. For more details, visit our Facebook page Heart & Sole Line Dance, Florence SC.

Wed Oct 19, 2022

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11am - 11am Lamar Library Book Club: The Christie Affair

Where: Lamar Library, 103 E Main Street, Lamar, South Carolina, 29532

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

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6pm - 6pm SpOOky Charcuterie Workshop

Where: Sip Co. Wine & Beer, 116 N. Church St., Lake City, SC, 29560, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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Description:

Sullivan's Board Co. is hosting a Charcuterie Workshop Wednesday at 6p.m. During this workshop you will create a SPOOKY 8x8 HALLOWEEN themed box meant for two as an after-dinner snack or carry to lunch the next day. All supplies will be provided. Halloween costumes are HIGHLY encouraged! You will learn skills and techniques on building a unique and delicious charcuterie and cheese board. You will learn cheese carving, meat folds, fruit carving, grocery shopping, and different options to build your board on and so much more! Bring your craving for charcuterie knowledge and thirst for good beer!

Florence Festivals & Events

Sun Oct 23, 2022

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Mon Oct 24, 2022

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5:30pm - 8pm Taste of Marion County

Where: Amazing Grace Park, 101 Wilcox Ave, Marion, South Carolina, 29571

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

The Taste of Marion County is Monday, October 24 from 5:30 to 8 p.m. at Amazing Grace Park. Tickets can be purchased at Marion Chamber of Commerce, Anderson Brothers Bank or Mullins Chamber of Commerce.

Florence Festivals & Events

Tue Oct 25, 2022

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10am - 10am Dillon County Library's International Artist Day

Where: Dillon County Library, 600 E. Main Street, Dillon, South Carolina

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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Description:

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Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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Florence Festivals & Events

1:45pm - 1:45pm Growing Hobby Workshop

Where: Pee Dee State Farmers Market, 2513 W. Lucas St., Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

Join Growing Hobby for an evening of fun. These evening workshops are BYOB. Sept 6 – Cracked Pot Planter – Use terra cotta pottery shards to design a succulent planter or a multi-level fairy garden. \$55 Sept 20 – Air Plant Mobile – Make a mobile with air plant globes or jellyfish, then brighten it up with beads. All supplies included. \$30 Oct 4 – Succulent Pumpkins – Create a stunning fall centerpiece with a pumpkin, succulents, and natural materials. \$45 Oct 11 – Succulent Pumpkins – Create a stunning fall centerpiece with a pumpkin, succulents, and natural materials. \$45 Oct 25 – Autumn Fairy Sticks (2 pcs) – Make fairy sticks to brighten your flower pots and garden. Includes supplies to make two items. \$40 Nov 1 – Mosaic Stepping Stone – Bring in your broken pottery and glass or use our supplies to create a mosaic stepping stone. \$45 Nov 15 – Christmas Tree Pot – Create a living work of art by planting succulents and decorating with vintage jewelry, glass, and pottery pieces. \$45 Nov 29 – Living Ornament – Create a living ornament that will continue growing long after the holidays. Great hostess gift! \$15 Dec 6 – Painted Cups and Pots – Decorate a coffee cup for the holidays or paint a face pot. Add a plant, and you'll have a great gift! \$20

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Description:

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5pm - 7:30pm Southern Gardener's Bootcamp Series: Weeds, Pests, and Diseases of the Southeast

Where: Clemson Extension Darlington County, 300 Russell St. Room 222, Darlington, South Carolina

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

Every Tuesday evening in October and November, from 5 to 7:30 p.m., enjoy supper and an introductory class to gardening in southern climates. The sign-up for all eight classes is 100 dollars or pick and choose individual classes for \$15 per class. Master Gardeners receive a discounted rate of \$12 for each class. Oct. 4: Soil Basics: Improving and Managing Soil Fertility. Learn the key components of soil health, how to test your soil, and interpret soil results. In addition, learn the basics of composting, cover crops, vermiculture, and raised bed soil. Oct. 11: Landscape Plant Care: Trees, Shrubs, and Flowers. Learn basic botany principles around annuals, perennials, woody shrubs, and trees. Learn common trees, shrubs, and flowers in southern landscapes. Learn planting, pruning, and maintenance needs for yard plants. Oct. 18: Warm Season Lawns. Learn about the best warm-season lawns and how to establish and maintain a healthy southern lawn. Also included is how to identify problems and revive a declining lawn. Please bring pictures and lawn samples for personalized assistance. Oct. 25: Weeds, Pests, and Diseases of the Southeast. Learn how to identify problems in the landscape, whether it be invasive plants, various pests, or diseases. Learn the principles of integrated pest management, how to proactively prevent problems in your landscape, and how to rectify them as needed. Nov. 1: Cut Flower Gardens: Annuals and Perennials. A basic introduction to the best cutting flowers to add to a landscape for four-season interest and continuous blooms throughout the year. Learn the tips and tricks for good garden design principles, proper plant ratios, and choosing the best varieties. Also, information on maintaining and caring for annual and perennial flowering plants is provided. Nov. 8: Outdoor Container Gardening. Introductory concepts to how to maintain an urban garden in pots and containers. The instructor will review soil needs, pot selection, and the best variety types for container gardens. Additional information will be provided on the long-term care of perennials and trees in pots. Information also will be provided on designing a beautiful seasonal porch container, how to grow crops in pots, and how to maintain raised veggie trugs and repurposed IBC water tanks. Nov. 15: Edible Gardening Part 1: Fundamentals. Learn core concepts about building a vegetable patch, raised garden, to the long-term plot. Learn the key nutrients and care necessary for a successful edible garden. Learn what to grow, when, and the varieties and crops that grow best in the Pee Dee region. Nov. 22: Edible Garden Part 2: Advanced. Learn key techniques to start seeds indoors, transplants, crop planning, season extension tools, and post-harvest handling for crop storage. In addition, learn to develop plant-specific pest control plans and advanced plant problem diagnosis. You must pre-register. Register online: [SouthernGardenBootcamp2022.eventbrite.com](https://southerngardenbootcamp2022.eventbrite.com), or you can register via phone at 843-944-8582

6pm - 8pm Line Dance Class

Where: Greenwood Baptist Church (gym), 2401 Claussen Road, Florence, SC, 29505, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: scproduction@commbroadcasters.com

Description:

Heart & Sole Line Dance hosts a line dance class Tuesday evenings from 6 to 8 p.m. Come on out to learn new dances. The cost is \$5. For more details, visit our Facebook page Heart & Sole Line Dance, Florence SC.

7pm - 7pm Addie's Baby Fundraising Paint Class "Beautiful Butterfly"

Where: Addie's Baby Paint & Sip Studio, 290 W Evans St, Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

Addie's Baby Paint Studio is having a fundraiser for the Pee Dee Coalition Tuesday at 7 p.m. Participants will paint "Beautiful Butterfly." 35% of the proceeds from the class will go to this great cause.

7:30pm - 7:30pm FMU Concert Band

Where: FMU Performing Arts Center, 201 S. Dargan St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

The Francis Marion University Concert Band will perform its spring concert at the FMU Performing Arts Center tonight. The Francis Marion University Concert Band is composed of FMU students as well as community members from the Pee Dee region. Community members include professional area music educators, band directors, choir directors, ministers of music, and FMU music faculty members. Membership is open to all FMU students and area residents who have experienced concert band instrumentalists. Performances include traditional concert band music as well as popular and show music. The program began as a way to give students of FMU a chance to perform music, earn academic credit for performance in the ensemble, and to become involved with other students in campus life. Box Office: 843-661-4444 between 12:00 and 5:00 pm.

Florence Festivals & Events

Wed Oct 26, 2022

8am - 4pm Adult Pumpkin Decorating Contest

Where: City of Florence Athletics, 513 Barnes St., Florence, SC, United States

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Where: Tammy's, 112 East Main Street, Lake City, South Carolina, 29560

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Description: Join Olio Studio at Tammy's for a special Art After Dark. Get into the Halloween spirit and paint a spooky canvas.

Florence Festivals & Events

7pm - 7pm Spooky Trivia Night

Where: Green Frog Social House, 118 East Main Street, Lake City, SC, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

Join Green Frog Social House for a fun night of Trivia. There will be prizes for the winners and runner-ups! How familiar are you with general knowledge?! Drop in with your crew for an epic night with some fun prizes and drink specials! Remember the rules: *No teams greater than 6 * No Cell phones * No shouting out the answers

7:30pm - 7:30pm The Rocky Horror Show (Sold Out)

Where: FMU Performing Arts Center, 201 S. Dargan St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

The FMU Theatre department will perform The Rocky Horror Show on October 20-22 and 26-29. The performance will be held in the Blackbox Theatre located within the Performing Arts Center. As an out-of-work actor in London in the early 1970s, Richard O'Brien wrote The Rocky Horror Show to keep himself busy on winter evenings. Since his youth, he had developed a passion for science fiction and B horror movies; he wanted to combine elements of the unintentional humor of B horror movies, portentous dialogue of schlock-horror, Steve Reeves muscle films, and fifties rock and roll into The Rocky Horror Show. A major theme running throughout the musical is transvestism, which according to O'Brien was not originally meant to be as prominent as it ended up being. He conceived and wrote the play set against the backdrop of the glam era that had manifested itself throughout British popular culture in the early 1970s; he has stated "glam rock allowed me to be myself more," allowing his concept to come into being. Tickets are available to FMU students, faculty, and staff at no charge upon showing an FMUID. Tickets to the general public are \$10, as space allows. The FMU PACTicket Office at 201 South Dargan Street is open Monday through Friday, 12 to 5 p.m., or by calling 843-661-4444.

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9am - 9am SC Senior Sports Classic

Where: Various Locations Florence, Florence, SC, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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Description:

The SC Senior Sports Classic is Oct 14-15, October 21-22, October 27-29 and November 5. The event will be held in various locations around Florence. It is open to anyone who is 40 years old and older. Competition is offered for men and women in 5 year age increments from 40-44 to 100 and over. The State Games showcase teams as well as individual elite and recreational sports from active events such as Basketball, Swimming, Track & Field, Golf, Tennis, Cycling, Pickleball, and Triathlon to less strenuous skill events like Bowling, Horseshoes, Shuffleboard, Table Tennis, Badminton, Archery, and Bocce. Non-Ambulatory sports include Shuffleboard, Bowling, and Horseshoes. In addition to the sporting events and educational sessions, there is also a Dinner and Celebration of Athletes, Bingo, Fitness and Education Classes, and more. The socialization aspect of the State Games is a critical component of the longevity and success of the SCSSC. For more information click here. For a complete schedule of events click here.

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Florence Festivals & Events

Sun Oct 30, 2022

1pm - 1pm 2022 Eastern Carolina Agricultural Fair

Where: ECA Fairgrounds, 5226 East Palmetto St, Florence, SC, 29506, United States

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Description:

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2pm - 2pm Lake City Community Theatre Auditions: Godspell

Where: Blanding Street Auditorium, 125 S. Blanding Street, Lake City, SC, 29560, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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3:30pm - 4:30pm Florence County Library Fall Carnival

Where: Drs. Bruce & Lee Foundation Library, 509 S. Dargan St., Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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Description:

The Florence County Library will offer a Fall Carnival on Monday, October 31 for ages 2-11 from 3:30 p.m. – 4:30 p.m. A variety of fun carnival games will be available with other fall activities inside the library in the Joseph Stukes Meeting Room. Light refreshments and small prizes will be available while supplies last for the Fall Carnival. For more information, contact the Greenberg Children's Library at 843-292-7377, or visit our website at www.florenceclibrary.org

4pm - 6pm Town of Cheraw Halloween Walk

Where: Centennial Park, Cheraw, SC, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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Description:

The Town of Cheraw Recreation & Leisure Services Department will have its annual "Halloween Walk" on Monday, October 31, from 4 to 6 p.m. This event includes a trick-or-treat with some businesses, agencies, and organizations. In addition, children and their families can stroll around downtown and Centennial Park to receive treats from the Town of Cheraw community businesses.

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5pm - 8pm Haunted Hotel Invades The Center

Where: Florence Center, 3300 W Radio Dr, Florence, SC, 29501, United States

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Description:

Raldex Hospitality and the Florence Center present Haunted Hotel Invades the Center! Bring the family out for this fun-filled evening. Note: Miracle League participants may attend between 4 and 5 p.m. The event is open to the public from 5 to 8 p.m.

6pm - 6pm Lake City Festival of Frights

Where: Downtown Lake City, Main Street, Lake City, SC, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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Tue Nov 1, 2022

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Description:

Join Growing Hobby for an evening of fun. These evening workshops are BYOB. Sept 6 - Cracked Pot Planter - Use terra cotta pottery shards to design a succulent planter or a multi-level fairy garden. \$55 Sept 20 - Air Plant Mobile - Make a mobile with air plant globes or jellyfish, then brighten it up with beads. All supplies included. \$30 Oct 4 - Succulent Pumpkins - Create a stunning fall centerpiece with a pumpkin, succulents, and natural materials. \$45 Oct 11 - Succulent Pumpkins - Create a stunning fall centerpiece with a pumpkin, succulents, and natural materials. \$45 Oct 25 - Autumn Fairy Sticks (2 pcs) - Make fairy sticks to brighten your flower pots and garden. Includes supplies to make two items. \$40 Nov 1 - Mosaic Stepping Stone - Bring in your broken pottery and glass or use our supplies to create a mosaic stepping stone. \$45 Nov 15 - Christmas Tree Pot - Create a living work of art by planting succulents and decorating with vintage jewelry, glass, and pottery pieces. \$45 Nov 29 - Living Ornament - Create a living ornament that will continue growing long after the holidays. Great hostess gift! \$15 Dec 6 - Painted Cups and Pots - Decorate a coffee cup for the holidays or paint a face pot. Add a plant, and you'll have a great gift! \$20

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6:30pm - 6:30pm The Great Grown Up Spelling Bee (Sold Out)

Where: Victors, 126 W. Evans St., Florence, SC, 29501, United States

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Description:

This will not be your kids' spelling bee. Get ready for an evening of fun. Support an event that will benefit the Florence Area Literacy Council. Did you lose the school spelling bee when you were just a little kid? This could be your shot at redemption. Teams of 3 adults will work together to spell words and compete for the chance to BEE the best spellers in Florence County. Do you have what it takes? This will not be just any ordinary spelling bee. You will have a few lifelines and could maybe bribe a judge to stay in the competition....there will be options. Only 8 team slots are available. Call or message SOON to reserve your spot.

Florence Festivals & Events

Wed Nov 2, 2022

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7:30pm - 7:30pm FMU String Ensemble

Where: FMU Performing Arts Center, 201 S. Dargan St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

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Description:

The FMU String Ensemble will perform today at the FMU Performing Arts Center. Open to all university students and faculty interested in learning and performing chamber music, the University String Ensemble members meet for weekly rehearsals during Fall and Spring academic semesters, giving public recitals and accompanying other campus ensembles.

Thu Nov 3, 2022

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10am - 10am Pee Dee Fiction & Poetry Festival

Where: Francis Marion University, 4822 E Palmetto St, Florence, SC, 29506, United States

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Description:

Free and open to the public, the Pee Dee Fiction and Poetry Festival celebrates and promotes literature and reading. During the event, renowned authors discuss their work in various panel discussions. Each evening, two writers read from their work. All readings are followed by a book signing as well as a reception at The Cottage. Books will be on sale at the event. Auditoriums and The Cottage are wheelchair-accessible. This year's panel includes: Tayari Jones, Wiley Cash, Justin Phillip Reed, and Maggie Smith. For more information, visit <https://peedeefiction.org>. Thursday's schedule is 10 a.m. to 9:45 p.m. Friday's schedule is 9:30 a.m. to 9:45 p.m.

Sun Nov 6, 2022

11:30am - 2pm Brunch with Dee Tallon

Where: Wild Heart Brewing Company, 317 Railroad Ave, Hartsville, South Carolina, 29550

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Description: Bring the family to Wild Heart Brewing Company for brunch. Listen to Dee Tallon perform while you enjoy your food.

12pm - 3pm BBQ and Live Music featuring Brooks Herring

Where: Wholly Smokin' Downtown, 150 S. Dargan Street, Florence, SC, 29506, United States

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Description:

Wholly Smokin combines their love of BBQ and brunch every Saturday and Sunday with live music! Grab a seat and a mimosa or bloody mary, and join in the fun from 12 to 3 p.m.

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5pm - 5pm Dinosaur Terrarium Night Light Craft

Where: Lamar Library, 103 E Main Street, Lamar, South Carolina, 29532

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Description: The Lamar Library is having a Dinosaur Terrarium Night Light Craft night on Monday at 5 p.m. Join them to participate in this fun craft!

5pm - 5pm Society Hill Library: Fall Candle Craft

Where: Society Hill Library, 114 Carrigan St., Society Hill, South Carolina, 29593

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description: The Society Hill’s adult program for tonight is to create a Fall Candle at 5 p.m. Bring your friends out for this creative fun evening.

5:30pm - 6:30pm Florence Teen Library Events

Where: Drs. Bruce & Lee Foundation Library, 509 S. Dargan St., Florence, SC, 29501, United States

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Description:

The Florence County Library Teen Services Department has monthly programming for teens this fall. Various craft and STEM programs will be available for those in the 6th through 12th grades. All programs are free and take place on Mondays from 5:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m. on the following dates: September 19: Zines October 17: Sphero Ramp Challenge November 7: Book Fold Hedgehogs December 5: Moss Robotics and LittleBits The library will also host a special gaming day on Wednesday, October 5, from 2:00 p.m.-4:00 p.m. Board games, card games, and a PS4 will be available for play during this time. For questions, contact Julie Vaught at 843-413-7073 or teens@florencelibrary.org.

Tue Nov 8, 2022

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Description:

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The TRAX Visual Art Center features John Dempsey in this exhibit. These large-scale, contemporary landscape paintings are composed to confront a variety of our shared environments and perspectives all together and at once. An assortment of spaces is brought together for the purpose of an immediate experience of place and comparison. We experience our environment sequentially by immersion and over real-time—temporally and causally. Moving through a collage of industrial, post-industrial, modern, and postmodern environments, we must work to resolve our understanding of landscape and nature within this episodic experience of place. These compositions are offered to visually explore and chronicle this complex dynamic. The exhibit will be on display through November 12.

12pm - 5pm Dalvin Spann: Moyo Roho and FMU Student Juried Exhibition

Where: Steven F. Gately Gallery, 142 North Dargan Street, Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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Florence Festivals & Events

5:30pm - 5:30pm Quilts of Valor Presentation

Where: Central United Methodist Church, 167 S. Irby St., Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

Join Central United Methodist Church Wednesday for a delicious meal and fellowship. The dinner cost is \$8 for adults and \$4 for children. You are encouraged to register for dinner in Realm on the Central website. After dinner, they will award several service members and veterans with their very own Quilts of Valor - tangible signs of gratitude for their service. Also, in observance of Veterans Day, they are collecting items for the residents of Florence's Veteran Village. Needed items include playing cards, dominoes, board games such as checkers or chess, jigsaw puzzles, and magazines, especially those for hunting, fishing, golf, and auto enthusiasts. Please donate NEW items only. Baskets for donations are located in The Commons and the church office.

7:30pm - 7:30pm FLT's Performance of Clue

Where: Florence Little Theatre, 417 S. Dargan St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description: The Florence Little Theatre's performance of Clue is November 4-12.

Thu Nov 10, 2022

8:30am - 5pm Voluminous Care Exhibit by Michaela Pilar-Brown

Where: Adele Kassab Art Gallery, Heyward Drive, Florence

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

Voluminous Care interrogates the process of caregiving. In this moment of collective grief, what roles are we cast in? Who decides? Who is caring for the caregivers? This exhibition and performance examines the spaces we hold and protect for grieving and caregiving in moments of prescribed isolation. How do we feed the need for touch? Brown looks at the spaces we create and hold sacred and considers the grieving space as a space not exclusively held for the consideration of loss and mourning but for the amplification of care and joy. The exhibit will be on display from October 4-November 10. Michaela Pilar Brown is an image and object maker. She studied sculpture and art history at Howard University, though she has always been a maker of things. Born in Bangor, Maine, and raised in Denver, Colorado, she cut her teeth in the halls of a museum where her mother worked as a security guard and has been immersed in the culture of objects their making, and interpretation ever since.

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10am - 7pm Steven F. Gately Continuous Exhibit

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Florence Festivals & Events

Sun Nov 13, 2022

10am - 10am The Way of the Shaman with Sharon Licata

Where: Black Creek Arts, 116 W College Ave, Hartsville, SC, 29550, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

During the Basic experiential workshop, participants are introduced to core shamanism, the universal, near-universal, or standard basic methods of the shaman to enter non-ordinary reality for problem-solving and healing. Particular emphasis is on the classic shamanic journey, one of the most remarkable visionary methods used by humankind to explore the hidden universe otherwise known mainly through myth and dream. Participants are initiated into shamanic journeying, aided by drumming and other techniques for experiencing the shamanic state of consciousness and for awakening dormant spiritual abilities, including connections with Nature. Practice includes comparisons by participants of their discoveries in shamanic journeys as well as being introduced to shamanic divination and healing. They are also provided with methods for journeying to meet and study with their own individual spirit helpers in nonordinary reality, a classic step in shamanic practice. Participants learn how the journey is utilized to restore spiritual power and health and how shamanism can be applied in contemporary daily life to help heal oneself, others, and the Planet. **FEE AND REGISTRATION** Please bring: • A rattle or a drum if you have one. • A bandana or other eye covering. • A cushion and/or blanket. • A rough-surfaced GRAPEFRUIT-sized rock. • A pen and notebook to record your journeys. • A bag lunch (optional). Fee: \$265 with a \$25 discount if paid in full by August 31st. (13 CE credits through FSS)

12pm - 3pm BBQ and Live Music featuring Rod Brown and Friends

Where: Wholly Smokin' Downtown, 150 S. Dargan Street, Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

Wholly Smokin' combines their love of BBQ and brunch every Saturday and Sunday with live music! Grab a seat and a mimosa or bloody mary, and join in the fun from 12 to 3 p.m.

2pm - 4pm Florence County Museum Open Studio

Where: Florence County Museum, 111 W Cheves St, Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

Introducing Open Studio Sundays occurring the 2nd Sunday of the month at the Museum. An opportunity for museum members of all ages to drop in and creatively work alongside others. Museum classroom space and courtyard will be open from 2 to 4 p.m. Supplies are not provided. Please bring your favorite water-based art materials and/or sketchbook to enjoy dedicated space and time to create. This is free for members of the FCM. Not yet a member or need to renew? Click here to become a member or renew your membership! Click here to register for Open Studio.

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Mon Nov 14, 2022

10am - 12pm Cheraw Pop Up Art Class: Watercolor Workshop

Where: Jones Furniture Mart, 1111 W. Greene Street, Cheraw, South Carolina

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description: The Pop Up Art class for November is a watercolor workshop with Jennifer Rayfield. To register, call the Cheraw Arts Commission at 843-537-8420 x12

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12pm - 1:30pm Internet Basics Workshop

Where: Drs. Bruce & Lee Foundation Library, 509 S. Dargan St., Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

The next in the lineup for computer workshops at the Doctors Bruce and Lee Foundation Library will be Internet Basics. The workshop at 12 p.m. in the second-floor computer classroom. Participants will learn how to navigate the internet. Space is limited and registration is required for this free adult (18+) program. This workshop is offered as part of the Digital Literacy Incentive Program, supported by AT&T and the Public Library Association. The Doctors Bruce and Lee Foundation Library is located at 509 S. Dargan Street in Florence. Call 843-413-7074 to register.

Florence Festivals & Events

7:30pm - 7:30pm FSO: "Seraph Brass"

Where: FMU Performing Arts Center, 201 S. Dargan St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

The FSO welcomes to perform "Seraph Brass" Monday. Music selections are: Prelude by Christina Spinei Chimera Concerto for Brass Quintet and Orchestra featuring Anthony Di Lorenzo Seraph Brass Pictures at an Exhibition by Mussorsky/Tushmalov Seraph Brass is a dynamic ensemble drawing from a roster of America's top brass players. Seraph Brass presents a diverse body of repertoire that includes original transcriptions, newly commissioned works and well-known classics. Seraph released their debut studio album, Asteria, on Summit Records in January 2018, winning a Silver Medal Global Music Award. Seraph Brass is in residency at the Walton Art Center's Artosphere Festival, alongside the Dover Quartet, in the festival orchestra.

Tue Nov 15, 2022

8:30am - 5pm Senior Shows by Graduating FMU Visual Arts Majors

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12:45pm - 12:45pm Growing Hobby Workshop: Living Christmas Tree Pot

Where: Pee Dee State Farmers Market, 2513 W. Lucas St., Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

Join Growing Hobby for an evening of fun. These evening workshops are BYOB. Sept 6 – Cracked Pot Planter – Use terra cotta pottery shards to design a succulent planter or a multi-level fairy garden. \$55 Sept 20 – Air Plant Mobile – Make a mobile with air plant globes or jellyfish, then brighten it up with beads. All supplies included. \$30 Oct 4 – Succulent Pumpkins – Create a stunning fall centerpiece with a pumpkin, succulents, and natural materials. \$45 Oct 11 – Succulent Pumpkins – Create a stunning fall centerpiece with a pumpkin, succulents, and natural materials. \$45 Oct 25 – Autumn Fairy Sticks (2 pcs) – Make fairy sticks to brighten your flower pots and garden. Includes supplies to make two items. \$40 Nov 1 – Mosaic Stepping Stone – Bring in your broken pottery and glass or use our supplies to create a mosaic stepping stone. \$45 Nov 15 – Christmas Tree Pot – Create a living work of art by planting succulents and decorating with vintage jewelry, glass, and pottery pieces. \$45 Nov 29 – Living Ornament – Create a living ornament that will continue growing long after the holidays. Great hostess gift! \$15 Dec 6 – Painted Cups and Pots – Decorate a coffee cup for the holidays or paint a face pot. Add a plant, and you'll have a great gift! \$20

Florence Festivals & Events

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Description:
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4:30pm - 5:30pm Candy Apple Bar

Where: Darlington County Library, 204 N. Main St., Darlington, SC, 29532, United States
Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events
Created by: Eric McKnight
Description:
Darlington Library will have a Candy Apple Bar at the library on Tuesday, Nov 15, from 4:30- 5:30 PM. Make your own candy apple slices with a buffet of toppings!

5pm - 5pm Family Movie Night: The Ice Age Adventures of Buck Wild

Where: Lamar Library, 103 E Main Street, Lamar, South Carolina, 29532
Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events
Created by: Eric McKnight
Description: Lamar Library is having a Family Movie Night on Tuesday, Nov 15 at 5 PM. They will be showing The Ice Age Adventures of Buck Wild!

5pm - 7:30pm Southern Gardener's Bootcamp Series: Edible Gardening Part 1: Fundamentals

Where: Clemson Extension Darlington County, 300 Russell St. Room 222, Darlington, South Carolina
Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events
Created by: Eric McKnight
Description:
Every Tuesday evening in October and November, from 5 to 7:30 p.m., enjoy supper and an introductory class to gardening in southern climates. The sign-up for all eight classes is 100 dollars or pick and choose individual classes for \$15 per class. Master Gardeners receive a discounted rate of \$12 for each class.
Oct. 4: Soil Basics: Improving and Managing Soil Fertility. Learn the key components of soil health, how to test your soil, and interpret soil results. In addition, learn the basics of composting, cover crops, vermiculture, and raised bed soil.
Oct. 11: Landscape Plant Care: Trees, Shrubs, and Flowers. Learn basic botany principles around annuals, perennials, woody shrubs, and trees. Learn common trees, shrubs, and flowers in southern landscapes. Learn planting, pruning, and maintenance needs for yard plants.
Oct. 18: Warm Season Lawns. Learn about the best warm-season lawns and how to establish and maintain a healthy southern lawn. Also included is how to identify problems and revive a declining lawn. Please bring pictures and lawn samples for personalized assistance.
Oct. 25: Weeds, Pests, and Diseases of the Southeast. Learn how to identify problems in the landscape, whether it be invasive plants, various pests, or diseases. Learn the principles of integrated pest management, how to proactively prevent problems in your landscape, and how to rectify them as needed.
Nov. 1: Cut Flower Gardens: Annuals and Perennials. A basic introduction to the best cutting flowers to add to a landscape for four-season interest and continuous blooms throughout the year. Learn the tips and tricks for good garden design principles, proper plant ratios, and choosing the best varieties. Also, information on maintaining and caring for annual and perennial flowering plants is provided.
Nov. 8: Outdoor Container Gardening. Introductory concepts to how to maintain an urban garden in pots and containers. The instructor will review soil needs, pot selection, and the best variety types for container gardens. Additional information will be provided on the long-term care of perennials and trees in pots. Information also will be provided on designing a beautiful seasonal porch container, how to grow crops in pots, and how to maintain raised veggie trugs and repurposed IBC water tanks.
Nov. 15: Edible Gardening Part 1: Fundamentals. Learn core concepts about building a vegetable patch, raised garden, to the long-term plot. Learn the key nutrients and care necessary for a successful edible garden. Learn what to grow, when, and the varieties and crops that grow best in the Pee Dee region.
Nov. 22: Edible Garden Part 2: Advanced. Learn key techniques to start seeds indoors, transplants, crop planning, season extension tools, and post-harvest handling for crop storage. In addition, learn to develop plant-specific pest control plans and advanced plant problem diagnosis. You must pre register. Register online: [SouthernGardenBootcamp2022.eventbrite.com](https://southerngardenbootcamp2022.eventbrite.com), or you can register via phone at 843-944-8582

6pm - 8pm Line Dance Class

Where: Greenwood Baptist Church (gym), 2401 Claussen Road, Florence, SC, 29505, United States
Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events
Created by: scproduction@commbroadcasters.com
Description:
Heart & Sole Line Dance hosts a line dance class Tuesday evenings from 6 to 8 p.m. Come on out to learn new dances. The cost is \$5. For more details, visit our Facebook page Heart & Sole Line Dance, Florence SC.

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6pm - 6pm FMU Women's Basketball Home Game

Where: FMU – Smith University Center, 4822 E. Palmetto St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

The FMU Women's basketball 2022-2023 schedule has been released. Below are the home games scheduled for this season.
Wednesday, Nov. 16 at 6p.m. vs. Newberry College Tuesday, Nov. 22 at 5:30 p.m. vs. Chowan University Monday, Nov. 28 at 5:30 p.m. vs. Lenoir-Rhyne University Saturday, Dec. 3 at 2 p.m. vs. Belmont Abbey College Saturday, Jan. 7 at 2 p.m. vs. King University (Tenn.) Saturday, Jan. 14 at 2 p.m. vs. Erskine College Saturday, Jan. 21 at 2 p.m. vs. UNC Pembroke Tuesday, Jan. 24 at 5:30 p.m. vs. Barton College Saturday, Jan. 28 at 2 p.m. vs. Lees-McRae College Saturday, Feb. 11 at 2 p.m. vs. Emmanuel College (Ga.) Saturday, Feb. 18 at 2 p.m. vs. North Greenville University Wednesday, Feb. 22 at 5:30 p.m. vs. University of Mount Olive

6pm - 8pm Sushi Rollin' 101

Where: Sip Co. Wine & Beer, 116 N. Church St., Lake City, SC, 29560, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

Come and learn the basics of sushi making as Gringo Ninja goes over everything from equipment and preparation, to how to make the rice and the fundamentals of making a sushi roll. It is interactive, full of laughs, and you always leave with your belly full. All you can eat!!!

6pm - 9pm Whiskey & Wine Tasting

Where: Tammy's, 112 East Main Street, Lake City, South Carolina, 29560

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description: Tammy's is hosting a Whiskey & Wine Tasting Wednesday from 6 to 9 p.m. The cost is \$30 per person or \$50 per couple.

Florence Festivals & Events

Thu Nov 17, 2022

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Sun Nov 20, 2022

11am - 4pm Black Creek Arts Council's Annual Holiday Market

Where: Black Creek Arts, 116 W College Ave, Hartsville, SC, 29550, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

The Black Creek Arts Holiday Market returns. The holiday market is a unique shopping experience featuring area artists and their original work. There will be artwork, ornaments, wreaths, artistic trees, woodworking, handmade jewelry, pottery and more. Admission is free.

12pm - 3pm BBQ and Live Music featuring Chad & Lance

Where: Wholly Smokin' Downtown, 150 S. Dargan Street, Florence, SC, 29506, United States

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Description:

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12pm - 6pm Photos with Santa

Where: Magnolia Mall, 2701 David H McLeod Blvd, Florence, SC, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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12:30pm - 5:30pm St. Anne Catholic Church's "Come to the Manger"

Where: St. Ann Catholic Church, 113 S. Kemp Street, Florence, South Carolina

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

St. Anne Ladies Guild will host its annual "Come to the Manger" Exhibit on Friday-Sunday. Displays will be at St. Anne Catholic Church's new Hall (one block due east of McLeod Regional Medical Center). Please come and enjoy over a hundred nativity sets from all over the world. They will also have an arts, crafts, and baked goods for sale with the exhibits.

2pm - 6pm Christmas In Kingstree

Where: Downtown Kingstree, Kingstree, SC, 29556, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

Join the town of Kingstree for a weekend of fun. Friday, November 18: 4 to 7 p.m. - Downtown Shopping and dining 4 to 5:15 p.m. - Pictures with Santa at Welch Park & Letters to Santa at the Chamber 5:30 - Christmas Parade Saturday, November 19: 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. - Kingstree Cruisin' For St. Jude Car Show 10 a.m. to noon - Brunch with the Grinch at Downtown Cafe Sunday, November 20: 2 to 6 p.m. - Williamsburg Hometown Chamber Open House with ornament making for kids

Florence Festivals & Events

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Mon Nov 21, 2022

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10am - 11am Johnsonville Book Club: The Maid

Where: Johnsonville Public Library, 242 S. Georgetown Hwy., Johnsonville, SC, 29555, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

Join the Johnsonville Book Club to discuss *The Maid* by Nita Prose, a heartwarming mystery with a lovable oddball at its center. Books are available at the circulation desk. In addition, the ebook and digital audiobook can be found on the Jasmine Digital Library. All are welcome.

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7pm - 7pm Addie's Baby Paint Class at Creekside

Where: Addie's Baby Paint & Sip Studio, 290 W Evans St, Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

Addie's Baby has many classes to choose from this month. You can join a class via zoom or in the studio. Click here to register Friday, Nov. 4 at 7 p.m. – "Midnight Lantern" Saturday, Nov 5. at 11 a.m. – "FireFlies" all ages paint class Saturday, Nov. 5 at 2 p.m. – "Pumpkin Spice" Friday, Nov. 11 at 7 p.m. – "Step'n Out" Trap Paint & Groove Monday, Nov. 21 at 7 p.m. – "Happy Fall Y'all" at Creekside Restaurant Friday, Nov. 25 at 7 p.m. – "Gucci Girl" Trap Paint & Groove

Florence Festivals & Events

7:30pm - 7:30pm FMU Concert Choir and Voice Collective

Where: FMU Performing Arts Center, 201 S. Dargan St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

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Description:

The Francis Marion University Concert Choir and Voice Collective will perform tonight at 7:30. The cost is \$10 for the General Public and free for FMU Students with ID. Contact the Ticket Office at 843-661-4444, or stop by 201 S. Dargan St. between 12 - 5 pm, Monday - Friday. Social distancing and masks may be required while in the venue.

7:30pm - 7:30pm Florence 1 Schools 43rd All-City Chorus Concert

Where: South Florence High School, 3200 S. Irby Street, Florence, 29505

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

Florence 1 Schools will present its 43rd All-City Chorus concert on Monday, November 21 at 7:30 p.m. at South Florence High School. The All-City Chorus is the school district's largest concert choir, comprised of selected student voices from South Florence, West Florence, and Wilson high schools. Guest conductor for the All-City Choral Concert this year is Dr. Anthony Bernarducci, Associate Professor of Music and Director of Choral Activities at Clemson University. Dr. Bernarducci will lead the All-City ensemble in a varied selection of music. Each high school choir will also present one selection on its own under the direction of its chorus teacher. The All-City Choral concert is free and open to the public.

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12pm - 5pm Dalvin Spann: Moyo Roho and FMU Student Juried Exhibition

Where: Steven F. Gately Gallery, 142 North Dargan Street, Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

Join the Steven F. Gately Gallery for a dual exhibit featuring Dalvin Spann: Moyo Roho and the FMU Student Juried Exhibition. The exhibit will be on display through December 16.

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3:30pm - 5pm Accidental Artist's Paint Classes

Where: Accidental Artist, 247 N Main Street, Bishopville, South Carolina

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

Join the Accidental Artist for their weekly paint classes. The themes vary from week to week! Tuesdays are \$10 Tuesday's Wednesday classes are \$15

5pm - 7:30pm Southern Gardener's Bootcamp Series: Edible Garden Part 2: Advanced

Where: Clemson Extension Darlington County, 300 Russell St. Room 222, Darlington, South Carolina

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

Every Tuesday evening in October and November, from 5 to 7:30 p.m., enjoy supper and an introductory class to gardening in southern climates. The sign-up for all eight classes is 100 dollars or pick and choose individual classes for \$15 per class. Master Gardeners receive a discounted rate of \$12 for each class. Oct. 4: Soil Basics: Improving and Managing Soil Fertility. Learn the key components of soil health, how to test your soil, and interpret soil results. In addition, learn the basics of composting, cover crops, vermiculture, and raised bed soil. Oct. 11: Landscape Plant Care: Trees, Shrubs, and Flowers. Learn basic botany principles around annuals, perennials, woody shrubs, and trees. Learn common trees, shrubs, and flowers in southern landscapes. Learn planting, pruning, and maintenance needs for yard plants. Oct. 18: Warm Season Lawns. Learn about the best warm-season lawns and how to establish and maintain a healthy southern lawn. Also included is how to identify problems and revive a declining lawn. Please bring pictures and lawn samples for personalized assistance. Oct. 25: Weeds, Pests, and Diseases of the Southeast. Learn how to identify problems in the landscape, whether it be invasive plants, various pests, or diseases. Learn the principles of integrated pest management, how to proactively prevent problems in your landscape, and how to rectify them as needed. Nov. 1: Cut Flower Gardens: Annuals and Perennials. A basic introduction to the best cutting flowers to add to a landscape for four-season interest and continuous blooms throughout the year. Learn the tips and tricks for good garden design principles, proper plant ratios, and choosing the best varieties. Also, information on maintaining and caring for annual and perennial flowering plants is provided. Nov. 8: Outdoor Container Gardening. Introductory concepts to how to maintain an urban garden in pots and containers. The instructor will review soil needs, pot selection, and the best variety types for container gardens. Additional information will be provided on the long-term care of perennials and trees in pots. Information also will be provided on designing a beautiful seasonal porch container, how to grow crops in pots, and how to maintain raised veggie trugs and repurposed IBC water tanks. Nov. 15: Edible Gardening Part 1: Fundamentals. Learn core concepts about building a vegetable patch, raised garden, to the long-term plot. Learn the key nutrients and care necessary for a successful edible garden. Learn what to grow, when, and the varieties and crops that grow best in the Pee Dee region. Nov. 22: Edible Garden Part 2: Advanced. Learn key techniques to start seeds indoors, transplants, crop planning, season extension tools, and post-harvest handling for crop storage. In addition, learn to develop plant-specific pest control plans and advanced plant problem diagnosis. You must pre-register. Register online: [SouthernGardenBootcamp2022.eventbrite.com](https://southerngardenbootcamp2022.eventbrite.com), or you can register via phone at 843-944-8582

5:30pm - 5:30pm FMU Women's Basketball Home Game

Where: FMU – Smith University Center, 4822 E. Palmetto St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

The FMU Women's basketball 2022-2023 schedule has been released. Below are the home games scheduled for this season. Wednesday, Nov. 16 at 6p.m. vs. Newberry College Tuesday, Nov. 22 at 5:30 p.m. vs. Chowan University Monday, Nov. 28 at 5:30 p.m. vs. Lenoir-Rhyne University Saturday, Dec. 3 at 2 p.m. vs. Belmont Abbey College Saturday, Jan. 7 at 2 p.m. vs. King University (Tenn.) Saturday, Jan. 14 at 2 p.m. vs. Erskine College Saturday, Jan. 21 at 2 p.m. vs. UNC Pembroke Tuesday, Jan. 24 at 5:30 p.m. vs. Barton College Saturday, Jan. 28 at 2 p.m. vs. Lees-McRae College Saturday, Feb. 11 at 2 p.m. vs. Emmanuel College (Ga.) Saturday, Feb. 18 at 2 p.m. vs. North Greenville University Wednesday, Feb. 22 at 5:30 p.m. vs. University of Mount Olive

6pm - 8pm Line Dance Class

Where: Greenwood Baptist Church (gym), 2401 Claussen Road, Florence, SC, 29505, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: scproduction@commbroadcasters.com

Description:

Heart & Sole Line Dance hosts a line dance class Tuesday evenings from 6 to 8 p.m. Come on out to learn new dances. The cost is \$5. For more details, visit our Facebook page Heart & Sole Line Dance, Florence SC.

6pm - 8pm Thanksgiving Wine Tasting (Sold Out)

Where: Sip Co. Wine & Beer, 116 N. Church St., Lake City, SC, 29560, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

Sip Co. Wine & Beer has a wine tasting Tuesday from 6 to 8 p.m. They will run through Booker Vineyards Chardonnay (\$32), Cabernet (\$42), and Red Blend (\$27), accompanied with some light snacks and a walk-through of each wine with Michael Potter from Southern Wine & Spirits.

6:30pm - 6:30pm Art After Dark Classes

Where: Olio Studio, 104 W. Main St., Lake City, SC, 29560, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

Olio Studio has released its November Art After Dark schedule. You can sign up for one or more of these classes here. 10 – Thanksgiving Ceramic Painted Plate \$25-\$35 11 – Fall Pumpkin Painting \$25-\$35 17 – Handmade Ceramic Bowl/ Platter \$25-\$35 18 – Paint Your Pet Portrait \$35-\$45 22 – Pick Your Own Holiday Painting/ Pottery \$25-\$35 23 – Hand Painted Wooden Dough Bowls \$20-\$40 Sign up online! Can't make it to a class, just book an appointment or party to come create with us!

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7:30pm - 7:30pm FMU Jazz Combo

Where: FMU Performing Arts Center, 201 S. Dargan St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

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Description:

The FMU Jazz Combo allows students in a small group setting to learn and hone improvisational skills within the jazz idiom. Works have been selected from music by Corea, Gasper, Shorter, and more.

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Sun Nov 27, 2022

11am - 4pm Black Creek Arts Council's Annual Holiday Market

Where: Black Creek Arts, 116 W College Ave, Hartsville, SC, 29550, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

The Black Creek Arts Holiday Market returns. The holiday market is a unique shopping experience featuring area artists and their original work. There will be artwork, ornaments, wreaths, artistic trees, woodworking, handmade jewelry, pottery and more. Admission is free.

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5pm - 5pm Restorative Yoga

Where: Bubble Boutique, 130 S. Irby Street, Florence, South Carolina

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

A restorative class is a wonderful complement to any active practice – as well as your busy life – and an excellent antidote to stress. In this class, they will prime the nervous system for deep sleep using the assistance of props to create a supportive and peaceful atmosphere conducive to relaxation. This class is available to all levels, from brand-new to seasoned yogis. Sign up using the link below: <https://www.wellnessliving.com/schedule/balanceyogaflo...>

6pm - 6pm Lights4Paws

Where: Lights4Paws, 3251 Mears Drive, Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

Check out all the dazzles and sparkles of the holiday season at Lights4Paws, a spectacular walk with over 300,000 gorgeous holiday lights, merry music, and festive decorations to benefit the Florence area's Humane Society. Take a stroll with your four-legged friend or family of friends through a holiday wonderland filled with favorite seasonal displays around every turn of the trail. Open 6 to 9 p.m. each night from November 25-December 26. Donations are gratefully accepted to benefit the Florence Area Humane Society.

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Florence Festivals & Events

12pm - 8pm Photos with Santa

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5pm - 6pm Kids Craft: Dino Tooth Necklace

Where: Lamar Library, 103 E Main Street, Lamar, South Carolina, 29532

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

The Lamar Library is having a kid's craft session on Monday, November 28 from 5-6 PM. Participants will be making Dino Tooth Necklaces!

5:30pm - 5:30pm FMU Women's Basketball Home Game

Where: FMU – Smith University Center, 4822 E. Palmetto St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

The FMU Women's basketball 2022-2023 schedule has been released. Below are the home games scheduled for this season. Wednesday, Nov. 16 at 6p.m. vs. Newberry College Tuesday, Nov. 22 at 5:30 p.m. vs. Chowan University Monday, Nov. 28 at 5:30 p.m. vs. Lenoir-Rhyne University Saturday, Dec. 3 at 2 p.m. vs. Belmont Abbey College Saturday, Jan. 7 at 2 p.m. vs. King University (Tenn.) Saturday, Jan. 14 at 2 p.m. vs. Erskine College Saturday, Jan. 21 at 2 p.m. vs. UNC Pembroke Tuesday, Jan. 24 at 5:30 p.m. vs. Barton College Saturday, Jan. 28 at 2 p.m. vs. Lees-McRae College Saturday, Feb. 11 at 2 p.m. vs. Emmanuel College (Ga.) Saturday, Feb. 18 at 2 p.m. vs. North Greenville University Wednesday, Feb. 22 at 5:30 p.m. vs. University of Mount Olive

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7:30pm - 7:30pm FMU Men's Basketball Home Game

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Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

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Tue Nov 29, 2022

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Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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Florence Festivals & Events

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12pm - 5pm Dalvin Spann: Moyo Roho and FMU Student Juried Exhibition

Where: Steven F. Gately Gallery, 142 North Dargan Street, Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

Join the Steven F. Gately Gallery for a dual exhibit featuring Dalvin Spann: Moyo Roho and the FMU Student Juried Exhibition. The exhibit will be on display through December 16.

12pm - 1pm How to Write a Business Plan

Where: Online / Virtual Event

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

A business plan is very specific to each business. However, while each business needs a unique plan, the basic elements are the same in all business plans. To complete an effective business plan, you must dedicate time to complete the plan. This course will take you through the step-by-step process of developing a business plan.

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12:45pm - 12:45pm Growing Hobby: Living Ornament Workshop

Where: Pee Dee State Farmers Market, 2513 W. Lucas St., Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

Join Growing Hobby for an evening of fun. These evening workshops are BYOB. Sept 6 – Cracked Pot Planter – Use terra cotta pottery shards to design a succulent planter or a multi-level fairy garden. \$55 Sept 20 – Air Plant Mobile – Make a mobile with air plant globes or jellyfish, then brighten it up with beads. All supplies included. \$30 Oct 4 – Succulent Pumpkins – Create a stunning fall centerpiece with a pumpkin, succulents, and natural materials. \$45 Oct 11 – Succulent Pumpkins – Create a stunning fall centerpiece with a pumpkin, succulents, and natural materials. \$45 Oct 25 – Autumn Fairy Sticks (2 pcs) – Make fairy sticks to brighten your flower pots and garden. Includes supplies to make two items. \$40 Nov 1 – Mosaic Stepping Stone – Bring in your broken pottery and glass or use our supplies to create a mosaic stepping stone. \$45 Nov 15 – Christmas Tree Pot – Create a living work of art by planting succulents and decorating with vintage jewelry, glass, and pottery pieces. \$45 Nov 29 – Living Ornament – Create a living ornament that will continue growing long after the holidays. Great hostess gift! \$15 Dec 6 – Painted Cups and Pots – Decorate a coffee cup for the holidays or paint a face pot. Add a plant, and you’ll have a great gift! \$20

Florence Festivals & Events

3:30pm - 5pm Accidental Artist's Paint Classes

Where: Accidental Artist, 247 N Main Street, Bishopville, South Carolina

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

Join the Accidental Artist for their weekly paint classes. The themes vary from week to week! Tuesdays are \$10 Tuesday's Wednesday classes are \$15

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6pm - 8pm Line Dance Class

Where: Greenwood Baptist Church (gym), 2401 Claussen Road, Florence, SC, 29505, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: scproduction@commbroadcasters.com

Description:

Heart & Sole Line Dance hosts a line dance class Tuesday evenings from 6 to 8 p.m. Come on out to learn new dances. The cost is \$5. For more details, visit our Facebook page Heart & Sole Line Dance, Florence SC.

7:30pm - 7:30pm Coker University's Informal Dance Concert

Where: Watson Theater at Coker University, 300 E College Ave, Hartsville, South Carolina, 29550

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

Coker University and the Dance Program present this year's Informal Dance Concert! This concert features Coker dance classes, Coker Repertory Dance Company, Venomous Hip Hop Dance Club, and student choreography. Join them Thursday, November 29 at 7:30 pm in the Watson Theater for this electric performance! Admission is FREE and all are welcome! For more information click here.

Wed Nov 30, 2022

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Sun Dec 4, 2022

10am - 4pm Christmas Market

Where: Pee Dee State Farmers Market, 2513 W. Lucas St., Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

Get into the holiday spirit with the Pee Dee State Farmers Market annual Christmas Market! You can expect to shop a variety of holiday décor and craft vendors, in-season Certified SC produce, and more. Interested in becoming a vendor? Please contact Market Manager, Bob Sager, at (843)665-5154 or bsager@soda.sc.gov for more information!

10am - 10am Hometown Holidays

Where: Downtown Lake City, Main Street, Lake City, SC, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

Mark your calendar for the highly anticipated Hometown Holidays Festival, the first weekend in December in downtown Lake City, South Carolina! Plan to spend your weekend shopping & strolling the beautifully decorated downtown streets and enjoy all of the 50+ festive activities that are sure to put you in the holiday spirit. Friday will be FILLED with events for both kids and adults, including the City of Lake City's annual Tree Lighting Ceremony. Saturday will be packed with even more activities, including live holiday music, dance performances, a live performance, and so much more! You will not want to miss Sunday's lengthy list of events either, such as free professional photo sessions courtesy of NDC Photography and tons of great sales and boutique shopping opportunities. But wait, there's more... Our downtown merchants invite you to drop into their holiday-themed shops to create Christmas crafts, ornaments, letters to Santa, and MORE all weekend long! For the complete schedule of events, click here.

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12pm - 12pm Florence Lions Club Toy Run

Where: Florence Center, 3300 W Radio Dr, Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

The Florence Lions Club Toy Run is Sunday, December 5. Registration will begin at noon Bikes will leave at 2 p.m. from the Florence Center. There will be food and an auction at the end of the ride. Registration for the event is \$20 per rider or a toy. You can participate in this event even though you do not ride a motorcycle. Santa Claus will be available for pictures.

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2pm - 5pm Holiday Homes Tour

Where: Various Locations Florence, Florence, SC, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

Join the Florence Symphony Orchestra for its 10th annual Holiday Homes Tour. This self-guided tour features five unique and beautifully decorated homes. To purchase tickets, click here.

Florence Festivals & Events

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2:30pm - 2:30pm Coker University's Holiday Choral Concert

Where: First Presbyterian Church (Hartsville), 213 W. Home Ave., Hartsville, SC, 29550, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description: Coker University will present its Holiday Choral Concert at First Presbyterian Church Sunday at 2:30. Bring the family out for this holiday-filled event.

3pm - 4pm Hemingway Christmas Parade

Where: Downtown Hemingway

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

The Town of Hemingway's Christmas Parade is Sunday from 3 to 4 p.m.. The parade will start at Hemingway High School and end at Hemingway Hardware.

3pm - 3pm Kalmia Gardens Holiday Open House

Where: Kalmia Gardens, 1624 W Carolina Ave, Hartsville, SC, 29550, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

You are cordially invited to share the holiday spirit with Kalmia Gardens at the Historic Hart House c.1820. The house will be decorated in period style; there will be light snacks and a visit from Old Saint Nick. Along with the Hart House tour, the Jacob Kelley House and Hart Cottage will also be open free of charge. So please come visit them Sunday from 3 to 5 p.m.

5pm - 5pm Restorative Yoga + Reiki + Sound

Where: Balance, 152 S Dargan Street, Florence, South Carolina, 29501

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

Join Laura and Bridget for this special evening of beautiful relaxation and surrender. While Bridget guides you into Restorative postures with your body fully supported by props, Laura will share the healing magic of Reiki with each student. Both restorative yoga and reiki have been shown to relieve stress and anxiety making this class the perfect addition to your schedule this holiday season. Sign up here:

5:30pm - 10pm Downtown Holiday Music and Light Experience

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5:30pm - 7:30pm Kingstree Historical Holiday Tour of Homes

Where: Downtown Kingstree, Kingstree, SC, 29556, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

The Kingstree Historical Holiday Tour of Homes is December 4 from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. Tickets will be on sale from November 7 to December 1 at Town Hall, The Chamber or eventbrite.com. The Tour will begin at Williamsburg Presbyterian Church Grace Hall. Participants will visit six beautifully decorated homes in Historic Kingstree and enjoy refreshments and extraordinary music from Megan Dodson, harpist. This event benefits the Pee Dee Coalition.

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Where: Florence Little Theatre, 417 S. Dargan St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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Description:

Florence Little Theatre auditions are open to everyone. The auditions for the upcoming production of Neil Simon's Plaza Suite are on December 4 & 7. Auditions begin at 7 p.m. with registration beginning at 6:30 p.m. in the lobby. The performance is scheduled for March 10-18. We pride ourselves on having newcomers backstage or in the cast of every production. All auditions are held at the Florence Little Theatre. Prior experience is not required and all audition materials will be provided. Usually, those who are auditioning will be asked to read scenes from the show with others. For musicals auditions, you will be asked to sing a song that demonstrates your vocal abilities. The musical director will go over the song before you are asked to sing. You will also be required to dance and the choreographer for the production will go over dance with you before you dance for the director.

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5:30pm - 6:30pm Florence Teen Library Events

Where: Drs. Bruce & Lee Foundation Library, 509 S. Dargan St., Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

The Florence County Library Teen Services Department has monthly programming for teens this fall. Various craft and STEM programs will be available for those in the 6th through 12th grades. All programs are free and take place on Mondays from 5:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m. on the following dates: September 19: Zines October 17: Sphero Ramp Challenge November 7: Book Fold Hedgehogs December 5: Moss Robotics and Little Bits The library will also host a special gaming day on Wednesday, October 5, from 2:00 p.m.-4:00 p.m. Board games, card games, and a PS4 will be available for play during this time. For questions, contact Julie Vaught at 843-413-7073 or teens@florencelibrary.org.

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Florence Festivals & Events

Tue Dec 6, 2022

8:30am - 5pm Senior Shows by Graduating FMU Visual Arts Majors

Where: Adele Kassab Art Gallery, Heyward Drive, Florence

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

Senior shows are required of all students majoring in Visual Arts. These shows give students hands-on experience in selecting and installing artworks, publicity of exhibitions, and external review by the University community and the general public. The exhibit will be on display from November 15-December 8.

8:30am - 5pm Works by Ceramics and 3-D Design Classes

Where: Adele Kassab Art Gallery, Heyward Drive, Florence

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

Students in ceramics classes learn processes and techniques in both wheel-throwing and hand-building in the art and craft of pottery. Throwing leads progressively toward stoneware clay tooling, decorating, glazing and firing. As they advance through the curriculum, students add ceramic fabrications methods of slab-work, modeling from solid masses, and press molding. Multi-part forms and porcelain formula clay bodies are created as artistic discipline develops along with the individual's philosophy, critical awareness and aesthetics. Students taking Three-Dimensional Design classes to investigate organization techniques, with special emphasis on the plastic controls of form and space. They learn to use a variety of tools and various sculptural media, including wood, plaster and clay.

9:30am - 11:30am Paper Mache Ornaments

Where: Black Creek Arts, 116 W College Ave, Hartsville, SC, 29550, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

Learn how to transform scrap paper into whimsical Christmas ornaments. Participants will make vintage-style bows and ribbons in several different sizes. You will combine them with natural elements such as branches and pine cones. You can choose to make many small ones for your tree or to use as gift tags, and large bows big enough to adorn a door, mantle, or as a table centerpiece. The cost for this two-hour class is \$35. All materials are included (paper, glue, branches of different sizes, pine cones, some color paper options) and tools will be available for use during the workshop (brushes, scissors, clothespins etc.).

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11am - 4pm Black Creek Arts Council's Annual Holiday Market

Where: Black Creek Arts, 116 W College Ave, Hartsville, SC, 29550, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

The Black Creek Arts Holiday Market returns. The holiday market is a unique shopping experience featuring area artists and their original work. There will be artwork, ornaments, wreaths, artistic trees, woodworking, handmade jewelry, pottery and more. Admission is free.

Florence Festivals & Events

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12pm - 1:30pm Email Basics Workshop

Where: Drs. Bruce & Lee Foundation Library, 509 S. Dargan St., Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

The next in the lineup for fall computer workshops at the Doctors Bruce and Lee Foundation Library will be Email Basics to be held Tuesday at 12 p.m. in the second-floor computer classroom. Participants will learn how to set up an email. Space is limited and registration is required for this free adult (18+) program. This workshop is offered as part of the Digital Literacy Incentive Program, supported by AT&T and the Public Library Association. The Doctors Bruce and Lee Foundation Library is located at 509 S. Dargan Street in Florence. Call 843-413-7074 to register, or for more information visit www.florencelibrary.org.

6pm - 8pm Line Dance Class

Where: Greenwood Baptist Church (gym), 2401 Claussen Road, Florence, SC, 29505, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: scproduction@commbroadcasters.com

Description:

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Sun Dec 11, 2022

12pm - 6pm Photos with Santa

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2pm - 4pm Florence County Museum Open Studio

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Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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Description:

Introducing Open Studio Sundays occurring the 2nd Sunday of the month at the Museum. An opportunity for museum members of all ages to drop in and creatively work alongside others. Museum classroom space and courtyard will be open from 2 to 4 p.m. Supplies are not provided. Please bring your favorite water-based art materials and/or sketchbook to enjoy dedicated space and time to create. This is free for members of the FCM. Not yet a member or need to renew? Click here to become a member or renew your membership! Click here to register for Open Studio.

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Florence Festivals & Events

3pm - 3pm Peter Pan Jr.

Where: Florence Little Theatre, 417 S. Dargan St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

The Florence Little Theatre's Children's Workshop will perform PeterPan Jr. on December 9-11. The Florence Little Theatre Children's Workshop is designed for youth grades 2-6 and provides hands-on experience in all aspects of theatre production. Monday Class show dates: December 9 at 7:30 PM and December 10 at 3:00 PM Thursday Class show dates: December 10 at 7:30 PM and December 11 at 3:00 PM

4pm - 4pm Christmas with The Masterworks Choir

Where: Central United Methodist Church, 167 S. Irby St., Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

This year, the Masterworks annual Christmas performances feature the Midnight Mass for Christmas by French baroque composer Marc-Antoine Charpentier. This intimate work features ten old French Christmas carols in an artful and meaningful sequence. The second work on the program is Magnificat by J.S. Bach. The Magnificat is a jewel among Bach's sacred works with its twelve concise, discrete movements. It remains one of Bach's most performed compositions. As a bonus, the Masterworks Children's Choir will join them for several beloved Christmas carols.

4:30pm - 4:30pm Florence Golf Cart Parade

Where: Various Locations Florence, Florence, SC, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

Florence will have its first-ever golf cart parade downtown on Dec. 11 to help make Christmas a little brighter for children and families. The parade is sponsored by Palmetto Housing & Rehabilitation (PHAR), which is a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization, along with Joy Walker Realtor. The theme is "Giving Back to Our Greatest Gifts. The purpose of this toy and food drive is to help kids and families that are underprivileged. People can decorate their golf carts for Christmas with lights. There will also be a competition for the best three decorated golf carts. But you don't have to decorate your golf cart to participate. It takes place Sunday, Dec. 11, and will begin at 4:30 p.m. Lineup will start at 3:30 p.m. on Franklin Avenue in Florence. The parade route will travel down Evans Street toward downtown Florence, then left beside El Agave Mexican Restaurant, ending in the Florence County Complex parking lot. You can contact Joy Walker at 843-206-7355 or email her at buywithjoy13@gmail.com for more information on registration for the parade and how you can donate to the cause.

5:30pm - 10pm Downtown Holiday Music and Light Experience

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6pm - 8pm Sweets & Treats with Santa & Mrs. Claus

Where: Cheraw Community Center, 200 Powe St., Cheraw, SC, 29520, United States

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Description:

The Cheraw Recreation & Leisure Department welcomes children ages 2 to 10 to attend our 2nd annual "Sweets and Treats with Santa & Mrs. Claus" on Monday, December 12, from 6 to 8 p.m. at the Cheraw Community Teen Center. They will have fun and enjoy sweets, treats, crafts, and a special Santa & Mrs. Claus visit. Admission is only \$5.00 per child (payment at the door). This is a family-friendly event that you do not want to miss!

7:30pm - 7:30pm FSO "Holiday Pops"

Where: FMU Performing Arts Center, 201 S. Dargan St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

The FSO's Holiday Pops concert is a long-standing tradition and one of the most popular performances of the season. This concert will feature local singers Amesha McElveen and Jerinda Davis. They most recently performed together in the Florence Little Theatre's production of Dreamgirls.

Tue Dec 13, 2022

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Where: Accidental Artist, 247 N Main Street, Bishopville, South Carolina

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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Description:

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Where: Drs. Bruce & Lee Foundation Library, 509 S. Dargan St., Florence, SC, 29501, United States

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Where: Sip Co. Wine & Beer, 116 N. Church St., Lake City, SC, 29560, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

Join Sullivan's Board Company Tuesday for a Charcuterie workshop at 6pm! "During this workshop, you will create an 8x8 Christmas-themed board for two as an after-dinner snack or carry to lunch the next day. You will learn cheese carving, meat folds, fruit carving, grocery shopping, and different options to build your board on and so much more! All supplies will be provided.

Florence Festivals & Events

Wed Dec 14, 2022

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12pm - 5pm Dalvin Spann: Moyo Roho and FMU Student Juried Exhibition

Where: Steven F. Gately Gallery, 142 North Dargan Street, Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

Join the Steven F. Gately Gallery for a dual exhibit featuring Dalvin Spann: Moyo Roho and the FMU Student Juried Exhibition. The exhibit will be on display through December 16.

12pm - 8pm Photos with Santa

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Sun Dec 18, 2022

11am - 11am Brunch with Dee Tallon

Where: Wild Heart Brewing Company, 317 Railroad Ave, Hartsville, South Carolina, 29550

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description: Join Dee Tallon for Wild Heart Brewing Company's Holiday Pajama Brunch. Listen to Dee Tallon perform while you enjoy your food.

12pm - 3pm BBQ and Live Music

Where: Wholly Smokin' Downtown, 150 S. Dargan Street, Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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Description:

Every Saturday and Sunday, Wholly Smokin' combines their love of BBQ and brunch with live music! Grab a seat and a mimosa or bloody mary, and join in the fun from 12 to 3 p.m.

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2pm - 2pm Poured Paint Ceramic Ornament Workshop

Where: Olio Studio, 104 W. Main St., Lake City, SC, 29560, United States

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Description:

Olio Studio is having a "Poured Paint Ceramics Ornaments Workshop" Sunday at 2 p.m. The cost is \$25 for 4 ceramic ornaments. The class will be taught by local artist Melanie Reed. Participants will learn the basics of paint pouring to create beautiful one of a kind ornaments! You will get to choose any colors you want! This is fun workshop you don't want to miss! Sign up by Dec. 17th to reserve your spot. Must be 8 yrs or older to participate.

2pm - 5pm Steven F. Gately Continuous Exhibit

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3pm - 3pm Disney's Beauty and the Beast Jr.

Where: Florence Little Theatre, 417 S. Dargan St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

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Description:

The Florence Little Theatre's Rising Stars (grades 7-12) will perform Disney's Beauty and the Beast Jr. on December 16-18. Rising Stars is a theatre arts program for young adults- grades 7-12, who love to learn and want to build their theatre skills in a safe and professional environment. Students develop skills vital to performing arts like team-building, public speaking, and creative problem-solving. The program director chooses the student's auditions for the production, and the students meet weekly to rehearse their roles for the production. The program concludes with public performances that allow the students to experience all aspects of theatre production. These productions are done on the Florence Little Theatre stage with the support of staff and volunteers. As a result, students can be a part of a performance on a professional quality stage with the full backing of professional-level production quality of lights, sound, costumes, and makeup.

Florence Festivals & Events

3:40pm - 3:40pm A Festival of Nine Lessons and Carols

Where: Central United Methodist Church, 167 S. Irby St., Florence, SC, 29501, United States

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Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

As we celebrate the Advent season, many of us enjoy singing the beloved Christmas carols. A Festival of Nine Lessons and Carols provides the perfect opportunity. Between the lessons read and the carols sung by the choir, you are invited to heartily participate in the singing of some of your favorites, including Once in Royal David's City, Good King Wenceslas, While Shepherds Watched Their Flocks, The First Nowell, and Hark! The Herald Angels Sing. Powerful organ accompaniments and soaring descants will enhance your singing! Come early to enjoy an organ recital of Christmas music at 3:40 PM and stay afterward for a reception.

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Mon Dec 19, 2022

10am - 10am Johnsonville Library Book Club: Small Things Like These

Where: Johnsonville Public Library, 242 S. Georgetown Hwy., Johnsonville, SC, 29555, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

Join the Johnsonville Library Book Club to discuss *Small Things Like These* by Claire Keegan. In 1985 small-town Ireland, before Christmas, a coal merchant and father of five discovers something shocking while making a routine convent delivery and is forced to confront his own past and his town's subjugation by the Catholic Church. Everyone is welcome. Copies of the book are available at the circulation desk and the ebook is available through the Jasmine Digital Library.

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Florence Festivals & Events

7pm - 7pm "Christmas Ornament" Paint Class

Where: Creekside, 1115 S. Irby Street, Florence, South Carolina, 29501

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Description: Addie's Baby Paint & Stip Studio returns to Creekside Restaurant for its "Christmas Ornament" paint class Monday at 7 p.m.

Tue Dec 20, 2022

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5:30pm - 6:30pm Wrap and Yap Party

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Description:

The Doctors Bruce and Lee Foundation Library will offer a complimentary Wrap and Yap Party for adults (ages 18+) on Tuesday, December 20, at 5:30 p.m. Participants can bring their holiday presents, and the library will provide the materials to wrap them in a friendly, community environment. In addition, cookies and hot beverages will be provided. The program will last one hour. Participation is free, but space is limited, and registration is required. All wrapping materials will be provided. For information or to register, call (843)413-7074. The Doctors Bruce and Lee Foundation Library is located at 509 S. Dargan Street in Florence.

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Where: Greenwood Baptist Church (gym), 2401 Claussen Road, Florence, SC, 29505, United States

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Created by: scproduction@commbroadcasters.com

Description:

Heart & Sole Line Dance hosts a line dance class Tuesday evenings from 6 to 8 p.m. Come on out to learn new dances. The cost is \$5. For more details, visit our Facebook page Heart & Sole Line Dance, Florence SC.

6pm - 6pm Twas the Night Before Christmas Storytime

Where: Amazing Grace Park, 101 Wilcox Ave, Marion, South Carolina, 29571

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: Eric McKnight

Description:

Amazing Grace Park in Marion is having its Twas the Night Before Christmas Storytime event Tuesday at 6 p.m. Join them for storytime, a craft and bingo with the Marion County Library System.

6:30pm - 6:30pm Christmas Wine Tasting

Where: Sip Co. Wine & Beer, 116 N. Church St., Lake City, SC, 29560, United States

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Florence Festivals & Events

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Mon Dec 26, 2022

5:30pm - 10pm Downtown Holiday Music and Light Experience

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Where: Addie's Baby Paint & Sip Studio, 290 W Evans St, Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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Description:

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6pm - 8pm Line Dance Class

Where: Greenwood Baptist Church (gym), 2401 Claussen Road, Florence, SC, 29505, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: scproduction@commbroadcasters.com

Description:

Heart & Sole Line Dance hosts a line dance class Tuesday evenings from 6 to 8 p.m. Come on out to learn new dances. The cost is \$5. For more details, visit our Facebook page Heart & Sole Line Dance, Florence SC.

Wed Dec 28, 2022

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Thu Dec 29, 2022

8am - 5pm Family Bingo Night

Where: Barnes Street Activity Center, 513 Barnes St., Florence, SC, 29501, United States

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Description:

The City of Florence's Recreation Department is hosting Family BINGO Night Friday from 6:30 to 8 p.m. Admission is one full-sized candy bar per person (candy bars will be for sale at the door, \$1 each cash only). They will offer free pizza. All ages are welcome. Registration must be completed by Thursday, January 12. Registration can be done online (florences.myrec.com). Call (843)665-3253 for assistance or more information.

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10:30am - 10:30am Pre-Noon Year's Eve Party

Where: Cheraw Community Center, 200 Powe St., Cheraw, SC, 29520, United States

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Description:

Join the Town of Cheraw Recreation and Leisure Services for its 2nd annual fun-filled holiday morning celebration on Thursday, December 29 at the Cheraw Community Center. The fun begins at 10:30am with a kid-friendly DJ keeping this party going! There will be a countdown to 12 NOON with a balloon drop with prizes. Recommended for ages 4 and up because of the loud music, but younger children are certainly welcome.

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6:30pm - 6:30pm Art After Dark Classes

Where: Olio Studio, 104 W. Main St., Lake City, SC, 29560, United States

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Description:

Olio Studio has released its November Art After Dark schedule. You can sign up for one or more of these classes here. 1 - Christmas Painted Ceramic Plate \$25 & Up 8 - Handmade Ceramic Slab Bowl/Platter or Tree Luminary \$25-\$35 9 - Christmas Wooden Signs \$25-\$60 15 - Christmas Farm Animals Paintings \$25-\$35 16 - Classic Christmas Paintings \$25-\$35 22 - Merry Grinchmas Paintings \$25-\$35 23 - Pick Your Own Christmas Paintings \$25-\$35 29 - New Years Gnomes Painting \$25-\$35 30 - Winter Bird Painting \$25-\$35 Sign up online! Can't make it to a class, just book an appointment or party to come create with us!

6:30pm - 6:30pm Justin Anderson

Where: Spiro's Wingz & Ale, 500 S. 5th St., Hartsville, South Carolina, 29550

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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Florence Festivals & Events

6:30pm - 6:30pm Lula's Open Mic Night

Where: Lula's Coffee Co, 600 d Pamplico Hwy, Florence, SC, 29505, United States

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Description:

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Fri Dec 30, 2022

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2pm - 2pm FMU Men's Basketball Home Game

Where: FMU - Smith University Center, 4822 E. Palmetto St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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Description:

The FMU Men's basketball 2022-2023 schedule has been released. Below are the home games scheduled for this season. Saturday, Nov. 19 at 7 p.m. vs. Voorhees University Tuesday, Nov. 22 at 7:30 p.m. vs. Chowan University Monday, Nov. 28 at 7:30 p.m. vs. Newberry College Saturday, Dec. 3 at 4 p.m. vs. Belmont Abbey College Friday, Dec. 30 at 2 p.m. vs. Coker University Saturday, Jan. 7 at 4 p.m. vs. King University (Tenn.) Saturday, Jan. 14 at 4 p.m. vs. Erskine College Saturday, Jan. 21 at 4 p.m. vs. UNC Pembroke Tuesday, Jan. 24 at 7:30 p.m. vs. Barton College Saturday, Jan. 28 at 4 p.m. vs. Lees-McRae College Saturday, Feb. 11 at 4 p.m. vs. Emmanuel College (Ga.) Saturday, Feb. 18 at 4 p.m. vs. North Greenville University Wednesday, Feb. 22 at 7:30 p.m. vs. University of Mount Olive

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Where: Downtown Florence, Florence, SC, 29501, United States

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Description:

Treat your eyes and ears to holiday cheer with the annual Holiday Music and Light Experience! The walk-through show plays holiday hits as various lights change and dance along with the music. Every evening beginning on the first Friday in December, enjoy a holiday light and music spectacular on S. Dargan Street. Entering its seventh year, the downtown music and light experience is a family favorite walk-through event. Each year, the display and music are different, and admission is always free. Parking is available in the City of Florence parking garage. The show runs through December 31, beginning at 5:30 p.m. and ending at 10:00 p.m.

6pm - 8pm Accidental Artist Adult Classes

Where: Accidental Artist, 247 N Main Street, Bishopville, South Carolina

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Description: The Accidental Artists hosts adult art classes on Friday from 6 to 8 p.m. The themes vary each week.