

Community Broadcasters, LLC.

WIBZ/WDEX/WWBD/WWKT/WOLH/WHYM/WWHM/WSIM/WFRK/WDKD/WPDT/WLJI/WTQS
1st Quarter 2020

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

March 19th 5p-8p – Special Town Hall program. Coronavirus. Guests include Senator Lindsey Graham, US Congressman Tom Rice, US Congressman Ralph Norman, State Senator Thomas McElveen, State representative Jay Jordan, former CDC Doctor Michael Cohen, SC DHEC spokesperson, local infectious disease hospital officials and physicians.

***High School Basketball play by play

Additional Issues:

Covid-19 – Social distancing
Feeding America
FEMA Emergency Preparedness
Grow Rural – American Farmers
High Blood Pressure
Home For Our Troops
HUD Fair Housing
Social Security Admin
US Department of Veteran Affairs
Alzheimer's Awareness
DAV
Health Resources and Services Admin
St. Jude's
Stand Up 2 Cancer
Type 2 Diabetes Prevention
2020 Census
American Water Works
CDC Corona Virus
Communities in Schools
Jeffery Modell Foundation
Job Training and Employment
Poison Control
Rotary Foundation
Save The Children
Dave Thomas Foundation
Lupus Foundation
Wounded Warrior Project

Wake Up Carolina - WFRK/WHYM/WDEX/WTQS

Wed Jan 1, 2020

8:20am - 8:30am Florence Chamber

Calendar: Ken Ard Miller Communications
Created by: rebeccasparker@gmail.com

Thu Jan 2, 2020

7am - 7:30am Armstrong Wealth

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Created by: rebeccasparker@gmail.com

Fri Jan 3, 2020

8am - 9am Political Roundtable

Calendar: Ken Ard Miller Communications
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Mon Jan 6, 2020

8:30am - 8:45am Flo Cty Parks and Rec

Calendar: Ken Ard Miller Communications
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Tue Jan 7, 2020

7:10am - 7:30am Scott Kaufman & Will Bolt

Calendar: Ken Ard WFRK-FM / WHYM-AM
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8:45am - 8:50am SC Agri biz expo Jody Martin

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Wed Jan 8, 2020

8:20am - 8:30am Florence Chamber

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Thu Jan 9, 2020

7am - 7:30am Armstrong Wealth

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7:45am - 8:15am McLeod (Live)

Calendar: Ken Ard WFRK-FM / WHYM-AM
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Fri Jan 10, 2020

8am - 9am Political Roundtable

Calendar: Ken Ard Miller Communications
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Wake Up Carolina - WFRK/WHYM/WDXY/WTQS

Tue Jan 14, 2020

7:10am - 7:30am Scott Kaufman & Will Bolt

Calendar: Ken Ard WFRK-FM / WHYM-AM

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Wed Jan 15, 2020

8:20am - 8:30am Florence Chamber

Calendar: Ken Ard Miller Communications

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1pm - 1:15pm Jimmy Webb interview

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Thu Jan 16, 2020

7am - 7:30am Armstrong Wealth

Calendar: Ken Ard Miller Communications

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7:25am - 7:30am John Decker

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

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8:10am - 8:20am FCSO

Calendar: Ken Ard Miller Communications

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8:30am - 8:40am Sonny Collins

Calendar: Ken Ard Miller Communications

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12pm - 1pm Ken speak in Hartsville

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Fri Jan 17, 2020

8am - 9am Political Roundtable

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Mon Jan 20, 2020

8:35am - 8:45am United Way EJ Newby

Calendar: Ken Ard Miller Communications

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Tue Jan 21, 2020

8:10am - 8:30am Scott Kaufman & Will Bolt

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

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8:45am - 8:50am Beverly McKee(Cooks for Christ)

Calendar: Ken Ard WFRK-FM / WHYM-AM

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Wake Up Carolina - WFRK/WHYM/WDXY/WTQS

Wed Jan 22, 2020

7:30am - 7:40am Whiner Wednesday

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8:20am - 8:30am Florence Chamber

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Thu Jan 23, 2020

7am - 7:30am Armstrong Wealth

Calendar: Ken Ard Miller Communications
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7:30am - 8:30am McLeod

Calendar: Ken Ard Miller Communications
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Fri Jan 24, 2020

8am - 9am Political Roundtable

Calendar: Ken Ard Miller Communications
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Tue Jan 28, 2020

8:10am - 8:30am Scott Kaufman & Will Bolt

Calendar: Wake Up Carolina - WFRK/WHYM/WDXY/WTQS
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Wed Jan 29, 2020

7:30am - 7:40am Whiner Wednesday

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8:20am - 8:30am Florence Chamber

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Thu Jan 30, 2020

7am - 7:30am Armstrong Wealth

Calendar: Ken Ard Miller Communications
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7:45am - 7:50am Rachel(Fox)

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8:15am - 8:20am Monosso(Fox)

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Wake Up Carolina - WFRK/WHYM/WDXY/WTQS

Fri Jan 31, 2020

8am - 9am Political Roundtable

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Mon Feb 3, 2020

8:30am - 8:45am Flo Cty Parks and Rec

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Tue Feb 4, 2020

8:10am - 8:30am Scott Kaufman & Will Bolt

Calendar: Wake Up Carolina - WFRK/WHYM/WDXY/WTQS
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8:45am - 8:50am Tammy White (Hands On CPR)

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Wed Feb 5, 2020

7:30am - 7:40am Whiner Wednesday

Calendar: Wake Up Carolina - WFRK/WHYM/WDXY/WTQS
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8:10am - 8:20am Samantha Kummerrer(WMBF-Opioids)

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Tue Feb 11, 2020

8:10am - 8:30am Scott Kaufman & Will Bolt

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Wed Feb 12, 2020

7:30am - 7:40am Whiner Wednesday

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Wake Up Carolina - WFRK/WHYM/WDXY/WTQS

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Mon Feb 17, 2020

8:35am - 8:45am United Way EJ Newby

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Tue Feb 18, 2020

8:10am - 8:30am Scott Kaufman & Will Bolt

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8:45am - 8:50am House of Hope

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Tue Feb 25, 2020

7:35am - 7:45am Philip Lowe

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8:10am - 8:30am Scott Kaufman & Will Bolt

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8:45am - 8:50am Shawn Laurie (22K for 22)(Veterans Suicide Awareness)

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Wed Feb 26, 2020

7:30am - 7:40am Whiner Wednesday

Calendar: Wake Up Carolina - WFRK/WHYM/WDXY/WTQS
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8:45am - 8:50am Flo county disabilities celebrity Bbq benefit(Dawn Johnson)

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8:45am - 8:50am Florence Chamber

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Thu Feb 27, 2020

7am - 7:30am Armstrong Wealth

Calendar: Ken Ard Miller Communications
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7:25am - 7:40am Congressman Ralph Norman

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7:30am - 8:30am McLeod

Calendar: Ken Ard Miller Communications
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Fri Feb 28, 2020

8am - 9am Political Roundtable

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Mon Mar 2, 2020

8:30am - 8:45am Flo Cty Parks and Rec

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Tue Mar 3, 2020

8:10am - 8:30am Scott Kaufman & Will Bolt

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Thu Mar 5, 2020

7am - 7:30am Armstrong Wealth

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8:45am - 8:50am Tim Harris (Clay Shoot)

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Fri Mar 6, 2020

8am - 9am Political Roundtable

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Tue Mar 10, 2020

8:10am - 8:30am Scott Kaufman & Will Bolt

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8:45am - 8:50am McLeod 5K Holly & Tyler

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Wed Mar 11, 2020

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8:45am - 8:50am Charlie Grace(Prowl and Growl)

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8:10am - 8:20am FC Sherriffs Dept

Calendar: Ken Ard Miller Communications
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8:30am - 8:40am Sonny Collins(SCHP)

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5:10pm - 5:20pm Tom Rice

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Florence Festivals & Events

Wed Jan 1, 2020

All day ArtFields Jr. Art Submissions

Wed Jan 1, 2020

Where: ArtFields Office/Gallery, 110 E. Main St., Lake City, SC, 29560, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The ArtFields Jr. Art Competition is open to South Carolina students in grades 1 through 12. All artwork submitted is considered by their review panel. Select pieces will be displayed during the month of April and final judging takes place during ArtFields. Schools and families are encouraged to attend the awards ceremony to support their student artists and developing artists throughout the community. More details coming soon <https://www.artfieldssc.org/competition/>

10am - 10am Emancipation Day Celebration

Where: Freewoods Farm, 9989-10091 Freewoods Rd, Myrtle Beach, SC, 29588, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Enjoy a morning farm tour and fireside chat (topic TBD) in the Farm House at Freewoods Farm during their Emancipation Day Celebration.

10am - 11am Mornings at the Museum

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Mornings at the Museum is an interactive program for children ages 3-5 and accompanying adult. This program is offered during the school year on the 1st and 3rd Wednesday of each month from 10 to 11 a.m. The 1st Wednesday of each month will be history related topics. The 3rd Wednesday of each month will be Visual Arts related topics. Each program will include a gallery visit, story time, and hands-on studio activity. This is a free program - registration is required flocomuseum.org/mornings-at-the-museum

10am - 5pm Simply Christmas Exhibit

Where: Hartsville Museum, 222 N 5th St, Hartsville, SC, 29550, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Take a walk through Santa's workshop filled with old timey toys and more! This free exhibit is open Monday-Friday 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Saturday 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

3:30pm - 3:30pm Library Tweens Program

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The library will offer programs for children in grades 3 - 5 on Wednesday afternoons. The programs will consist of movies, stories, crafts, and guest speakers. The programs will begin on Wednesday, September 4 at 3:30 p.m. and will last 30 to 45 minutes.

4pm - 8pm Wine Down Wednesdays

Where: Dolce Vita Café & More, 160 S Dargan St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description: Every Wednesday, Dolce Vita offers 1/2 off wines from 4 to 8 p.m. Super classy, chill atmosphere!

5:30pm - 7:15pm Live@Central

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Live@Central is a free, public program that begins at 6:15 p.m. in Spears Fellowship. An optional meal is available from 5:30 to 6:15 p.m., and costs \$6 for adults and \$3 for children under 12. For more information, please visit www.centralmethodist.net.

Florence Festivals & Events

Thu Jan 2, 2020

All day ArtFields Jr. Art Submissions

Thu Jan 2, 2020

Where: ArtFields Office/Gallery, 110 E. Main St., Lake City, SC, 29560, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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10am - 10am Baby Storytime

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The library will offer programs for babies 0 – 23 months old on Thursday mornings. The programs will be divided into two groups, walkers and non-walkers. An adult caregiver will need to stay with the baby during the 15 minute program. The programs will consist of music, fingerplays, and stories appropriate for these age groups. Baby Storytime will begin Thursday, September 5 at 10:00 a.m. for non-walkers and Thursday, September 5 at 11:00 a.m. for walkers.

10am - 5pm Simply Christmas Exhibit

Where: Hartsville Museum, 222 N 5th St, Hartsville, SC, 29550, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Take a walk through Santa's workshop filled with old timey toys and more! This free exhibit is open Monday-Friday 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Saturday 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

11am - 1pm Traditional Cooking Demonstration

Where: L.W. Paul Living History Farm, 2279 Harris Shortcut Road, Conway, SC, 29526, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Experience life on the "one horse farm" in Horry County from 1900-1955 at the L.W. Paul Living History Farm. Join them for a traditional cooking demonstration of seasonal dishes on a wood burning stove. This program is free and open to all ages.

3:30pm - 5:30pm Art Journaling

Where: Artbug Studio, 122 N. Fifth Street, Hartsville, SC, 29550, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Art Journaling is an independent form of art creation. Students work on their own ideas using their choice of materials at their own pace. All work is completed within a sketchbook which becomes an art journal of one's creative thoughts and processes. Instructional guidance & ideas are offered but students make their own choices and require the ability to focus & create individually. This class is designed for grades 3 & up and will meet Thursdays from 3:30 to 5:30 p.m. There is a \$38 registration fee per child per year. The cost for the class is \$60 for one hour a week / \$80 for two hours a week and \$18 per new journal as needed.

3:30pm - 3:30pm Library Afterschool Program

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The library will offer programs for children in grades 5K – 2nd on Thursday afternoons. The programs will consist of movies, stories, crafts and guest speakers. The programs will begin on Thursday, September 5 at 3:30 p.m. and will last 30 to 45 minutes.

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All day ArtFields Jr. Art Submissions

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Sat Jan 4, 2020

All day ArtFields Jr. Art Submissions

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9:30am - 10:30am Farm Harvest Day

Where: L.W. Paul Living History Farm, 2279 Harris Shortcut Road, Conway, SC, 29526, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Experience life on a small family farm from 1900-1955! Visitors will learn about seasonal produce and even help harvest available crops. You can also purchase available produce. This program is free and open to all ages.

11am - 4pm Free First Saturday Glass Blowing Demos

Where: Conway Glass, 708 12th Ave., Conway, SC, 29526, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The SC Arts Commission Quarterly Artist Grant enables visitors to see and learn about the traditional craft of glassblowing. Visit Conway Glass from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. on the first Saturday of every month at Conway Glass. Ed Streeter explores and demonstrates various traditional and experimental glass techniques.

12pm - 5pm Year's First Full Moon Bonfire

Where: La Belle Amie Vineyard, 1120 St. Joseph Road, Little River, SC, 29566, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Bring a blanket and chair, and enjoy the music at La Belle Amie! This event features live music, tasty food and excellent wine. Admission is \$5, and individuals under 18 and over 80 are admitted for free. Join them from noon to 5 p.m. Admission is reduced by \$2 if you bring 2 canned/dry good food items for the area food bank. Festival dates are subject to change. Inclement weather may cause a last-minute postponement or cancellation, so check the website or call prior to coming out for an event.

Florence Festivals & Events

Sun Jan 5, 2020

All day ArtFields Jr. Art Submissions

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10am - 2pm Simply Christmas Exhibit

Where: Hartsville Museum, 222 N 5th St, Hartsville, SC, 29550, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

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11am - 11am NFL Sunday with Brunch

Where: Local Motive Brewing Company, 123 North Dargan Street, Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Local Motive hosts NFL Sunday with brunch until 2 p.m. and regular full menu afterwards. Pick your perfect Fantasy Football line-up for 4 p.m. games and win cash prizes, too!

Mon Jan 6, 2020

All day ArtFields Jr. Art Submissions

Mon Jan 6, 2020

Where: ArtFields Office/Gallery, 110 E. Main St., Lake City, SC, 29560, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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Tue Jan 7, 2020

All day ArtFields Jr. Art Submissions

Tue Jan 7, 2020

Where: ArtFields Office/Gallery, 110 E. Main St., Lake City, SC, 29560, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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Florence Festivals & Events

9:30am - 9:30am Toddler & Preschool Storytime

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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Description:

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10am - 5pm Simply Christmas Exhibit

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Wed Jan 8, 2020

All day ArtFields Jr. Art Submissions

Wed Jan 8, 2020

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9:30am - 10:30am How Does the Garden Grow?

Where: L.W. Paul Living History Farm, 2279 Harris Shortcut Road, Conway, SC, 29526, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Experience life on the family farm in Horry County from 1900-1955 at the L.W. Paul Living History Farm. Join us for a program on gardening where visitors can learn about growing a garden using heirloom varieties of vegetables and organic fertilizers. This program is free and open to all ages.

10am - 5pm Simply Christmas Exhibit

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3:30pm - 3:30pm Library Tweens Program

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The library will offer programs for children in grades 3 - 5 on Wednesday afternoons. The programs will consist of movies, stories, crafts, and guest speakers. The programs will begin on Wednesday, September 4 at 3:30 p.m. and will last 30 to 45 minutes.

5:30pm - 7:15pm Live@Central

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Live@Central is a free, public program that begins at 6:15 p.m. in Spears Fellowship. An optional meal is available from 5:30 to 6:15 p.m., and costs \$6 for adults and \$3 for children under 12. For more information, please visit www.centralmethodist.net.

Florence Festivals & Events

Thu Jan 9, 2020

All day ArtFields Jr. Art Submissions

Thu Jan 9, 2020

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10am - 10am Baby Storytime

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Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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Description:

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3:30pm - 5:30pm Art Journaling

Where: Artbug Studio, 122 N. Fifth Street, Hartsville, SC, 29550, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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Description:

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3:30pm - 3:30pm Library Afterschool Program

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

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Fri Jan 10, 2020

All day ArtFields Jr. Art Submissions

Fri Jan 10, 2020

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7pm - 7pm Harlem Globetrotters

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description: The world-famous Harlem Globetrotters will be at the Florence Center Friday, January 10 at 7 p.m.

Sat Jan 11, 2020

All day ArtFields Jr. Art Submissions

Sat Jan 11, 2020

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12pm - 5pm Bonfire Saturday

Where: La Belle Amie Vineyard, 1120 St. Joseph Road, Little River, SC, 29566, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Bring a blanket and chair and enjoy the music at La Belle Amie! This event features live music, delicious food, and excellent wine. Admission is \$5 per person, and individuals under 18 and over 80 are admitted for free. Join us from noon to 5 p.m. Folks who donate at least two canned or dry food items will receive a ticket discount of \$2.

12:55pm - 12:55pm "Wozzeck"

Where: Regal Swamp Fox Cinemas, 3400 W. Radio Dr., Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Watch The Metropolitan Opera as they perform Alban Berg's "Wozzeck" at 12:55 p.m. Saturday at the Regal Swamp Fox Cinemas.

1pm - 3pm Family Day at the Florence County Museum

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

From toddlers to grandparents, Family Days at the Florence County Museum are sure to offer something for everyone. Join us the second Saturday of each month from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. for Family Day at the FCM. No registration required. Free of charge.

1:30pm - 1:30pm FMU Women's Basketball

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Francis Marion University Women's Basketball will play in the Smith University Center. (Home games only)
Nov. 18 - vs. Claflin at 6 p.m. Nov. 23 - vs. Queens (NC) at 1:30 p.m. Dec 19 - vs. North Georgia at 5:30 p.m. Dec 21 - vs. Young Harris at 1:30 p.m. Jan 11 - vs. Lander at 1:30 p.m. Jan 18 - vs. Clayton St. at 1:30 p.m. Jan 22 - vs. Georgia College at 5:30 p.m. Jan 25 - vs. Flagler at 1:30 p.m. Feb 1 - vs. Ga. Southwestern at 1:30 p.m. - Homecoming Feb 5 - vs. USC Aiken at 5:30 p.m. Feb 12 - vs. Augusta at 5:30 p.m. Feb 26 - vs. UNC Pembroke at 5:30 p.m.

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3:30pm - 3:30pm FMU Men's Basketball

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Francis Marion University Men's Basketball will play in the Smith University Center. Home games are listed below. Nov 8 – vs. Newberry (PBC/SAC Challenge) at 11 a.m. Nov 9 – vs. Catawba (PBC/SAC Challenge) at 4 p.m. Nov 23 – vs. Johnson & Wales (NC) – at 3:30 p.m. Dec 19 – vs. North Georgia at 7:30 p.m. Dec 21 – vs. Young Harris at 3:30 p.m. Jan 11 – vs. Lander at 3:30 p.m. Jan 18 – vs. Clayton St. at 3:30 p.m. Jan 22 – vs. Georgia College at 7:30 p.m. Jan 25 – vs. Flagler at 3:30 p.m. Feb 1 – vs. Ga. Southwestern (Homecoming) at 3:30 p.m. Feb 5 – vs. USCAiken at 7:30 p.m. Feb 12 – vs. August at 7:30 p.m. Feb 26 – vs. UNCPembroke at 7:30 p.m.

5pm - 5pm Florence Area Athletic Hall of Fame Banquet

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Chick-Fil-A and the Florence Athletic Hall of Fame presents the Florence Athletic Hall of Fame Induction Banquet. The banquet will be held on January 11 at the Florence Center. Social begins at 5 p.m. followed by the Banquet starting at 6 p.m.

Sun Jan 12, 2020

All day ArtFields Jr. Art Submissions

Sun Jan 12, 2020

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8am - 5pm The Southeast Wedding & Event Expo

Where: SiMT – Florence Darlington Technical College, 1951 Pisgah Road, Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Join Savvy Soiree for The Southeast Wedding & Event Expo the premier wedding show in the Pee Dee at SiMT in Florence. Meet local wedding professionals, enter drawings for giveaways, and plan your wedding all in one afternoon! More information coming soon!

11am - 11am NFL Sunday with Brunch

Where: Local Motive Brewing Company, 123 North Dargan Street, Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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Description:

Local Motive hosts NFL Sunday with brunch until 2 p.m. and regular full menu afterwards. Pick your perfect Fantasy Football line-up for 4 p.m. games and win cash prizes, too!

2:30pm - 2:30pm Sunday Family Movie

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Drs. Bruce & Lee Foundation Library will host popular movies for families at 2:30 p.m. Sundays. The movies are rated either G or PG and are sponsored by Friends of Florence County Library.

7pm - 7pm St. John's Concert Series

Where: St. John's Church, 252 S. Dargan St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

St. John's Concert Series is the 2nd Sunday of each month in October, November, January and February. Stay tuned for more details.

Florence Festivals & Events

Mon Jan 13, 2020

All day ArtFields Jr. Art Submissions

Mon Jan 13, 2020

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Tue Jan 14, 2020

All day ArtFields Jr. Art Submissions

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8:30am - 5pm Something Cool Exhibit

Where: Francis Marion University – Hyman Fine Arts Center, 4822 E. Palmetto St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The FMU Hyman Fine Arts Center presents an art exhibit by Mike and Patz Fowle titled “Something Cool”. This exhibit runs from January 14 through February 20.

9:30am - 9:30am Toddler & Preschool Storytime

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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Description:

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11am - 6pm Painting Blind: Views for the Intuitive Eye

Where: University Place Gallery, 142 North Dargan Street, Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

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Wed Jan 15, 2020

All day ArtFields Jr. Art Submissions

Wed Jan 15, 2020

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Florence Festivals & Events

8am - 6pm 2020 SC AgriBiz & Farm Expo

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The SC AgriBiz & Farm Expo returns to the Florence Center January 15 & 16. The SC AgriBiz & Farm Expo serves as an umbrella event for all aspects of Agriculture and Agribusiness. Designed to incorporate the industry's deep traditional roots along with today's thriving innovations, the Expo streamlines the promotion and the expansion of the business of agriculture in South Carolina and beyond. The Expo includes a farm show with a wide variety of equipment, farm products and educational components. The SC AgriBiz & Farm Expo is the only event representing all aspects of agriculture both large and small. It features innovations in agricultural; equipment, education, commodity spotlights, feedstocks, special guest speakers, economic developers, producers, value-added enterprises, youth development, and much more! Wednesday, January 15, 2020 Educational Tracks 8am-6pm Trade Show Hours 10am-6pm Thursday, January 16, 2020 Educational Tracks 8am-4:30pm Trade Show Hours 9am-3pm

8:30am - 5pm Something Cool Exhibit

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10am - 11am Mornings at the Museum

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Mornings at the Museum is an interactive program for children ages 3-5 and accompanying adult. This program is offered during the school year on the 1st and 3rd Wednesday of each month from 10 to 11 a.m. The 1st Wednesday of each month will be history related topics. The 3rd Wednesday of each month will be Visual Arts related topics. Each program will include a gallery visit, story time, and hands-on studio activity. This is a free program - registration is required fcomuseum.org/mornings-at-the-museum

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3:30pm - 3:30pm Library Tweens Program

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All day ArtFields Jr. Art Submissions

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Florence Festivals & Events

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10am - 8pm 47th Annual Faculty Exhibition

Where: Cecelia Coker Bell Gallery, 300 E. College Ave., Hartsville, SC, 29550, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Cecelia Coker Bell Gallery presents the 47th Annual Faculty Exhibition January 16 through January 31. The gallery is open MWF 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. and TTh from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m.

10am - 10am Baby Storytime

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

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3:30pm - 3:30pm Library Afterschool Program

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Florence Festivals & Events

4pm - 5:30pm Art Explorers

Where: ArtFields Office/Gallery, 110 E. Main St., Lake City, SC, 29560, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

ArtFields Jr. will hold Art Explorers for children in 5K through 6th grade from 4 to 5:30 p.m. on the third Thursday of each month. These classes allow students to explore all disciplines of art and only costs \$5 per class. Please call 843-374-0180 to register.

5:30pm - 9:30pm

JNANAM: A weekend exploration of Sanskrit, yoga history, yoga philosophy and stories

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

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Fri Jan 17, 2020

All day ArtFields Jr. Art Submissions

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Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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Description:

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Florence Festivals & Events

5:30pm - 9:30pm

JNANAM: A weekend exploration of Sanskrit, yoga history, yoga philosophy and stories

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Sat Jan 18, 2020

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10am - 8pm Kids Jamboree

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Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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Description:

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10am - 3pm Painting Blind: Views for the Intuitive Eye

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12pm - 5pm Bonfire Saturday

Where: La Belle Amie Vineyard, 1120 St. Joseph Road, Little River, SC, 29566, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Bring a blanket and chair and enjoy the music at La Belle Amie! This event features live music, delicious food, and excellent wine. Admission is \$5 per person, and individuals under 18 and over 80 are admitted for free. Join us from noon to 5 p.m. Folks who donate at least two canned or dry food items will receive a ticket discount of \$2.

Florence Festivals & Events

1:30pm - 1:30pm FMU Women's Basketball

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

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3:30pm - 3:30pm FMU Men's Basketball

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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Description:

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7pm - 10pm Art of Mixology - A Signature Cocktail Experience

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Description:

This competition is open to anyone, you do not need to be a bartender or associated with a business to participate. This craft cocktail competition is held to deem the area's Best Mixologist. The Mixologist will provide tasting size cocktails to event. Event guests will vote for People's Choice Cocktail and Best Decorated Bar. In addition to the cocktail samples, guests will be able to purchase full size cocktails while having fun mingling and enjoying live music and delectable appetizers. For additional information or to reserve your space, please call Black Creek Arts Council at 843.332-6234 or visit blackcreekarts.org. We do not issue tickets; there will be a guest list at the door. Tickets • Individual tickets: \$30 • 4 tickets: \$100 • At the door: \$35 • Designated Driver (at the door): \$15

Sun Jan 19, 2020

All day ArtFields Jr. Art Submissions

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11am - 11am NFL Sunday with Brunch

Where: Local Motive Brewing Company, 123 North Dargan Street, Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Local Motive hosts NFL Sunday with brunch until 2 p.m. and regular full menu afterwards. Pick your perfect Fantasy Football line-up for 4 p.m. games and win cash prizes, too!

12pm - 8pm Kids Jamboree

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Florence Festivals & Events

2:30pm - 2:30pm Sunday Family Movie

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Drs. Bruce & Lee Foundation Library will host popular movies for families at 2:30 p.m. Sundays. The movies are rated either G or PG and are sponsored by Friends of Florence County Library.

Mon Jan 20, 2020

All day ArtFields Jr. Art Submissions

Mon Jan 20, 2020

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Tue Jan 21, 2020

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9:30am - 9:30am Toddler & Preschool Storytime

Where: Drs. Bruce & Lee Foundation Library, 509 S. Dargan St., Florence, SC, 29501, United States
Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events
Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com
Description:
The library will offer Toddler and Preschool Storytimes on Tuesday mornings. Children must be two years old to register for Toddler Storytime and 3, 4 or 5 years old to register for Preschool Storytime. The storytime will include stories fingerplays, simple crafts, and music for these programs. Toddler storytime will begin Tuesday, September 3 at 9:30 a.m. and last 20 minutes. Preschool storytime will begin on Tuesday, September 3 at 10:30 a.m. and last 30 minutes.

10am - 8pm 47th Annual Faculty Exhibition

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Wed Jan 22, 2020

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9:30am - 10:30am How Does the Garden Grow?

Where: L.W. Paul Living History Farm, 2279 Harris Shortcut Road, Conway, SC, 29526, United States
Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events
Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com
Description:
Experience life on the family farm in Horry County from 1900-1955 at the L.W. Paul Living History Farm. Join us for a program on gardening where visitors can learn about growing a garden using heirloom varieties of vegetables and organic fertilizers. This program is free and open to all ages.

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3:30pm - 3:30pm Library Tweens Program

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The library will offer programs for children in grades 3 - 5 on Wednesday afternoons. The programs will consist of movies, stories, crafts, and guest speakers. The programs will begin on Wednesday, September 4 at 3:30 p.m. and will last 30 to 45 minutes.

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

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5:30pm - 7:15pm Live@Central

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Live@Central is a free, public program that begins at 6:15 p.m. in Spears Fellowship. An optional meal is available from 5:30 to 6:15 p.m., and costs \$6 for adults and \$3 for children under 12. For more information, please visit www.centralmethodist.net.

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

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

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Thu Jan 23, 2020

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10am - 10am Baby Storytime

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The library will offer programs for babies 0 - 23 months old on Thursday mornings. The programs will be divided into two groups, walkers and non-walkers. An adult caregiver will need to stay with the baby during the 15 minute program. The programs will consist of music, fingerplays, and stories appropriate for these age groups. Baby Storytime will begin Thursday, September 5 at 10:00 a.m. for non-walkers and Thursday, September 5 at 11:00 a.m. for walkers.

11am - 6pm Painting Blind: Views for the Intuitive Eye

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Description:

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3:30pm - 5:30pm Art Journaling

Where: Artbug Studio, 122 N. Fifth Street, Hartsville, SC, 29550, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Art Journaling is an independent form of art creation. Students work on their own ideas using their choice of materials at their own pace. All work is completed within a sketchbook which becomes an art journal of one's creative thoughts and processes. Instructional guidance & idea prompts are offered but students make their own choices and require the ability to focus & create individually. This class is designed for grades 3 & up and will meet Thursdays from 3:30 to 5:30 p.m. There is a \$38 registration fee per child per year. The cost for the class is \$60 for one hour a week / \$80 for two hours a week and \$18 per new journal as needed.

3:30pm - 3:30pm Library Afterschool Program

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The library will offer programs for children in grades 5K - 2nd on Thursday afternoons. The programs will consist of movies, stories, crafts and guest speakers. The programs will begin on Thursday, September 5 at 3:30 p.m. and will last 30 to 45 minutes.

7:30pm - 7:30pm Evgenia Pirshina, mezzo-soprano

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Evgenia will perform at the Performing Arts Center on Thursday, January 23 at 7:30 p.m. Evgenia Pirshina was born in Moscow, Russia. She graduated in piano from the Emil Gilels School of Music and in piano and vocal from Moscow State Pedagogical University. She has also participated in masterclasses by Robert Desimone (Britain) and Elizabeth Bice Cavalli (Austria). From 2006 to 2015 Evgenia worked in the Stanislavsky and Nemirovich-Danchenko Moscow Academic Musical Theater. She has been guest soloist of Opera Panama and in 2018 became a soloist at the Chicago Opera Theater. Evgenia Pirshina is active as a performer throughout the United States and as a guest singer has performed at the Vatican and in Qatar. She has collaborated with conductors Branco Ladic (Slovakia), Robert Thieme (USA), Linus Lerner (USA), Ricardo Risco (Mexico), Alexey Puzakov (Russia) and Felix Korobov (Russia). Box Office: 843-661-4444 between 12:00 and 5:00 pm.

Florence Festivals & Events

Fri Jan 24, 2020

All day ArtFields Jr. Art Submissions

Fri Jan 24, 2020

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8pm - 8pm Wet Nose Dogs

Where: Local Motive Brewing Company, 123 North Dargan Street, Florence, SC, 29501, United States

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Created by: blueyezzsol@gmail.com

Description: Wet Nose Dogs will perform Friday at 8 p.m.

Sat Jan 25, 2020

All day ArtFields Jr. Art Submissions

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Where: ArtFields Office/Gallery, 110 E. Main St., Lake City, SC, 29560, United States

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Florence Festivals & Events

9am - 3pm Smokehouse Day

Where: L.W. Paul Living History Farm, 2279 Harris Shortcut Road, Conway, SC, 29526, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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Description:

Celebrate life on the family farm from 1900-1955. This popular annual event focuses on how families would make sausage and cure pork in the smokehouse. Other demonstrations typically include grinding grits in the grist mill, blacksmithing, wood working, and cooking on the wood burning stove.

10am - 3pm Painting Blind: Views for the Intuitive Eye

Where: University Place Gallery, 142 North Dargan Street, Florence, SC, 29506, United States

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Description:

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12pm - 5pm Year's First New Moon Bonfire

Where: La Belle Amie Vineyard, 1120 St. Joseph Road, Little River, SC, 29566, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Bring a blanket and chair, and enjoy the music at La Belle Amie! This event features live music, tasty food and excellent wine. Admission is \$5, and individuals under 18 and over 80 are admitted for free. Join us from noon to 5 p.m. Admission is reduced by \$2 if you bring 2 canned/dry good food items for the area food bank. Festival dates are subject to change. Inclement weather may cause a last-minute postponement or cancellation, so check the website or call prior to coming out for an event.

1:30pm - 1:30pm FMU Women's Basketball

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Francis Marion University Women's Basketball will play in the Smith University Center. (Home games only)
Nov. 18 – vs. Claflin at 6 p.m. Nov. 23 – vs. Queens (NC) at 1:30 p.m. Dec 19 – vs. North Georgia at 5:30 p.m. Dec 21 – vs. Young Harris at 1:30 p.m. Jan 11 – vs. Lander at 1:30 p.m. Jan 18 – vs. Clayton St. at 1:30 p.m. Jan 22 – vs. Georgia College at 5:30 p.m. Jan 25 – vs. Flagler at 1:30 p.m. Feb 1 – vs. Ga. Southwestern at 1:30 p.m. – Homecoming Feb 5 – vs. USC Aiken at 5:30 p.m. Feb 12 – vs. Augusta at 5:30 p.m. Feb 26 – vs. UNC Pembroke at 5:30 p.m.

3:30pm - 3:30pm FMU Men's Basketball

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

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Description:

Francis Marion University Men's Basketball will play in the Smith University Center. Home games are listed below. Nov 8 – vs. Newberry (PBC/SAC Challenge) at 11 a.m. Nov 9 – vs. Catawba (PBC/SAC Challenge) at 4 p.m. Nov 23 – vs. Johnson & Wales (NC) – at 3:30 p.m. Dec 19 – vs. North Georgia at 7:30 p.m. Dec 21 – vs. Young Harris at 3:30 p.m. Jan 11 – vs. Lander at 3:30 p.m. Jan 18 – vs. Clayton St. at 3:30 p.m. Jan 22 – vs. Georgia College at 7:30 p.m. Jan 25 – vs. Flagler at 3:30 p.m. Feb 1 – vs. Ga. Southwestern (Homecoming) at 3:30 p.m. Feb 5 – vs. USC Aiken at 7:30 p.m. Feb 12 – vs. August at 7:30 p.m. Feb 26 – vs. UNC Pembroke at 7:30 p.m.

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7:30pm - 7:30pm Jimmy Webb: The Glen Campbell Years

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

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Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Songwriter Jimmy Webb has had chart-topping hits in a unique range of genres over the last 50 years, from country to pop to disco, with songs including "Worst That Could Happen," "The Highway Man," "Up, Up and Away" and "MacArthur Park." But perhaps the most enduring partnership out of all those memorable songs is his musical brotherhood with Glen Campbell. He will perform Saturday, January 25 from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m.

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11am - 11am NFL Sunday with Brunch

Where: Local Motive Brewing Company, 123 North Dargan Street, Florence, SC, 29501, United States

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Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Local Motive hosts NFL Sunday with brunch until 2 p.m. and regular full menu afterwards. Pick your perfect Fantasy Football line-up for 4 p.m. games and win cash prizes, too!

2pm - 2pm Wild Weekends

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

See live animal every Saturday and Sunday at the Environmental Discovery Center at Lynches River County Park. Animal presentations are every Saturday at 11:30 a.m. and 3 p.m. and Sundays at 2 p.m. You'll have an opportunity to meet an animal up close and learn about them.

Florence Festivals & Events

2pm - 5pm Willie + Holcha Art Exhibit

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

An exhibition of Art by William Henry Johnson and Holcha Krake Johnson is on display at Florence County Museum October 15, 2019 through May 17, 2020. In 1928, Florence native William Henry Johnson met Danish textile artist Holcha Krake. It was a chance encounter which opened a new chapter in Johnson's life, both personally and artistically. Johnson's early artworks often evince his shifting nature, reflecting the influences of well established artists and styles of the time. However, after their marriage in 1930, Holcha became a constant in Johnson's life. Holcha's folk art philosophies were rooted in the past, but were shaped just as much by the progressive thinking of European modernism. By 1940 these principals had become a catalyst for Johnson's artistic transformation. Willie and Holcha presents for the first time, rare rediscovered works by Holcha Krake which have recently been acquired. This exhibition explores the mutual influence between these artists and invites a deeper interpretation of both Johnson and Holcha's work in the context of their relationship. For more information about Willie and Holcha as well as other upcoming exhibits and events, please contact the Florence County Museum at 843.676.1200 or visit the website at flocomuseum.org.

2:30pm - 2:30pm Sunday Family Movie

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

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Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Drs. Bruce & Lee Foundation Library will host popular movies for families at 2:30 p.m. Sundays. The movies are rated either G or PG and are sponsored by Friends of Florence County Library.

3pm - 3pm Artist JRenee Exhibit Opening Reception

Where: Dr. N. Lee Morris Gallery, 509 S. Dargan St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

An opening reception for the exhibit of artist JRenee will take place in the Morris Gallery of the Drs. Bruce and Lee Foundation Library at 3p.m. Sunday. Admission is free and open to the public and light refreshments will be served. The reception is sponsored by Friends of Florence County Library. JRenee is internationally known for her reverse glass paintings, or Eglomise, depicting southern lifestyle themes, tropical design, and the life and times in New Orleans, pre- and post-Katrina. She enjoys painting images and scenes that promote thought on issues of social justice, history, and folklore. She graduated from Xavier University in 1989 with a Bachelor's degree in Fine Arts. Like many, JRenee was a Katrina evacuee who was forced to move around the country. She eventually settled in Columbia, South Carolina. In addition to the Morris Gallery exhibit, she will present an artist's talk about her work on February 11 at 6:30 p.m. in the Joseph Stukes Meeting Room. Her exhibit will run through March 15. The Doctor N. Lee Morris Gallery is located on the second floor of the Drs. Bruce and Lee Foundation Library.

3pm - 3pm Author Jessica Handler

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

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Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

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3pm - 4pm Sesame Street: One World, One Sky, Big Bird's Adventure

Where: Dooley Planetarium at FMU, 4822 E. Palmetto St, Florence, SC, United States

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Description:

Families with small children are invited to join the Dooley Planetarium for a FREE program called One World, One Sky: Big Bird's Adventure. This program is geared toward children age 6 and younger and introduces them to the Sun, Moon, and stars. One World, One Sky: Big Bird's Adventure was created as part of a global partnership between the Adler; Sesame Workshop, the nonprofit educational organization behind Sesame Street; the Beijing Planetarium and the Liberty Science Center (Jersey City, NJ). Doors will open up at 2:00 pm prior to the presentation for visitors to arrive early and explore the planetarium. There is no admission fee for this event, but seating is first come first served. There will be no late seating once the doors have closed. Visit: <http://astro.fmarion.edu/> to learn more about Dooley Planetarium

4pm - 4pm From Barber to Barber

Where:

Myrtle Beach High School Music and Arts Center, 3302 Robert M. Grissom Parkway, Myrtle Beach, SC, 29577, United States

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Description:

Long Bay Symphony presents From Barber to Barber featuring pianist Ko-Eun Yi. A memorable melody is the main "take away" from listening to a piece of music, whether it's a catchy, humorous set of tunes such as Gioachino Rossini's The Barber of Seville Overture or the sorrowful, intense melodic unfolding heard in the Adagio for Strings by Samuel Barber. Extended compositions are often unified by recalling significant melodies heard in the beginning at the work's conclusion, as in Brahms' Symphony No. 3, while the manipulation of a melody into a series of Variations, as heard in the Piano Concerto No. 3 by Sergei Prokofiev, (featuring pianist Ko-Eun Yi) is a favorite compositional tool to create melodic unity and variety. You're guaranteed to leave this concert humming!

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7pm - 7pm Ranch House Band

Where: VFW Post 3181, 236 S. Greer Rd., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description: The Ranch House Band will perform Sunday at 7 p.m.

Mon Jan 27, 2020

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Florence Festivals & Events

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Description:

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9am - 8:30pm Artist JRenée Exhibit

Where: Dr. N. Lee Morris Gallery, 509 S. Dargan St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Dr. Lee Morris Gallery is hosting an exhibit by artist JRenée Sunday, January 26 through March 15. The opening reception is Sunday, January 26 at 3 p.m. Admission is free and open to the public and light refreshments will be served. In addition to the exhibit, she will present an artist's talk about her work on February 11 at 6:30 p.m. in the Joseph Stukes Meeting Room. JRenée is internationally known for her reverse glass paintings, or Eglomise, depicting southern lifestyle themes, tropical design, and the life and times in New Orleans, pre- and post-Katrina. She enjoys painting images and scenes that promote thought on issues of social justice, history, and folklore. She graduated from Xavier University in 1989 with a Bachelor's degree in Fine Arts. Like many, JRenée was a Katrina evacuee who was forced to move around the country. She eventually settled in Columbia, South Carolina. The Doctor N. Lee Morris Gallery is located on the second floor of the Drs. Bruce and Lee Foundation Library.

10am - 4pm 47th Annual Faculty Exhibition

Where: Cecelia Coker Bell Gallery, 300 E. College Ave., Hartsville, SC, 29550, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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Description:

The Cecelia Coker Bell Gallery presents the 47th Annual Faculty Exhibition January 16 through January 31. The gallery is open MWF 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. and TTh from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m.

Florence Festivals & Events

3:30pm - 3:30pm Monday Library Lab

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

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Description:

The library will offer Monday Library Lab for children in grades 4-6 on Mondays 3:30 p.m. Children will do a variety of science concepts. Registration is limited. For more information, contact the Greenberg Children's Library at 843-292-7382.

5pm - 5pm The Stitchers: Crochet & Knit Club

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

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Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description: The Hartsville Stitchers (a Crochet & Knit club) meet every Monday at the Library at 5 p.m.

5:30pm - 6:30pm Philosophy Flow (Yoga)

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

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Description:

Let go and move to the rhythm of your own breath! Linking breath with mindful movement, this class will firmly ground you in the present moment in order to allow you to connect with your True Self. Movement, breathing and meditation. All-Levels welcomed. Join Jamie on Monday's for this Philosophy Flow class.

7pm - 7pm Couples & Cocktails Mixology Class

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Jazz on Dargan is hosting "A Date Night" Couples & Cocktails Monday at 7 p.m. There are few things more relaxing than having a drink with someone you feel comfortable around. With that said, a mixology class is perfect as one of the many fun classes couples should take together! Mixology classes are fun because they teach you how to make tasty, unique drinks with amazingly fresh and wonderful ingredients. There's no shortage of alcohol here! So, if you're looking to have a great time when concocting delicious cocktails, then take a mixology class with your honey! Join us for an interactive workshop where you'll learn balance delicate flavors to create elegant, fun and delicious botanical cocktails that are almost too pretty to drink... almost.

7pm - 8pm Yoga Basics

Where: SC

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Description:

A slower paced, alignment based yoga class geared toward a beginner student, but suitable for intermediate students who want to refine their yoga practice. Classic yoga poses will be presented with emphasis on correct alignment and precise actions in the body. All levels, especially beginners, welcomed. Join Jamie from 7 to 8 p.m. Mondays for this Yoga Basics class.

8:30pm - 8:30pm Music Mondays

Where: Soule Cafe, 130 S. Irby St., Florence, SC, 29501, United States

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Description:

Come on out and join the fun every Monday night Soule Cafe. Music Mondays is another Open Mic nite (Musicians+Vocalist) *Bring your instruments ,play with the band. Vocalist can play w/ a track or band. Tired of sitting on the couch. Come checkout Amazing musicians&vocalists playing Jazz/R&B/Gospel/Pop/Folk

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The Dr. Lee Morris Gallery is hosting an exhibit by artist JRenée Sunday, January 26 through March 15. The opening reception is Sunday, January 26 at 3 p.m. Admission is free and open to the public and light refreshments will be served. In addition to the exhibit, she will present an artist's talk about her work on February 11 at 6:30 p.m. in the Joseph Stukes Meeting Room. JRenée is internationally known for her reverse glass paintings, or Eglomise, depicting southern lifestyle themes, tropical design, and the life and times in New Orleans, pre- and post-Katrina. She enjoys painting images and scenes that promote thought on issues of social justice, history, and folklore. She graduated from Xavier University in 1989 with a Bachelor's degree in Fine Arts. Like many, JRenée was a Katrina evacuee who was forced to move around the country. She eventually settled in Columbia, South Carolina. The Doctor N. Lee Morris Gallery is located on the second floor of the Drs. Bruce and Lee Foundation Library.

9am - 3pm Wash Day

Where: L.W. Paul Living History Farm, 2279 Harris Shortcut Road, Conway, SC, 29526, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Experience life on a family farm from 1900-1955. Visitors are invited to see how clothes would be washed before the use of modern appliances. This program is free and open to all ages.

Florence Festivals & Events

9:30am - 9:30am Toddler & Preschool Storytime

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The library will offer Toddler and Preschool Storytimes on Tuesday mornings. Children must be two years old to register for Toddler Storytime and 3, 4 or 5 years old to register for Preschool Storytime. The storytime will include stories fingerplays, simple crafts, and music for these programs. Toddler storytime is at 9:30 a.m. and last 20 minutes. Preschool storytime is at 10:30 a.m. and last 30 minutes.

10am - 8pm 47th Annual Faculty Exhibition

Where: Cecelia Coker Bell Gallery, 300 E. College Ave., Hartsville, SC, 29550, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Cecelia Coker Bell Gallery presents the 47th Annual Faculty Exhibition January 16 through January 31. The gallery is open MWF 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. and TTh from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m.

10am - 4pm Birds of Paradise Exhibit

Where: Franklin G. Burroughs-Simeon B. Chapin Art Museum, 3100 S. Ocean Blvd., Myrtle Beach, SC, 29577, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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Description:

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10am - 10am Hartsville Library: Story Time

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description: Children's Story Time is every Tuesday at 10 a.m. at the Hartsville Library.

10am - 5pm Willie + Holcha Art Exhibit

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

An exhibition of Art by William Henry Johnson and Holcha Krake Johnson is on display at Florence County Museum October 15, 2019 through May 17, 2020. In 1928, Florence native William Henry Johnson met Danish textile artist Holcha Krake. It was a chance encounter which opened a new chapter in Johnson's life, both personally and artistically. Johnson's early artworks often evince his shifting nature, reflecting the influences of well established artists and styles of the time. However, after their marriage in 1930, Holcha became a constant in Johnson's life. Holcha's folk art philosophies were rooted in the past, but were shaped just as much by the progressive thinking of European modernism. By 1940 these principals had become a catalyst for Johnson's own artistic transformation. Willie and Holcha presents for the first time, rare rediscovered works by Holcha Krake which have recently been acquired. This exhibition explores the mutual influence between these artists and invites a deeper interpretation of both Johnson and Holcha's work in the context of their relationship. For more information about Willie and Holcha as well as other upcoming exhibits and events, please contact the Florence County Museum at 843.676.1200 or visit the website at flocomuseum.org.

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Florence Festivals & Events

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Description:

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3:30pm - 3:30pm Bookworms Book Club

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

This is a book discussion group that enjoys crafts and games while discussing a book. The program is for grades 3 - 5 and meets on the fourth Tuesday of each month. The first meeting is Tuesday, January 28 at 3:30 p.m. Registration is required and space is limited.

5:30pm - 5:30pm Power Yoga

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description: Our Sacred Space Yoga presents class called Power Yoga Tuesdays at 5:30 p.m.

6pm - 6:30pm Bilingual Story Time

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The library will offer Bilingual Storytime on Tuesday evenings for ages 2 - 5. The storytime will include stories, fingerplays, and music with a bilingual theme. Bilingual Storytime will last 30 minutes.

6pm - 8pm Heart and Sole Line Dancing

Where: Poynor Adult Education, 301 S. Dargan St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Join Heart & Sole Line Dancing Tuesday's from 6 to 8 p.m.! Don't know how to line dance? Don't worry instructors will teach you. The cost is \$5 to participate.

6pm - 6pm Sip and Paint: Camper

Where: Artbug Studio, 122 N. Fifth Street, Hartsville, SC, 29550, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

You choose your colors and add personal touches to your painting. A template and step by step instructions are provided. This is creative fun even first time painters can enjoy. \$35 includes all materials. BYO Wine or beverage of choice and snacks if you like.

6:30pm - 6:30pm Small Business Workshop: Starting Your Business

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The library will offer a program on taking business startup ideas, or an existing business, to the next level. Presented by Eddie Watson of the South Carolina Small Business Development Center (SBDC) in Florence, the program will take place on Tuesday at 6:30 p.m. Prior to his current position, Watson started a small business in his home town of Latta, SC. Since then he has worked in many different fields and acquired knowledge from each of them. In his current role he serves as Florence Area Manager for the SBDC, helping startups and existing businesses in the Pee Dee. Attendees will learn about how to start a businesses, how to develop ideas for businesses, and how to grow an existing business. Registration is required for this free adult (18+) program, made possible by Friends of Florence County Library. Call 843-413-7074 to register, or for more information visit www.florencelibrary.org.

Florence Festivals & Events

7:30pm - 7:30pm Dreamgirls

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Wed Jan 29, 2020

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Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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All day YMCA Swim Lessons

Wed Jan 29, 2020

Where: Florence Family YMCA, 1700 S. Rutherford Drive, Florence, SC, 29505, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

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8:30am - 5pm Dereliction: Changing Structures by Pamela Winegard

Where: Francis Marion University - Hyman Fine Arts Center, 4822 E. Palmetto St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Dereliction: Changing Structures by Pamela Winegard will be on display January 2 through February 20. Pamela Winegard is a mixed media artist and art educator. She is a 2017 recipient of the Mecklenburg Arts & Science Council Regional Artist's Project Grant. Pam has been inducted into the National Association of Women Artists in NYC. She was a juried ASC Fall 2014 CSA Program Artist. In addition, she was a 2012 Affiliate Artist-In-Residence at the McColl Center for Visual Art. Pam received both a fellowship and a grant to attend residencies at the Vermont Studio Center, 2012-14. She is a recently retired professor having taught at Wingate University, CPCC, Winthrop University, and the Art Institute of Charlotte.

8:30am - 5pm Wild and Wonderful: Creative Sculptural Collaborations Exhibit

Where: Francis Marion University - Hyman Fine Arts Center, 4822 E. Palmetto St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The FMU Hyman Fine Arts Center presents an art exhibit by Mike and Patz Fowle titled Wild and Wonderful: Creative Sculptural Collaborations. This exhibit runs from January 14 through February 20.

Florence Festivals & Events

9am - 8:30pm Artist JRenee Exhibit

Where: Dr. N. Lee Morris Gallery, 509 S. Dargan St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

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9am - 3pm SiMT Entrepreneurship Day 2020

Where: SiMT, 1951 Pisgah Road, Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Area experts and experienced entrepreneurs will share personal insights and practical tools that businesses can use to accelerate growth. Entrepreneurship Day 2020, co-sponsored by FDTC and FMU will be held at the SiMT this year on January 29. SiMT Entrepreneurship Day 2020 is open to anyone who is thinking about starting a new service or developing a product, as well as established businesses who want to stay current in their industries and network with emerging companies. Check-in begins at the SiMT Conference Center at 8:30 a.m. The program begins at 9 am and adjourns at 3 p.m. There will be tours of the Virtual Reality Production Studio and the Advanced Manufacturing Center following the presentations. Lunch and refreshments will be provided throughout the day. For more information contact Ashley Deaza at ashley.deaza@simt.com Or call 843-413-2755 To register for this event visit: <http://www.entrepreneurshipday2020.eventbrite.com>

9:15am - 10am Little Red Riding Hood & the Fruitcake of Doom performance

Where: Theatre on the Green, 200 Market Street, Cheraw, SC, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Cheraw Arts Commission and Porkchop Productions present Little Red Riding Hood & the Fruitcake of Doom. A girl in an itchy cape, a motorcycle riding granny, and a fruitcake as hard as a rock bring this timeless tale to life...with a twist.. Appropriate for Pre-K+ The performance is 45 minutes. The cost is \$4 for children and adults are free.

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10am - 11:15am Preschool Storytime

Where: Lake City Public Library, 221 E. Main St., Lake City, SC, 29560, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Lake City Public Library is presenting storytime to preschoolers, ages 2-5 years old, on Wednesdays from 10:00 a.m. - 11:15 a.m. This free event is open to the public.

Florence Festivals & Events

10am - 5pm Willie + Holcha Art Exhibit

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Description:

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1pm - 2pm Museum Matinee: South Carolina Hall of Fame - Civil War Era

Where: Horry County Museum, 805 Main St., Conway, SC, 29526, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The 2020 Horry County Museum Documentary Film Series continues with a documentary by South Carolina ETV on inductees from the Civil War & Reconstruction Era into the South Carolina Hall of Fame. Established in 1973, The South Carolina Hall of Fame, located in Myrtle Beach, inducts one deceased and one contemporary honoree each year. It is by law the "official" Hall of Fame for South Carolina. There are nearly 100 members of the South Carolina Hall of Fame, each of whom has made outstanding contributions to South Carolina's heritage, history, and progress. Biographies of Civil War & Reconstruction era inductees include John C. Calhoun, James Petigru, Wade Hampton, Mary Chestnut, Robert Smalls, Thomas Green Clemson, William Walker, James Marion Sims, and Anne Pamela Cunningham. The film is free to the public and will be shown at 1:00 PM, Wednesday, January 29th, at the Horry County Museum, located at 805 Main Street in Conway. For more information, visit our website at www.horrycountymuseum.org, call 843-915-5320 or e-mail hcgmmuseum@horrycounty.org.

2:30pm - 4:30pm Quick Start - Internet Basics

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Should be comfortable with mouse and keyboard before registering. Covers internet browsers, on-line applications, searching the internet, using the correct search result, using e-mail, and safety. Held in the Dunlap Hopkins Technology Training Classroom Call 843-413-7075 to register

3:30pm - 3:30pm Library Tweens Program

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The library will offer programs for children in grades 3 - 5 on Wednesday afternoons. The programs will consist of movies, stories, crafts, and guest speakers. The programs will last 30 to 45 minutes.

4pm - 8pm Wine Down Wednesdays

Where: Dolce Vita Café & More, 160 S Dargan St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description: Every Wednesday, Dolce Vita offers 1/2 off wines from 4 to 8 p.m. Super classy, chill atmosphere!

Florence Festivals & Events

5:30pm - 7:15pm Live@Central

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Live@Central is a free, public program that begins at 6:15 p.m. in Spears Fellowship. An optional meal is available from 5:30 to 6:15 p.m., and costs \$6 for adults and \$3 for children under 12. For more information, please visit www.centralmethodist.net.

5:30pm - 6:30pm Yoga for Anxiety

Where: SC

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Anxiety is a feeling of worry, nervousness, or unease, typically about an imminent event or something with an uncertain outcome. This gentle yoga class is designed to alleviate symptoms of anxiety and teach stress management techniques to manage daily struggles. Postures, breathing, and guided meditation included. Not intended to replace proper medical and/or psychiatric care.

7pm - 7pm FMU's Got Talent 2020 Finale

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Come out and see the finale for season two of FMU's Got Talent! Unlike the other shows, you will get to live vote for your favorite performer and find out that night who will win the big cash prize. Plus, we'll have special guest performances while we're tallying the votes. This event is open to the public as well! Tickets for this show are free for FMU students (with ID), \$5 for FMU faculty/staff, and \$10 for the general public.

7pm - 8pm Reiki + Restore with Sandra

Where: SC

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description: Join Sandra for Reiki + Restore from 7 to 8 p.m. Wednesdays.

7pm - 7pm Trivia: Right Answers with Wrong Travis

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The weekly trivia sensation, Right Answers with Wrong Travis is back for another 12-week season, with weekly prizes and the grand prize!

7:30pm - 7:30pm Dreamgirls

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8pm - 8pm Wednesday Night Karaoke

Where: Local Motive Brewing Company, 123 North Dargan Street, Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Come out and join Local Motive for Karaoke with Tony Rogers. It's hard to think of a better way to get over the hump than good music, good drinks, and good food.

8:30pm - 8:30pm Soulé Open Mic Nite

Where: Soulé Cafe, 130 S. Irby St., Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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Description:

Soulé Open Mic Nite at 8 p.m. Wednesdays. Check out the next budding stars (singers/musicians/poets/producers/etc.).

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9:15pm - 9:45pm Wind Down Wednesday Class

Where: Flow Town Yoga, 127 N. Dargan St. Suite 207, Florence, SC, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Sign up for our mailing list and receive access to a LIVE class lead by Flow Town Yoga Owner and Instructor Veronica Robertson, E-RYT 200, RYT 500. Join them Wednesday, January 29 at 9:15 p.m. on Facebook for 30 minutes of flexibility, relaxation and meditation. Try us out for the first time or join us as an experienced practitioner. Check your email for more details!

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9am - 8:30pm Artist JRenée Exhibit

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10am - 8pm 47th Annual Faculty Exhibition

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10am - 10am Baby Storytime

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 library will offer programs for babies 0 - 23 months old on Thursday mornings. The programs will be divided into two groups, walkers and non-walkers. An adult caregiver will need to stay with the baby during the 15 minute program. The programs will consist of music, fingerplays, and stories appropriate for these age groups. Non-walkers meet at 10 a.m. and walkers meet at 11 a.m.

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10am - 10am It's Story Time

Where: Darlington County Library, 204 N. Main St., Darlington, SC, 29532, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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Description:

The Darlington Library hosts story time every Thursday at 10 a.m. This program is geared towards preschoolers but anyone is welcome!

10am - 12:30pm Plant ID: The Nitty Gritty Basics

Where: Moore Farms Botanical Garden, 100 New Zion Road, Lake City, SC, 29560, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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Description:

Flowers, leaves, stem, fruits. These are the parts of a plant we can see. Morphology is the study of the form, structure and types of these parts of a plant. Before you can start identifying different plants, you first need to learn the fundamentals of morphology, eg: the characteristics and functions of each of these parts. MFBG Research Horticulturist Evan Baker kicks off our Plant Identification Series with this class, which is required before you can advance to the others. Doesn't sound like fun? We promise it will be! To pay with credit card, click Book online now! or call 843-210-7582 to pay by phone. Call 843-210-7582 or email lcollins@moorefarmsbg.org to reserve your spot if not paying by credit card. Cost: \$20 per person (or \$68 for the complete series - a savings of 15%)

Florence Festivals & Events

10am - 7pm Willie + Holcha Art Exhibit

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

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10:15am - 11:15am Tech Talk AM

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Description:

Call to schedule a 30 minute appointment for assistance with: tablet use, creating or using e-mail, the Jasmine reading system, laptops, smart phones, cloud storage, safety and security for portable devices, or specific questions on software such as Word, Firefox, etc.

11am - 6pm Charlie Mills: Painting Blind

Where: University Place Gallery, 142 North Dargan Street, Florence, SC, 29506, United States

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Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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Description:

Painting Blind: Views for the Intuitive Eye is an art exhibit consisting of new works by Charlie Mills. The exhibit is on display January 13 through February 21.

3:30pm - 5:30pm Art Journaling

Where: Artbug Studio, 122 N. Fifth Street, Hartsville, SC, 29550, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Art Journaling is an independent form of art creation. Students work on their own ideas using their choice of materials at their own pace. All work is completed within a sketchbook which becomes an art journal of one's creative thoughts and processes. Instructional guidance & ideas prompts are offered but students make their own choices and require the ability to focus & create individually. This class is designed for grades 3 & up and will meet Thursdays from 3:30 to 5:30 p.m. There is a \$38 registration fee per child per year. The cost for the class is \$60 for one hour a week / \$80 for two hours a week and \$18 per new journal as needed.

3:30pm - 3:30pm Library Afterschool Program

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The library will offer programs for children in grades 5K - 2nd on Thursday afternoons. The programs will consist of movies, stories, crafts and guest speakers. The programs will last 30 to 45 minutes.

5:30pm - 6:30pm Yin Yoga

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Release tightness and relax into a state of stillness and bliss. Yin yoga is a deep stretching practice that targets the fascia and other connective tissue around the muscles. Restorative, passive poses are typically held from 2-5 minutes; the longer holds of yin yoga allow for connective tissues to release tension and revive mobility. All levels welcome. Join June from 5:30 to 6:30 p.m. Thursdays for this Yin Yoga class.

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

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Join Olio Studio for their Art After Dark classes: January 2 – Cheersto Love Painting – \$25-\$35 January 3 – Love Birds Paintings – \$25-\$35 January 9 – Hand painted Ceramic Plate: Valentine’s Design – \$25-\$35 January 16 – Handmade Ceramic Luminary – \$25 January 23 – Vienna VanGoat Painting – \$25-\$35 January 30 – Pick Your Own Valentine’s Day Paintings – \$25-\$35 January 31 – Paint Your Pet Portrait Starts at 6:30p.m. Complementary refreshments will be served. Adults only.

6:30pm - 8pm Parent & Me Paint Night: Hartsville

Where: Girls University Hartsville, 701 W Washington St, Hartsville, SC, 29550, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

A night out for parents (or another important person) and their girls. Each painter will paint their own canvas and learn a few new techniques together. GREAT time to bond. Each month, we paint something new. Cost: \$12.00 per painter Instructor: Ashli Smart *Girls University members can use their membership discount code on this workshop.*

6:30pm - 8:30pm Pee Dee Regional Art Competition Exhibition Opening Reception

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The public is invited to attend the opening reception of the 2020 PeeDee Regional Art Competition on Thursday, January 30 from 6:30 pm to 8:30 pm at the FCM Waters Gallery. The annual competition, sponsored by Chick-fil-A of Florence, is organized by The Florence County Museum and is open to any artist native to the Pee Dee area or currently living in Florence, Horry, Chesterfield, Darlington, Dillon, Georgetown, Kershaw, Lee, Marion, Marlboro, Sumter, and Williamsburg counties. This year’s exhibition is comprised of 36 artworks selected by competition juror, Jeff Donovan. Donovan is a mixed media artist and paintings conservator living and working in Columbia, SC. Award winners will be announced at the reception. Cash prizes will be awarded as follows: First Place \$1000, Second Place \$600, Third Place \$300, Honorable Mention \$100. Refreshments will be provided. For more information about the 2020 PeeDee Regional Art Competition and all other museum exhibits and programs, please visit flocmuseum.org or contact the Florence County Museum at 843.676.1200.

7pm - 7pm Addie's Baby Paint Class

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Addie’s Baby Studio has a lot of fun classes scheduled in January. Friday – 1/10 at 7 p.m. – Moonlit Trees Sat – 1/11 at 11 a.m. – Cute Owl – Kids paint Class Sat. – 1/11 at 2 p.m. – Glowing Moonlight Waterfall Sat – 1/11 at 6 p.m. – Midnight Deer Thurs – 1/16 at 7 p.m. – Monogrammed Buffalo Mason Jar Door Hanger Sat – 1/18 at 11 a.m. – Lion- Kids paint class Sat – 1/18 at 2 p.m. – Winter Cardinal Sat – 1/18 at 6 p.m. – “She Sippin” Mon. – 1/20 at 7 p.m. – Winter Red Truck at Southern Hops Thur – 1/23 at 7 p.m. – “Diva Hair” Paint Class Friday – 1/24 at 7 p.m. – “Midnight Guitar” paint class Sat – 1/25 at 11 a.m. – Baby Shark – Kids paint class Sat – 1/25 at 2 p.m. – “Afternoon Coffee” Sat – 1/25 at 6 p.m. – “Head Wrap Diva” Paint Class Thurs – 1/30 at 7 p.m. – Northern Lights HOW TO RSVP FOR A CLASS: Call or text 843.229.5862 to sign up for public classes and fundraiser events. Walk-Ins are welcome, but it is strongly advised to RSVP at least 24hrs in advance or purchase seat below (if applicable) to ensure the class is not sold out or canceled before arriving. Reservations: Non-refundable fee of \$10 must be paid in advance to lock in seat(s) or group. ADULT CLASSES: You must be 18+ to attend our evening classes. KIDS CLASSES: Ages 5 yrs and up (4 yrs and under welcomed with an adult)

7pm - 10pm Soule' X Narzhio

Where: Soulé Cafe, 130 S. Irby St., Florence, SC, 29501, United States

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Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Artist Narzhio will showcase his new works. He’s known for painting iconic music & community leaders that have made change. Checkout his art show Jan 30 at 7 p.m.

7:30pm - 7:30pm 4000 Miles

Where: Atlantic Stage, 10177 N. Kings Hwy., Myrtle Beach, SC, 29572, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Atlantic Stage presents 4000 Miles January 30 through February 16. After suffering a major loss while he was on a cross-country bike trip, 21 year-old Leo seeks solace from his feisty 91 year-old grandmother Vera in her West Village apartment. Over the course of a single month, these unlikely roommates infuriate, bewilder, and ultimately reach each other. 4000 MILES looks at how two outsiders find their way in today’s world. To purchase tickets: <http://bit.ly/4000MilesTickets2020>

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7:30pm - 7:30pm Dreamgirls

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

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Description:

The Florence Little Theatre presents "Dreamgirls" January 24 through February 1. This powerhouse musical was a Tony and Grammy Award-winning hit on Broadway that became a Golden Globe and Academy Award-winning film sensation! Dreamgirls celebrates the advent of R&B in the 1960s with a Motown-inspired score, dynamic performances, and a moving look behind-the-scenes of the entertainment business. Experience all the on-stage joy and backstage drama as an up-and-coming girl group learn hard lessons about love, trust, and what it takes to get to the top. Meet The Dreams - Effie, Lorrell and Deena - three talented young singers in the turbulent 1960s, a revolutionary time in American music history. With an extraordinary story and unforgettable, spine-tingling vocals, this spectacular musical production soars with the classic songs, "And I Am Telling You I'm Not Going", "I Am Changing", "Listen", and "One Night Only." Recommended minimum age 12+ (some adult language). Length 2 hours. Tickets \$30 Adult \$25 Senior 62+ \$18 Student/Child

8pm - 8pm Glow Throw Night

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

GLOW THROW!!! Every Thursday through Saturday starting at 8 p.m. Come out and wear your neon because they've got black lights!

8pm - 8pm Wet Nose Dogs

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description: Wet Nose Dogs will perform Thursday at 8 p.m.

Fri Jan 31, 2020

All day ArtFields Jr. Art Submissions

Fri Jan 31, 2020

Where: ArtFields Office/Gallery, 118 Sauls St., Lake City, SC, 29560, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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Description:

The ArtFields Jr. Art Competition is open to South Carolina students in grades 1 through 12. All artwork submitted is considered by their review panel. Select pieces will be displayed during the month of April and final judging takes place during ArtFields. Schools and families are encouraged to attend the awards ceremony to support their student artists and developing artists throughout the community. More details coming soon <https://www.artfieldssc.org/competition/>

All day YMCA Swim Lessons

Fri Jan 31, 2020

Where: Florence Family YMCA, 1700 S. Rutherford Drive, Florence, SC, 29505, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

YMCA Swim Lessons begin with the development of basic swimming skills as well as gaining confidence and ease in the water. The lessons also include character development, family involvement and safety education components. There are three phases, Swim Starters (children 6-35 months), Swim Basics and Swim Strokes. Classes begin in February. Register today! For more information visit the website or call 843-665-1234. Weekday Sessions (8 classes) February 3-27 March 2-26 April 13-May 7 Two Week Session - May 11-21 (the special 2 week session will follow the T/Th class schedule but meets Monday through Thursday). 8 Lesson Weekday Sessions: Meets 2 days a week for 4 weeks

All day Youth Soccer Registration

Fri Jan 31, 2020

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

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Description:

Spring soccer registration is now open. You can register by going to www.cityofflorenceathletics.com. The registration period is 1/1 through 2/2. The soccer programs begin 2/15 or 2/17 depending on the age.

6:30am - 7:30am All-Levels (Yoga)

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

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Description: This early morning yoga class is designed for all levels. Join Axia on Fridays from 6:30 to 7:30 a.m.

Florence Festivals & Events

8am - 5pm FMU Baseball

Where: Sparrow Stadium, 4700 E. Palmetto St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

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Description:

FMU baseball games are played at Sparrow Stadium. Listed below are the home games for the 2020 schedule. Jan. 31 - vs. Mars Hill at TBA Feb 1 - vs. Lenoir-Rhyne at TBA Feb 2 - vs. Southern Wesleyan at TBA Feb 5 - vs. Mount Olive at 4 p.m. Feb 7 - vs. Limestone at 6 p.m. Feb 8 - vs. Limestone at 2 p.m. Feb 19 - vs. Mercy at 3 p.m. Feb 21 - vs. North Georgia at 6 p.m. Feb 22 - vs. North Georgia at 2 p.m. Feb 23 - vs. North Georgia at 1 p.m. Feb 28 - vs. Young Harris at 6 p.m. Feb 29 - vs. Young Harris at 2 p.m. Mar. 1 - vs. Young Harris at 1 p.m. Mar. 3 - vs. Newberry at 5 p.m. Mar. 10 - vs. Chowan at 6 p.m. Mar. 11 - vs. Chowan at 2 p.m. Mar. 20 - vs. Augusta at 6 p.m. Mar. 21 - vs. Augusta at 2 p.m. Mar. 22 - vs. Augusta at 1 p.m. Mar. 24 - vs. Barton at 6 p.m. Mar. 31 - vs. Queens (NC) at 6 p.m. April 9 - vs. UNC Pembroke at 6 p.m. April 10 - vs. UNC Pembroke at 3 p.m. April 11 - vs. UNC Pembroke at 1 p.m. April 24 - vs. Ga. Southwestern at 1 p.m. April 24 - vs. Ga. Southwestern at 4 p.m. April 25 - vs. Ga. Southwestern at 1 p.m.

8am - 8am Yam Slam Junior Open

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description: The Dr. Eddie Floyd Florence Tennis Center will host the Yam Slam Junior Open Friday through Sunday.

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11am - 5pm Jamey Grimes Exhibition: Formicarium

Where: Jones-Carter Gallery, 105 Henry St., Lake City, SC, 29560, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Jones-Carter Gallery will host an exhibition by artist Jamey Grimes January 31 through March 14. The objects and environments that he creates are fueled by encounters with natural forces, both real and imagined. Inspired by these encounters, he generates unique forms through the manipulation of synthetic materials. These forms accumulate, en masse, to engulf the viewer in an experience that is simultaneously unsettling and serene. The artist's intent is to remind us of our relationships to forces of nature. Synthetic materials establish a unique starting point for creating artwork that responds to nature. These tangible substances are selected because they have been cleansed of nature's direct influence and reset by human manufacturing processes. Through abstraction and re-interpretation, patterns emerge from the medium and quickly emulate more complex natural designs. The juxtaposition of this dialogue reflects a human impulse to codify the natural world.

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11am - 5pm Noah James Saunders Exhibition: The Depth of Wire

Where: TRAX Visual Arts Center, 122 Sauls St., Lake City, SC, 29560, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

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Where: University Place Gallery, 142 North Dargan Street, Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Painting Blind: Views for the Intuitive Eye is an art exhibit consisting of new works by Charlie Mills. The exhibit is on display January 13 through February 21.

2:30pm - 4:30pm Quick Start - Files and E-Mail Management

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The participant should be comfortable with computer, mouse and keyboard before registering. This class covers using & managing e-mail including sending & receiving, uploading & downloading, & contact list. Also, includes managing files including searching, uploading and downloading. Call 843-413-7074 to register.

3:30pm - 3:30pm Fine Arts Friday

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The library will offer Fine Arts Friday for children in grades 5K-3rd on Fridays at 3:30 p.m. Children will be working with a variety of artforms. Registration is limited. For more information, contact the Greenberg Children's Library at 843-292-7382.

5pm - 5pm FMU Baseball

Where: Sparrow Stadium, 4700 E. Palmetto St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

FMU baseball games are played at Sparrow Stadium. Listed below are the home games for the 2020 schedule. Jan. 31 - vs. Mars Hill at 5 p.m. Feb 1 - vs. Lenoir-Rhyne at 2 p.m. Feb 2 - vs. Southern Wesleyan at 2 p.m. Feb 5 - vs. Mount Olive at 4 p.m. Feb 7 - vs. Limestone at 6 p.m. Feb 8 - vs. Limestone at 2 p.m. Feb 19 - vs. Mercy at 3 p.m. Feb 21 - vs. North Georgia at 6 p.m. Feb 22 - vs. North Georgia at 2 p.m. Feb 23 - vs. North Georgia at 1 p.m. Feb 28 - vs. Young Harris at 6 p.m. Feb 29 - vs. Young Harris at 2 p.m. Mar. 1 - vs. Young Harris at 1 p.m. Mar. 3 - vs. Newberry at 5 p.m. Mar. 10 - vs. Chowan at 6 p.m. Mar. 11 - vs. Chowan at 2 p.m. Mar. 20 - vs. Augusta at 6 p.m. Mar. 21 - vs. Augusta at 2 p.m. Mar. 22 - vs. Augusta at 1 p.m. Mar. 24 - vs. Barton at 6 p.m. Mar. 31 - vs. Queens (NC) at 6 p.m. April 9 - vs. UNC Pembroke at 6 p.m. April 10 - vs. UNC Pembroke at 3 p.m. April 11 - vs. UNC Pembroke at 1 p.m. April 24 - vs. Ga. Southwestern at 1 p.m. April 24 - vs. Ga. Southwestern at 4 p.m. April 25 - vs. Ga. Southwestern at 1 p.m.

6pm - 6pm 21st Annual Father Daughter Dance

Where: SiMT, 1951 Pisgah Road, Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The 21st Annual Father Daughter Dance is Friday, January 31 at SiMT. Pictures begin at 6 pm, the dance begins at 6:30 pm with the last dance at 8:45 pm. Tickets are \$25 per family and are available during business hours at the Florence Family YMCA.

6pm - 8pm Dual Gallery Opening featuring Noah James Saunders & Jamey Grimes

Where: ArtFields Office/Gallery, 118 Sauls St., Lake City, SC, 29560, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Meet the artists and enjoy refreshments on opening night! Can't make it? Both galleries will be open Tuesday through Saturday from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. with free admission for the duration of the exhibitions. Learn about Noah's work at the TRAX website: <https://www.traxvisualartcenter.com/exhibitions/the-depth-of-wire/> Learn about Jamey's work at the JCG website: <http://www.jonescartergallery.com/exhibitions/formicarium/>

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6pm - 9pm Game of Games Parent Survival Night

Where: The Little Gym, 1945 W. Palmetto St. Suite 115, Florence, SC, 2951, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

This Parent Survival Night is for ages 3 to 12 years old. They will be playing..... you guessed it, GAMES! Lots and lots of them. Board games, versions of games in the gym. They even provide dinner. This event is \$30 if you are not a member and \$25 if you are a member. There are several ways to register: Call 843-676-9001 Text at 843-620-1453 click on the link and reserve your spot today. Space is limited for safety purposes! Be sure to take advantage of those 3 hours by doing something for you i.e go watch a movie, catch up with a friend, plan a date night or girls night.

6:30pm - 8pm Parent & Me Paint Night

Where: Girls University, 1249 Celebration Blvd., Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

A night out for parents (or another important person) and their girls. Each painter will paint their own canvas and learn a few new techniques together. GREAT time to bond. Each month, they paint something new. Cost: \$12.00 per painter Instructor: Ashli Smart *Girls University members can use their membership discount code on this workshop.*

7pm - 7pm Monster Jam

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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Description:

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7pm - 7pm RadioVibe

Where: Southern Hops Brewing Company, 911 Sunset Acres Lane, Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description: RadioVibe will perform at Southern Hops Friday

7pm - 7pm Taste of Russia

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Victors is kicking off 2020 with their first event of the year with a Taste of Russia. Chef Johnathan Polson will present authentic Russian flavors to be enjoyed with an accompaniment of Russian beverages. Tickets are \$20 per person and can be purchased by calling Victors at 843-665-0846 or emailing Help@victorsflorence.com.

7:30pm - 7:30pm 4000 Miles

Where: Atlantic Stage, 10177 N. Kings Hwy., Myrtle Beach, SC, 29572, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Atlantic Stage presents 4000 Miles January 30 through February 16. After suffering a major loss while he was on a cross-country bike trip, 21 year-old Leo seeks solace from his feisty 91 year-old grandmother Vera in her West Village apartment. Over the course of a single month, these unlikely roommates infuriate, bewilder, and ultimately reach each other. 4000 MILES looks at how two outsiders find their way in today's world. To purchase tickets: <http://bit.ly/4000MilesTickets2020>

7:30pm - 7:30pm Dreamgirls

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Florence Little Theatre presents "Dreamgirls" January 24 through February 1. This powerhouse musical was a Tony and Grammy Award-winning hit on Broadway that became a Golden Globe and Academy Award-winning film sensation! Dreamgirls celebrates the advent of R&B in the 1960s with a Motown-inspired score, dynamic performances, and a moving look behind-the-scenes of the entertainment business. Experience all the onstage joy and backstage drama as an up-and-coming girl group learns hard lessons about love, trust, and what it takes to get to the top. Meet The Dreams - Effie, Lorrell and Deena - three talented young singers in the turbulent 1960s, a revolutionary time in American music history. With an extraordinary story and unforgettable, spine-tingling vocals, this spectacular musical production soars with the classic songs, "And I Am Telling You I'm Not Going", "I Am Changing", "Listen", and "One Night Only." Recommended minimum age 12+ (some adult language). Length 2 hours. Tickets \$30 Adult \$25 Senior 62+ \$18 Student/Child

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7:30pm - 7:30pm Mark Husey with Mary Alice Thomy Bogue

Where: Lake City Presbyterian Church, 301 E. Main St., Lake City, SC, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Mary Alice Thomy Bogue and Mark Husey will perform Friday at 7:30 p.m. as part of the Lake City Concert Series. He will perform with Mary Alice Thomy Bogue, and guest vocalist Katie Gatch, and Mac McDougal. There will be a reception following the concert.

8pm - 8pm All Good Band

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description: The All Good Band will perform Friday at 8 p.m.

8pm - 8pm Glow Throw Night

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

GLOW THROW!!! Every Thursday through Saturday starting at 8 p.m. Comeout and wear your neon because they've got black lights!

8pm - 8pm Jim Money

Where: Retrofit sip-n-seat, 152 Mantissa Row, Hartsville, SC, 29550, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description: Jim Money will perform at Retrofit sip-n-seat on Friday at 8 p.m.

Sat Feb 1, 2020

All day ArtFields Jr. Art Submissions

Sat Feb 1, 2020

Where: ArtFields Office/Gallery, 118 Sauls St., Lake City, SC, 29560, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The ArtFields Jr. Art Competition is open to South Carolina students in grades 1 through 12. All artwork submitted is considered by their review panel. Select pieces will be displayed during the month of April and final judging takes place during ArtFields. Schools and families are encouraged to attend the awards ceremony to support their student artists and developing artists throughout the community. More details coming soon <https://www.artfieldssc.org/competition/>

All day City of Florence: Registration for Baseball, Softball, Track and Field

Sat Feb 1, 2020

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Registration is open for the following City of Florence athletics. (Through 3/5) - P.A.L. Little League - ages 5-12 (Through 2/20) - Baseball: Maple Park - ages 5-12 (Through 2/27) - Baseball: McLeod Park - ages 5-12 (Through 3/13) - Baseball: McLeod Park - ages 13-16 (Through 3/20) - Track and Field - ages 6-18 (Through 2/29) - Youth Softball - ages 4-12 (3/23 through 4/24) - Youth Softball - ages 13-18 Registration can be completed online at www.cityofflorenceathletics.com

All day Youth Soccer Registration

Sat Feb 1, 2020

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Spring soccer registration is now open. You can register by going to www.cityofflorenceathletics.com The registration period is 1/1 through 2/2. The soccer programs begin 2/15 or 2/17 depending on the age.

8am - 8am Yam Slam Junior Open

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description: The Dr. Eddie Floyd Florence Tennis Center will host the Yam Slam Junior Open Friday through Sunday.

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9am - 5:30pm Artist JRenee Exhibit

Where: Dr. N. Lee Morris Gallery, 509 S. Dargan St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Dr. Lee Morris Gallery is hosting an exhibit by artist JRenee Sunday, January 26 through March 15. The opening reception is Sunday, January 26 at 3 p.m. Admission is free and open to the public and light refreshments will be served. In addition to the exhibit, she will present an artist's talk about her work on February 11 at 6:30 p.m. in the Joseph Stukes Meeting Room. JRenee is internationally known for her reverse glass paintings, or Eglomise, depicting southern lifestyle themes, tropical design, and the life and times in New Orleans, pre-and post-Katrina. She enjoys painting images and scenes that promote thought on issues of social justice, history, and folklore. She graduated from Xavier University in 1989 with a Bachelor's degree in Fine Arts. Like many, JRenee was a Katrina evacuee who was forced to move around the country. She eventually settled in Columbia, South Carolina. The Doctor N. Lee Morris Gallery is located on the second floor of the Drs. Bruce and Lee Foundation Library.

9am - 1pm City Center Farmers Market

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Florence City Center Farmers Market is open every Saturday from 9 a.m. to 1 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. For more information or to become a vendor at the market, please email: jpeze@cityofflorence.com. www.facebook.com/citycenterfarmersmarket

9am - 10am Junior Farmers

Where: L.W. Paul Living History Farm, 2279 Harris Shortcut Road, Conway, SC, 29526, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

This FREE, family friendly program is open to children ages 5-10. It focuses on the traditions and workings of an early 1900's farm family. Maximum of 15 children, parents must remain with children. To participate, pre-register with Marion Haynes.

9:30am - 10:30am Farm Harvest Day

Where: L.W. Paul Living History Farm, 2279 Harris Shortcut Road, Conway, SC, 29526, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Experience life on a small family farm from 1900-1955! Visitors will learn about seasonal produce and even help harvest available crops. You can also purchase available produce. This program is free and open to all ages.

9:30am - 10:30am Hartsville STEM Saturdays

Where: Girls University Hartsville, 701 W Washington St, Hartsville, SC, 29550, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Come learn, play and experience Girls University! Girls will complete a variety of Girls U signature STEM enrichment activities. Each month, there will be a different activities. Not sure what Girls University is, then come in for an hour and check it out. Enjoy hands on activities with our awesome Girls U staff! This event is free for members. \$5 for non-members.

10am - 5pm 2020 Pee Dee Regional Art Competition Exhibition

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The annual competition, sponsored by Chick-fil-A of Florence, is organized by The Florence County Museum and is open to any artist native to the Pee Dee area or currently living in Florence, Horry, Chesterfield, Darlington, Dillon, Georgetown, Kershaw, Lee, Marion, Marlboro, Sumter, and Williamsburg counties. This year's exhibition is comprised of 36 artworks selected by competition juror, Jeff Donovan. Donovan is a mixed media artist and paintings conservator living and working in Columbia, SC. The art will remain on display through Friday, April 3. For more information about the 2020 Pee Dee Regional Art Competition and all other museum exhibits and programs, please visit flocmuseum.org or contact the Florence County Museum at 843.676.1200.

10am - 10am Abingdon Manor Cooking Classes

Where: Abingdon Manor, 307 Church Street, Latta, SC, 29565, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Designed for 2 or 3 couples, or a maximum of 6 individuals, cooking classes at the Inn offer a fun way to eat your way through a weekend. Bring one or two couples or group of friends and receive hands-on instruction for some of the Inn's favorite recipes and be part of preparing Saturday night dinner. These packages are for the novice or experienced cook, couples, friends, and colleagues. Please call them at (843) 752-5090 to book this package!

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10am - 4pm Birds of Paradise Exhibit

Where: Franklin G. Burroughs-Simeon B. Chapin Art Museum, 3100 S. Ocean Blvd., Myrtle Beach, SC, 29577, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Franklin G. Burroughs-Simeon G. Chapin Art Museum will host the Sarah Golish: Birds of Paradise exhibit. This is a collection of portraits in oil featuring ethnically diverse female subjects in bold colors, as well as exotic birds and plants that symbolize strength through adversity and fortitude of spirit. The exhibit is on display January 14 through April 11. Toronto-based artist Sara Golish questions the symbolism of conventional oil portraiture through a lens of eco-feminism by depicting traditionally oppressed bodies with dignity and grace in her Birds of Paradise series. Golish breathes new life into the traditional canon of early modern portraiture, where affluent women were presented in ways that spoke more to men's accumulation of wealth and status than to any representation of their own identities. If women of color appeared, they were rendered as servants and exotic curiosities to demonstrate the imperial reach of aristocratic power and wealth. Birds of Paradise is about liberating not just the subject from the patriarchal grasp, but also the form, techniques and materials from their historical usage and symbolism. Golish fills her portraits with ethnically diverse female subjects in bold colors, as well as exotic birds and plants that symbolize strength through adversity and fortitude of spirit. Admission to the Art Museum is free at all times but donations are welcome.

10am - 1pm Create Photos Like a Pro with Your iPhone

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

This 3 hour session starts with how to make the most of your iPhone camera by covering features, tips, tricks and their applications. This includes using third party camera apps that will allow you to utilize features that are similar to those on newer iPhone models. You can also use these camera apps to give you tools at your disposal you never imagined. The workshop will conclude with editing techniques using your iPhone as well as available third party iPhone editing apps to make your photos stand out. Practical in class exercises will be given to enhance learning. This workshop is for those with any model iPhone.

10am - 11:30am I am an Artist!

Where: Girls University, 1249 Celebration Blvd., Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

We all love to art. Come explore different art mediums, learn a few new techniques and have fun. Girls will earn a patch for attending this workshop and take home their work of art. This workshop is great for girls 5K-8th grade. Cost \$12.00 per girl * Girls University members can use their membership discount code on this workshop.*

10am - 5pm Willie + Holcha Art Exhibit

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

An exhibition of Art by William Henry Johnson and Holcha Krake Johnson is on display at Florence County Museum October 15, 2019 through May 17, 2020. In 1928, Florence native William Henry Johnson met Danish textile artist Holcha Krake. It was a chance encounter which opened a new chapter in Johnson's life, both personally and artistically. Johnson's early artworks often evince his shifting nature, reflecting the influences of well established artists and styles of the time. However, after their marriage in 1930, Holcha became a constant in Johnson's life. Holcha's folk art philosophies were rooted in the past, but were shaped just as much by the progressive thinking of European modernism. By 1940 these principals had become a catalyst for Johnson's own artistic transformation. Willie and Holcha presents for the first time, rare rediscovered works by Holcha Krake which have recently been acquired. This exhibition explores the mutual influence between these artists and invites a deeper interpretation of both Johnson and Holcha's work in the context of their relationship. For more information about Willie and Holcha as well as other upcoming exhibits and events, please contact the Florence County Museum at 843.676.1200 or visit the website at flocomuseum.org.

10am - 11am Y Penguin Plunge

Where: Florence Family YMCA, 1700 S. Rutherford Drive, Florence, SC, 29505, United States

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Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Challenge your friends and yourself to this chill, charitable event! All plungers receive a special event beanie cap and bragging rights! Slide with pride for the Y Saturday from 10 to 11 a.m. Plungers must give or raise at least \$100 to participate. Pledge forms are available at the Y. All proceeds benefit the Y Annual Campaign, which aids your friends and neighbors here in Florence who need financial help with child care, membership or children's programs.

11am - 3pm Conway Chocolate Walk

Where: Downtown Conway, Laurel Street & 2nd Avenue, Conway, SC, 29526, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Spend a Saturday afternoon exploring the shops and restaurants of Downtown Conway while enjoying chocolate treats prepared by the businesses. With so many businesses participating there will be more chocolate than even the biggest chocolate-lover could enjoy in one afternoon! Tickets are limited, so reserve your spot today! Tickets: \$20

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11am - 4pm Free First Saturday Glass Blowing Demos

Where: Conway Glass, 708 12th Ave., Conway, SC, 29526, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The SC Arts Commission Quarterly Artist Grant enables visitors to see and learn about the traditional craft of glassblowing. Visit Conway Glass from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. on the first Saturday of every month at Conway Glass. Ed Streeter explores and demonstrates various traditional and experimental glass techniques.

11am - 5pm Jamey Grimes Exhibition: Formicarium

Where: Jones-Carter Gallery, 105 Henry St., Lake City, SC, 29560, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Jones-Carter Gallery will host an exhibition by artist Jamey Grimes January 31 through March 14. The objects and environments that he creates are fueled by encounters with natural forces, both real and imagined. Inspired by these encounters, he generates unique forms through the manipulation of synthetic materials. These forms accumulate, en masse, to engulf the viewer in an experience that is simultaneously unsettling and serene. The artist's intent is to remind us of our relationships to forces of nature. Synthetic materials establish a unique starting point for creating artwork that responds to nature. These tangible substances are selected because they have been cleansed of nature's direct influence and reset by human manufacturing processes. Through abstraction and re-interpretation, patterns emerge from the medium and quickly emulate more complex natural designs. The juxtaposition of this dialogue reflects a human impulse to codify the natural world.

11am - 5pm Noah James Saunders Exhibition: The Depth of Wire

Where: TRAX Visual Arts Center, 122 Sauls St., Lake City, SC, 29560, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The TRAX Visual Art Center will host an exhibition from artist Noah James Saunders January 31 through March 21.

11am - 12:30pm Valentine Day Bath Bombs

Where: Olanta Public Library (Dr. John M. Thomason), 210 E. Hampton St., Olanta, SC, 29114, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Dr. John M. Thomason Public Library will host a bath bomb making activity on Saturday at 11 am. Bath bombs are hard-packed mixtures of dry ingredients which effervesce when added to water. They are used to add essential oils, scent, bubbles or color to bathwater. Participants in this activity will make a bath bomb using a variety of ingredients. Patrons will have the option of making an unscented bath bomb, or a lavender and rose geranium scented version. This program is intended for ages 15 and up, and all needed materials will be provided. Due to the limited number of supplies, registration is required. For more information, please call 843-396-4287, or visit the library.

11:30am - 4pm Super Football Party!

Where: Black Jack Harley-Davidson, 2691 Alex Lee Blvd., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

It's that time of year! Black Jack Harley-Davidson will have pizza, wings & ice cold refreshments on game day. More information about we'll have going on that day coming soon!

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: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

See live animal every Saturday and Sunday at the Environmental Discovery Center at Lynches River County Park. Animal presentations are every Saturday at 11:30 a.m. and 3 p.m. and Sundays at 2 p.m. You'll have an opportunity to meet an animal up close and learn about them.

12pm - 5pm Groundhog Saturday

Where: La Belle Amie Vineyard, 1120 St. Joseph Road, Little River, SC, 29566, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Bring a blanket and chair, and enjoy the music at La Belle Amie! This event features live music, tasty food and excellent wine. Admission is \$7, and individuals under 18 and over 80 are admitted for free. Join us from noon to 5 p.m. Admission is reduced by \$2 if you bring 2 canned/dry good food items for the area food bank. Festival dates are subject to change. Inclement weather may cause a last-minute postponement or cancellation, so check the website or call prior to coming out for an event.

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12:55pm - 12:55pm "Porgy and Bess"

Where: Regal Swamp Fox Cinemas, 3400 W. Radio Dr., Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Watch The Metropolitan Opera as they perform George Gershwin's "Porgy and Bess" at 12:55 p.m. Saturday at the Regal Swamp Fox Cinemas.

1pm - 1pm FMU 2020 Softball

Where: FMU Softball Field: Griffin Athletic Complex, 4700 E. Palmetto St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Francis Marion University will play its softball games at the FMU Softball Stadium. The home game schedule is listed below. Sat. - Feb. 1 - Mount Olive at 1 p.m. and 3 p.m. Sun. - Feb 9 - Newberry at 1 p.m. and 3 p.m. Fri. - Feb. 14 - Chowan at 3 p.m. - Patriot Invitational Tournament Fri. - Feb. 14 - Mercy at 5 p.m. - Patriot Invitational Tournament Sat. - Feb. 15 - Chowan at 1 p.m. - Patriot Invitational Tournament Sat. - Feb. 15 - Mars Hill at 5 p.m. - Patriot Invitational Tournament Sun. - Feb. 16 - Mars Hill at 2 p.m. - Patriot Invitational Tournament Fri. - Feb. 21 - Queens (N.C.) at 5 p.m. - Swamp Fox Sizzler Sat. - Feb. 22 - Emmanuel (Ga.) at 1 p.m. - Swamp Fox Sizzler Sat. - Feb. 22 - Queens (N.C.) at 5 p.m. - Swamp Fox Sizzler Sun. - Feb. 23 - Frostburg St. at 12 p.m. - Swamp Fox Sizzler Thu. - Feb. 27 - Erskine at 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. Sat. - Feb. 29 - King (Tenn.) at 1 p.m. and 3 p.m. Sat. - March 7 - Wingate at 1 p.m. and 3 p.m. Wed. - March 18 - USC Aiken * at 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. Thu. - March 19 - New Haven at 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. Wed. - March 25 - UNC Pembroke at 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. Sat. - March 28 - Georgia College at 1 p.m. and 3 p.m. Wed. - April 1 - Lenoir-Rhyne at 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. Fri. - April 10 - Columbus St. at 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. Sat. - April 11 - Ga. Southwestern at 1 p.m. and 3 p.m.

1pm - 1pm Monster Jam

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1:30pm - 1:30pm FMU Women's Basketball

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Francis Marion University Women's Basketball will play in the Smith University Center. (Home games only) Nov. 18 - vs. Claflin at 6 p.m. Nov. 23 - vs. Queens (NC) at 1:30 p.m. Dec 19 - vs. North Georgia at 5:30 p.m. Dec 21 - vs. Young Harris at 1:30 p.m. Jan 11 - vs. Lander at 1:30 p.m. Jan 18 - vs. Clayton St. at 1:30 p.m. Jan 22 - vs. Georgia College at 5:30 p.m. Jan 25 - vs. Flagler at 1:30 p.m. Feb 1 - vs. Ga. Southwestern at 1:30 p.m. - Homecoming Feb 5 - vs. USC Aiken at 5:30 p.m. Feb 12 - vs. Augusta at 5:30 p.m. Feb 26 - vs. UNC Pembroke at 5:30 p.m. - Senior Night

2pm - 2pm FMU Baseball

Where: Sparrow Stadium, 4700 E. Palmetto St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

FMU baseball games are played at Sparrow Stadium. Listed below are the home games for the 2020 schedule. Jan. 31 - vs. Mars Hill at 5 p.m. Feb 1 - vs. Lenoir-Rhyne at 2 p.m. Feb 2 - vs. Southern Wesleyan at 2 p.m. Feb 5 - vs. Mount Olive at 4 p.m. Feb 7 - vs. Limestone at 6 p.m. Feb 8 - vs. Limestone at 2 p.m. Feb 19 - vs. Mercy at 3 p.m. Feb 21 - vs. North Georgia at 6 p.m. Feb 22 - vs. North Georgia at 2 p.m. Feb 23 - vs. North Georgia at 1 p.m. Feb 28 - vs. Young Harris at 6 p.m. Feb 29 - vs. Young Harris at 2 p.m. Mar. 1 - vs. Young Harris at 1 p.m. Mar. 3 - vs. Newberry at 5 p.m. Mar. 10 - vs. Chowan at 6 p.m. Mar. 11 - vs. Chowan at 2 p.m. Mar. 20 - vs. Augusta at 6 p.m. Mar. 21 - vs. Augusta at 2 p.m. Mar. 22 - vs. Augusta at 1 p.m. Mar. 24 - vs. Barton at 6 p.m. Mar. 31 - vs. Queens (NC) at 6 p.m. April 9 - vs. UNC Pembroke at 6 p.m. April 10 - vs. UNC Pembroke at 3 p.m. April 11 - vs. UNC Pembroke at 1 p.m. April 24 - vs. Ga. Southwestern at 1 p.m. April 24 - vs. Ga. Southwestern at 4 p.m. April 25 - vs. Ga. Southwestern at 1 p.m.

2pm - 3pm STEM Saturdays

Where: Girls University, 1249 Celebration Blvd., Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Come learn, play and experience Girls University! Girls will complete a variety of Girls U signature STEM enrichment activities. Each month, there will be a different activities. Not sure what Girls University is, then come in for an hour and check it out. Enjoy hands on activities with our awesome Girls U staff! This event is free for Girls University members. \$5 for non-members.

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3pm - 3pm FMU 2020 Softball

Where: FMU Softball Field: Griffin Athletic Complex, 4700 E. Palmetto St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Francis Marion University will play its softball games at the FMU Softball Stadium. The home game schedule is listed below. Sat. - Feb. 1 - Mount Olive at 1 p.m. and 3 p.m. Sun. - Feb 9 - Newberry at 1 p.m. and 3 p.m. Fri. - Feb. 14 - Chowan at 3 p.m. - Patriot Invitational Tournament Fri. - Feb. 14 - Mercy at 5 p.m. - Patriot Invitational Tournament Sat. - Feb. 15 - Chowan at 1 p.m. - Patriot Invitational Tournament Sat. - Feb. 15 - Mars Hill at 5 p.m. - Patriot Invitational Tournament Sun. - Feb. 16 - Mars Hill at 2 p.m. - Patriot Invitational Tournament Fri. - Feb. 21 - Queens (N.C.) at 5 p.m. - Swamp Fox Sizzler Sat. - Feb. 22 - Emmanuel (Ga.) at 1 p.m. - Swamp Fox Sizzler Sat. - Feb. 22 - Queens (N.C.) at 5 p.m. - Swamp Fox Sizzler Sun. - Feb. 23 - Frostburg St. at 12 p.m. - Swamp Fox Sizzler Thu. - Feb. 27 - Erskine at 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. Sat. - Feb. 29 - King (Tenn.) at 1 p.m. and 3 p.m. Sat. - March 7 - Wingate at 1 p.m. and 3 p.m. Wed. - March 18 - USC Aiken * at 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. Thu. - March 19 - New Haven at 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. Wed. - March 25 - UNC Pembroke at 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. Sat. - March 28 - Georgia College at 1 p.m. and 3 p.m. Wed. - April 1 - Lenoir-Rhyne at 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. Fri. - April 10 - Columbus St. at 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. Sat. - April 11 - Ga. Southwestern at 1 p.m. and 3 p.m.

3pm - 4pm Theatre Workshop for Students

Where: Theatre on the Green, 200 Market Street, Cheraw, SC, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Cheraw Arts Commission is hosting a Free Theatre Workshop featuring The Barter Players. The workshop includes theatre related activities for ages 1st grade & up. Registration is required. Call the Cheraw Arts Commission 843-537-8420 x 12 to register

3pm - 3pm Wild Weekends

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

See live animal every Saturday and Sunday at the Environmental Discovery Center at Lynches River County Park. Animal presentations are every Saturday at 11:30 a.m. and 3 p.m. and Sundays at 2 p.m. You'll have an opportunity to meet an animal up close and learn about them.

3:30pm - 3:30pm FMU Men's Basketball

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Francis Marion University Men's Basketball will play in the Smith University Center. Home games are listed below. Nov 8 - vs. Newberry (PBC/SAC Challenge) at 11 a.m. Nov 9 - vs. Catawba (PBC/SAC Challenge) at 4 p.m. Nov 23 - vs. Johnson & Wales (NC) - at 3:30 p.m. Dec 19 - vs. North Georgia at 7:30 p.m. Dec 21 - vs. Young Harris at 3:30 p.m. Jan 11 - vs. Lander at 3:30 p.m. Jan 18 - vs. Clayton St. at 3:30 p.m. Jan 22 - vs. Georgia College at 7:30 p.m. Jan 25 - vs. Flagler at 3:30 p.m. Feb 1 - vs. Ga. Southwestern (Homecoming) at 3:30 p.m. Feb 5 - vs. USC Aiken at 7:30 p.m. Feb 12 - vs. August at 7:30 p.m. Feb 26 - vs. UNC Pembroke at 7:30 p.m.

4pm - 7pm Bottle Release Party featuring Wet Nose Dogs

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Join Seminar Saturday, February 1 for a limited release of Buffalo Trace Bourbon Barrel Aged Mug-O-Nut in 22 oz bottles! You may have enjoyed their coconut M.U.G. before, but this baby's been barrel aged since 2017. Bottles are \$22 each (to go sales only) with a limit of four per person. They will begin selling when they open, but stick around for Wet Nose Dogs, who will play from 4 pm-7 pm. They're one of our favorites!

4pm - 8pm Southeastern Bluegrass Association Concert

Where: Lydia Community Center, 5069 Indian Branch Rd., Hartsville, SC, 29550, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The dynamic Aynortowne Bluegrass band and Rob Jordan's In Good Company band are featured for this month's event. Jamming starts at 4 p.m. followed by open mic at 5, and the featured bands start at 5:45. Homemade hot dogs with chili, snacks and soft drinks are available at our kitchen. Adults \$10, students \$5 and kids under 12 always free. The Lydia Community Center is between Hartsville and Bishopville right off Hwy 15. GPS address is 5069 Indian Branch Rd, Lamar, SC For more info please contact Kevin Gowdy or Ernie McCormick on Facebook or call 843-669-6952.

5pm - 8pm Toni Esther & Friends

Where: Soulé Cafe, 130 S. Irby St., Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description: Toni Esther (soul / hip-hop) artist will be performing Saturday from 5 to 8 p.m.

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6:30pm - 7:30pm Peter Pan Performance

Where: Theatre on the Green, 200 Market Street, Cheraw, SC, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Barter Players return to Cheraw February 1 with a production of the classic story "Peter Pan" and will also host an afternoon Theatre workshop for students. The performance is Saturday from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. at Theatre on the Green. The performance is suitable for all ages. \$4 admission per person at the door. Doors open at 6 p.m.

7pm - 7pm Carl Brunson

Where: VFW Post 3181, 236 S. Greer Rd., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description: Carl Brunson will perform at the VFW Post 3181 at 7 p.m.

7pm - 7pm Monster Jam

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Monster Jam® is adrenaline-charged family entertainment providing jaw-dropping displays and gravity-defying feats that promises to always leave fans entertained. Monster Jam events feature some of the most recognizable trucks in the world including Grave Digger®, Max-D, El Toro Loco® and many more. Our world-class drivers push these perfectly engineered Monster Jam trucks to their limits in Freestyle, 2-Wheel Skills and Racing competitions that will put families on the edge of their seats and leave them craving more of this unexpected, unscripted and unforgettable event! For tickets visit <https://www.ticketmaster.com/monster-jam-tickets/artist/1542376?site=10085&pageType=178235&nativePromo=3389&slot=2&campaign=732489&flight=9434807&nativeId=16615400>

7:30pm - 7:30pm 4000 Miles

Where: Atlantic Stage, 10177 N. Kings Hwy., Myrtle Beach, SC, 29572, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Atlantic Stage presents 4000 Miles January 30 through February 16. After suffering a major loss while he was on a cross-country bike trip, 21 year-old Leo seeks solace from his feisty 91 year-old grandmother Vera in her West Village apartment. Over the course of a single month, these unlikely roommates infuriate, bewilder, and ultimately reach each other. 4000 MILES looks at how two outsiders find their way in today's world. To purchase tickets: <http://bit.ly/4000MilesTickets2020>

7:30pm - 7:30pm Dreamgirls

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Florence Little Theatre presents "Dreamgirls" January 24 through February 1. This powerhouse musical was a Tony and Grammy Award-winning hit on Broadway that became a Golden Globe and Academy Award-winning film sensation! Dreamgirls celebrates the advent of R&B in the 1960s with a Motown-inspired score, dynamic performances, and a moving look behind-the-scenes of the entertainment business. Experience all the on-stage joy and backstage drama as an up-and-coming girl group learns hard lessons about love, trust, and what it takes to get to the top. Meet The Dreams - Effie, Lorrell and Deena - three talented young singers in the turbulent 1960s, a revolutionary time in American music history. With an extraordinary story and unforgettable, spine-tingling vocals, this spectacular musical production soars with the classic songs, "And I Am Telling You I'm Not Going", "I Am Changing", "Listen", and "One Night Only." Recommended minimum age 12+ (some adult language). Length 2 hours. Tickets \$30 Adult \$25 Senior 62+ \$18 Student/Child

8pm - 8pm Glow Throw Night

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

GLOW THROW!!! Every Thursday through Saturday starting at 8 p.m. Come out and wear your neon because they've got black lights!

8pm - 8pm The Familiar Faces Band

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description: The Familiar Faces Band will perform Saturday at 8 p.m.

Florence Festivals & Events

Sun Feb 2, 2020

All day ArtFields Jr. Art Submissions

Sun Feb 2, 2020

Where: ArtFields Office/Gallery, 118 Sauls St., Lake City, SC, 29560, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The ArtFields Jr. Art Competition is open to South Carolina students in grades 1 through 12. All artwork submitted is considered by their review panel. Select pieces will be displayed during the month of April and final judging takes place during ArtFields. Schools and families are encouraged to attend the awards ceremony to support their student artists and developing artists throughout the community. More details coming soon <https://www.artfieldssc.org/competition/>

All day City of Florence: Registration for Baseball, Softball, Track and Field

Sun Feb 2, 2020

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Registration is open for the following City of Florence athletics. (Through 3/5) - P.A.L. Little League - ages 5-12 (Through 2/20) - Baseball: Maple Park - ages 5-12 (Through 2/27) - Baseball: McLeod Park - ages 5-12 (Through 3/13) - Baseball: McLeod Park - ages 13-16 (Through 3/20) - Track and Field - ages 6-18 (Through 2/29) - Youth Softball - ages 4-12 (3/23 through 4/24) - Youth Softball - ages 13-18. Registration can be completed online at www.cityofflorenceathletics.com

All day Youth Soccer Registration

Sun Feb 2, 2020

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Spring soccer registration is now open. You can register by going to www.cityofflorenceathletics.com. The registration period is 1/1 through 2/2. The soccer programs begin 2/15 or 2/17 depending on the age.

8am - 8am Yam Slam Junior Open

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description: The Dr. Eddie Floyd Florence Tennis Center will host the Yam Slam Junior Open Friday through Sunday.

2pm - 5pm 2020 Pee Dee Regional Art Competition Exhibition

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The annual competition, sponsored by Chick-fil-A of Florence, is organized by The Florence County Museum and is open to any artist native to the Pee Dee area or currently living in Florence, Horry, Chesterfield, Darlington, Dillon, Georgetown, Kershaw, Lee, Marion, Marlboro, Sumter, and Williamsburg counties. This year's exhibition is comprised of 36 artworks selected by competition juror, Jeff Donovan. Donovan is a mixed media artist and paintings conservator living and working in Columbia, SC. The art will remain on display through Friday, April 3. For more information about the 2020 Pee Dee Regional Art Competition and all other museum exhibits and programs, please visit flocmuseum.org or contact the Florence County Museum at 843.676.1200.

2pm - 6pm Artist JRenee Exhibit

Where: Dr. N. Lee Morris Gallery, 509 S. Dargan St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Dr. Lee Morris Gallery is hosting an exhibit by artist JRenee Sunday, January 26 through March 15. The opening reception is Sunday, January 26 at 3 p.m. Admission is free and open to the public and light refreshments will be served. In addition to the exhibit, she will present an artist's talk about her work on February 11 at 6:30 p.m. in the Joseph Stukes Meeting Room. JRenee is internationally known for her reverse glass paintings, or Eglomise, depicting southern lifestyle themes, tropical design, and the life and times in New Orleans, pre- and post-Katrina. She enjoys painting images and scenes that promote thought on issues of social justice, history, and folklore. She graduated from Xavier University in 1989 with a Bachelor's degree in Fine Arts. Like many, JRenee was a Katrina evacuee who was forced to move around the country. She eventually settled in Columbia, South Carolina. The Doctor N. Lee Morris Gallery is located on the second floor of the Drs. Bruce and Lee Foundation Library.

Florence Festivals & Events

2pm - 2pm FMU Baseball

Where: Sparrow Stadium, 4700 E. Palmetto St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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Description:

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2pm - 2pm Wild Weekends

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

See live animal every Saturday and Sunday at the Environmental Discovery Center at Lynches River County Park. Animal presentations are every Saturday at 11:30 a.m. and 3 p.m. and Sundays at 2 p.m. You'll have an opportunity to meet an animal up close and learn about them.

2pm - 5pm Willie + Holcha Art Exhibit

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

An exhibition of Art by William Henry Johnson and Holcha Krake Johnson is on display at Florence County Museum October 15, 2019 through May 17, 2020. In 1928, Florence native William Henry Johnson met Danish textile artist Holcha Krake. It was a chance encounter which opened a new chapter in Johnson's life, both personally and artistically. Johnson's early artworks often evince his shifting nature, reflecting the influences of well established artists and styles of the time. However, after their marriage in 1930, Holcha became a constant in Johnson's life. Holcha's folk art philosophies were rooted in the past, but were shaped just as much by the progressive thinking of European modernism. By 1940 these principals had become a catalyst for Johnson's own artistic transformation. Willie and Holcha presents for the first time, rare rediscovered works by Holcha Krake which have recently been acquired. This exhibition explores the mutual influence between these artists and invites a deeper interpretation of both Johnson and Holcha's work in the context of their relationship. For more information about Willie and Holcha as well as other upcoming exhibits and events, please contact the Florence County Museum at 843.676.1200 or visit the website at flocmuseum.org.

2:30pm - 2:30pm Sunday Family Movie

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Drs. Bruce & Lee Foundation Library will host popular movies for families at 2:30 p.m. Sundays. The movies are rated either G or PG and are sponsored by Friends of Florence County Library.

6pm - 7pm Sound Journey with Laura + Luke

Where: Flow Town Yoga, 127 N. Dargan St. Suite 207, Florence, SC, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Join Flow Town Yoga to experience deep relaxation and embodied awareness of sound. Laura Höfer and Luke Venable will guide you to deeper levels of relaxation by using crystal bowls, Tibetan singing bowls, drums and percussive instruments. Music has been used for thousands of years to facilitate peace and happiness. This class guides you through a meditative experience using gentle movements, sound and instruments tuned to healing frequencies that follow the fibonacci sequence. This experience will focus on balancing and tuning the chakras, while encouraging you to completely relax and let go of the analytical mind. Level: Appropriate for all levels, however a basic awareness of yoga postures may offer you the best experience.

7pm - 7pm Classic Junction Band

Where: VFW Post 3181, 236 S. Greer Rd., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description: The Classic Junction Band will perform at the Swamp Fox VFW Post 3181 on Sunday at 7 p.m.

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Mon Feb 3, 2020

All day ArtFields Jr. Art Submissions

Mon Feb 3, 2020

Where: ArtFields Office/Gallery, 118 Sauls St., Lake City, SC, 29560, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

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All day Baseball, Softball, Miracle League Registration

Mon Feb 3, 2020

Where: Florence County Parks & Recreation, 710 S. Irby St, Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

February 3 marks the opening of baseball, softball, Miracle League registration for Florence County Parks & Recreation. Register: Online at <https://registration.florenceco.org/>, by phone at 843-667-0920 or in person.

All day City of Florence: Registration for Baseball, Softball, Track and Field

Mon Feb 3, 2020

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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8:30am - 5pm Dereliction: Changing Structures by Pamela Winegard

Where: Francis Marion University – Hyman Fine Arts Center, 4822 E. Palmetto St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Dereliction: Changing Structures by Pamela Winegard will be on display January 2 through February 20. Pamela Winegard is a mixed media artist and art educator. She is a 2017 recipient of the Mecklenburg Arts & Science Council Regional Artist's Project Grant. Pam has been inducted into the National Association of Women Artists in NYC. She was a juried ASC Fall 2014 CSA Program Artist. In addition, she was a 2012 Affiliate Artist-In-Residence at the McColl Center for Visual Art. Pam received a both a fellowship and a grant to attend residencies at the Vermont Studio Center, 2012-14. She is a recently retired professor having taught at Wingate University, CPCC, Winthrop University, and the Art Institute of Charlotte.

8:30am - 5pm Wild and Wonderful: Creative Sculptural Collaborations Exhibit

Where: Francis Marion University – Hyman Fine Arts Center, 4822 E. Palmetto St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The FMU Hyman Fine Arts Center presents an art exhibit by Mike and Patz Fowle titled Wild and Wonderful: Creative Sculptural Collaborations. This exhibit runs from January 14 through February 20.

9am - 8:30pm Artist JRenée Exhibit

Where: Dr. N. Lee Morris Gallery, 509 S. Dargan St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Dr. N. Lee Morris Gallery is hosting an exhibit by artist JRenée Sunday, January 26 through March 15. The opening reception is Sunday, January 26 at 3 p.m. Admission is free and open to the public and light refreshments will be served. In addition to the exhibit, she will present an artist's talk about her work on February 11 at 6:30 p.m. in the Joseph Stukes Meeting Room. JRenée is internationally known for her reverse glass paintings, or Eglomise, depicting southern lifestyle themes, tropical design, and the life and times in New Orleans, pre- and post-Katrina. She enjoys painting images and scenes that promote thought on issues of social justice, history, and folklore. She graduated from Xavier University in 1989 with a Bachelor's degree in Fine Arts. Like many, JRenée was a Katrina evacuee who was forced to move around the country. She eventually settled in Columbia, South Carolina. The Doctor N. Lee Morris Gallery is located on the second floor of the Drs. Bruce and Lee Foundation Library.

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10am - 4pm Elizabeth Claffey Exhibit

Where: Cecelia Coker Bell Gallery, 300 E. College Ave., Hartsville, SC, 29550, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Cecelia Coker Bell Gallery will host the Elizabeth Claffey Exhibit February 3 through February 28. The gallery is open MWF 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. and TTh from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m.

1pm - 4pm Elle Love-Valentine Book

Where: Lynda English Gallery, 403 Second Loop Road, Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Lynda English is hosting a workshop titled "Elle Love-Valentine Book" from 1 to 4 p.m. The cost is \$60 plus \$15 supply fee.

3:30pm - 3:30pm Monday Library Lab

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The library will offer Monday Library Lab for children in grades 4-6 on Mondays 3:30 p.m. Children will do a variety of science concepts. Registration is limited. For more information, contact the Greenberg Children's Library at 843-292-7382.

5pm - 5pm The Stitchers: Crochet & Knit Club

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description: The Hartsville Stitchers (a Crochet & Knit club) meet every Monday at the Library at 5 p.m.

5:30pm - 6:30pm Philosophy Flow (Yoga)

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Let go and move to the rhythm of your own breath! Linking breath with mindful movement, this class will firmly ground you in the present moment in order to allow you to connect with your True Self. Movement, breathing and meditation. All-Levels welcomed. Join Jamie on Monday's for this Philosophy Flow class.

6:30pm - 6:30pm Darlington County Photography Club

Where: SC

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Black Creek Arts Center will host the Darlington County Photography Club the first Monday of every month.

7pm - 8pm Yoga Basics

Where: SC

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

A slower paced, alignment based yoga class geared toward a beginner student, but suitable for intermediate students who want to refine their yoga practice. Classic yoga poses will be presented with emphasis on correct alignment and precise actions in the body. All levels, especially beginners, welcomed. Join Jamie from 7 to 8 p.m. Mondays for this Yoga Basics class.

8:30pm - 8:30pm Music Mondays

Where: Soulé Cafe, 130 S. Irby St., Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Come on out and join the fun every Monday night Soule Cafe. Music Mondays is another Open Mic nite (Musicians+Vocalist) *Bring your instruments ,play with the band. Vocalist can play w/ a track or band. Tired of sitting on the couch. Come checkout Amazing musicians&vocalists playing Jazz/R&B/Gospel/Pop/Folk

Florence Festivals & Events

Tue Feb 4, 2020

All day ArtFields Jr. Art Submissions

Tue Feb 4, 2020

Where: ArtFields Office/Gallery, 118 Sauls St., Lake City, SC, 29560, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

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All day City of Florence: Registration for Baseball, Softball, Track and Field

Tue Feb 4, 2020

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Florence Festivals & Events

9:30am - 9:30am Toddler & Preschool Storytime

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

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Description:

The library will offer Toddler and Preschool Storytimes on Tuesday mornings. Children must be two years old to register for Toddler Storytime and 3, 4 or 5 years old to register for Preschool Storytime. The storytime will include stories, fingerplays, simple crafts, and music for these programs. Toddler storytime is at 9:30 a.m. and last 20 minutes. Preschool storytime is at 10:30 a.m. and last 30 minutes.

10am - 5pm 2020 Pee Dee Regional Art Competition Exhibition

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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Description:

The annual competition, sponsored by Chick-fil-A of Florence, is organized by The Florence County Museum and is open to any artist native to the Pee Dee area or currently living in Florence, Horry, Chesterfield, Darlington, Dillon, Georgetown, Kershaw, Lee, Marion, Marlboro, Sumter, and Williamsburg counties. This year's exhibition is comprised of 36 artworks selected by competition juror, Jeff Donovan. Donovan is a mixed media artist and paintings conservator living and working in Columbia, SC. The art will remain on display through Friday, April 3. For more information about the 2020 Pee Dee Regional Art Competition and all other museum exhibits and programs, please visit flocomuseum.org or contact the Florence County Museum at 843.676.1200.

10am - 4pm Birds of Paradise Exhibit

Where: Franklin G. Burroughs-Simeon B. Chapin Art Museum, 3100 S. Ocean Blvd., Myrtle Beach, SC, 29577, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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Description:

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10am - 8pm Elizabeth Claffey Exhibit

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10am - 10am Hartsville Library: Story Time

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description: Children's Story Time is every Tuesday at 10 a.m. at the Hartsville Library.

10am - 5pm Willie + Holcha Art Exhibit

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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Description:

An exhibition of Art by William Henry Johnson and Holcha Krake Johnson is on display at Florence County Museum October 15, 2019 through May 17, 2020. In 1928, Florence native William Henry Johnson met Danish textile artist Holcha Krake. It was a chance encounter which opened a new chapter in Johnson's life, both personally and artistically. Johnson's early artworks often evince his shifting nature, reflecting the influences of well established artists and styles of the time. However, after their marriage in 1930, Holcha became a constant in Johnson's life. Holcha's folk art philosophies were rooted in the past, but were shaped just as much by the progressive thinking of European modernism. By 1940 these principals had become a catalyst for Johnson's own artistic transformation. Willie and Holcha presents for the first time, rare rediscovered works by Holcha Krake which have recently been acquired. This exhibition explores the mutual influence between these artists and invites a deeper interpretation of both Johnson and Holcha's work in the context of their relationship. For more information about Willie and Holcha as well as other upcoming exhibits and events, please contact the Florence County Museum at 843.676.1200 or visit the website at flocomuseum.org.

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5:30pm - 5:30pm Power Yoga

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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Description: Our Sacred Space Yoga presents class called Power Yoga Tuesdays at 5:30 p.m.

6pm - 6:30pm Bilingual Story Time

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

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Description:

The library will offer Bilingual Storytime on Tuesday evenings for ages 2 - 5. The storytime will include stories, fingerplays, and music with a bilingual theme. Bilingual Storytime will last 30 minutes.

6pm - 8pm Heart and Sole Line Dancing

Where: Poynor Adult Education, 301 S. Dargan St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Join Heart & Sole Line Dancing Tuesday's from 6 to 8 p.m.! Don't know how to line dance? Don't worry instructors will teach you. The cost is \$5 to participate.

6:30pm - 6:30pm Florence Little Theatre Friends Meeting

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

FLT Friends is a group of people who love theatre and the joy it brings to our community. Not everyone desires to perform on the stage, but many would like to help FLT continue to be a vital part of the Florence community. We are willing to work "behind the scenes" to make that happen. The mission of the FLT Friends is to promote and support the endeavors of the Florence Little Theatre through fundraising projects and volunteerism. Meetings are held the 1st Tuesday of each month at 6:30 PM in the theatre lobby. Members take a turn sharing special recipes for a light supper. Discussions of upcoming projects and opportunities to sign up to volunteer are a regular part of our time together. Membership may be obtained at any meeting upon payment of the annual dues of \$20.

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6:30pm - 6:30pm The "Renazance" Experience with Marlon Mitchell

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

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Description:

The Doctors Bruce and Lee Foundation Library presents The Renazance Experience with Marlon Mitchell on Tuesday, February, 4 at 6:30 p.m. For this Black History Month event, Mitchell will present a celebration inspired by the Harlem Renaissance Writers that will include music and poetry Marlon Mitchell, a.k.a. Renazance, grew up in Florence, SC and was an avid reader from an early age. Mitchell taught English for 16 years and was inspired by his students to write poetry and his first book was published, Outlook, filled with inspirational poems. He then released his first novel, Floin 12 Steps. This free program, in honor of Black History month, is open to attendees 14 and over, made possible by Friends of Florence County Library. Call 843-413-7074 to register, or for more information visit www.florenceclibrary.org.

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10am - 11:15am Preschool Storytime

Where: Lake City Public Library, 221 E. Main St., Lake City, SC, 29560, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

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3pm - 3pm Hartsville Library: Adult Craft

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Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description: The Hartsville Library hosts an adult craft event the first Wednesday of the month at 3 p.m.

3:30pm - 3:30pm Library Tweens Program

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

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Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The library will offer programs for children in grades 3 - 5 on Wednesday afternoons. The programs will consist of movies, stories, crafts, and guest speakers. The programs will last 30 to 45 minutes.

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4pm - 4pm FMU Baseball

Where: Sparrow Stadium, 4700 E. Palmetto St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

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Description:

FMU baseball games are played at Sparrow Stadium. Listed below are the home games for the 2020 schedule. Jan. 31 - vs. Mars Hill at 5 p.m. Feb 1 - vs. Lenoir-Rhyne at 2 p.m. Feb 2 - vs. Southern Wesleyan at 2 p.m. Feb 5 - vs. Mount Olive at 4 p.m. Feb 7 - vs. Limestone at 6 p.m. Feb 8 - vs. Limestone at 2 p.m. Feb 19 - vs. Mercy at 3 p.m. Feb 21 - vs. North Georgia at 6 p.m. Feb 22 - vs. North Georgia at 2 p.m. Feb 23 - vs. North Georgia at 1 p.m. Feb 28 - vs. Young Harris at 6 p.m. Feb 29 - vs. Young Harris at 2 p.m. Mar. 1 - vs. Young Harris at 1 p.m. Mar. 3 - vs. Newberry at 5 p.m. Mar. 10 - vs. Chowan at 6 p.m. Mar. 11 - vs. Chowan at 2 p.m. Mar. 20 - vs. Augusta at 6 p.m. Mar. 21 - vs. Augusta at 2 p.m. Mar. 22 - vs. Augusta at 1 p.m. Mar. 24 - vs. Barton at 6 p.m. Mar. 31 - vs. Queens (NC) at 6 p.m. April 9 - vs. UNC Pembroke at 6 p.m. April 10 - vs. UNC Pembroke at 3 p.m. April 11 - vs. UNC Pembroke at 1 p.m. April 24 - vs. Ga. Southwestern at 1 p.m. April 24 - vs. Ga. Southwestern at 4 p.m. April 25 - vs. Ga. Southwestern at 1 p.m.

4pm - 8pm Wine Down Wednesdays

Where: Dolce Vita Café & More, 160 S Dargan St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description: Every Wednesday, Dolce Vita offers 1/2 off wines from 4 to 8 p.m. Super classy, chill atmosphere!

5pm - 7pm Wine Down Wednesday

Where: Visit Lake City, 110 E Main St., Lake City, SC, United States

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Description:

Wine Down Wednesday is Visit Lake City's monthly networking event from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. inside the Visitors Center. This is a great time to network and meet new people in the Lake City community all while enjoying complimentary wine and hors d'oeuvres from Piggybacks BBQ and Catfish. These events occur the first Wednesday of every month.

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

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

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Description:

Francis Marion University Women's Basketball will play in the Smith University Center. (Home games only) Nov. 18 - vs. Claflin at 6 p.m. Nov. 23 - vs. Queens (NC) at 1:30 p.m. Dec 19 - vs. North Georgia at 5:30 p.m. Dec 21 - vs. Young Harris at 1:30 p.m. Jan 11 - vs. Lander at 1:30 p.m. Jan 18 - vs. Clayton St. at 1:30 p.m. Jan 22 - vs. Georgia College at 5:30 p.m. Jan 25 - vs. Flagler at 1:30 p.m. Feb 1 - vs. Ga. Southwestern at 1:30 p.m. - Homecoming Feb 5 - vs. USC Aiken at 5:30 p.m. Feb 12 - vs. Augusta at 5:30 p.m. Feb 26 - vs. UNC Pembroke at 5:30 p.m. - Senior Night

5:30pm - 7:15pm Live@Central featuring McCutcheon

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

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Description:

Enjoy the music of McCutcheon Road featuring Faith Godwin and Happy Pendergraft (who you may remember from the Plaids). McCutcheon Road is based in Lake City and sing everything from oldies to show tunes to hymns. Live@Central is a free, public program that begins at 6:15 p.m. in Spears Fellowship. An optional meal is available from 5:30 to 6:15 p.m., and costs \$6 for adults and \$3 for children under 12. For more information, please visit www.centralmethodist.net.

5:30pm - 6:30pm Yoga for Anxiety

Where: SC

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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Description:

Anxiety is a feeling of worry, nervousness, or unease, typically about an imminent event or something with an uncertain outcome. This gentle yoga class is designed to alleviate symptoms of anxiety and teach stress management techniques to manage daily struggles. Postures, breathing, and guided meditation included. Not intended to replace proper medical and/or psychiatric care.

7pm - 8pm Reiki + Restore with Sandra

Where: SC

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description: Join Sandra for Reiki + Restore from 7 to 8 p.m. Wednesdays.

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7pm - 7pm Trivia: Right Answers with Wrong Travis

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The weekly trivia sensation, Right Answers with Wrong Travis is back for another 12-week season, with weekly prizes and the grand prize!

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

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Francis Marion University Men's Basketball will play in the Smith University Center. Home games are listed below. Nov 8 – vs. Newberry (PBC/SAC Challenge) at 11 a.m. Nov 9 – vs. Catawba (PBC/SAC Challenge) at 4 p.m. Nov 23 – vs. Johnson & Wales (NC) – at 3:30 p.m. Dec 19 – vs. North Georgia at 7:30 p.m. Dec 21 – vs. Young Harris at 3:30 p.m. Jan 11 – vs. Lander at 3:30 p.m. Jan 18 – vs. Clayton St. at 3:30 p.m. Jan 22 – vs. Georgia College at 7:30 p.m. Jan 25 – vs. Flagler at 3:30 p.m. Feb 1 – vs. Ga. Southwestern (Homecoming) at 3:30 p.m. Feb 5 – vs. USCAiken at 7:30 p.m. Feb 12 – vs. August at 7:30 p.m. Feb 26 – vs. UNCPembroke at 7:30 p.m.

8pm - 8pm Wednesday Night Karaoke

Where: Local Motive Brewing Company, 123 North Dargan Street, Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Come out and join Local Motive for Karaoke with Tony Rogers. It's hard to think of a better way to get over the hump than good music, good drinks, and good food.

8:30pm - 8:30pm Soulé Open Mic Nite

Where: Soulé Cafe, 130 S. Irby St., Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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Description:

Soulé Open Mic Nite at 8 p.m. Wednesdays. Checkout the next budding stars (singers/musicians/poets/producers/etc.).

Thu Feb 6, 2020

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9am - 4pm Every Child Ready to Read with Sue McLeaf Nespeca

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

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Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The "Every Child Ready to Read" Project, a joint project of the Public Library Association and the Association of Library Service for Children (ALA), provides research showing the importance of the parent's role in young children's early literacy skills. This workshop will address: What can we do to help assure that our youngest patrons are started on the right path? and How can librarians enlist parents as partners in preparing their children for learning to read? The second half will help attendees discover ways to incorporate early literacy practices into their storytime programs and learn techniques to relate these skills to parents within the storytime setting so they can continue the process at home. Also to be addressed will be the importance of outreach to early childhood educators/caregivers. Attendees should bring with them to the session: 1. a favorite book they like to use in storytime 2. A pair of scissors. 3. Crayons: Bright primary colors & one black (preferably Crayola brand) 4. Construction Paper: one white, one green & one piece a color of your choice Registration Fee: \$10, lunch will be included. To register

9:30am - 9:30am Swamp Fox Quilters Guild Monthly Meeting

Where: John Calvin Presbyterian Church, 2000 Marsh Ave., Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Swamp Fox Quilters Guild monthly meetings are held at 9:30 a.m. the first Thursday of each month at John Calvin Presbyterian Church (corner of Third Loop Road and Marsh Ave.). New members and visitors are welcome. Guild purpose: Education of membership and community in the art of quilting. Annual membership dues are \$15. Visitors are free. For more information visit: www.swampfoxquilters.com

10am - 10am Baby Storytime

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The library will offer programs for babies 0 – 23 months old on Thursday mornings. The programs will be divided into two groups, walkers and non-walkers. An adult caregiver will need to stay with the baby during the 15 minute program. The programs will consist of music, fingerplays, and stories appropriate for these age groups. Non-walkers meet at 10 a.m. and walkers meet at 11 a.m.

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10am - 4pm Birds of Paradise Exhibit

Where: Franklin G. Burroughs-Simeon B. Chapin Art Museum, 3100 S. Ocean Blvd., Myrtle Beach, SC, 29577, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Franklin G. Burroughs-Simeon G. Chapin Art Museum will host the Sarah Golish: Birds of Paradise exhibit. This is a collection of portraits in oil featuring ethnically diverse female subjects in bold colors, as well as exotic birds and plants that symbolize strength through adversity and fortitude of spirit. The exhibit is on display January 14 through April 11. Toronto-based artist Sara Golish questions the symbolism of conventional oil portraiture through a lens of eco-feminism by depicting traditionally oppressed bodies with dignity and grace in her Birds of Paradise series. Golish breathes new life into the traditional canon of early modern portraiture, where affluent women were presented in ways that spoke more to men's accumulation of wealth and status than to any representation of their own identities. If women of color appeared, they were rendered as servants and exotic curiosities to demonstrate the imperial reach of aristocratic power and wealth. Birds of Paradise is about liberating not just the subject from the patriarchal grasp, but also the form, techniques and materials from their historical usage and symbolism. Golish fills her portraits with ethnically diverse female subjects in bold colors, as well as exotic birds and plants that symbolize strength through adversity and fortitude of spirit. Admission to the Art Museum is free at all times but donations are welcome.

10am - 8pm Elizabeth Claffey Exhibit

Where: Cecelia Coker Bell Gallery, 300 E. College Ave., Hartsville, SC, 29550, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Cecelia Coker Bell Gallery will host the Elizabeth Claffey Exhibit February 3 through February 28. The gallery is open MWF 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. and TTh from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m.

10am - 10am It's Story Time

Where: Darlington County Library, 204 N. Main St., Darlington, SC, 29532, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Darlington Library hosts story time every Thursday at 10 a.m. This program is geared towards preschoolers but anyone is welcome!

10am - 7pm Willie + Holcha Art Exhibit

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

An exhibition of Art by William Henry Johnson and Holcha Krake Johnson is on display at Florence County Museum October 15, 2019 through May 17, 2020. In 1928, Florence native William Henry Johnson met Danish textile artist Holcha Krake. It was a chance encounter which opened a new chapter in Johnson's life, both personally and artistically. Johnson's early artworks often evince his shifting nature, reflecting the influences of well established artists and styles of the time. However, after their marriage in 1930, Holcha became a constant in Johnson's life. Holcha's folk art philosophies were rooted in the past, but were shaped just as much by the progressive thinking of European modernism. By 1940 these principals had become a catalyst for Johnson's own artistic transformation. Willie and Holcha presents for the first time, rare rediscovered works by Holcha Krake which have recently been acquired. This exhibition explores the mutual influence between these artists and invites a deeper interpretation of both Johnson and Holcha's work in the context of their relationship. For more information about Willie and Holcha as well as other upcoming exhibits and events, please contact the Florence County Museum at 843.676.1200 or visit the website at flocomuseum.org.

11am - 6pm Charlie Mills: Painting Blind

Where: University Place Gallery, 142 North Dargan Street, Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

FMU's University Place Gallery will host the Charlie Mills: Painting Blind exhibit January 14 through February 21. The Closing Reception is February 21 from 6 to 8 p.m. After Forty-eight years of commercial design work, Charlie Mills now focuses his time on abstract painting. His interest in non-literal expression is fueled by his focus on accessing the intuitive mind or the subconscious. Mills' large scale paintings express clearly defined shapes and edges, calligraphic shapes and pin-stripping. They are a result of the artist finding a balance of the analytical and the intuitive.

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11am - 5pm Jamey Grimes Exhibition: Formicarium

Where: Jones-Carter Gallery, 105 Henry St., Lake City, SC, 29560, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Jones-Carter Gallery will host an exhibition by artist Jamey Grimes January 31 through March 14. The objects and environments that he creates are fueled by encounters with natural forces, both real and imagined. Inspired by these encounters, he generates unique forms through the manipulation of synthetic materials. These forms accumulate, en masse, to engulf the viewer in an experience that is simultaneously unsettling and serene. The artist's intent is to remind us of our relationships to forces of nature. Synthetic materials establish a unique starting point for creating artwork that responds to nature. These tangible substances are selected because they have been cleansed of nature's direct influence and reset by human manufacturing processes. Through abstraction and re-interpretation, patterns emerge from the medium and quickly emulate more complex natural designs. The juxtaposition of this dialogue reflects a human impulse to codify the natural world.

11am - 5pm Noah James Saunders Exhibition: The Depth of Wire

Where: TRAX Visual Arts Center, 122 Sauls St., Lake City, SC, 29560, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The TRAX Visual Art Center will host an exhibition from artist Noah James Saunders January 31 through March 21.

11am - 1pm Traditional Cooking Demonstration

Where: L.W. Paul Living History Farm, 2279 Harris Shortcut Road, Conway, SC, 29526, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Experience life on the "one horse farm" in Horry County from 1900-1955 at the L.W. Paul Living History Farm. Join them for a traditional cooking demonstration of seasonal dishes on a wood burning stove. This program is free and open to all ages.

3:30pm - 3:30pm Library Afterschool Program

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The library will offer programs for children in grades 5K - 2nd on Thursday afternoons. The programs will consist of movies, stories, crafts and guest speakers. The programs will last 30 to 45 minutes.

5:30pm - 7pm Opening Reception: Painting with Friends

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Painting With Friends features works by 11 area artists: Sue Brand, Timi Bronson, Sherry Brown, Frankie Bush, Judy Jacobs, Cornelia Joyner, MJ Martin, Gay Morrison, Linda Szablewski, Jane Wheeler and Pam Youngblood. This exhibit is FREE and open to the public. The exhibit will be on display until Feb 28.

5:30pm - 6:30pm Yin Yoga

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Description:

Release tightness and relax into a state of stillness and bliss. Yin yoga is a deep stretching practice that targets the fascia and other connective tissue around the muscles. Restorative, passive poses are typically held from 2-5 minutes; the longer holds of yin yoga allow for connective tissues to release tension and revive mobility. All levels welcome. Join June from 5:30 to 6:30 p.m. Thursdays for this Yin Yoga class.

6pm - 6pm Author Jeffrey Blount

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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Description:

To help celebrate Black History Month the library will host Author Jeremy Blount. He will present his new book The Emancipation of Evan Walls. Jeremy is an Emmy award-winning television director and a 2016 inductee to the Virginia Communications Hall of Fame. During a 34-year career at NBC News, Jeffrey directed a decade of Meet The Press, The Today Show, NBC Nightly News, The Chris Matthews Show and major special events.

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

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

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Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Join Olio Studio for their Art After Dark classes: February 6 –Handmade Ceramic Heart Dishes – \$25 February 13 – Galentine’s Day: PickYour Own Painting/Pottery – \$25-\$35 February 14 – Couple’s Paintings\$40-\$60 (Birch Trees, Beach Scene, Deer & Doe, Love Birds, Flamingos,or Custom) February 20 – Blue & White Painted Pottery / Canvas –\$25-\$35 February 27 – Colorful Highland Cow Painting – \$25-\$35 February28 – Blue & White Door Hanger Workshop February 29 (2 p.m.) – Blue &White Door Hanger Workshop Starts at 6:30 p.m. Complementaryrefreshments will be served. Adults only.

6:30pm - 8pm The Taste of Central Gala

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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Description:

The Taste of Central, a food tasting event and silent auction, hasbecome a highly-anticipated event held annually at Central UnitedMethodist Church. This year’s Taste will be held on Thursday. The doorswill open to The Commons from the Irby Street lot at 5:30 p.m. for apreview of the silent auction items. There have been over 200 items donated by local business, including clothing, jewelry, gift cards,vacation home stays, car washes, skin care, massage packages, golfpackages, gym memberships, original artwork, original woodwork,flowers, and much more! The food tasting will begin at 6:30 p.m. in theDavis Christian Life Center and is a great opportunity for attendees toenjoy all types of food prepared by Central members as well as localrestaurants. Some of the restaurants sharing their specialties with usthis year are: South of Pearl, Coastline, Downtown Southern Funk, HoltBrothers BBQ, Julia Belle’s, Red Lobster, School House BBQ, and Top HatSpecial-Teas. Tickets for the event are \$15 in advance and may bepurchased at the church office during regular office hours. Checks only(no cash) will be accepted at the church office and should be made payable to ‘CUMC’. Tickets may also be purchased at the door on theevening of the event for \$20, and cash as well as checks will beaccepted that evening. All proceeds from this year’s Taste of Centralwill go toward updating Central’s Wright Spears Fellowship Hall, whichis used by multiple church and community groups.

7pm - 7pm Addie's Baby Paint Class

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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Description:

Addie’s Baby Studio has a lot of fun classes scheduled in February.Saturday. -2/1 at 2 p.m. – “African Elephant” Adult Paint ClassThursday – 2/6 at 7 p.m. – “Cardinal on a Branch” Adult Paint ClassFriday – 2/7 at 7 p.m. – “Truck Filled with Love” Adult Paint ClassSaturday – 2/8 at 11 a.m. – “Baby Yoda” – Kids paint class (ages 4years +) Saturday – 2/8 at 2 p.m. – “Lavender in a Mason Jar” AdultPaint class Saturday – 2/8 at 6 p.m. – Couples Paint Class – “Love Anchors the Soul” Thursday – 2/13 at 7 p.m. – “Heart Trees” Adult PaintClass Friday – 2/14 at 7 p.m. – Couples Paint Class – “Kissy Fish”Saturday – 2/15 at 11 a.m. – Mom and Me Paint Class – Mermaids (ages 4years +) Saturday – 2/15 at 2 p.m. – Couples Paint Class – “Love Hands”Saturday – 2/15 at 6 p.m. – “Wine Lovers” Adult Paint Class Monday –2/17 at 7 p.m. – “Jeep Life” Door Hanger at Southern Hops Thursday –2/20 at 7 p.m. – “Gray Scale Daisy” Adult Paint Class Saturday – 2/22 at 11 a.m. – Mom and Me Paint Class – Under the Ocean (ages 4 years +)Saturday – 2/22 at 2 p.m. – “Moonlight Trees” Adult Paint ClassSaturday – 2/22 at 6 p.m. – “Glow Bubble Gum Diva” Adult Paint ClassThursday – 2/27 at 7 p.m. – “Red Wine & Red Soles” Adult Paint ClassSaturday – 2/29 at 11 a.m Kids Paint Class – “Cute Elephant” (ages 4years +) Saturday – 2/29 at 6 p.m. – “Glowing Moonlight Waterfall”Adult Paint Class HOW TO RSVP FOR A CLASS: Call or text 843.229.5862 to sign up for public classes and fundraiser events. Walk-Ins are welcome,but it is strongly advised to RSVP at least 24 hrs in advance orpurchase seat below (if applicable) to ensure the class is not sold outor canceled before arriving. Reservations: A non-refundable fee of \$10must be paid in advance to lock in seat(s) or group. ADULT CLASSES: Youmust be 18+ to attend our evening classes. KIDS CLASSES: Ages 5 yrs andup (4 yrs and under welcomed with an adult)

7pm - 9pm Sip and Savor Wine Tasting

Where: Dolce Vita Café & More, 160 S Dargan St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

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Description:

Dolce Vita is kicking off the SWEET month of February with a guidedWine Tasting hosted by Shannon Lewis of Grassroots Wines. The admissionticket of \$30 includes a tasting of four wines paired with arsenal ofmeats and cheeses, finished with their Belgian chocolates. This is anexcellent for a night out for you and your sweetie, or bring yourfriends! Wine and Chocolates will be available to order, just in timefor pick up before Valentine’s Day! Tickets available for purchase online through Eventbrite.

7:30pm - 7:30pm 4000 Miles

Where: Atlantic Stage, 10177 N. Kings Hwy., Myrtle Beach, SC, 29572, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Atlantic Stage presents 4000 Miles January 30 through February 16.After suffering a major loss while he was on a cross-country bike trip,21 year-old Leo seeks solace from his feisty 91 year-old grandmotherVera in her West Village apartment. Over the course of a single month,these unlikely roommates infuriate, bewilder, and ultimately reach each other. 4000 MILES looks at how two outsiders find their way in today’sworld. To purchase tickets: <http://bit.ly/4000MilesTickets2020>

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8pm - 8pm Glow Throw Night

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

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Description:

GLOW THROW!!! Every Thursday through Saturday starting at 8 p.m. Comeout and wear your neon because they've got black lights!

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10am - 5pm 2020 Pee Dee Regional Art Competition Exhibition

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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Description:

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10am - 4pm Birds of Paradise Exhibit

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10am - 4pm Elizabeth Claffey Exhibit

Where: Cecelia Coker Bell Gallery, 300 E. College Ave., Hartsville, SC, 29550, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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Description:

The Cecelia Coker Bell Gallery will host the Elizabeth Claffey Exhibit February 3 through February 28. The gallery is open MWF 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. and TTh from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m.

10am - 10am Library Movie Matinee

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 Doctors Bruce and Lee Foundation Library will show a 2009 film based on a true story and book. A journalist discovers a homeless musician and becomes involved in trying to get him back on his feet again. In honor of Black History Month, this PG-13 rated matinee is open to anyone 14+ years old and will be held on Friday, February 7, at 10:00 a.m. Starring Jamie Foxx, Robert Downey Jr., and Catherine Keener, the movie has a runtime of 117 minutes. Admission is free and light refreshments will be served. The Doctors Bruce and Lee Foundation Library is located at 509 S. Dargan Street in Florence. Space is limited and registration is requested for groups. Call 843-413-7074 to register groups of 5 or more. The free matinee series is sponsored by Friends of Florence County Library.

Florence Festivals & Events

10am - 5pm Willie + Holcha Art Exhibit

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

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11am - 7pm Charlie Mills: Painting Blind

Where: University Place Gallery, 142 North Dargan Street, Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

FMU's University Place Gallery will host the Charlie Mills: Painting Blind exhibit January 14 through February 21. The Closing Reception is February 21 from 6 to 8 p.m. After Forty-eight years of commercial design work, Charlie Mills now focuses his time on abstract painting. His interest in non-literal expression is fueled by his focus on accessing the intuitive mind or the subconscious. Mills' large scale paintings express clearly defined shapes and edges, calligraphic shapes and pin-striping. They are a result of the artist finding a balance of the analytical and the intuitive.

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Where: Jones-Carter Gallery, 105 Henry St., Lake City, SC, 29560, United States

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11am - 5pm Noah James Saunders Exhibition: The Depth of Wire

Where: TRAX Visual Arts Center, 122 Sauls St., Lake City, SC, 29560, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

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2pm - 2pm City Of Florence College Tennis Invitational

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Dr. Eddie Floyd Florence Tennis Center will host the City Of Florence College Tennis Invitational Friday and Saturday.

3:30pm - 3:30pm Fine Arts Friday

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

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Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The library will offer Fine Arts Friday for children in grades 5K-3rd on Fridays at 3:30 p.m. Children will be working with a variety of art forms. Registration is limited. For more information, contact the Greenberg Children's Library at 843-292-7382.

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6pm - 6pm FMU Baseball

Where: Sparrow Stadium, 4700 E. Palmetto St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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Description:

FMU baseball games are played at Sparrow Stadium. Listed below are the home games for the 2020 schedule. Jan. 31 - vs. Mars Hill at 5 p.m. Feb 1 - vs. Lenoir-Rhyne at 2 p.m. Feb 2 - vs. Southern Wesleyan at 2 p.m. Feb 5 - vs. Mount Olive at 4 p.m. Feb 7 - vs. Limestone at 6 p.m. Feb 8 - vs. Limestone at 2 p.m. Feb 19 - vs. Mercy at 3 p.m. Feb 21 - vs. North Georgia at 6 p.m. Feb 22 - vs. North Georgia at 2 p.m. Feb 23 - vs. North Georgia at 1 p.m. Feb 28 - vs. Young Harris at 6 p.m. Feb 29 - vs. Young Harris at 2 p.m. Mar. 1 - vs. Young Harris at 1 p.m. Mar. 3 - vs. Newberry at 5 p.m. Mar. 10 - vs. Chowan at 6 p.m. Mar. 11 - vs. Chowan at 2 p.m. Mar. 20 - vs. Augusta at 6 p.m. Mar. 21 - vs. Augustaa at 2 p.m. Mar. 22 - vs. Augusta at 1 p.m. Mar. 24 - vs. Barton at 6 p.m. Mar. 31 - vs. Queens (NC) at 6 p.m. April 9 - vs. UNC Pembroke at 6 p.m. April 10 - vs. UNC Pembroke at 3 p.m. April 11 - vs. UNC Pembroke at 1 p.m. April 24 - vs. Ga. Southwestern at 1 p.m. April 24 - vs. Ga. Southwestern at 4 p.m. April 25 - vs. Ga Southwestern at 1 p.m.

7pm - 7pm Addie's Baby Paint Class

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7pm - 7pm Florence Stampede & Pro Rodeo

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Southern Rodeo Association (SRA) presents The Florence Stampede and Pro Rodeo at the Florence Center on February 7 & 8 at 7 p.m. nightly. The Double Creek Pro Rodeo has teamed up with the oldest rodeo association east of the Mississippi River, the SRA. The event will feature local cowboy heritage and national, regional and local talent plus top-notch stock. Contest Events: Bareback Bronc Riding, Saddle Bronc Riding, Calf Roping, Cowgirl's Breakaway Roping, Steer Wrestling, Team Roping, Cowgirl's Barrel Racing, & Brahma Bull Riding

7:30pm - 7:30pm 4000 Miles

Where: Atlantic Stage, 10177 N. Kings Hwy., Myrtle Beach, SC, 29572, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Atlantic Stage presents 4000 Miles January 30 through February 16. After suffering a major loss while he was on a cross-country bike trip, 21-year-old Leo seeks solace from his feisty 91-year-old grandmother Vera in her West Village apartment. Over the course of a single month, these unlikely roommates infuriate, bewilder, and ultimately reach each other. 4000 MILES looks at how two outsiders find their way in today's world. To purchase tickets: <http://bit.ly/4000MilesTickets2020>

7:30pm - 7:30pm Andrew Drannon

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Due to inclement weather this concert has been rescheduled to Friday, Feb. 7 at 7:30 p.m. Andrew Drannon will perform at the Performing Arts Center on Thursday, February 6 at 7:30 p.m. Andrew Drannon is a writer and composer based in New York. He hails from Memphis, Tennessee, where he worked as Professor of Music Technology and Composition at Rhodes College. He holds an MFA from NYU's Graduate Musical Theatre Writing Program and was a composer fellow at the Bang on a Can Summer Festival. In 2018, he formed Awen Productions, an arts organization dedicated to innovative new work that helps people connect. Box Office: 843-661-4444 between 12:00 and 5:00 pm.

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8pm - 8pm Currie Wayne

Where: Local Motive Brewing Company, 123 North Dargan Street, Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description: Currie Wayne will perform at Local Motive Friday at 8 p.m.

8pm - 8pm DILLA Day

Where: Soulé Cafe, 130 S. Irby St., Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

All over the world many musicians/ music lovers / artists are celebrating the life of Legendary Producer J Dilla . This Friday, Soule will have the FIRST ever #DILLADAY. Come ready to DANCE & VIBE to the band @beyondMARS + DJ play music inspired by J Dilla. Come ready to Party.

8pm - 8pm Downtime

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description: Downtime will perform Friday at 8 p.m.

8pm - 8pm Glow Throw Night

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

GLOW THROW!!! Every Thursday through Saturday starting at 8 p.m. Comeout and wear your neon because they've got black lights!

8pm - 8pm Kayo Bracey

Where: Retrofit sip-n-seat, 152 Mantissa Row, Hartsville, SC, 29550, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Kayo Bracey will perform Friday at 8 p.m. Kayo Bracey is one of the most energetic performers and entertainers bred out of the Carolinas. Kayo is a breath of fresh air to the industry. He doesn't glorify negativity, or disrespect of women. Bracey has not only maintained being genuine in his music, but has even motivated others to fight through their struggles, through what he has coined as "Struggle Rap".

Sat Feb 8, 2020

All day ArtFields Jr. Art Submissions

Sat Feb 8, 2020

Where: ArtFields Office/Gallery, 118 Sauls St., Lake City, SC, 29560, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The ArtFields Jr. Art Competition is open to South Carolina students in grades 1 through 12. All artwork submitted is considered by their review panel. Select pieces will be displayed during the month of April and final judging takes place during ArtFields. Schools and families are encouraged to attend the awards ceremony to support their student artists and developing artists throughout the community. More details coming soon <https://www.artfieldssc.org/competition/>

All day Baseball, Softball, Miracle League Registration

Sat Feb 8, 2020

Where: Florence County Parks & Recreation, 710 S. Irby St, Florence, SC, 29501, United States

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Description:

February 3 marks the opening of baseball, softball, Miracle League registration for Florence County Parks & Recreation. Register: Online at <https://registration.florenceco.org/>, by phone at 843-667-0920 or in person.

All day City of Florence: Registration for Baseball, Softball, Track and Field

Sat Feb 8, 2020

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Registration is open for the following City of Florence athletics. (Through 3/5) - P.A.L. Little League - ages 5-12 (Through 2/20) - Baseball: Maple Park - ages 5-12 (Through 2/27) - Baseball: McLeod Park - ages 5-12 (Through 3/13) - Baseball: McLeod Park - ages 13-16 (Through 3/20) - Track and Field - ages 6-18 (Through 2/29) - Youth Softball - ages 4-12 (3/23 through 4/24) - Youth Softball - ages 13-18 Registration can be completed online at www.cityofflorenceathletics.com

Florence Festivals & Events

9am - 5:30pm Artist JRenée Exhibit

Where: Dr. N. Lee Morris Gallery, 509 S. Dargan St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Dr. Lee Morris Gallery is hosting an exhibit by artist JRenée Sunday, January 26 through March 15. The opening reception is Sunday, January 26 at 3 p.m. Admission is free and open to the public and light refreshments will be served. In addition to the exhibit, she will present an artist's talk about her work on February 11 at 6:30 p.m. in the Joseph Stukes Meeting Room. JRenée is internationally known for her reverse glass paintings, or Eglomise, depicting southern lifestyle themes, tropical design, and the life and times in New Orleans, pre-and post-Katrina. She enjoys painting images and scenes that promote thought on issues of social justice, history, and folklore. She graduated from Xavier University in 1989 with a Bachelor's degree in Fine Arts. Like many, JRenée was a Katrina evacuee who was forced to move around the country. She eventually settled in Columbia, South Carolina. The Doctor N. Lee Morris Gallery is located on the second floor of the Drs. Bruce and Lee Foundation Library.

9am - 1pm City Center Farmers Market

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

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Description:

The Florence City Center Farmers Market is open every Saturday from 9 a.m. to 1 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. For more information or to become a vendor at the market, please email: jpeze@cityofflorence.com. www.facebook.com/citycenterfarmersmarket

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9am - 4pm Honoring Our Veteran's Past and Present Car Show

Where: Saint Luke Lutheran Church, 1201 Cherokee Rd., Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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Description:

Eastern SC Mustang Club will host a car show at Saint Luke Lutheran Church from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Cars, Bikes and Trucks, \$20.00 registration fee. Public free, awards 3:00 pm to 4:00 pm Chgerok

10am - 5pm 2020 Pee Dee Regional Art Competition Exhibition

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Florence Festivals & Events

10am - 2pm Jackson's Benefit Ride & Community Day

Where: Black Jack Harley-Davidson, 2691 Alex Lee Blvd., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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Description:

Black Jack Harley-Davidson is hosting Jackson's Benefit Ride & Community Day Saturday from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. The cost is \$20 Rider/\$10 Passenger. Registration is from 10 to 10:45 a.m. Kickstands up at 11 a.m. The first 50 to register and pay receive a Jackson's Ride limited edition custom poker chip. Florence County Sheriff will be on location with demonstrations. There will be chicken bog, BBQ, and HotDogs available with donations and a 50/50 raffle. All proceeds will go to the Winkler Family.

10am - 12:30pm Plant ID: The Nitty Gritty Basics

Where: Moore Farms Botanical Garden, 100 New Zion Road, Lake City, SC, 29560, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Flowers, leaves, stem, fruits. These are the parts of a plant we can see. Morphology is the study of the form, structure and types of these parts of a plant. Before you can start identifying different plants, you first need to learn the fundamentals of morphology, eg: the characteristics and functions of each of these parts. MFBG Research Horticulturist Evan Baker kicks off our Plant Identification Series with this class, which is required before you can advance to the others. Doesn't sound like fun? We promise it will be! To pay with credit card, click Book online now! or call 843-210-7582 to pay by phone. Call 843-210-7582 or email lcollins@moorefarmsbg.org to reserve your spot if not paying by credit card. Cost: \$20 per person (or \$68 for the complete series - a savings of 15%)

10am - 12pm Rose Valentine Craft

Where: Timmonsville Library (Baker Memorial), 298 W. Smith St., Timmonsville, SC, 29161, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Timmonsville Public Library is hosting kids craft project Saturday. Drop in anytime between 10 a.m. and 12 p.m. to make a rose valentine.

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10am - 12pm Workshop: Submitting Art for Exhibitions

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Description:

In this professional practices workshop, Colleen Critcher will give a presentation highlighting the procedures artists use to submit their work for exhibitions. Professional photographer and FMU professor Julie Mixon will explain methods and tips for photographing artwork. This event is free and open to the public.

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11am - 11am Little Red Hen

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Little Red hen has been trying to get her silly friends, the Cat, Dog and Mouse, to help her make some bread from scratch, but they always seem to have something more important to do. It's not until she does all the work herself and sits down to eat the bread that the friends learn a very important lesson about friendship. Runtime is 35 minutes. The target audience is ages 2-10. Tickets are \$5 per person

11am - 5pm Noah James Saunders Exhibition: The Depth of Wire

Where: TRAX Visual Arts Center, 122 Sauls St., Lake City, SC, 29560, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The TRAX Visual Art Center will host an exhibition from artist Noah James Saunders January 31 through March 21.

11am - 12pm Restorative Massage

Where: The Rustic Raven Energy Medicine & Holistic Healing, 813 W Evans St, Florence, SC, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Rustic Raven Energy Medicine & Holistic Healing (813 W Evans St) is partnering with downtown's Biospectrum Holistics to do a Restorative Massage on Feb 8 from 11 AM to 12 PM. Tickets are \$45. The 1 hour session includes: breath work, yoga poses, massage, and guided visualization in a small group setting. *To reserve your space in the Restorative Massage group please contact The Rustic Raven at 843-229-3973 or click the ticket link. You must prepay for your session; spots are limited! *For more information: [Click Here](#)

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11am - 12:30pm Valentine Cupcake Decorating

Where: Olanta Public Library (Dr. John M. Thomason), 210 E. Hampton St., Olanta, SC, 29114, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Dr. John M. Thomason Public Library will conduct a dessertdecorating activity on Saturday 11 a.m. Participants in this activitywill decorate cupcakes for Valentine's Day. Red velvet mix will be usedto make the cupcakes, and a cream cheese frosting will be used todecorate them. This program is intended for ages 8 and above, andregistration is required to participate. For more information, call843-396-4287, or visit the library at 210 E. Hampton Street in Olanta.

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: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

See live animal every Saturday and Sunday at the EnvironmentalDiscovery Center at Lynches River County Park. Animal presentations areevery Saturday at 11:30 a.m. and 3 p.m. and Sundays at 2 p.m. You'llhave an opportunity to meet an animal up close and learn about them.

12pm - 5pm Full Moon Bonfire Saturday

Where: La Belle Amie Vineyard, 1120 St. Joseph Road, Little River, SC, 29566, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Bring a blanket and chair, and enjoy the music at La Belle Amie! This event features live music, tasty food and excellent wine. Join the fun from noon to 5 p.m. Admission is reduced by \$2 if you bring 2 canned/dry good food items for the area food bank. Festival dates are subject to change. Inclement weather may cause a last-minute postponement or cancellation, so check the website or call prior to coming out for an event. <https://labelleamie.com/>

12pm - 3pm Jamil Aaron Book Signing

Where: Soulé Cafe, 130 S. Irby St., Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Meet, greet and discuss Thinking With The Big Head with author Jamil Aaron. Come have a conversation about how young men can make better decisions with their bodies.

1pm - 2:30pm Bow Power

Where: Artbug Studio, 122 N. Fifth Street, Hartsville, SC, 29550, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Come to Artbug Studio and paint a tribute to Jojo or create a self portrait. All materials, instructions and templates included. \$20 at the door (Cash, check or Venmo, please)

1pm - 3pm Family Day: Art Around the World

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

From toddlers to grandparents, Family Days at the Florence CountyMuseum are sure to offer something for everyone. Join FCM the secondSaturday of each month from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. No registration required.Free of charge. The theme this month is Art Around the World: ArtAround the World Ojo de Dios – Museum Lobby – Create an Ojo de Dios or “God’s Eye” in the style of the Huichol tribe of Mexico. Participantswill weave a colorful Ojo de Dios using sticks and yarn. African Masks– Art Studio – Create a mask inspired by West African ceremonialculture. Participants will decorate a basic mask form, adding boldcolors and three-dimensional elements. Koinobori Windsock –Multipurpose Room – Prepare for spring with a traditional Japanesewindsock, used to celebrate Children’s Day. Participants will create acolorful carp windsock for home display.

1pm - 1pm Lee Monts Demonstration

Where: Lynda English Gallery, 403 Second Loop Road, Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Golden Representative, Lee Monts, of Columbia is going to be at the Lynda English Studio February 8 for a workshop/demonstration at 1 p.m. Golden has a wide range of fine products, watercolor, acrylic, and Williamsburg Oils. Lee will demonstrate new techniques and products plus give free samples. The workshop is free to the public. Call to get your name on the list.

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2pm - 2pm Addie's Baby Paint Class

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

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2pm - 2pm Documentary on Slave Descendant's Journey

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Florence Library Presents Documentary on Slave Descendant's Journey Thomalind Polite will present the documentary "Priscilla's Legacy" at the Doctors Bruce and Lee Foundation Library on Saturday, February 8 at 2 p.m. The documentary recounts the story of her ancestor, who was kidnapped as a child by slave traders in 1756 Sierra Leone and brought by slave ship to work on a South Carolina plantation until her death 55 years later. Polite, who lives in Charleston, visited Sierra Leone as part of her work in producing the 2014 documentary. She will answer questions following the showing. This free program, in honor of Black History Month, is open to attendees age 14 and over, and is made possible by Friends of Florence County Library. Call 843-413-7074 to register, or for more information, visit www.florenceclibrary.org.

2pm - 2pm FMU Baseball

Where: Sparrow Stadium, 4700 E. Palmetto St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

FMU baseball games are played at Sparrow Stadium. Listed below are the home games for the 2020 schedule. Jan. 31 - vs. Mars Hill at 5 p.m. Feb 1 - vs. Lenoir-Rhyne at 2 p.m. Feb 2 - vs. Southern Wesleyan at 2 p.m. Feb 5 - vs. Mount Olive at 4 p.m. Feb 7 - vs. Limestone at 6 p.m. Feb 8 - vs. Limestone at 2 p.m. Feb 19 - vs. Mercy at 3 p.m. Feb 21 - vs. North Georgia at 6 p.m. Feb 22 - vs. North Georgia at 2 p.m. Feb 23 - vs. North Georgia at 1 p.m. Feb 28 - vs. Young Harris at 6 p.m. Feb 29 - vs. Young Harris at 2 p.m. Mar. 1 - vs. Young Harris at 1 p.m. Mar. 3 - vs. Newberry at 5 p.m. Mar. 10 - vs. Chowan at 6 p.m. Mar. 11 - vs. Chowan at 2 p.m. Mar. 20 - vs. Augusta at 6 p.m. Mar. 21 - vs. Augusta at 2 p.m. Mar. 22 - vs. Augusta at 1 p.m. Mar. 24 - vs. Barton at 6 p.m. Mar. 31 - vs. Queens (NC) at 6 p.m. April 9 - vs. UNC Pembroke at 6 p.m. April 10 - vs. UNC Pembroke at 3 p.m. April 11 - vs. UNC Pembroke at 1 p.m. April 24 - vs. Ga. Southwestern at 1 p.m. April 24 - vs. Ga. Southwestern at 4 p.m. April 25 - vs. Ga. Southwestern at 1 p.m.

2pm - 2pm FMU Tennis Schedule

Where: Francis Marion University - Kassab Courts, 4822 E. Palmetto St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Tennis games are played at the Kassab Tennis Courts on the campus of Francis Marion University. Unless otherwise noted. Feb 7 - vs. Bluefield St. Played at Florence Tennis Center (City of Florence College Tennis Invitational) - Men play at 2 p.m. Women play at 4 p.m. Feb 8 - TBA - Played at Florence Tennis Center (City of Florence College Tennis Invitational) - Men play at 9 a.m. and 2 p.m. - Women play at 11 a.m. and 4 p.m. Feb 18 - vs. Coker - 2 p.m. Feb 23 - vs. Carson Newman at 11 a.m. Mar 7 - vs. Chowan played at Florence Tennis Center at 10 a.m. Mar 8 - vs. Lenoir-Rhyne at Florence Tennis Center at 3 p.m. March 10 - vs. Ashland at 2 p.m. March 12 - vs. Tusculum at 2 p.m. March 28 - vs. Augusta at 12 p.m. March 29 - vs. Georgia College at 11 a.m. April 10 - vs. Columbus St. at 2 p.m. April 11 - vs. Ga. Southwestern 11 a.m. April 18 - vs. Lander at 12 p.m.

3pm - 3pm Wild Weekends

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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Description:

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6pm - 6pm Addie's Baby Paint Class

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

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7pm - 11pm 15th Annual Oyster Roast

Where: The Bean Market, 111 Henry St., Lake City, SC, 29560, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Lake City Junior Woman's Club 15th Annual Oyster Roast is Saturday from 7 to 11 p.m. at The Bean Market.

7pm - 7pm Country Corner Band

Where: VFW Post 3181, 236 S. Greer Rd., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description: The Country Corner Band will perform on Saturday at 7 p.m.

7pm - 7pm Florence Stampede & Pro Rodeo

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Southern Rodeo Association (SRA) presents The Florence Stampede and Pro Rodeo at the Florence Center on February 7 & 8 at 7 p.m. nightly. The Double Creek Pro Rodeo has teamed up with the oldest rodeo association east of the Mississippi River, the SRA. The event will feature local cowboy heritage and national, regional and local talent plus top-notch stock. Contest Events: Bareback Bronc Riding, Saddle Bronc Riding, Calf Roping, Cowgirl's Breakaway Roping, Steer Wrestling, Team Roping, Cowgirl's Barrel Racing, & Brahma Bull Riding

7pm - 9pm The Soul Knights

Where: Center Theatre, 212 N. 5th St., Hartsville, SC, 29550, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Soul Knights present the Sounds of Motown & More Saturday from 7 to 9 p.m. Enjoy a fun evening that will take you back to Motown hits and Philly classics. This entertaining tribute features hits from the 50's, 60's, and 70's like My Girl, Ain't Too Proud to Beg by the Temptations and others artists such as the Four Tops, Spinners, and the O'Jays. You will not want to miss this high energy electrifying performance that will leave you dancing in the aisles. Tickets are available for online purchase now!

7:30pm - 7:30pm 4000 Miles

Where: Atlantic Stage, 10177 N. Kings Hwy., Myrtle Beach, SC, 29572, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Atlantic Stage presents 4000 Miles January 30 through February 16. After suffering a major loss while he was on a cross-country bike trip, 21 year-old Leo seeks solace from his feisty 91 year-old grandmother Vera in her West Village apartment. Over the course of a single month, these unlikely roommates infuriate, bewilder, and ultimately reach each other. 4000 MILES looks at how two outsiders find their way in today's world. To purchase tickets: <http://bit.ly/4000MilesTickets2020>

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8pm - 8pm Glow Throw Night

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezzsol@gmail.com

Description:

GLOW THROW!!! Every Thursday through Saturday starting at 8 p.m. Comeout and wear your neon because they've got black lights!

8pm - 8pm The Chris Shecut Project

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezzsol@gmail.com

Description: The Chris Shecut Project will perform Saturday at 8 p.m.

Sun Feb 9, 2020

All day ArtFields Jr. Art Submissions

Sun Feb 9, 2020

Where: ArtFields Office/Gallery, 118 Sauls St., Lake City, SC, 29560, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezzsol@gmail.com

Description:

The ArtFields Jr. Art Competition is open to South Carolina students in grades 1 through 12. All artwork submitted is considered by their review panel. Select pieces will be displayed during the month of April and final judging takes place during ArtFields. Schools and families are encouraged to attend the awards ceremony to support their student artists and developing artists throughout the community. More details coming soon <https://www.artfieldssc.org/competition/>

All day Baseball, Softball, Miracle League Registration

Sun Feb 9, 2020

Where: Florence County Parks & Recreation, 710 S. Irby St, Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezzsol@gmail.com

Description:

February 3 marks the opening of baseball, softball, Miracle League registration for Florence County Parks & Recreation. Register: Online at <https://registration.florenceco.org/>, by phone at 843-667-0920 or in person.

All day City of Florence: Registration for Baseball, Softball, Track and Field

Sun Feb 9, 2020

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezzsol@gmail.com

Description:

Registration is open for the following City of Florence athletics. (Through 3/5) - P.A.L. Little League - ages 5-12 (Through 2/20) - Baseball: Maple Park - ages 5-12 (Through 2/27) - Baseball: McLeod Park - ages 5-12 (Through 3/13) - Baseball: McLeod Park - ages 13-16 (Through 3/20) - Track and Field - ages 6-18 (Through 2/29) - Youth Softball - ages 4-12 (3/23 through 4/24) - Youth Softball - ages 13-18 Registration can be completed online at www.cityofflorenceathletics.com

1pm - 1pm FMU 2020 Softball

Where: FMU Softball Field: Griffin Athletic Complex, 4700 E. Palmetto St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezzsol@gmail.com

Description:

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2pm - 5pm 2020 Pee Dee Regional Art Competition Exhibition

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The annual competition, sponsored by Chick-fil-A of Florence, is organized by The Florence County Museum and is open to any artist native to the Pee Dee area or currently living in Florence, Horry, Chesterfield, Darlington, Dillon, Georgetown, Kershaw, Lee, Marion, Marlboro, Sumter, and Williamsburg counties. This year's exhibition is comprised of 36 artworks selected by competition juror, Jeff Donovan. Donovan is a mixed media artist and paintings conservator living and working in Columbia, SC. The art will remain on display through Friday, April 3. For more information about the 2020 Pee Dee Regional Art Competition and all other museum exhibits and programs, please visit flocomuseum.org or contact the Florence County Museum at 843.676.1200.

2pm - 6pm Artist JRenee Exhibit

Where: Dr. N. Lee Morris Gallery, 509 S. Dargan St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Dr. Lee Morris Gallery is hosting an exhibit by artist JRenee Sunday, January 26 through March 15. The opening reception is Sunday, January 26 at 3 p.m. Admission is free and open to the public and light refreshments will be served. In addition to the exhibit, she will present an artist's talk about her work on February 11 at 6:30 p.m. in the Joseph Stukes Meeting Room. JRenee is internationally known for her reverse glass paintings, or Eglomise, depicting southern lifestyle themes, tropical design, and the life and times in New Orleans, pre- and post-Katrina. She enjoys painting images and scenes that promote thought on issues of social justice, history, and folklore. She graduated from Xavier University in 1989 with a Bachelor's degree in Fine Arts. Like many, JRenee was a Katrina evacuee who was forced to move around the country. She eventually settled in Columbia, South Carolina. The Doctor N. Lee Morris Gallery is located on the second floor of the Drs. Bruce and Lee Foundation Library.

2pm - 5pm Cozy Hand Knit Blanket

Where: Artbug Studio, 122 N. Fifth Street, Hartsville, SC, 29550, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Enjoy an afternoon of creative fun and delicious wine! Create a cozy and beautiful hand knit blanket. We will take you step by step so you can create your very own one of a kind blanket. And once you know how you can do it again and again. Think of all the gifts you can make! Wine and light snacks available for purchase. No outside food or beverage for this event, please. Finished blanket will be a 35"x45". \$70 per person; Yarn is included. (Cream/Grey) For custom color choices reserve no later than January 24th. https://www.verlocal.com/pages/payment_page?listing_id=47430

2pm - 2pm Wild Weekends

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2pm - 5pm Willie + Holcha Art Exhibit

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

An exhibition of Art by William Henry Johnson and Holcha Krake Johnson is on display at Florence County Museum October 15, 2019 through May 17, 2020. In 1928, Florence native William Henry Johnson met Danish textile artist Holcha Krake. It was a chance encounter which opened a new chapter in Johnson's life, both personally and artistically. Johnson's early artworks often evince his shifting nature, reflecting the influences of well established artists and styles of the time. However, after their marriage in 1930, Holcha became a constant in Johnson's life. Holcha's folk art philosophies were rooted in the past, but were shaped just as much by the progressive thinking of European modernism. By 1940 these principals had become a catalyst for Johnson's own artistic transformation. Willie and Holcha presents for the first time, rare rediscovered works by Holcha Krake which have recently been acquired. This exhibition explores the mutual influence between these artists and invites a deeper interpretation of both Johnson and Holcha's work in the context of their relationship. For more information about Willie and Holcha as well as other upcoming exhibits and events, please contact the Florence County Museum at 843.676.1200 or visit the website at flocomuseum.org.

2:30pm - 2:30pm Sunday Family Movie

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Drs. Bruce & Lee Foundation Library will host popular movies for families at 2:30 p.m. Sundays. The movies are rated either G or PG and are sponsored by Friends of Florence County Library.

Florence Festivals & Events

3pm - 3pm Chamber Music at Winyah: String Quartet

Where: Winyah Bay Auditorium, 1200 Highmarket St., Georgetown, SC, 29440, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Long Bay Symphony Chamber groups presents a String Quartet performance at Winyah Auditorium on Sunday at 3 p.m. For ticket information call 843-448-8379 or visit www.longbaysymphony.com

3pm - 3pm FMU 2020 Softball

Where: FMU Softball Field: Griffin Athletic Complex, 4700 E. Palmetto St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

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3pm - 3pm Secret Lives of Stars

Where: Dooley Planetarium at FMU, 4822 E. Palmetto St, Florence, SC, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Francis Marion University's Dooley Planetarium will present "Secret Lives of Stars" at 3 p.m. Sunday on the second floor of the Cauthen Educational Media Center. Admission is free. For information call 843-661-1381. Not all stars are created equal. Some are massive. Others are tiny; almost insignificant. The specific characteristics of a star will determine what type of life it will lead, how long it might live and even the type of death it will die. We will witness the amazing variety of stars and peer into their secret lives. This program was produced by Evans and Sutherland and features narration by Patrick Stewart.

3pm - 3pm Virtus Academy Information Session

Where: Virtus Academy, 404 Dorado Drive, Florence, SC, 29502, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

All students, Kindergarten-7th Grades who reside in South Carolina are eligible to attend Virtus Academy Tuition-FREE. Information sessions are offered for prospective families, students and community members who want to learn more about their unique learning environment. An information session will be held at Virtus Academy (in the gym) Sunday, February 9 at 3 p.m. Complete the free application online at VirtusAcademySC.org. The deadline for applications is February 26 at 8 a.m. If the number of applications received by the deadline exceeds the number of slots available, a lottery will be held on February 28 at 6 p.m. at 404 Dorado Drive, Florence SC. After February 28, students will be admitted on a first come, first served basis.

7pm - 7pm Ranch House Band

Where: VFW Post 3181, 236 S. Greer Rd., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description: The Ranch House Band will perform Sunday at 7 p.m.

7pm - 7pm West Side Story Auditions

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Florence Little Theatre is holding auditions for West Side Story on February 9 and 12 at 7 p.m. For ages 15 and up. Registration begins 30 minutes prior to audition time. Auditions are held in the main lobby. The production dates are April 24-May 2, 2020 For more details please visit FLT Facebook page: https://www.facebook.com/events/357280841627287/?notif_t=event_calendar_create¬if_id=1563485421680123

Florence Festivals & Events

Mon Feb 10, 2020

All day ArtFields Jr. Art Submissions

Mon Feb 10, 2020

Where: ArtFields Office/Gallery, 118 Sauls St., Lake City, SC, 29560, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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All day Baseball, Softball, Miracle League Registration

Mon Feb 10, 2020

Where: Florence County Parks & Recreation, 710 S. Irby St, Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

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All day City of Florence: Registration for Baseball, Softball, Track and Field

Mon Feb 10, 2020

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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Description:

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8:30am - 5pm Dereliction: Changing Structures by Pamela Winegard

Where: Francis Marion University – Hyman Fine Arts Center, 4822 E. Palmetto St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

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8:30am - 5pm Wild and Wonderful: Creative Sculptural Collaborations Exhibit

Where: Francis Marion University – Hyman Fine Arts Center, 4822 E. Palmetto St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The FMU Hyman Fine Arts Center presents an art exhibit by Mike and Patz Fowle titled Wild and Wonderful: Creative Sculptural Collaborations. This exhibit runs from January 14 through February 20.

9am - 8:30pm Artist JRenée Exhibit

Where: Dr. N. Lee Morris Gallery, 509 S. Dargan St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

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10am - 4pm Elizabeth Claffey Exhibit

Where: Cecelia Coker Bell Gallery, 300 E. College Ave., Hartsville, SC, 29550, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Cecelia Coker Bell Gallery will host the Elizabeth Claffey Exhibit February 3 through February 28. The gallery is open MWF 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. and TTh from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m.

10am - 1pm Taste of India: Lunch Fundraiser

Where: Montessori School of Florence, 510 W. Palmetto St, Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Montessori School of Florence is hosting a lunch fundraiser – ATaste of India on Monday from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. For \$10 per plate*, youwill be served an authentic Indian cuisine featuring an appetizer, chicken or vegetable curry, naan, basmati rice, and vegetable sides. butter chicken, vegetable curry, rice, naan and samosa. Pick-up or delivery for 10 plates or more within 10 miles of Montessori School of Florence. You can call or email to reserve a plate. Call 843-62-2920 or email admin@msfedu.org This fundraiser supports one of our local schools. The money raised goes towards teacher's pay raises and betterment of the school's infrastructure. *\$10 if paying with cash or check; \$11 for online orders.

11am - 10pm Senior Citizen Discount Day

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Senior Citizen Discount Days at Victors are marked on our books! We extending a 25% off discount to senior citizens over the age of 55 for their food on each of these dates listed below! Mark your calendar and get excited for a delicious meal! October 14, 2019 December 16, 2019 February 10, 2020 April 13, 2020 June 15, 2020 August 17, 2020

2:30pm - 4:30pm Microsoft Office - Word Basics

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Learn the basics of Microsoft Word. The participant needs to be competent with computers, including a mouse and a keyboard. Call 843-413-7075 to register

3:30pm - 3:30pm Monday Library Lab

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The library will offer Monday Library Lab for children in grades 4-6 on Mondays 3:30 p.m. Children will do a variety of science concepts. Registration is limited. For more information, contact the Greenberg Children's Library at 843-292-7382.

5pm - 5pm The Stitchers: Crochet & Knit Club

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description: The Hartsville Stitchers (a Crochet & Knit club) meet every Monday at the Library at 5 p.m.

5:30pm - 6:30pm Philosophy Flow (Yoga)

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Let go and move to the rhythm of your own breath! Linking breath with mindful movement, this class will firmly ground you in the present moment in order to allow you to connect with your True Self. Movement, breathing and meditation. All-Levels welcomed. Join Jamie on Monday's for this Philosophy Flow class.

7pm - 8pm Yoga Basics

Where: SC

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

A slower paced, alignment based yoga class geared toward a beginner student, but suitable for intermediate students who want to refine their yoga practice. Classic yoga poses will be presented with emphasis on correct alignment and precise actions in the body. All levels, especially beginners, welcomed. Join Jamie from 7 to 8 p.m. Mondays for this Yoga Basics class.

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7:30pm - 7:30pm Florence Symphony: "FMU Celebrates 50 Years"

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Francis Marion University celebrates its 50th anniversary featuring FMU alumni and performances by the Florence Symphony Orchestra on Monday, February 10.

7:30pm - 7:30pm Hidden Figures Exhibit

Where: Coker University, 300 E College Ave, Hartsville, SC, 29550, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Coker University presents "Hidden Figures" a museum and student art exhibition featuring the artworks of Shardae Brown and the digital artworks of Nadia Maaouia. The exhibition is Monday at 7:30 p.m. in Coker's "LITC Atrium". Refreshments will be served.

8:30pm - 8:30pm Music Mondays

Where: Soule Cafe, 130 S. Irby St., Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Come on out and join the fun every Monday night Soule Cafe. Music Mondays is another Open Mic nite (Musicians+Vocalist) *Bring your instruments, play with the band. Vocalist can play w/ a track or band. Tired of sitting on the couch. Come checkout Amazing musicians&vocalists playing Jazz/R&B/Gospel/Pop/Folk

Tue Feb 11, 2020

All day ArtFields Jr. Art Submissions

Tue Feb 11, 2020

Where: ArtFields Office/Gallery, 118 Sauls St., Lake City, SC, 29560, United States

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9am - 4:30pm AARP Foundation Tax-Aide's Tax Preparation

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

AARP Foundation Tax-Aide, the nation's largest, free, volunteer-run tax assistance and preparation service, will assist taxpayers with personal federal and state income tax returns at the library. This free service is for all taxpayers with low to middle income with special attention on ages 60+. Business, farms and rentals with depreciation are out-of-scope and cannot be prepared. All returns will be e-filed and all services are free. Tax preparation is available Tuesdays and Wednesdays through April 15 (9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.). There will be two Saturday sessions, February 29 and March 14 and these will be walk-in only (no appointments).

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9:30am - 9:30am Toddler & Preschool Storytime

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The library will offer Toddler and Preschool Storytimes on Tuesday mornings. Children must be two years old to register for Toddler Storytime and 3, 4 or 5 years old to register for Preschool Storytime. The storytime will include stories, fingerplays, simple crafts, and music for these programs. Toddler storytime is at 9:30 a.m. and last 20 minutes. Preschool storytime is at 10:30 a.m. and last 30 minutes.

10am - 5pm 2020 Pee Dee Regional Art Competition Exhibition

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The annual competition, sponsored by Chick-fil-A of Florence, is organized by The Florence County Museum and is open to any artist native to the Pee Dee area or currently living in Florence, Horry, Chesterfield, Darlington, Dillon, Georgetown, Kershaw, Lee, Marion, Marlboro, Sumter, and Williamsburg counties. This year's exhibition is comprised of 36 artworks selected by competition juror, Jeff Donovan. Donovan is a mixed media artist and paintings conservator living and working in Columbia, SC. The art will remain on display through Friday, April 3. For more information about the 2020 Pee Dee Regional Art Competition and all other museum exhibits and programs, please visit flocomuseum.org or contact the Florence County Museum at 843.676.1200.

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10am - 4pm Birds of Paradise Exhibit

Where: Franklin G. Burroughs-Simeon B. Chapin Art Museum, 3100 S. Ocean Blvd., Myrtle Beach, SC, 29577, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Franklin G. Burroughs-Simeon G. Chapin Art Museum will host the Sarah Golish: Birds of Paradise exhibit. This is a collection of portraits in oil featuring ethnically diverse female subjects in bold colors, as well as exotic birds and plants that symbolize strength through adversity and fortitude of spirit. The exhibit is on display January 14 through April 11. Toronto-based artist Sara Golish questions the symbolism of conventional oil portraiture through a lens of eco-feminism by depicting traditionally oppressed bodies with dignity and grace in her Birds of Paradise series. Golish breathes new life into the traditional canon of early modern portraiture, where affluent women were presented in ways that spoke more to men's accumulation of wealth and status than to any representation of their own identities. If women of color appeared, they were rendered as servants and exotic curiosities to demonstrate the imperial reach of aristocratic power and wealth. Birds of Paradise is about liberating not just the subject from the patriarchal grasp, but also the form, techniques and materials from their historical usage and symbolism. Golish fills her portraits with ethnically diverse female subjects in bold colors, as well as exotic birds and plants that symbolize strength through adversity and fortitude of spirit. Admission to the Art Museum is free at all times but donations are welcome.

10am - 8pm Elizabeth Claffey Exhibit

Where: Cecelia Coker Bell Gallery, 300 E. College Ave., Hartsville, SC, 29550, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

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10am - 10am Hartsville Library: Story Time

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description: Children's Story Time is every Tuesday at 10 a.m. at the Hartsville Library.

10am - 6pm The Supper Table Exhibit

Where: University Place Gallery, 142 North Dargan Street, Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

University Place Gallery will host a temporary exhibition Feb. 11- 18. The Jasper Project presents: The Supper Table is a multi-disciplinary art installation celebrating the lives of South Carolina Women past and present. For more information about the Jasper project, [click here](#).

10am - 5pm Willie + Holcha Art Exhibit

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

An exhibition of Art by William Henry Johnson and Holcha Krake Johnson is on display at Florence County Museum October 15, 2019 through May 17, 2020. In 1928, Florence native William Henry Johnson met Danish textile artist Holcha Krake. It was a chance encounter which opened a new chapter in Johnson's life, both personally and artistically. Johnson's early artworks often evince his shifting nature, reflecting the influences of well established artists and styles of the time. However, after their marriage in 1930, Holcha became a constant in Johnson's life. Holcha's folk art philosophies were rooted in the past, but were shaped just as much by the progressive thinking of European modernism. By 1940 these principals had become a catalyst for Johnson's own artistic transformation. Willie and Holcha presents for the first time, rare rediscovered works by Holcha Krake which have recently been acquired. This exhibition explores the mutual influence between these artists and invites a deeper interpretation of both Johnson and Holcha's work in the context of their relationship. For more information about Willie and Holcha as well as other upcoming exhibits and events, please contact the Florence County Museum at 843.676.1200 or visit the website at flocomuseum.org.

11am - 6pm Charlie Mills: Painting Blind

Where: University Place Gallery, 142 North Dargan Street, Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

FMU's University Place Gallery will host the Charlie Mills: Painting Blind exhibit January 14 through February 21. The Closing Reception is February 21 from 6 to 8 p.m. After Forty-eight years of commercial design work, Charlie Mills now focuses his time on abstract painting. His interest in non-literal expression is fueled by his focus on accessing the intuitive mind or the subconscious. Mills' large scale paintings express clearly defined shapes and edges, calligraphic shapes and pin-striping. They are a result of the artist finding a balance of the analytical and the intuitive.

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11am - 5pm Jamey Grimes Exhibition: Formicarium

Where: Jones-Carter Gallery, 105 Henry St., Lake City, SC, 29560, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Jones-Carter Gallery will host an exhibition by artist Jamey Grimes January 31 through March 14. The objects and environments that he creates are fueled by encounters with natural forces, both real and imagined. Inspired by these encounters, he generates unique forms through the manipulation of synthetic materials. These forms accumulate, en masse, to engulf the viewer in an experience that is simultaneously unsettling and serene. The artist's intent is to remind us of our relationships to forces of nature. Synthetic materials establish a unique starting point for creating artwork that responds to nature. These tangible substances are selected because they have been cleansed of nature's direct influence and reset by human manufacturing processes. Through abstraction and re-interpretation, patterns emerge from the medium and quickly emulate more complex natural designs. The juxtaposition of this dialogue reflects a human impulse to codify the natural world.

11am - 5pm Noah James Saunders Exhibition: The Depth of Wire

Where: TRAX Visual Arts Center, 122 Sauls St., Lake City, SC, 29560, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The TRAX Visual Art Center will host an exhibition from artist Noah James Saunders January 31 through March 21.

5pm - 7:30pm Artist Talk: JRenee with Mingle

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Dr. Lee Morris Gallery is hosting an artist talk Tuesday at 6:30p.m. featuring JRenee. Her exhibit is on display through March 15. There will be a "mingle" reception from 5 to 6:15 p.m. JRenee is internationally known for her reverse glass paintings, or Eglomise, depicting southern lifestyle themes, tropical design, and the life and times in New Orleans, pre- and post-Katrina. She enjoys painting images and scenes that promote thought on issues of social justice, history, and folklore. She graduated from Xavier University in 1989 with a Bachelor's degree in Fine Arts. Like many, JRenee was a Katrina evacuee who was forced to move around the country. She eventually settled in Columbia, South Carolina. The Doctor N. Lee Morris Gallery is located on the second floor of the Drs. Bruce and Lee Foundation Library.

5:30pm - 5:30pm Power Yoga

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description: Our Sacred Space Yoga presents class called Power Yoga Tuesdays at 5:30 p.m.

6pm - 6:30pm Bilingual Story Time

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The library will offer Bilingual Storytime on Tuesday evenings for ages 2 - 5. The storytime will include stories, fingerplays, and music with a bilingual theme. Bilingual Storytime will last 30 minutes.

6pm - 6pm Black "Onyx" A Night To Remember

Where: Watson Theater, Hartsville, SC, 29550, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description: Coker University presents Black Onyx A Night to Remember at the Watson Theater Tuesday at 6 p.m.

6pm - 8pm Heart and Sole Line Dancing

Where: Poynor Adult Education, 301 S. Dargan St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Join Heart & Sole Line Dancing Tuesday's from 6 to 8 p.m.! Don't know how to line dance? Don't worry instructors will teach you. The cost is \$5 to participate.

Florence Festivals & Events

6pm - 6pm Virtus Academy Information Session

Where: First Church of God Darlington, 620 N. Main Street, Darlington, SC, 29532, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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6:30pm - 6:30pm Milky Way Nights

Where: Artbug Studio, 122 N. Fifth Street, Hartsville, SC, 29550, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Artbug Studio is hosting an adult paint "Milky Way Nights". Choose your colors and add personal touches such as your zodiac to your painting. The template and step by step instructions will be provided. This is creative fun even first time painters will enjoy. \$35 includes all materials. BYO Wine or Beverage of choice and snacks if you like.

Wed Feb 12, 2020

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All day Baseball, Softball, Miracle League Registration

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Description:

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9am - 4:30pm AARP Foundation Tax-Aide's Tax Preparation

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

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Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

AARP Foundation Tax-Aide, the nation's largest, free, volunteer-run tax assistance and preparation service, will assist taxpayers with personal federal and state income tax returns at the library. This free service is for all taxpayers with low to middle income with special attention on ages 60+. Business, farms and rentals with depreciation are out-of-scope and cannot be prepared. All returns will be e-filed and all services are free. Tax preparation is available Tuesdays and Wednesdays through April 15 (9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.). There will be two Saturday sessions, February 29 and March 14 and these will be walk-in only (no appointments).

9am - 8:30pm Artist JRenée Exhibit

Where: Dr. N. Lee Morris Gallery, 509 S. Dargan St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Dr. Lee Morris Gallery is hosting an exhibit by artist JRenée Sunday, January 26 through March 15. The opening reception is Sunday, January 26 at 3 p.m. Admission is free and open to the public and light refreshments will be served. In addition to the exhibit, she will present an artist's talk about her work on February 11 at 6:30 p.m. in the Joseph Stukes Meeting Room. JRenée is internationally known for her reverse glass paintings, or Eglomise, depicting southern lifestyle themes, tropical design, and the life and times in New Orleans, pre- and post-Katrina. She enjoys painting images and scenes that promote thought on issues of social justice, history, and folklore. She graduated from Xavier University in 1989 with a Bachelor's degree in Fine Arts. Like many, JRenée was a Katrina evacuee who was forced to move around the country. She eventually settled in Columbia, South Carolina. The Doctor N. Lee Morris Gallery is located on the second floor of the Drs. Bruce and Lee Foundation Library.

9:30am - 10:30am How Does the Garden Grow?

Where: L.W. Paul Living History Farm, 2279 Harris Shortcut Road, Conway, SC, 29526, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Experience life on the family farm in Horry County from 1900-1955 at the L.W. Paul Living History Farm. Join us for a program on gardening where visitors can learn about growing a garden using heirloom varieties of vegetables and organic fertilizers. This program is free and open to all ages.

10am - 5pm 2020 Pee Dee Regional Art Competition Exhibition

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The annual competition, sponsored by Chick-fil-A of Florence, is organized by The Florence County Museum and is open to any artist native to the Pee Dee area or currently living in Florence, Horry, Chesterfield, Darlington, Dillon, Georgetown, Kershaw, Lee, Marion, Marlboro, Sumter, or Williamsburg counties. This year's exhibition is comprised of 36 artworks selected by competition juror, Jeff Donovan. Donovan is a mixed media artist and paintings conservator living and working in Columbia, SC. The art will remain on display through Friday, April 3. For more information about the 2020 Pee Dee Regional Art Competition and all other museum exhibits and programs, please visit flocmuseum.org or contact the Florence County Museum at 843.676.1200.

10am - 4pm Birds of Paradise Exhibit

Where: Franklin G. Burroughs-Simeon B. Chapin Art Museum, 3100 S. Ocean Blvd., Myrtle Beach, SC, 29577, United States

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10am - 4pm Elizabeth Claffey Exhibit

Where: Cecelia Coker Bell Gallery, 300 E. College Ave., Hartsville, SC, 29550, United States

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10am - 11:15am Preschool Storytime

Where: Lake City Public Library, 221 E. Main St., Lake City, SC, 29560, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Lake City Public Library is presenting storytime to preschoolers, ages 2-5 years old, on Wednesdays from 10:00 a.m. - 11:15 a.m. This free event is open to the public.

10am - 6pm The Supper Table Exhibit

Where: University Place Gallery, 142 North Dargan Street, Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

University Place Gallery will host a temporary exhibition Feb. 11- 18. The Jasper Project presents: The Supper Table is a multi-disciplinary art installation celebrating the lives of South Carolina Women past and present. For more information about the Jasper project, click here.

10am - 5pm Willie + Holcha Art Exhibit

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

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11am - 5pm Jamey Grimes Exhibition: Formicarium

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11am - 5pm Noah James Saunders Exhibition: The Depth of Wire

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Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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Description:

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3:30pm - 3:30pm Library Tweens Program

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The library will offer programs for children in grades 3 - 5 on Wednesday afternoons. The programs will consist of movies, stories, crafts, and guest speakers. The programs will last 30 to 45 minutes.

4pm - 8pm Wine Down Wednesdays

Where: Dolce Vita Café & More, 160 S Dargan St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description: Every Wednesday, Dolce Vita offers 1/2 off wines from 4 to 8 p.m. Super classy, chill atmosphere!

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

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Francis Marion University Women's Basketball will play in the Smith University Center. (Home games only)
Nov. 18 - vs. Claflin at 6 p.m. Nov. 23 - vs. Queens (NC) at 1:30 p.m. Dec 19 - vs. North Georgia at 5:30 p.m. Dec 21 - vs. Young Harris at 1:30 p.m. Jan 11 - vs. Lander at 1:30 p.m. Jan 18 - vs. Clayton St. at 1:30 p.m. Jan 22 - vs. Georgia College at 5:30 p.m. Jan 25 - vs. Flagler at 1:30 p.m. Feb 1 - vs. Ga. Southwestern at 1:30 p.m. - Homecoming Feb 5 - vs. USC Aiken at 5:30 p.m. Feb 12 - vs. Augusta at 5:30 p.m. Feb 26 - vs. UNC Pembroke at 5:30 p.m. - Senior Night

5:30pm - 7:15pm Live@Central: SC Real ID

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Heather Blackman, Florence Branch Manager of the SC Department of Motor Vehicles, will present a program on the "REAL ID - 2020." Beginning October 1st, 2020, every air traveler 18 years of age and older will need a REAL ID. Heather will explain the purpose of the REAL ID and answer questions like: What information is needed to get a REAL ID? Does everyone need a REAL ID by 2020? DO you need a REAL ID if you have a passport? Join us for this informative and important information that will impact everyone in the state of South Carolina. Live@Central is a free, public program that begins at 6:15 p.m. in Spears Fellowship. An optional meal is available from 5:30 to 6:15 p.m., and costs \$6 for adults and \$3 for children under 12. For more information, please visit www.centralmethodist.net.

5:30pm - 6:30pm Yoga for Anxiety

Where: SC

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Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Anxiety is a feeling of worry, nervousness, or unease, typically about an imminent event or something with an uncertain outcome. This gentle yoga class is designed to alleviate symptoms of anxiety and teach stress management techniques to manage daily struggles. Postures, breathing, and guided meditation included. Not intended to replace proper medical and/or psychiatric care.

7pm - 7pm Blackbirds in a Silent Tree

Where: Watson Theater, Hartsville, SC, 29550, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Coker University presents Blackbirds in a Silent Tree Wednesday and Thursday at 7 p.m. The presentation is four short plays about often ignored stories of black women.

7pm - 8pm Reiki + Restore with Sandra

Where: SC

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description: Join Sandra for Reiki + Restore from 7 to 8 p.m. Wednesdays.

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7pm - 7pm Trivia: Right Answers with Wrong Travis

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The weekly trivia sensation, Right Answers with Wrong Travis is back for another 12-week season, with weekly prizes and the grand prize!

7pm - 7pm West Side Story Auditions

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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Description:

The Florence Little Theatre is holding auditions for West Side Story on February 9 and 12 at 7 p.m. For ages 15 and up. Registration begins 30 minutes prior to audition time. Auditions are held in the main lobby. The production dates are April 24-May 2, 2020 For more details please visit FLT Facebook page: https://www.facebook.com/events/357280841627287/?notif_t=event_calendar_create¬if_id=1563485421680123

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

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

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Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Francis Marion University Men's Basketball will play in the Smith University Center. Home games are listed below. Nov 8 – vs. Newberry (PBC/SAC Challenge) at 11 a.m. Nov 9 – vs. Catawba (PBC/SAC Challenge) at 4 p.m. Nov 23 – vs. Johnson & Wales (NC) – at 3:30 p.m. Dec 19 – vs. North Georgia at 7:30 p.m. Dec 21 – vs. Young Harris at 3:30 p.m. Jan 11 – vs. Lander at 3:30 p.m. Jan 18 – vs. Clayton St. at 3:30 p.m. Jan 22 – vs. Georgia College at 7:30 p.m. Jan 25 – vs. Flagler at 3:30 p.m. Feb 1 – vs. Ga. Southwestern (Homecoming) at 3:30 p.m. Feb 5 – vs. USCAiken at 7:30 p.m. Feb 12 – vs. August at 7:30 p.m. Feb 26 – vs. UNCPembroke at 7:30 p.m.

7:30pm - 9:30pm Long Bay Youth Symphony Winter Concert

Where:

Myrtle Beach High School Music and Arts Center, 3302 Robert M. Grissom Parkway, Myrtle Beach, SC, 29577, United States

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Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Join Long Bay Symphony for their LB Youth Symphony's Winter Concert, under the direction of Nyamka Odusuren.

8pm - 8pm Wednesday Night Karaoke

Where: Local Motive Brewing Company, 123 North Dargan Street, Florence, SC, 29501, United States

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Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Come out and join Local Motive for Karaoke with Tony Rogers. It's hard to think of a better way to get over the hump than good music, good drinks, and good food.

8:30pm - 8:30pm Soulé Open Mic Nite

Where: Soulé Cafe, 130 S. Irby St., Florence, SC, 29501, United States

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Description:

Soulé Open Mic Nite at 8 p.m. Wednesdays. Checkout the next budding stars (singers/musicians/poets/producers/etc.).

Thu Feb 13, 2020

All day ArtFields Jr. Art Submissions

Thu Feb 13, 2020

Where: ArtFields Office/Gallery, 118 Sauls St., Lake City, SC, 29560, United States

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Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The ArtFields Jr. Art Competition is open to South Carolina students in grades 1 through 12. All artwork submitted is considered by their review panel. Select pieces will be displayed during the month of April and final judging takes place during ArtFields. Schools and families are encouraged to attend the awards ceremony to support their student artists and developing artists throughout the community. More details coming soon <https://www.artfieldssc.org/competition/>

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All day Baseball, Softball, Miracle League Registration

Thu Feb 13, 2020

Where: Florence County Parks & Recreation, 710 S. Irby St, Florence, SC, 29501, United States

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Description:

February 3 marks the opening of baseball, softball, Miracle League registration for Florence County Parks & Recreation. Register: Online at <https://registration.florenceco.org/>, by phone at 843-667-0920 or in person.

All day City of Florence: Registration for Baseball, Softball, Track and Field

Thu Feb 13, 2020

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Description:

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10am - 10am It's Story Time

Where: Darlington County Library, 204 N. Main St., Darlington, SC, 29532, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Darlington Library hosts story time every Thursday at 10 a.m. This program is geared towards preschoolers but anyone is welcome!

10am - 6pm The Supper Table Exhibit

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Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

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2pm - 2pm Contracting Workshop for Women-Owned Businesses

Where: Florence Chamber of Commerce, 100 W. Evans St., Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Greater Florence Chamber of Commerce PRISM program, in partnership with the U.S. Small Business Administration (SBA), will host a Contracting Workshop for Women-Owned Businesses on Thursday, February 13 at the Greater Florence Chamber of Commerce. At the workshop, representatives from the SBA will provide woman-owned businesses with the information they need to know about how to secure contracts to grow their respective business. During this free workshop, attendees will: -Learn about traditional and alternative financing options for their business - Growing their business with Chamber and SBA programs -Understand Government Contracting opportunities Attendance for the Contracting Workshop for Women-Owned Businesses is free, but advance registration is required since seating is limited. Those interested in attending should RSVP to by clicking the link in the "Ticket" section.

2:30pm - 2:30pm Divorce Clinic

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

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Description:

The Drs. Bruce and Lee Foundation Library, in collaboration with SC Legal Services, is hosting a Divorce Clinic on Thursday. This is a free informational session in which attendees will learn how to do their own divorce. This program is open to all. The information is best suited to those who: separated for at least one continuous year no minor children from the marriage no property or debts to be divided seek no money. For more information and to register for this program, call (843) 413-7074 or visit www.florencelibrary.org.

2:30pm - 4:30pm Microsoft Word Basics Practice

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

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Description:

This is a self-guided practice. The participant needs to be competent with computers, including a mouse and a keyboard. Also, needs to have completed Word 2013 Basics before registering. Call 843-413-7075 to register

3:30pm - 3:30pm Library Afterschool Program

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

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Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The library will offer programs for children in grades 5K - 2nd on Thursday afternoons. The programs will consist of movies, stories, crafts and guest speakers. The programs will last 30 to 45 minutes.

5:30pm - 7pm Business After Hours - Springhill Suites

Where: Springhill Suites, 2670 Hospitality Blvd, Florence, SC, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Florence Chamber invites you to join them for an after-hours event hosted by Springhill Suites. Come out on Thursday, February 13 from 5:30 - 7:00 p.m. at their location on 2670 Hospitality Blvd for great food, drinks, and networking! Be sure to bring lots of business cards! RSVP by calling the Chamber at (843) 665-0515 or by clicking here

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5:30pm - 5:30pm Opening Reception: Unity Art Exhibit

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Join the Cheraw Art's Commission on Thursday, February 13 from 5:30 to 7PM to see the opening of the the Unity Art Exhibit, featuring art work by Ahlai Ford, Wanda Ford, Lila Hooks, Wanda Woods, and Wendy Woods. The gallery will be up through March 5th. Located at the Burr Art Gallery in the Cheraw Community Center. Contact the Cheraw Arts Commission at 843-537-8420 for more information.

5:30pm - 6:30pm Yin Yoga

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Release tightness and relax into a state of stillness and bliss. Yin yoga is a deep stretching practice that targets the fascia and other connective tissue around the muscles. Restorative, passive poses are typically held from 2-5 minutes; the longer holds of yin yoga allow for connective tissues to release tension and revive mobility. All levels welcome. Join June from 5:30 to 6:30 p.m. Thursdays for this Yin Yoga class.

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

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Join Olio Studio for their Art After Dark classes: February 6 - Handmade Ceramic Heart Dishes - \$25 February 13 - Valentine's Day: Pick Your Own Painting/Pottery - \$25-\$35 February 14 - Couple's Paintings \$40-\$60 (Birch Trees, Beach Scene, Deer & Doe, Love Birds, Flamingos, or Custom) February 20 - Blue & White Painted Pottery / Canvas - \$25-\$35 February 27 - Colorful Highland Cow Painting - \$25-\$35 February 28 - Blue & White Door Hanger Workshop February 29 (2 p.m.) - Blue & White Door Hanger Workshop Starts at 6:30 p.m. Complementary refreshments will be served. Adults only.

6:30pm - 8pm Valentine's Day Parent & Me Paint Night: Hartsville

Where: Girls University Hartsville, 701 W Washington St, Hartsville, SC, 29550, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

A night out for parents (or another important person) and their girls. Each painter will paint their own canvas and learn a few new techniques together. GREAT time to bond. Each month, we paint something new. This is a special edition of their paint nights. They will have Penelope's Kids Stop on site with kids apparel, hair bows, book bags, shoes and more. Cost: \$12.00 per painter Instructor: Ashli Smart *Girls University members can use their membership discount code on this workshop.*

7pm - 7pm Addie's Baby Paint Class

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Addie's Baby Studio has a lot of fun classes scheduled in February. Saturday - 2/1 at 2 p.m. - "African Elephant" Adult Paint Class Thursday - 2/6 at 7 p.m. - "Cardinal on a Branch" Adult Paint Class Friday - 2/7 at 7 p.m. - "Truck Filled with Love" Adult Paint Class Saturday - 2/8 at 11 a.m. - "Baby Yoda" - Kids paint class (ages 4 years +) Saturday - 2/8 at 2 p.m. - "Lavender in a Mason Jar" Adult Paint class Saturday - 2/8 at 6 p.m. - Couples Paint Class - "Love Anchors the Soul" Thursday - 2/13 at 7 p.m. - "Heart Trees" Adult Paint Class Friday - 2/14 at 7 p.m. - Couples Paint Class - "Kissy Fish" Saturday - 2/15 at 11 a.m. - Mom and Me Paint Class - Mermaids (ages 4 years +) Saturday - 2/15 at 2 p.m. - Couples Paint Class - "Love Hands" Saturday - 2/15 at 6 p.m. - "Wine Lovers" Adult Paint Class Monday - 2/17 at 7 p.m. - "Jeep Life" Door Hanger at Southern Hops Thursday - 2/20 at 7 p.m. - "Gray Scale Daisy" Adult Paint Class Saturday - 2/22 at 11 a.m. - Mom and Me Paint Class - Under the Ocean (ages 4 years +) Saturday - 2/22 at 2 p.m. - "Moonlight Trees" Adult Paint Class Saturday - 2/22 at 6 p.m. - "Glow Bubble Gum Diva" Adult Paint Class Thursday - 2/27 at 7 p.m. - "Red Wine & Red Soles" Adult Paint Class Saturday - 2/29 at 11 a.m. Kids Paint Class - "Cute Elephant" (ages 4 years +) Saturday - 2/29 at 6 p.m. - "Glowing Moonlight Waterfall" Adult Paint Class HOW TO RSVP FOR A CLASS: Call or text 843.229.5862 to sign up for public classes and fundraiser events. Walk-Ins are welcome, but it is strongly advised to RSVP at least 24 hrs in advance or purchase seat below (if applicable) to ensure the class is not sold out or canceled before arriving. Reservations: A non-refundable fee of \$10 must be paid in advance to lock in seat(s) or group. ADULT CLASSES: You must be 18+ to attend our evening classes. KIDS CLASSES: Ages 5 yrs and up (4 yrs and under welcomed with an adult)

7pm - 7pm Beach, Shag, Line Dancing at the VFW

Where: VFW Post 3181, 236 S. Greer Rd., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description: The VFW will host beach, shag, and line dancing with DJ Music Man Osborne on Thursday at 7 p.m.

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7pm - 7pm Blackbirds in a Silent Tree

Where: Watson Theater, Hartsville, SC, 29550, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Coker University presents Blackbirds in a Silent Tree Wednesday and Thursday at 7 p.m. The presentation is four short plays about often ignored stories of black women.

7:15pm - 7:15pm Yoga Basics Beginners Series

Where: Flow Town Yoga, 127 N. Dargan St. Suite 207, Florence, SC, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Learn the basics of yoga during a 4-week series (5 overall sessions) with a Flow Town Yoga and Yoga Alliance registered instructor in a warm and welcoming environment. This beginner-friendly class series breaks down the fundamentals of a yoga practice. We will take it slowly and intentionally, shedding light on foundational yoga poses and taking the time we need to feel them and understand them fully. Upon completion, most students will be prepared to participate in basic or gentle yoga classes at Flow Town Yoga. The 5th session is a public class of your choice (Gentle Yoga or Basic Flow recommended). The dates for the classes are: Thursday 2/13, 2/20, 2/27 and 3/5 at 7:15 p.m. Investment: \$45 - includes a 4-week series and a FREE public class. This class will be held at the Kress Corner studio located at 127 N. Dargan St., Ste. 207. Guests can access the studio through the Remax entrance or the alleyway by Local Motive Brewery.

7:30pm - 7:30pm 4000 Miles

Where: Atlantic Stage, 10177 N. Kings Hwy., Myrtle Beach, SC, 29572, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Atlantic Stage presents 4000 Miles January 30 through February 16. After suffering a major loss while he was on a cross-country bike trip, 21-year-old Leo seeks solace from his feisty 91-year-old grandmother Vera in her West Village apartment. Over the course of a single month, these unlikely roommates infuriate, bewilder, and ultimately reach each other. 4000 MILES looks at how two outsiders find their way in today's world. To purchase tickets: <http://bit.ly/4000MilesTickets2020>

7:45pm - 7:45pm Post Secret

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

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Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Frank Warren's PostSecret makes its way to the PAC! PostSecret is an ongoing community mail art project, created by Frank Warren in 2005, in which people mail their secrets anonymously on a homemade postcard. Selected secrets are then posted on the PostSecret website, or used for PostSecret's books or museum exhibits. Frank Warren has been called "America's most trusted stranger" and his project has raised over \$1,000,000 for suicide prevention. Warren's work also earned a special award from the National Mental Health Association and the Lifetime Achievement Award from HopeLine for suicide prevention awareness. For more information, you are encouraged to go to <https://postsecret.com/>. The secrets are meant to be empowering both to the author and to those who read them. Mr. Warren claims that the postcards are inspirational to those who read them, have healing powers for those who write them, give hope to people who identify with a stranger's secret, and create an anonymous community of acceptance. With this event, we also hope to highlight the excellent work done by the staff at our Counseling and Testing Center on campus. Tickets from the September 12th performance will not be valid or honored, you will need to get an updated ticket. Student, Faculty and Staff tickets can be picked up (free of charge) max 2 per person at the Student Life Office (UC 205) 8:30am to 5:00pm. Ticket Distribution will follow this Schedule: Tuesday 1/21 - Ticket distribution begins for Students, Faculty, and Staff Tuesday 2/4 - Ticket distribution to the general public opens. Tickets not picked up from the box office by 7:30pm the night of the performance will be released. Books will be available for purchase at the event and Frank Warren will be available to sign books after the event.

8pm - 8pm Glow Throw Night

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

GLOW THROW!!! Every Thursday through Saturday starting at 8 p.m. Come out and wear your neon because they've got black lights!

Fri Feb 14, 2020

All day Baseball, Softball, Miracle League Registration

Fri Feb 14, 2020

Where: Florence County Parks & Recreation, 710 S. Irby St, Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

February 3 marks the opening of baseball, softball, Miracle League registration for Florence County Parks & Recreation. Register: Online at <https://registration.florenceco.org/>, by phone at 843-667-0920 or in person.

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All day City of Florence: Registration for Baseball, Softball, Track and Field

Fri Feb 14, 2020

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Registration is open for the following City of Florence athletics.(Through 3/5) – P.A.L. Little League – ages 5-12 (Through 2/20) –Baseball: Maple Park – ages 5-12 (Through 2/27) – Baseball: McLeod Park– ages 5-12 (Through 3/13) – Baseball: McLeod Park – ages 13-16(Through 3/20) – Track and Field – ages 6-18 (Through 2/29) – YouthSoftball – ages 4-12 (3/23 through 4/24) – Youth Softball – ages 13-18Registration can be completed online at www.cityofflorenceathletics.com

6:30am - 7:30am All-Levels (Yoga)

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description: This early morning yoga class is designed for all levels. Join Axia on Fridays from 6:30 to 7:30 a.m.

8:30am - 5pm Dereliction: Changing Structures by Pamela Winegard

Where: Francis Marion University – Hyman Fine Arts Center, 4822 E. PalmettoSt., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Dereliction: Changing Structures by Pamela Winegard will be on displayJanuary 2 through February 20. Pamela Winegard is a mixed media artistand art educator. She is a 2017 recipient of the Mecklenburg Arts &Science Council Regional Artist's Project Grant. Pam was has beeninducted into the National Association of Women Artist in NYC. She wasa juried ASC Fall 2014 CSA Program Artist. In addition, she was a 2012Affiliate Artist-In-Residence at the McColl Center for Visual Art. Pamreceived a both a fellowship and a grant to attend residencies at theVermont Studio Center, 2012-14. She is a recently retired professorhaving taught at Wingate University, CPCC, Winthrop University, and theArt Institute of Charlotte.

8:30am - 5pm Wild and Wonderful: Creative Sculptural Collaborations Exhibit

Where: Francis Marion University – Hyman Fine Arts Center, 4822 E. PalmettoSt., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The FMU Hyman Fine Arts Center presents an art exhibit by Mike and Patz Fowle titled Wild and Wonderful: Creative Sculptural Collaborations. This exhibit runs from January 14 through February 20.

9am - 5:30pm Artist JRenee Exhibit

Where: Dr. N. Lee Morris Gallery, 509 S. Dargan St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Dr. Lee Morris Gallery is hosting an exhibit by artist JReneeSunday, January 26 through March 15. The opening reception is Sunday,January 26 at 3 p.m. Admission is free and open to the public and lightrefreshments will be served. In addition to the exhibit, she willpresent an artist's talk about her work on February 11 at 6:30 p.m. inthe Joseph Stukes Meeting Room. JRenee is internationally known for herreverse glass paintings, or Eglomise, depicting southern lifestylethemes, tropical design, and the life and times in New Orleans, pre-and post-Katrina. She enjoys painting images and scenes that promotethought on issues of social justice, history, and folklore. Shegraduated from Xavier University in 1989 with a Bachelor's degree inFine Arts. Like many, JRenee was a Katrina evacuee who was forced tomove around the country. She eventually settled in Columbia, SouthCarolina. The Doctor N. Lee Morris Gallery is located on the secondfloor of the Drs. Bruce and Lee Foundation Library.

9:30am - 9:30am Harriet Tubman & The Underground Railroad (for school groups)

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The FMU Performing Arts Center presents Harriet Tubman & TheUnderground Railroad on Friday, February 14 at 9:30 a.m. and 11:30 a.m.Our drama with music begins as Harriet's friend Sarah Bradford, authorof Scenes in the Life of Harriet Tubman, is persuading a publisher toprint her book. As the story unfolds we learn of Harriet's early yearsin slavery, her escape to freedom, and her time as a conductor on theUnderground Railroad. During the Civil War, Harriet becomes a spy forthe Union Army, and later a nurse and scout. The North wins the warbringing emancipation to the slaves but that does not end Harriet'sstruggle for freedom. Recommended Grades: 3rd through 8th Promotesawareness regarding history, biography, music, different cultures, andself-esteem. This is an educational event for school groups. Pleasecall 843-661-1896 to make reservations.

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10am - 5pm 2020 Pee Dee Regional Art Competition Exhibition

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

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Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The annual competition, sponsored by Chick-fil-A of Florence, is organized by The Florence County Museum and is open to any artist native to the Pee Dee area or currently living in Florence, Horry, Chesterfield, Darlington, Dillon, Georgetown, Kershaw, Lee, Marion, Marlboro, Sumter, and Williamsburg counties. This year's exhibition is comprised of 36 artworks selected by competition juror, Jeff Donovan. Donovan is a mixed media artist and paintings conservator living and working in Columbia, SC. The art will remain on display through Friday, April 3. For more information about the 2020 Pee Dee Regional Art Competition and all other museum exhibits and programs, please visit flocmuseum.org or contact the Florence County Museum at 843.676.1200.

10am - 4pm Birds of Paradise Exhibit

Where: Franklin G. Burroughs-Simeon B. Chapin Art Museum, 3100 S. Ocean Blvd., Myrtle Beach, SC, 29577, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Franklin G. Burroughs-Simeon G. Chapin Art Museum will host the Sarah Golish: Birds of Paradise exhibit. This is a collection of portraits in oil featuring ethnically diverse female subjects in bold colors, as well as exotic birds and plants that symbolize strength through adversity and fortitude of spirit. The exhibit is on display January 14 through April 11. Toronto-based artist Sara Golish questions the symbolism of conventional oil portraiture through a lens of eco-feminism by depicting traditionally oppressed bodies with dignity and grace in her Birds of Paradise series. Golish breathes new life into the traditional canon of early modern portraiture, where affluent women were presented in ways that spoke more to men's accumulation of wealth and status than to any representation of their own identities. If women of color appeared, they were rendered as servants and exotic curiosities to demonstrate the imperial reach of aristocratic power and wealth. Birds of Paradise is about liberating not just the subject from the patriarchal grasp, but also the form, techniques and materials from their historical usage and symbolism. Golish fills her portraits with ethnically diverse female subjects in bold colors, as well as exotic birds and plants that symbolize strength through adversity and fortitude of spirit. Admission to the Art Museum is free at all times but donations are welcome.

10am - 4pm Elizabeth Claffey Exhibit

Where: Cecelia Coker Bell Gallery, 300 E. College Ave., Hartsville, SC, 29550, United States

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Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Cecelia Coker Bell Gallery will host the Elizabeth Claffey Exhibit February 3 through February 28. The gallery is open MWF 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. and TTh from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m.

10am - 10am Library Movie Matinee

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

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Description:

The Doctors Bruce and Lee Foundation Library will show an acclaimed 1959 film about the relationship between an aspiring actress and the woman she invites to take care of her household. Also depicted are the relationships between the two mothers and their daughters. In honor of Black History Month, this PG-13 rated matinee is open to anyone 14 years of age and older and will be held on Friday, February 14, at 10:00 am. Starring Lana Turner, John Gavin, Sandra Dee, and Juanita Moore, the film has a runtime of 125 minutes. The film won a Golden Globe award for Best Supporting Actress and was selected by the U.S. Congress in 2015 for preservation in the National Film Registry. Admission is free and light refreshments will be served. The Doctors Bruce and Lee Foundation Library is located at 509 South Dargan Street in Florence. Space is limited and registration is requested for groups. Call 843-413-7074 to register groups of five or more. The free matinee series is sponsored by Friends of Florence County Library.

10am - 7pm The Supper Table Exhibit

Where: University Place Gallery, 142 North Dargan Street, Florence, SC, 29506, United States

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Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

University Place Gallery will host a temporary exhibition Feb. 11- 18. The Jasper Project presents: The Supper Table is a multi-disciplinary art installation celebrating the lives of South Carolina Women past and present. For more information about the Jasper project, [click here](#).

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10am - 5pm Willie + Holcha Art Exhibit

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

An exhibition of Art by William Henry Johnson and Holcha Krake Johnson is on display at Florence County Museum October 15, 2019 through May 17, 2020. In 1928, Florence native William Henry Johnson met Danish textile artist Holcha Krake. It was a chance encounter which opened a new chapter in Johnson's life, both personally and artistically. Johnson's early artworks often evince his shifting nature, reflecting the influences of well established artists and styles of the time. However, after their marriage in 1930, Holcha became a constant in Johnson's life. Holcha's folk art philosophies were rooted in the past, but were shaped just as much by the progressive thinking of European modernism. By 1940 these principals had become a catalyst for Johnson's artistic transformation. Willie and Holcha presents for the first time, rare rediscovered works by Holcha Krake which have recently been acquired. This exhibition explores the mutual influence between these artists and invites a deeper interpretation of both Johnson and Holcha's work in the context of their relationship. For more information about Willie and Holcha as well as other upcoming exhibits and events, please contact the Florence County Museum at 843.676.1200 or visit the website at flocomuseum.org.

10:15am - 11:15am Tech Talk AM

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

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Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Call to schedule a 30 minute appointment for assistance with: tablet use, creating or using e-mail, the Jasmine reading system, laptops, smart phones, cloud storage, safety and security for portable devices, or specific questions on software such as Word, Firefox, etc.

11am - 7pm Charlie Mills: Painting Blind

Where: University Place Gallery, 142 North Dargan Street, Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

FMU's University Place Gallery will host the Charlie Mills: Painting Blind exhibit January 14 through February 21. The Closing Reception is February 21 from 6 to 8 p.m. After forty-eight years of commercial design work, Charlie Mills now focuses his time on abstract painting. His interest in non-literal expression is fueled by his focus on accessing the intuitive mind or the subconscious. Mills' large scale paintings express clearly defined shapes and edges, calligraphic shapes and pin-striping. They are a result of the artist finding a balance of the analytical and the intuitive.

11am - 5pm Jamey Grimes Exhibition: Formicarium

Where: Jones-Carter Gallery, 105 Henry St., Lake City, SC, 29560, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Jones-Carter Gallery will host an exhibition by artist Jamey Grimes January 31 through March 14. The objects and environments that he creates are fueled by encounters with natural forces, both real and imagined. Inspired by these encounters, he generates unique forms through the manipulation of synthetic materials. These forms accumulate, en masse, to engulf the viewer in an experience that is simultaneously unsettling and serene. The artists' intent is to remind us of our relationships to forces of nature. Synthetic materials establish a unique starting point for creating artwork that responds to nature. These tangible substances are selected because they have been cleansed of nature's direct influence and reset by human manufacturing processes. Through abstraction and re-interpretation, patterns emerge from the medium and quickly emulate more complex natural designs. The juxtaposition of this dialogue reflects a human impulse to codify the natural world.

11am - 5pm Noah James Saunders Exhibition: The Depth of Wire

Where: TRAX Visual Arts Center, 122 Sauls St., Lake City, SC, 29560, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The TRAX Visual Art Center will host an exhibition from artist Noah James Saunders January 31 through March 21.

11:30am - 11:30am Harriet Tubman & The Underground Railroad (for school groups)

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The FMU Performing Arts Center presents Harriet Tubman & The Underground Railroad on Friday, February 14 at 9:30 a.m. and 11:30 a.m. Our drama with music begins as Harriet's friend Sarah Bradford, author of Scenes in the Life of Harriet Tubman, is persuading a publisher to print her book. As the story unfolds we learn of Harriet's early years in slavery, her escape to freedom, and her time as a conductor on the Underground Railroad. During the Civil War, Harriet becomes a spy for the Union Army, and later a nurse and scout. The North wins the war bringing emancipation to the slaves but that does not end Harriet's struggle for freedom. Recommended Grades: 3rd through 8th Promotes awareness regarding history, biography, music, different cultures, and self-esteem. This is an educational event for school groups. Please call 843-661-1896 to make reservations.

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2pm - 3:30pm The Labyrinth at Brookgreen

Where: Brookgreen Gardens, 1931 Brookgreen Drive, Murrells Inlet, SC, 29576, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Details regarding each labyrinth event will be added soon! January 1, 2020 New Year's Day Walk January 25, 2020 Walk in Silence February 14, 2020 Walk for Romance March 19, 2020 Spring Equinox Walk March 21, 2020 Tai Chi on the Labyrinth April 4, 2020 Gardens in Full Bloom Walk April 18, 2020 Presence on the Labyrinth

3pm - 3pm FMU 2020 Softball

Where: FMU Softball Field: Griffin Athletic Complex, 4700 E. Palmetto St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

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Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Francis Marion University will play its softball games at the FMU Softball Stadium. The home game schedule is listed below. Sat. - Feb. 1 - Mount Olive at 1 p.m. and 3 p.m. Sun. - Feb. 9 - Newberry at 1 p.m. and 3 p.m. Fri. - Feb. 14 - Chowan at 3 p.m. - Patriot Invitational Tournament Fri. - Feb. 14 - Mercy at 5 p.m. - Patriot Invitational Tournament Sat. - Feb. 15 - Chowan at 1 p.m. - Patriot Invitational Tournament Sat. - Feb. 15 - Mars Hill at 5 p.m. - Patriot Invitational Tournament Sun. - Feb. 16 - Mars Hill at 2 p.m. - Patriot Invitational Tournament Fri. - Feb. 21 - Queens (N.C.) at 5 p.m. - Swamp Fox Sizzler Sat. - Feb. 22 - Emmanuel (Ga.) at 1 p.m. - Swamp Fox Sizzler Sat. - Feb. 22 - Queens (N.C.) at 5 p.m. - Swamp Fox Sizzler Sun. - Feb. 23 - Frostburg St. at 12 p.m. - Swamp Fox Sizzler Thu. - Feb. 27 - Erskine at 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. Sat. - Feb. 29 - King (Tenn.) at 1 p.m. and 3 p.m. Sat. - March 7 - Wingate at 1 p.m. and 3 p.m. Wed. - March 18 - USC Aiken * at 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. Thu. - March 19 - New Haven at 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. Wed. - March 25 - UNC Pembroke at 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. Sat. - March 28 - Georgia College at 1 p.m. and 3 p.m. Wed. - April 1 - Lenoir-Rhyne at 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. Fri. - April 10 - Columbus St. at 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. Sat. - April 11 - Ga. Southwestern at 1 p.m. and 3 p.m.

3pm - 5pm Romance in the Gardens

Where: Brookgreen Gardens, 1931 Brookgreen Drive, Murrells Inlet, SC, 29576, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Gates at Brookgreen Gardens Celebrate Romance in the Gardens by renewing your wedding vows on Valentine's Day at 3 pm! A non-denominational ceremony will be held at the Great Dane Gates, leading into Oak Allee. Each couple will receive a personalized certificate and professional photograph. A Southern Cake reception will take place after the ceremony and champagne will be served, along with punch, cake, nuts, and mints. Each bride will also receive a miniature bouquet of flowers. Tickets will be available in January 2020. Disclaimer - This is not a wedding ceremony and is for couples who are already married to each other.

3:30pm - 3:30pm Fine Arts Friday

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The library will offer Fine Arts Friday for children in grades 5K-3rd on Fridays at 3:30 p.m. Children will be working with a variety of art forms. Registration is limited. For more information, contact the Greenberg Children's Library at 843-292-7382.

5pm - 5pm FMU 2020 Softball

Where: FMU Softball Field: Griffin Athletic Complex, 4700 E. Palmetto St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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Description:

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6pm - 6pm For the Love of Cocktails!

Where: Soulé Cafe, 130 S. Irby St., Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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Description:

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6pm - 9pm Galentine's Paint Party

Where: Artbug Studio, 122 N. Fifth Street, Hartsville, SC, 29550, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Single? Your significant other is away? Whatever the reason you don't have to spend Valentine's alone. Come celebrate love and friendship with your gals! Artbug will offer a selection of projects ranging in price \$25 & up.

6pm - 6pm Love at First Bite with The After Dark Band

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Jazz on Dargan is hosting a special Valentine's Day Love at First Bite dinner with reserved seating. The After Dark band will perform.

6pm - 9pm Parent Survival Night

Where: The Little Gym, 1945 W. Palmetto St. Suite 115, Florence, SC, 2951, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Little Gym has a Parent Survival Night scheduled each month from 6 to 9 p.m. There is a different theme each month and dinner is provided. The current schedule is: Feb 14 - Valentine's Day March 13 - Pirates and Princesses April 24 - Dinosaur Adventure May 15 - Airmat Madness June 26 - Under the Sea July 24 - Safari Slumber Party The event is \$30 if you are not a member and \$25 if you are a member. There are several ways to register: Call 843-676-9001 Text at 843-620-1453 click on the link and reserve your spot today. Space is limited for safety purposes! Be sure to take advantage of those 3 hours by doing something for you. i.e go watch a movie, catch up with a friend, plan a date night or girls night.

6pm - 6pm Valentine's Day at Retrofit

Where: Retrofit sip-n-seat, 152 Mantissa Row, Hartsville, SC, 29550, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Grab your bae or best galentine and join us on Valentine's Day for a cozy evening! Join them for a sweet evening featuring entertainment from Te'Quan Coe.

6:30pm - 11pm A Sweet Night at Dolce Vita

Where: Dolce Vita Café & More, 160 S Dargan St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Come celebrate the sweetest night of the year with Dolce! Their specially curated Valentine's menu will feature wine and dessert for two for \$30. They will have soulful sounds of live music by Matthew Barfield and Zeb Sowell from 8-10 pm. Don't forget to visit the bar for a Cupid approved cocktail! Space is limited. Call 843-407-5365 to reserve your table soon!

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

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Join Olio Studio for their Art After Dark classes: February 6 - Handmade Ceramic Heart Dishes - \$25 February 13 - Galentine's Day: Pick Your Own Painting/Pottery - \$25-\$35 February 14 - Couple's Paintings \$40-\$60 (Birch Trees, Beach Scene, Deer & Doe, Love Birds, Flamingos, or Custom) February 20 - Blue & White Painted Pottery / Canvas - \$25-\$35 February 27 - Colorful Highland Cow Painting - \$25-\$35 February 28 - Blue & White Door Hanger Workshop February 29 (2 p.m.) - Blue & White Door Hanger Workshop Starts at 6:30 p.m. Complementary refreshments will be served. Adults only.

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7pm - 7pm Addie's Baby Paint Class

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

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7pm - 7pm Campbell Bridgeman

Where: Southern Hops Brewing Company, 911 Sunset Acres Lane, Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Campbell Bridgeman will perform Friday at 7 p.m. Southern Hops strives to showcase the best regional and local music in a spacious, smoke free environment. There is live music Friday evenings at 7 p.m.

7:30pm - 7:30pm 4000 Miles

Where: Atlantic Stage, 10177 N. Kings Hwy., Myrtle Beach, SC, 29572, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Atlantic Stage presents 4000 Miles January 30 through February 16. After suffering a major loss while he was on a cross-country bike trip, 21 year-old Leo seeks solace from his feisty 91 year-old grandmother Vera in her West Village apartment. Over the course of a single month, these unlikely roommates infuriate, bewilder, and ultimately reach each other. 4000 MILES looks at how two outsiders find their way in today's world. To purchase tickets: <http://bit.ly/4000MilesTickets2020>

8pm - 8pm Cameron & Trystan

Where: Local Motive Brewing Company, 123 North Dargan Street, Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description: Cameron & Trystan will perform at 8 p.m.

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8pm - 8pm Glow Throw Night

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

GLOW THROW!!! Every Thursday through Saturday starting at 8 p.m. Come out and wear your neon because they've got black lights!

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Sat Feb 15, 2020

All day Baseball, Softball, Miracle League Registration

Sat Feb 15, 2020

Where: Florence County Parks & Recreation, 710 S. Irby St, Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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Description:

February 3 marks the opening of baseball, softball, Miracle League registration for Florence County Parks & Recreation. Register: Online at <https://registration.florenceco.org/>, by phone at 843-667-0920 or in person.

All day City of Florence: Registration for Baseball, Softball, Track and Field

Sat Feb 15, 2020

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Registration is open for the following City of Florence athletics.(Through 3/5) - P.A.L. Little League - ages 5-12 (Through 2/20) -Baseball: Maple Park - ages 5-12 (Through 2/27) - Baseball: McLeod Park- ages 5-12 (Through 3/13) - Baseball: McLeod Park - ages 13-16(Through 3/20) - Track and Field - ages 6-18 (Through 2/29) - YouthSoftball - ages 4-12 (3/23 through 4/24) - Youth Softball - ages 13-18Registration can be completed online at www.cityofflorenceathletics.com

8:30am - 5pm Hunter Education Course

Where: Carolina Sandhills National Wildlife Refuge, 23734 Hwy 1, McBee, SC, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Carolina Sandhills National Wildlife Refuge will offer a Hunter Education Course on Saturday, February 15. The course will be taught at the refuge office (23734 Hwy 1, three miles North of McBee, SC), beginning at 8:30 a.m. until 5 p.m. Requirements: Pre-register on-line <https://www.register-ed.com/events/view/150760> you may also search SCDNR Hunter Education and then search by zipcode, 29101) Bring lunch or money for lunch offsite Must know your Social Security Number Children 12 years old and under must be accompanied by a parent/guardian Anyone under the age of 18 must bring a signed permission slip from his/her parent/guardian to participate in range activities. The course is free but limited to 25 students. Hunter education is not just for kids and not just for hunters. The program is for anyone who enjoys the outdoors and has an interest in conservation. The course is also an excellent refresher for veteran hunters. All residents and non-residents born after June 30, 1979 must complete a hunter education course before obtaining a hunting license. In addition, all youth hunters must have completed hunter education to participate in refuge hunts, including youth hunts.

9am - 5:30pm Artist JRenee Exhibit

Where: Dr. N. Lee Morris Gallery, 509 S. Dargan St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Dr. Lee Morris Gallery is hosting an exhibit by artist JReneeSunday, January 26 through March 15. The opening reception is Sunday, January 26 at 3 p.m. Admission is free and open to the public and light refreshments will be served. In addition to the exhibit, she will present an artist's talk about her work on February 11 at 6:30 p.m. in the Joseph Stukes Meeting Room. JRenee is internationally known for her reverse glass paintings, or Eglomise, depicting southern lifestyle themes, tropical design, and the life and times in New Orleans, pre-and post-Katrina. She enjoys painting images and scenes that promote thought on issues of social justice, history, and folklore. She graduated from Xavier University in 1989 with a Bachelor's degree in Fine Arts. Like many, JRenee was a Katrina evacuee who was forced to move around the country. She eventually settled in Columbia, South Carolina. The Doctor N. Lee Morris Gallery is located on the second floor of the Drs. Bruce and Lee Foundation Library.

9am - 1pm City Center Farmers Market

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Florence City Center Farmers Market is open every Saturday from 9 a.m. to 1 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. For more information or to become a vendor at the market, please email: jpeze@cityofflorence.com. www.facebook.com/citycenterfarmersmarket

9am - 10am Junior Farmers

Where: L.W. Paul Living History Farm, 2279 Harris Shortcut Road, Conway, SC, 29526, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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Description:

This FREE, family friendly program is open to children ages 5-10. It focuses on the traditions and workings of an early 1900's farm family. Maximum of 15 children, parents must remain with children. To participate, pre-register with Marion Haynes.

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10am - 5pm 2020 Pee Dee Regional Art Competition Exhibition

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The annual competition, sponsored by Chick-fil-A of Florence, is organized by The Florence County Museum and is open to any artist native to the Pee Dee area or currently living in Florence, Horry, Chesterfield, Darlington, Dillon, Georgetown, Kershaw, Lee, Marion, Marlboro, Sumter, and Williamsburg counties. This year's exhibition is comprised of 36 artworks selected by competition juror, Jeff Donovan. Donovan is a mixed media artist and paintings conservator living and working in Columbia, SC. The art will remain on display through Friday, April 3. For more information about the 2020 Pee Dee Regional Art Competition and all other museum exhibits and programs, please visit flocmuseum.org or contact the Florence County Museum at 843.676.1200.

10am - 10am 5th Annual American Heritage Festival

Where: Graham's Farm, 843 McCutcheon Rd., Lake City, SC, 29560, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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Description:

The 2nd South Carolina Regiment is pleased to announce their sponsorship of the 5th Annual American Heritage Festival Revolutionary War Reenactment Saturday and Sunday at Graham's Historic Farm near Lake City. Watch the reenactments, visit the merchants, and celebrate our history! Attending regiments include: the 2nd South Carolina Continentals, 2nd North Carolina Regiment, British Legion, 33rd Regiment of Foot - British, 3rd Continental Light Dragoons, and Kingsbury Artillery. WWII reenactments include the H Company Parachute Infantry Regiment, C Company Parachute Infantry Regiment, The 82nd Airborne, Headquarters of the 101st Airborne, The 307th Medical Battalion, The 307th Engineer Battalion of the Allied, and FJR15 of the 5th Fallschirmjäger Division. The Military Vehicle Collectors of South Carolina (MVCSC) will be back for the second year in a row! MVCSC is an all-volunteer organization whose members share a common interest in educating the public and especially young persons about the vital role the US Armed Forces have played and continue to provide in the development of our nation and its patriotic ideals. Come to Graham's Historic Farm, where Francis Marion's brigade staged attacks, brought British prisoners, and hid from Lord Tarleton. See how Marion earned his legendary name the "Swamp Fox." Enjoy the Patriot Games, which includes a hatchet throwing contest, apple pendulum bayonet charge, and skillet toss contest. See the British and colonial encampments. Listen to Ed Forte speak on the birth of the Marines as well as Marion and Lee's siege of Fort Watson. Torch walk and Night of Lights display are on Saturday night. www.theamericanheritagefestival.com; also see our blog at visitflo.com (<http://bit.ly/2Ootcku>)

10am - 4pm Birds of Paradise Exhibit

Where: Franklin G. Burroughs-Simeon B. Chapin Art Museum, 3100 S. Ocean Blvd., Myrtle Beach, SC, 29577, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Franklin G. Burroughs-Simeon B. Chapin Art Museum will host the Sarah Golish: Birds of Paradise exhibit. This is a collection of portraits in oil featuring ethnically diverse female subjects in bold colors, as well as exotic birds and plants that symbolize strength through adversity and fortitude of spirit. The exhibit is on display January 14 through April 11. Toronto-based artist Sara Golish questions the symbolism of conventional oil portraiture through a lens of eco-feminism by depicting traditionally oppressed bodies with dignity and grace in her Birds of Paradise series. Golish breathes new life into the traditional canon of early modern portraiture, where affluent women were presented in ways that spoke more to men's accumulation of wealth and status than to any representation of their own identities. If women of color appeared, they were rendered as servants and exotic curiosities to demonstrate the imperial reach of aristocratic power and wealth. Birds of Paradise is about liberating not just the subject from the patriarchal grasp, but also the form, techniques and materials from their historical usage and symbolism. Golish fills her portraits with ethnically diverse female subjects in bold colors, as well as exotic birds and plants that symbolize strength through adversity and fortitude of spirit. Admission to the Art Museum is free at all times but donations are welcome.

10am - 10am Black History Day

Where: Freewoods Farm, 9989-10091 Freewoods Rd, Myrtle Beach, SC, 29588, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Enjoy a morning farm tour and fireside chat (topic TBD) in the Farm House at Freewoods Farm during their Black History Day. Refreshments will be served. Donations are encouraged. 10 a.m.

10am - 3pm The Supper Table Exhibit

Where: University Place Gallery, 142 North Dargan Street, Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

University Place Gallery will host a temporary exhibition Feb. 11- 18. The Jasper Project presents: The Supper Table is a multi-disciplinary art installation celebrating the lives of South Carolina Women past and present. For more information about the Jasper project, click here.

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10am - 5pm Willie + Holcha Art Exhibit

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

An exhibition of Art by William Henry Johnson and Holcha Krake Johnson is on display at Florence County Museum October 15, 2019 through May 17, 2020. In 1928, Florence native William Henry Johnson met Danish textile artist Holcha Krake. It was a chance encounter which opened a new chapter in Johnson's life, both personally and artistically. Johnson's early artworks often evince his shifting nature, reflecting the influences of well established artists and styles of the time. However, after their marriage in 1930, Holcha became a constant in Johnson's life. Holcha's folk art philosophies were rooted in the past, but were shaped just as much by the progressive thinking of European modernism. By 1940 these principals had become a catalyst for Johnson's artistic transformation. Willie and Holcha presents for the first time, rare rediscovered works by Holcha Krake which have recently been acquired. This exhibition explores the mutual influence between these artists and invites a deeper interpretation of both Johnson and Holcha's work in the context of their relationship. For more information about Willie and Holcha as well as other upcoming exhibits and events, please contact the Florence County Museum at 843.676.1200 or visit the website at flocomuseum.org.

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11am - 11am Gallery Talk: The Supper Table

Where: University Place Gallery, 142 North Dargan Street, Florence, SC, 29506, United States

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Description:

The University Place Gallery will host a special gallery talk addressing their current temporary exhibition, The Supper Table. Learn more about the project, the women represented by the place settings, and the artists who made them. Christina Xan will deliver the gallery talk and will be available to answer your questions. Xan is a graduate of FMU, a literary artist for the project, as well as the Assistant Project Manager for The Supper Table. This event is free and open to the public

11am - 5pm Jamey Grimes Exhibition: Formicarium

Where: Jones-Carter Gallery, 105 Henry St., Lake City, SC, 29560, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Jones-Carter Gallery will host an exhibition by artist Jamey Grimes January 31 through March 14. The objects and environments that he creates are fueled by encounters with natural forces, both real and imagined. Inspired by these encounters, he generates unique forms through the manipulation of synthetic materials. These forms accumulate, en masse, to engulf the viewer in an experience that is simultaneously unsettling and serene. The artists intent is to remind us of our relationships to forces of nature. Synthetic materials establish a unique starting point for creating artwork that responds to nature. These tangible substances are selected because they have been cleansed of nature's direct influence and reset by human manufacturing processes. Through abstraction and re-interpretation, patterns emerge from the medium and quickly emulate more complex natural designs. The juxtaposition of this dialogue reflects a human impulse to codify the natural world.

11am - 5pm Noah James Saunders Exhibition: The Depth of Wire

Where: TRAX Visual Arts Center, 122 Sauls St., Lake City, SC, 29560, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The TRAX Visual Art Center will host an exhibition from artist Noah James Saunders January 31 through March 21.

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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: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

See live animal every Saturday and Sunday at the Environmental Discovery Center at Lynches River County Park. Animal presentations are every Saturday at 11:30 a.m. and 3 p.m. and Sundays at 2 p.m. You'll have an opportunity to meet an animal up close and learn about them.

12pm - 5pm Valentine Saturday

Where: La Belle Amie Vineyard, 1120 St. Joseph Road, Little River, SC, 29566, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Bring a blanket and chair, and enjoy the music at La Belle Amie! This event features live music, tasty food and excellent wine. Admission is \$7, and individuals under 18 and over 80 are admitted for free. Join us from noon to 5 p.m. Admission is reduced by \$2 if you bring 2 canned/dry good food items for the area food bank. Festival dates are subject to change. Inclement weather may cause a last-minute postponement or cancellation, so check the website or call prior to coming out for an event.

1pm - 1pm FMU 2020 Softball

Where: FMU Softball Field: Griffin Athletic Complex, 4700 E. Palmetto St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

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1pm - 5pm Galantine's Day

Where: Belk, 259 N. Ron McNair Blvd, Lake City, SC, 29560, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

You and your Gal Pals are invited to the Belk of Lake City Saturday from 1 to 5 p.m. A gift for you is a 10 day sample of your perfectly matched shade of foundation and a complimentary Galantine's Mini Box of Treats Their Beauty Team will give you the attention you deserve to ensure you get the right skincare, makeup and lipstick that is best for you. When you invest \$40 or more in yourself you will get a Lauder gift while supplies last. You and your Gal Pal will be entered into a drawing for a manicure or pedicure your choice from So-Lace- Spa Boutique of Lake City. Please reserve your appointment today 843-394-3549 ext. 266

1pm - 3:30pm Traditional Music

Where: L.W. Paul Living History Farm, 2279 Harris Shortcut Road, Conway, SC, 29526, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Experience life on the "one horse farm" in Horry County from 1900-1955 at the L.W. Paul Living History Farm. Join us for a lively demonstration featuring traditional music. This program is free and open to all ages.

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2pm - 2pm Addie's Baby Paint Class

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3pm - 6pm Songwriting Contest

Where: Good Day Cafe, 819 Main Street, Myrtle Beach, SC, 29577, United States

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Description:

Create! Conway is pleased to announce the 2020 Muse on the Waccamaw Songwriting Contest. Sponsored by Southern Harmony Recording Studio, Conway Glass, Studio Kook, Shine Café, Good Day Café, Borgata Bar and more, the contest showcases the best local and regional songwriting talent. Songwriters will be judged on criteria including lyrical and musical content. Songwriters may be asked to perform up to three original songs. The Muse on the Waccamaw will consist of performances in four preliminary rounds and a final round. The four preliminary rounds will start in January, and will run through mid-March. The finals will be on April 18th at the 104 Laurel event space in Conway. The dates, times and locations of the preliminary rounds plus the finals are as follows: Round 1 is Saturday, January 18 3:00 pm sign-up, 3:30 music. Shine Café - 707 Main Street, Conway, South Carolina 29526 Round 2 is Saturday, February 15 3:00 pm sign-up, 3:30 music. Good Day Café - 819 Main Street, Myrtle Beach, South Carolina 29577 Round 3 is Sunday, March 1 3:00-3:15 pm sign-up, 3:30 music. Borgata Bar - 813 Surfside Drive, Surfside Beach, South Carolina 29575 Round 4 is Saturday, March 21 3:00-3:15 pm sign-up, 3:30 music. Shine Café - 707 Main Street, Conway, South Carolina 29526 The Finals is Saturday, April 18 7:15 Doors open, 8:00 Music 104 Laurel - 104 Laurel Street, Conway, South Carolina 29526 ***If you are a songwriter who wishes to perform, please bring a copy of your lyrics for the judges. Songwriters and industry professionals will judge each round, with the winning songwriter from each round, plus four wildcard entrants, earning a spot in the finals. It will be \$5 for a songwriter to enter a preliminary round. There is no cover for anyone wanting to come and watch some of the best songwriters in the area share their talents, but it is strongly recommended that you purchase some food or drink from our hosting establishment. The finals will be a single elimination competition with the winner receiving a hand-blown glass trophy from Conway Glass, a recording package from Southern Harmony Recording Studio, a house concert at Studio Kook and a featured slot for the Live Oaks Art & Music Festival in October. Other contestants will receive an array of prizes from local and regional merchants. <https://www.facebook.com/Muse-on-the-Waccamaw-Songwriting-Contest-178824758830740/> For more information contact Brian Roessler at music@brian-roessler.com

3pm - 3pm Wild Weekends

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

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4pm - 5:30pm Parent & Me Paint Night: Love Painting

Where: Girls University, 1249 Celebration Blvd., Florence, SC, 29501, United States

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Description:

A night out for parents (or another important person) and their girls. Each painter will paint their own canvas and learn a few new techniques together. GREAT time to bond. Each month, we paint something new. Great for all grade levels. Cost: \$12.00 per painter Instructor: Ashli Smart *Girls University members can use their membership discount code on this workshop.*

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4pm - 8:30pm The Dancing Couple Workshop

Where: The Healing Arts Exchange, 617 W. Palmetto St., Florence, SC, 29501, United States

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Description:

Learn the basics of Salsa, Bachata, & Merengue Enjoy dinner & live entertainment Discover new ways to enhance communication with partner Interact with love language apps Gain access to couples song playlist Space is Limited 10 couples Deadline to Register: February 8th Cost: \$200/couple (Deadline February 8) Early Bird: \$175/couple (Deadline January 31) Book Your Space Online: www.arohaafrolatindance.com

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5pm - 5pm For the Love of Qocktails!

Where: Soulé Cafe, 130 S. Irby St., Florence, SC, 29501, United States

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6pm - 9pm Crazy Love Karaoke

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

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Description:

Join the fun at FLT for a crazy karaoke contest while we celebrate all of the people and things that we LOVE. Participate in their karaoke contest for a chance to win \$1,000! The evening, hosted by WPDE's Ed Piotrowski, will include food from local restaurants, drinks by Cork & Bartending, a silent auction, and of course, our karaoke contest. Tickets to the event are \$50 per person. Entry to the karaoke contest is an additional \$25 per person. Tickets and entries to the contest on sale January 6. For more details visit: <https://www.facebook.com/events/457738284888700/>

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7pm - 7pm Valentines Day Dance featuring The Shiftin Gears Band

Where: VFW Post 3181, 236 S. Greer Rd., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

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Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description: The Shiftin Gears Band will perform at the VFW Post 3181 on Saturday at 7 p.m.

7:30pm - 7:30pm 4000 Miles

Where: Atlantic Stage, 10177 N. Kings Hwy., Myrtle Beach, SC, 29572, United States

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Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Atlantic Stage presents 4000 Miles January 30 through February 16.After suffering a major loss while he was on a cross-country bike trip,21 year-old Leo seeks solace from his feisty 91 year-old grandmotherVera in her West Village apartment. Over the course of a single month,these unlikely roommates infuriate, bewilder, and ultimately reach each other. 4000 MILES looks at how two outsiders find their way in today'sworld. To purchase tickets: <http://bit.ly/4000MilesTickets2020>

7:30pm - 9:30pm The Texas Tenors

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

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Description:

The Texas Tenors will perform at the PAC Saturday, February 15 from7:30 to 9:30 p.m. The Texas Tenors are the most successful music groupand third highest selling artist in the history of America's GotTalent! Since appearing on the show in 2009, JC, Marcus and John havereleased 4 studio albums, 2 PBS Specials, 4 DVDs, multiple singles anda children's book. These have won 3 Emmy Awards, The Gelett BurgessAward for Excellence in Children's Literature and the distinction ofbeing Billboard Magazine's 2017 #10 Classical Crossover Artist in theWorld. Their most recent albums "Rise" and "A Collection of Broadwayand American Classics" both debuted at #1 on the Billboard ClassicalChart.

8pm - 8pm For the Love of Qocktails!

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8pm - 8pm Glow Throw Night

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

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Description:

GLOW THROW!!! Every Thursday through Saturday starting at 8 p.m. Comeout and wear your neon because they've got black lights!

8pm - 8pm Three Peace

Where: Local Motive Brewing Company, 123 North Dargan Street, Florence, SC, 29501, United States

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Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description: Back by popular demand! Three Peace will perform Saturday at 8 p.m.

8pm - 8pm Two Gentlemen and A Lady

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

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Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description: Two Gentlemen and A Lady will perform Saturday at 8 p.m.

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Sun Feb 16, 2020

All day Baseball, Softball, Miracle League Registration

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10am - 3pm 5th Annual American Heritage Festival

Where: Graham's Farm, 843 McCutcheon Rd., Lake City, SC, 29560, United States

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Description:

The 2nd South Carolina Regiment is pleased to announce their sponsorship of the 5th Annual American Heritage Festival Revolutionary War Reenactment Saturday and Sunday at Graham's Historic Farm near Lake City. Watch the reenactments, visit the merchants, and celebrate our history! Attending regiments include: the 2nd South Carolina Continentals, 2nd North Carolina Regiment, British Legion, 33rd Regiment of Foot - British, 3rd Continental Light Dragoons, and Kingsbury Artillery. WWII reenactments include the H Company Parachute Infantry Regiment, C Company Parachute Infantry Regiment, The 82nd Airborne, Headquarters of the 101st Airborne, The 307th Medical Battalion, The 307th Engineer Battalion of the Allied, and FJR15 of the 5th Fallschirmjäger Division. The Military Vehicle Collectors of South Carolina (MVCSC) will be back for the second year in a row! MVCSC is an all-volunteer organization whose members share a common interest in educating the public and especially young persons about the vital role the US Armed Forces have played and continue to provide in the development of our nation and its patriotic ideals. Come to Graham's Historic Farm, where Francis Marion's brigade staged attacks, brought British prisoners, and hid from Lord Tarleton. See how Marion earned his legendary name the "Swamp Fox." Enjoy the Patriot Games, which includes a hatchet throwing contest, apple pendulum bayonet charge, and skillet toss contest. See the British and colonial encampments. Listen to Ed Forte speak on the birth of the Marines as well as Marion and Lee's siege of Fort Watson. Torch walk and Night of Lights display are on Saturday night. www.theamericanheritagefestival.com; also see our blog at visitflo.com (<http://bit.ly/2Ootcku>)

1:30pm - 1:30pm Daytona Day and Community Watch Party

Where: Mellow Mushroom, 120 Dunbarton Dr., Florence, SC, United States

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Description:

Darlington Raceway will celebrate Daytona Day and the start of the 2020 NASCAR season by hosting its ninth annual Daytona 500 Community Watch Party on Sunday, Feb. 16. The party will be hosted at Mellow Mushroom, located at 120 Dunbarton Dr., in Florence, S.C. The event will start at 1:30 p.m. and continue until the conclusion of the Daytona 500. The Community Watch Party will feature a food and drink special courtesy of Mellow Mushroom. Fans who attend will have the chance to win tickets, pit passes and pre-race ceremony wristbands, along with other prizes and giveaways to the NASCAR Cup Series Southern 500 on Labor Day weekend. The watch party will also feature a video gaming area at Mellow Mushroom where fans will be able to simulate racing at Daytona International Speedway. Top times posted during the contest will receive prizes during the party. Additionally, with the Daytona 500 quickly approaching, Darlington Raceway will be a presenting sponsor of live coverage from Daytona Speedweeks. Local media partners WWFN 100.1 FM 'The Fan' and WEGX Eagle 92.9 FM will broadcast live from Daytona International Speedway on February 13 and 14. The Daytona 500 will also be available live on Eagle 92.9 FM (MRN) beginning at 1:30 p.m. on Feb. 16.

2pm - 5pm 2020 Pee Dee Regional Art Competition Exhibition

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

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Description:

The annual competition, sponsored by Chick-fil-A of Florence, is organized by The Florence County Museum and is open to any artist native to the Pee Dee area or currently living in Florence, Horry, Chesterfield, Darlington, Dillon, Georgetown, Kershaw, Lee, Marion, Marlboro, Sumter, and Williamsburg counties. This year's exhibition is comprised of 36 artworks selected by competition juror, Jeff Donovan. Donovan is a mixed media artist and paintings conservator living and working in Columbia, SC. The art will remain on display through Friday, April 3. For more information about the 2020 Pee Dee Regional Art Competition and all other museum exhibits and programs, please visit flocmuseum.org or contact the Florence County Museum at 843.676.1200.

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2pm - 6pm Artist JRenée Exhibit

Where: Dr. N. Lee Morris Gallery, 509 S. Dargan St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

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Description:

The Dr. Lee Morris Gallery is hosting an exhibit by artist JRenée Sunday, January 26 through March 15. The opening reception is Sunday, January 26 at 3 p.m. Admission is free and open to the public and light refreshments will be served. In addition to the exhibit, she will present an artist's talk about her work on February 11 at 6:30 p.m. in the Joseph Stukes Meeting Room. JRenée is internationally known for her reverse glass paintings, or Eglomise, depicting southern lifestyle themes, tropical design, and the life and times in New Orleans, pre- and post-Katrina. She enjoys painting images and scenes that promote thought on issues of social justice, history, and folklore. She graduated from Xavier University in 1989 with a Bachelor's degree in Fine Arts. Like many, JRenée was a Katrina evacuee who was forced to move around the country. She eventually settled in Columbia, South Carolina. The Doctor N. Lee Morris Gallery is located on the second floor of the Drs. Bruce and Lee Foundation Library.

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Description:

An exhibition of Art by William Henry Johnson and Holcha Krake Johnson is on display at Florence County Museum October 15, 2019 through May 17, 2020. In 1928, Florence native William Henry Johnson met Danish textile artist Holcha Krake. It was a chance encounter which opened a new chapter in Johnson's life, both personally and artistically. Johnson's early artworks often evince his shifting nature, reflecting the influences of well established artists and styles of the time. However, after their marriage in 1930, Holcha became a constant in Johnson's life. Holcha's folk art philosophies were rooted in the past, but were shaped just as much by the progressive thinking of European modernism. By 1940 these principals had become a catalyst for Johnson's own artistic transformation. Willie and Holcha presents for the first time, rare rediscovered works by Holcha Krake which have recently been acquired. This exhibition explores the mutual influence between these artists and invites a deeper interpretation of both Johnson and Holcha's work in the context of their relationship. For more information about Willie and Holcha as well as other upcoming exhibits and events, please contact the Florence County Museum at 843.676.1200 or visit the website at flocomuseum.org.

2:30pm - 2:30pm Sunday Family Movie

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

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Description:

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8:30am - 5pm Dereliction: Changing Structures by Pamela Winegard

Where: Francis Marion University - Hyman Fine Arts Center, 4822 E. PalmettoSt., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

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Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Dereliction: Changing Structures by Pamela Winegard will be on displayJanuary 2 through February 20. Pamela Winegard is a mixed media artistand art educator. She is a 2017 recipient of the Mecklenburg Arts &Science Council Regional Artist's Project Grant. Pam was has beeninducted into the National Association of Women Artist in NYC. She wasa juried ASC Fall 2014 CSA Program Artist. In addition, she was a 2012Affiliate Artist-In-Residence at the McColl Center for Visual Art. Pamreceived a both a fellowship and a grant to attend residencies at theVermont Studio Center, 2012-14. She is a recently retired professorhaving taught at Wingate University, CPCC, Winthrop University, and theArt Institute of Charlotte.

8:30am - 5pm Wild and Wonderful: Creative Sculptural Collaborations Exhibit

Where: Francis Marion University - Hyman Fine Arts Center, 4822 E. PalmettoSt., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

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Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The FMU Hyman Fine Arts Center presents an art exhibit by Mike and Patz Fowle titled Wild and Wonderful: Creative Sculptural Collaborations. This exhibit runs from January 14 through February 20.

9am - 8:30pm Artist JRenee Exhibit

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Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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1pm - 4pm Jackie Wukela: Spatula Workshop

Where: Lynda English Gallery, 403 Second Loop Road, Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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Description: Jackie Wukela will host a Spatula Workshop from Monday 1 to 4 p.m. The cost of the workshop is \$60.

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3:30pm - 3:30pm Monday Library Lab

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

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Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The library will offer Monday Library Lab for children in grades 4-6 on Mondays 3:30 p.m. Children will do a variety of science concepts. Registration is limited. For more information, contact the Greenberg Children's Library at 843-292-7382.

5pm - 5pm The Stitchers: Crochet & Knit Club

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description: The Hartsville Stitchers (a Crochet & Knit club) meet every Monday at the Library at 5 p.m.

5:30pm - 6:30pm Philosophy Flow (Yoga)

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

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Description:

Let go and move to the rhythm of your own breath! Linking breath with mindful movement, this class will firmly ground you in the present moment in order to allow you to connect with your True Self. Movement, breathing and meditation. All-Levels welcomed. Join Jamie on Monday's for this Philosophy Flow class.

6pm - 6pm

Emanuel: The Untold Story of the Victims and Survivors of the Charleston Church Shooting

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

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Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Join the Florence community at the PAC for a viewing of a documentary -EMANUEL: The Untold Story of the Victims and Survivors of the Charleston Church Shooting, along with survivor Polly Sheppard. Emanuel: The Untold Story of the Victims and Survivors of the Charleston Church Shooting powerfully weaves the history of race relations in Charleston, the significance and impact of Mother Emanuel Church, and the hope that somehow emerges in the aftermath. Featuring intimate interviews with survivors and family members, EMANUEL is a poignant story of justice and faith, love and hate, examining the healing power of forgiveness. Guest Speaker Polly Sheppard travels across the country to communities that have experienced shootings, comforting the families of victims and speaking on how forgiveness is the key to the of healing one's spirit.

7pm - 7pm "Jeep Life" Door Hanger

Where: Southern Hops Brewing Company, 911 Sunset Acres Lane, Florence, SC, 29501, United States

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Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Addie's Baby Paint returns to Southern Hops Monday at 7 p.m. The project for the evening is "Jeep Life" Door Hanger. No experience necessary!

7pm - 8pm Yoga Basics

Where: SC

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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Description:

A slower paced, alignment based yoga class geared toward a beginner student, but suitable for intermediate students who want to refine their yoga practice. Classic yoga poses will be presented with emphasis on correct alignment and precise actions in the body. All levels, especially beginners, welcomed. Join Jamie from 7 to 8 p.m. Mondays for this Yoga Basics class.

8:30pm - 8:30pm Music Mondays

Where: Soule Cafe, 130 S. Irby St., Florence, SC, 29501, United States

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Description:

Come on out and join the fun every Monday night Soule Cafe. Music Mondays is another Open Mic nite (Musicians+Vocalist) *Bring your instruments ,play with the band. Vocalist can play w/ a track or band. Tired of sitting on the couch. Come check out Amazing musicians&vocalists playing Jazz/R&B/Gospel/Pop/Folk

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Tue Feb 18, 2020

All day Baseball, Softball, Miracle League Registration

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9am - 4:30pm AARP Foundation Tax-Aide's Tax Preparation

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

AARP Foundation Tax-Aide, the nation's largest, free, volunteer-run taxassistance and preparation service, will assist taxpayers with personalfederal and state income tax returns at the library. This free serviceis for all taxpayers with low to middle income with special attentionon ages 60+. Business, farms and rentals with depreciation areout-of-scope and cannot be prepared. All returns will be e-filed andall services are free. Tax preparation is available Tuesdays and Wednesdays through April 15 (9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.). There will be twoSaturday sessions, February 29 and March 14 and these will be walk-inonly (no appointments).

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9:30am - 9:30am Toddler & Preschool Storytime

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Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The library will offer Toddler and Preschool Storytimes on Tuesday mornings. Children must be two years old to register for Toddler Storytime and 3, 4 or 5 years old to register for Preschool Storytime. The storytime will include stories, fingerplays, simple crafts, and music for these programs. Toddler storytime is at 9:30 a.m. and last 20 minutes. Preschool storytime is at 10:30 a.m. and last 30 minutes.

10am - 5pm 2020 Pee Dee Regional Art Competition Exhibition

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The annual competition, sponsored by Chick-fil-A of Florence, is organized by The Florence County Museum and is open to any artist native to the Pee Dee area or currently living in Florence, Horry, Chesterfield, Darlington, Dillon, Georgetown, Kershaw, Lee, Marion, Marlboro, Sumter, and Williamsburg counties. This year's exhibition is comprised of 36 artworks selected by competition juror, Jeff Donovan. Donovan is a mixed media artist and paintings conservator living and working in Columbia, SC. The art will remain on display through Friday, April 3. For more information about the 2020 Pee Dee Regional Art Competition and all other museum exhibits and programs, please visit flocomuseum.org or contact the Florence County Museum at 843.676.1200.

10am - 4pm Birds of Paradise Exhibit

Where: Franklin G. Burroughs-Simeon B. Chapin Art Museum, 3100 S. Ocean Blvd., Myrtle Beach, SC, 29577, United States

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description: Children's Story Time is every Tuesday at 10 a.m. at the Hartsville Library.

10am - 12pm Open Studio Class with Jackie Wukela

Where: Lynda English Gallery, 403 Second Loop Road, Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Join Jackie Wukela for a six week Open Studio class. These classes are held Tuesdays and Wednesdays: The Tuesday class will run from 2/18 through 3/31 – skip 3/17 The Wednesday class will run from 2/19 through 4/1 skip 3/18 The cost for the six-week class is \$120. Call 843-673-9144 or 843-617-9576 to sign up.

10am - 6pm The Supper Table Exhibit

Where: University Place Gallery, 142 North Dargan Street, Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

University Place Gallery will host a temporary exhibition Feb. 11- 18. The Jasper Project presents: The Supper Table is a multi-disciplinary art installation celebrating the lives of South Carolina Women past and present. For more information about the Jasper project, [click here](#).

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10am - 5pm Willie + Holcha Art Exhibit

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

An exhibition of Art by William Henry Johnson and Holcha Krake Johnson is on display at Florence County Museum October 15, 2019 through May 17, 2020. In 1928, Florence native William Henry Johnson met Danish textile artist Holcha Krake. It was a chance encounter which opened a new chapter in Johnson's life, both personally and artistically. Johnson's early artworks often evince his shifting nature, reflecting the influences of well established artists and styles of the time. However, after their marriage in 1930, Holcha became a constant in Johnson's life. Holcha's folk art philosophies were rooted in the past, but were shaped just as much by the progressive thinking of European modernism. By 1940 these principals had become a catalyst for Johnson's artistic transformation. Willie and Holcha presents for the first time, rare rediscovered works by Holcha Krake which have recently been acquired. This exhibition explores the mutual influence between these artists and invites a deeper interpretation of both Johnson and Holcha's work in the context of their relationship. For more information about Willie and Holcha as well as other upcoming exhibits and events, please contact the Florence County Museum at 843.676.1200 or visit the website at flocomuseum.org.

11am - 6pm Charlie Mills: Painting Blind

Where: University Place Gallery, 142 North Dargan Street, Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

FMU's University Place Gallery will host the Charlie Mills: Painting Blind exhibit January 14 through February 21. The Closing Reception is February 21 from 6 to 8 p.m. After Forty-eight years of commercial design work, Charlie Mills now focuses his time on abstract painting. His interest in non-literal expression is fueled by his focus on accessing the intuitive mind or the subconscious. Mills' large scale paintings express clearly defined shapes and edges, calligraphic shapes and pin-striping. They are a result of the artist finding a balance of the analytical and the intuitive.

11am - 5pm Jamey Grimes Exhibition: Formicarium

Where: Jones-Carter Gallery, 105 Henry St., Lake City, SC, 29560, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Jones-Carter Gallery will host an exhibition by artist Jamey Grimes January 31 through March 14. The objects and environments that he creates are fueled by encounters with natural forces, both real and imagined. Inspired by these encounters, he generates unique forms through the manipulation of synthetic materials. These forms accumulate, en masse, to engulf the viewer in an experience that is simultaneously unsettling and serene. The artist's intent is to remind us of our relationships to forces of nature. Synthetic materials establish a unique starting point for creating artwork that responds to nature. These tangible substances are selected because they have been cleansed of nature's direct influence and reset by human manufacturing processes. Through abstraction and re-interpretation, patterns emerge from the medium and quickly emulate more complex natural designs. The juxtaposition of this dialogue reflects a human impulse to codify the natural world.

11am - 5pm Noah James Saunders Exhibition: The Depth of Wire

Where: TRAX Visual Arts Center, 122 Sauls St., Lake City, SC, 29560, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The TRAX Visual Art Center will host an exhibition from artist Noah James Saunders January 31 through March 21.

2pm - 2pm FMU Tennis Schedule

Where: Francis Marion University - Kassab Courts, 4822 E. Palmetto St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

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Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Tennis games are played at the Kassab Tennis Courts on the campus of Francis Marion University. Unless otherwise noted. Feb 7 - vs Bluefield St. Played at Florence Tennis Center (City of Florence College Tennis Invitational) - Men play at 2 p.m. Women play at 4 p.m. Feb 8 - TBA - Played at Florence Tennis Center (City of Florence College Tennis Invitational) - Men play at 9 a.m. and 2 p.m. - Women play at 11 a.m. and 4 p.m. Feb 18 - vs. Coker - 2 p.m. Feb 23 - vs. Carson Newman at 11 a.m. Mar 7 - vs Chowan played at Florence Tennis Center at 10 a.m. Mar 8 - vs Lenoir-Rhyne at Florence Tennis Center at 3 p.m. March 10 - vs Ashland at 2 p.m. March 12 - vs Tusculum at 2 p.m. March 28 - vs Augusta at 12 p.m. March 29 - vs Georgia College at 11 a.m. April 10 - vs Columbus St. at 2 p.m. April 11 - vs Ga. Southwestern 11 a.m. April 18 - vs. Lander at 12 p.m.

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5pm - 5pm Pop-Up Design Workshop by Matthew Reinhart

Where: Francis Marion University – Hyman Fine Arts Center, 4822 E. PalmettoSt., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

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Description:

Matthew Reinhart will conduct a workshop where he demonstrates how to make a pop-up design, followed by a Q/A from the audience. The event will be held in the Fine Arts Building, room 213 at 5 p.m.. It is free and open to the public, but there is limited seating. After studying at Clemson University for a career in medicine, Matthew was accepted at the prestigious Pratt Institute in Brooklyn and studied as an industrial designer, focused on designing toys. After graduating Pratt, Matthew settled in New York City and apprenticed with an acclaimed children's book author. In a few years, he discovered his true calling: becoming a children's book author, illustrator and paper engineer. His first big break into the pop-up book world came with the strange but beloved The Pop Up Book Of Phobias. Many pop-up books followed, both collaborations and solo creations. His books showcase a range of real and imagined worlds: fairy tales, fantasy, science fiction, animation and others. His work has reached best-selling status in The New York Times.

5:30pm - 5:30pm Power Yoga

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

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Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description: Our Sacred Space Yoga presents class called Power Yoga Tuesdays at 5:30 p.m.

6pm - 8:30pm 3rd Anniversary Celebration

Where: Flow Town Yoga, 127 N. Dargan St. Suite 207, Florence, SC, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Join Flow Town Yoga for FREE classes followed by refreshments at DolceVita Café & More on February 18.

Celebrate their THIRD year as one of 30.2 million BRAVE + BOLD small businesses. Save your spot - space is limited!

6pm - 6:30pm Bilingual Story Time

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

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Description:

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6pm - 8pm Heart and Sole Line Dancing

Where: Poynor Adult Education, 301 S. Dargan St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

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Description:

Join Heart & Sole Line Dancing Tuesday's from 6 to 8 p.m.! Don't know how to line dance? Don't worry instructors will teach you. The cost is \$5 to participate.

6:30pm - 6:30pm TV Chef La Tasha "Mac" McCutchen

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

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Description:

The Doctors Bruce and Lee Foundation Library presents Chef La Tasha McCutchen, winner of season 13 of the reality series Hell's Kitchen on the Fox television network. Chef Tasha Mac, as she is also known, will demonstrate how to cook a dish on Tuesday February 18, at 6:30 p.m. Chef Tasha Mac, who won praise from Hell's Kitchen host and celebrity chef Gordon Ramsey, is a native of Lake City, SC. She has her own Private Chef catering business, Entertaining with Chef Tasha Mac. She is also the new Culinary Academic Program Director at Northeastern Technical College in Cheraw, SC. Last summer she held her second annual Culinary Camp at Lake City High School and she continues to visit schools as a speaker to encourage young people to keep their dreams alive. She is also a host at Lake City's Art Fields Dandelion Gala, an event where high school students can be sous-chefs to the celebrity chef. After the demonstration, the audience will have the opportunity to try a sample of her culinary creation. Space is limited and registration is required for this free program for attendees 14 and over, made possible by Friends of Florence County Library. Call 843-413-7074 to register, or for more information visit www.florencelibrary.org.

Wed Feb 19, 2020

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10am - 11am Mornings at the Museum

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Mornings at the Museum is an interactive program for children ages 3-5 and accompanying adult. This program is offered during the school year on the 1st and 3rd Wednesday of each month from 10 to 11 a.m. The 1st Wednesday of each month will be history related topics. The 3rd Wednesday of each month will be Visual Arts related topics. Each program will include a gallery visit, story time, and hands-on studio activity. This is a free program – registration is required flocmuseum.org/mornings-at-the-museum

10am - 12pm Oil Class with Debbie Melton

Where: Lynda English Gallery, 403 Second Loop Road, Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Join Debbie Melton for a six-week Oil Class. This class is held on Wednesdays from 10 a.m. to 12 p.m. The class runs from 2/19 through 4/1. The cost is \$120.

10am - 12pm Open Studio Class with Jackie Wukela

Where: Lynda English Gallery, 403 Second Loop Road, Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Join Jackie Wukela for a six week Open Studio class. These classes are held Tuesdays and Wednesdays: The Tuesday class will run from 2/18 through 3/31 – skip 3/17 The Wednesday class will run from 2/19 through 4/1 skip 3/18 The cost for the six-week class is \$120. Call 843-673-9144 or 843-617-9576 to sign up.

10am - 11:15am Preschool Storytime

Where: Lake City Public Library, 221 E. Main St., Lake City, SC, 29560, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Lake City Public Library is presenting storytime to preschoolers, ages 2-5 years old, on Wednesdays from 10:00 a.m. – 11:15 a.m. This free event is open to the public.

Florence Festivals & Events

10am - 5pm Willie + Holcha Art Exhibit

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

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11am - 6pm Charlie Mills: Painting Blind

Where: University Place Gallery, 142 North Dargan Street, Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

FMU's University Place Gallery will host the Charlie Mills: Painting Blind exhibit January 14 through February 21. The Closing Reception is February 21 from 6 to 8 p.m. After Forty-eight years of commercial design work, Charlie Mills now focuses his time on abstract painting. His interest in non-literal expression is fueled by his focus on accessing the intuitive mind or the subconscious. Mills' large scale paintings express clearly defined shapes and edges, calligraphic shapes and pin-striping. They are a result of the artist finding a balance of the analytical and the intuitive.

11am - 5pm Jamey Grimes Exhibition: Formicarium

Where: Jones-Carter Gallery, 105 Henry St., Lake City, SC, 29560, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Jones-Carter Gallery will host an exhibition by artist Jamey Grimes January 31 through March 14. The objects and environments that he creates are fueled by encounters with natural forces, both real and imagined. Inspired by these encounters, he generates unique forms through the manipulation of synthetic materials. These forms accumulate, en masse, to engulf the viewer in an experience that is simultaneously unsettling and serene. The artist's intent is to remind us of our relationships to forces of nature. Synthetic materials establish a unique starting point for creating artwork that responds to nature. These tangible substances are selected because they have been cleansed of nature's direct influence and reset by human manufacturing processes. Through abstraction and re-interpretation, patterns emerge from the medium and quickly emulate more complex natural designs. The juxtaposition of this dialogue reflects a human impulse to codify the natural world.

11am - 5pm Noah James Saunders Exhibition: The Depth of Wire

Where: TRAX Visual Arts Center, 122 Sauls St., Lake City, SC, 29560, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The TRAX Visual Art Center will host an exhibition from artist Noah James Saunders January 31 through March 21.

3pm - 3pm FMU Baseball

Where: Sparrow Stadium, 4700 E. Palmetto St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

FMU baseball games are played at Sparrow Stadium. Listed below are the home games for the 2020 schedule. Jan. 31 - vs. Mars Hill at 5 p.m. Feb 1 - vs. Lenoir-Rhyne at 2 p.m. Feb 2 - vs. Southern Wesleyan at 2 p.m. Feb 5 - vs. Mount Olive at 4 p.m. Feb 7 - vs. Limestone at 6 p.m. Feb 8 - vs. Limestone at 2 p.m. Feb 19 - vs. Mercy at 3 p.m. Feb 21 - vs. North Georgia at 6 p.m. Feb 22 - vs. North Georgia at 2 p.m. Feb 23 - vs. North Georgia at 1 p.m. Feb 28 - vs. Young Harris at 6 p.m. Feb 29 - vs. Young Harris at 2 p.m. Mar. 1 - vs. Young Harris at 1 p.m. Mar. 3 - vs. Newberry at 5 p.m. Mar. 10 - vs. Chowan at 6 p.m. Mar. 11 - vs. Chowan at 2 p.m. Mar. 20 - vs. Augusta at 6 p.m. Mar. 21 - vs. Augusta at 2 p.m. Mar. 22 - vs. Augusta at 1 p.m. Mar. 24 - vs. Barton at 6 p.m. Mar. 31 - vs. Queens (NC) at 6 p.m. April 9 - vs. UNC Pembroke at 6 p.m. April 10 - vs. UNC Pembroke at 3 p.m. April 11 - vs. UNC Pembroke at 1 p.m. April 24 - vs. Ga. Southwestern at 1 p.m. April 24 - vs. Ga. Southwestern at 4 p.m. April 25 - vs. Ga. Southwestern at 1 p.m.

3:30pm - 3:30pm Library Tweens Program

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The library will offer programs for children in grades 3 - 5 on Wednesday afternoons. The programs will consist of movies, stories, crafts, and guest speakers. The programs will last 30 to 45 minutes.

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4pm - 8pm Wine Down Wednesdays

Where: Dolce Vita Café & More, 160 S Dargan St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description: Every Wednesday, Dolce Vita offers 1/2 off wines from 4 to 8 p.m. Super classy, chill atmosphere!

5:30pm - 7:15pm Live@Central featuring "In the Image"

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Live@Central will feature the children's musical "In the Image". Live@Central is a free, public program that begins at 6:15 p.m. in Spears Fellowship. An optional meal is available from 5:30 to 6:15 p.m., and costs \$6 for adults and \$3 for children under 12. For more information, please visit www.centralmethodist.net.

5:30pm - 6:30pm Yoga for Anxiety

Where: SC

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Anxiety is a feeling of worry, nervousness, or unease, typically about an imminent event or something with an uncertain outcome. This gentle yoga class is designed to alleviate symptoms of anxiety and teach stress management techniques to manage daily struggles. Postures, breathing, and guided meditation included. Not intended to replace proper medical and/or psychiatric care.

7pm - 8pm Reiki + Restore with Sandra

Where: SC

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description: Join Sandra for Reiki + Restore from 7 to 8 p.m. Wednesdays.

7pm - 7pm Trivia: Right Answers with Wrong Travis

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The weekly trivia sensation, Right Answers with Wrong Travis is back for another 12-week season, with weekly prizes and the grand prize!

7:30pm - 7:30pm Peter Sinn Nachtrieb's Boom

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Francis Marion University Theatre's winter production will be Peter Sinn Nachtrieb's Boom. The performance is Wednesday through Friday at 7:30 p.m. and 2 p.m. on Saturday. THE STORY: Jules, a grad student in marine biology, and Jo, a journalism student, meet one Saturday night in Jules's small underground laboratory on a university campus, after Jo answers Jules's online personal ad offering an encounter that promises "sex to change the course of the world." During his research on a deserted tropical island, Jules discovered patterns among the behavior of fish that seemed to portend a premature end to most forms of earthly life. So he has turned his tiny lab/apartment into a place to wait out the disaster and begin remaking humanity. A third character, Barbara, is the audience's guide in her portrayal of the end of civilization thousands of years earlier. AUDITIONS: For specific info: llarsen@fmarion.edu RESERVATIONS: Reservations may only be made by calling the FMU Performing Arts Center Box Office at 843-661-4444 between 12:00 and 5:00 pm. \$5 admission supports the Fine Arts Performing Arts Scholarships.

8pm - 8pm Wednesday Night Karaoke

Where: Local Motive Brewing Company, 123 North Dargan Street, Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Come out and join Local Motive for Karaoke with Tony Rogers. It's hard to think of a better way to get over the hump than good music, good drinks, and good food.

8:30pm - 8:30pm Soulé Open Mic Nite

Where: Soulé Cafe, 130 S. Irby St., Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Soulé Open Mic Nite at 8 p.m. Wednesdays. Check out the next budding stars (singers/musicians/poets/producers/etc.).

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Thu Feb 20, 2020

All day Baseball, Softball, Miracle League Registration

Thu Feb 20, 2020

Where: Florence County Parks & Recreation, 710 S. Irby St, Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

February 3 marks the opening of baseball, softball, Miracle League registration for Florence County Parks & Recreation. Register: Online at <https://registration.florenceco.org/>, by phone at 843-667-0920 or in person.

All day City of Florence: Registration for Baseball, Softball, Track and Field

Thu Feb 20, 2020

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Registration is open for the following City of Florence athletics.(Through 3/5) - P.A.L. Little League - ages 5-12 (Through 2/20) -Baseball: Maple Park - ages 5-12 (Through 2/27) - Baseball: McLeod Park- ages 5-12 (Through 3/13) - Baseball: McLeod Park - ages 13-16(Through 3/20) - Track and Field - ages 6-18 (Through 2/29) - YouthSoftball - ages 4-12 (3/23 through 4/24) - Youth Softball - ages 13-18Registration can be completed online at www.cityofflorenceathletics.com

7:30am - 9am Biscuits & Business

Where: Greater Lake City Chamber of Commerce, 144 S. Acline St., Lake City, SC, 29560, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

"Biscuits & Business" is a morning networking event! Come havebreakfast and network with others! The Chamber will hold thisnetworking event monthly. A different business may sponsor each monthby either bringing the morning refreshments (breakfast food, coffee,drinks, etc) and setting up or you may pay \$100 to be the sponsor andthe Chamber will get everything and set up. The sponsor of the B&B maybring information about their business/event/etc and have it availablefor all that drop into network. If you are interested in sponsoring anevent please contact the Chamber.

8:30am - 5pm Dereliction: Changing Structures by Pamela Winegard

Where: Francis Marion University - Hyman Fine Arts Center, 4822 E. PalmettoSt., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Dereliction: Changing Structures by Pamela Winegard will be on displayJanuary 2 through February 20. Pamela Winegard is a mixed media artistand art educator. She is a 2017 recipient of the Mecklenburg Arts &Science Council Regional Artist's Project Grant. Pam was has beeninducted into the National Association of Women Artist in NYC. She wasa juried ASC Fall 2014 CSA Program Artist. In addition, she was a 2012Affiliate Artist-In-Residence at the McColl Center for Visual Art. Pamreceived a both a fellowship and a grant to attend residencies at theVermont Studio Center, 2012-14. She is a recently retired professorhaving taught at Wingate University, CPCC, Winthrop University, and theArt Institute of Charlotte.

8:30am - 5pm Wild and Wonderful: Creative Sculptural Collaborations Exhibit

Where: Francis Marion University - Hyman Fine Arts Center, 4822 E. PalmettoSt., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The FMU Hyman Fine Arts Center presents an art exhibit by Mike and Patz Fowle titled Wild and Wonderful: Creative Sculptural Collaborations. This exhibit runs from January 14 through February 20.

9am - 8:30pm Artist JRenee Exhibit

Where: Dr. N. Lee Morris Gallery, 509 S. Dargan St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Dr. Lee Morris Gallery is hosting an exhibit by artist JReneeSunday, January 26 through March 15. The opening reception is Sunday,January 26 at 3 p.m. Admission is free and open to the public and lightrefreshments will be served. In addition to the exhibit, she willpresent an artist's talk about her work on February 11 at 6:30 p.m. inthe Joseph Stukes Meeting Room. JRenee is internationally known for herreverse glass paintings, or Eglomise, depicting southern lifestylethemes, tropical design, and the life and times in New Orleans, pre-and post-Katrina. She enjoys painting images and scenes that promotethought on issues of social justice, history, and folklore. Shegraduated from Xavier University in 1989 with a Bachelor's degree inFine Arts. Like many, JRenee was a Katrina evacuee who was forced tomove around the country. She eventually settled in Columbia, SouthCarolina. The Doctor N. Lee Morris Gallery is located on the secondfloor of the Drs. Bruce and Lee Foundation Library.

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10am - 10am Baby Storytime

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The library will offer programs for babies 0 – 23 months old on Thursday mornings. The programs will be divided into two groups, walkers and non-walkers. An adult caregiver will need to stay with the baby during the 15 minute program. The programs will consist of music, fingerplays, and stories appropriate for these age groups. Non-walkers meet at 10 a.m. and walkers meet at 11 a.m.

10am - 4pm Birds of Paradise Exhibit

Where: Franklin G. Burroughs-Simeon B. Chapin Art Museum, 3100 S. Ocean Blvd., Myrtle Beach, SC, 29577, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Franklin G. Burroughs-Simeon G. Chapin Art Museum will host the Sarah Golish: Birds of Paradise exhibit. This is a collection of portraits in oil featuring ethnically diverse female subjects in bold colors, as well as exotic birds and plants that symbolize strength through adversity and fortitude of spirit. The exhibit is on display January 14 through April 11. Toronto-based artist Sara Golish questions the symbolism of conventional oil portraiture through a lens of eco-feminism by depicting traditionally oppressed bodies with dignity and grace in her Birds of Paradise series. Golish breathes new life into the traditional canon of early modern portraiture, where affluent women were presented in ways that spoke more to men's accumulation of wealth and status than to any representation of their own identities. If women of color appeared, they were rendered as servants and exotic curiosities to demonstrate the imperial reach of aristocratic power and wealth. Birds of Paradise is about liberating not just the subject from the patriarchal grasp, but also the form, techniques and materials from their historical usage and symbolism. Golish fills her portraits with ethnically diverse female subjects in bold colors, as well as exotic birds and plants that symbolize strength through adversity and fortitude of spirit. Admission to the Art Museum is free at all times but donations are welcome.

10am - 8pm Elizabeth Claffey Exhibit

Where: Cecelia Coker Bell Gallery, 300 E. College Ave., Hartsville, SC, 29550, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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Description:

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10am - 12pm Flower Pot Gnome Home

Where: Moore Farms Botanical Garden, 100 New Zion Road, Lake City, SC, 29560, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Every yard can use a whimsical, creative touch so why not add a gnome home? Gnomes are said to be magical protectors of our plants and soil. Because of this they have been spotted in many gardens all across the globe! These flower pot gnome homes are the perfect addition for any porch and are extremely fun to build as adults. Remember: They can be as simple or intricate as you like! All materials are supplied other than a pair of gloves. Participants are encouraged to bring additional items from home to enhance their projects. Come enjoy the day with us! To pay by credit card, click Book online now! or call 843-210-7582 to pay by phone. Call 843-210-7592 or email lcollins@moorefarmsbg.org to reserve your spot if not paying by credit card.

10am - 12pm Idea to Plan Workshop

Where: The Continuum, 208 W. Main St., Lake City, SC, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Every business starts with an idea and needs a plan to execute. This session will walk through the steps of developing a business plan. To register visit https://secure.touchnet.net/C20764_ustores/web/product_detail.jsp?PRODUCTID=17&SINGLESTORE=true The FMU Kelley Center for Economic Development is dedicated to the economic growth of the region through business incubation, small business outreach, and various regional economic development initiatives. FMU has two business incubators in Florence at the new Francis Marion University Place at 142 North Dargan Street and in Lake City at The Continuum at 208 W. Main Street. Both locations provide small business assistance and professional development training for the surrounding communities.

10am - 10am It's Story Time

Where: Darlington County Library, 204 N. Main St., Darlington, SC, 29532, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Darlington Library hosts story time every Thursday at 10 a.m. This program is geared towards preschoolers but anyone is welcome!

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10am - 7pm Willie + Holcha Art Exhibit

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

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10:15am - 11:15am Tech Talk AM

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Call to schedule a 30 minute appointment for assistance with: tablet use, creating or using e-mail, the Jasmine reading system, laptops, smart phones, cloud storage, safety and security for portable devices, or specific questions on software such as Word, Firefox, etc.

11am - 6pm Charlie Mills: Painting Blind

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Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

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12pm - 1pm Leatherman Center Lunch and Learn

Where: Leatherman Senior Center, 600 Senior Way, Florence, SC, 29505, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Leatherman Senior Center hosts a Lunch and Learn the 3rd Thursday of each month. This is a great opportunity to learn something new about your health. You will be able to hear a presentation from a healthcare provider on a variety of topics. This month, Greg May, M.D., will be talking about coronary artery disease. This disease develops when the major blood vessels that supply your heart with blood, oxygen and nutrients become damaged or diseased. Cholesterol deposits in arteries and inflammation are usually to blame. <https://www.facebook.com/events/200611617759716/>

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1pm - 1pm Library Book Club - Founding Mothers: The Women Who Raised Our Nation

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Doctors Bruce and Lee Foundation Library's Book Club has selected the following books to read and discuss for the beginning of 2020. Future book selections will be added later. January 16, 2020 - The Only Woman in the Room by Marie Benedict February 20, 2020 - Founding Mothers: the Women Who Raised our Nation by Cokie Roberts March 19, 2020 - We Own the Sky by Luke Allnutt April 16, 2020 - Saving CeeCee Honeycutt by Beth Hoffman The Book Club meets on the third Thursday of each month at 1:00 p.m. New adult members are invited to join for lively discussions about selected books. For more information, or to join, call 843-413-7074.

2pm - 3pm Free Public Tour - Arriving South

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

An in-depth, docent-led tour is a great way to obtain a better understanding of any of our exhibits. Regularly scheduled docent-led tours take place every third Thursday of the month at 2:00 pm. A tour of any one of our galleries lasts approximately one hour. For a list of dates and subject matter, please see the docent-led tour schedule.

3:30pm - 3:30pm Library Afterschool Program

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The library will offer programs for children in grades 5K - 2nd on Thursday afternoons. The programs will consist of movies, stories, crafts and guest speakers. The programs will last 30 to 45 minutes.

4pm - 5:30pm Art Explorers

Where: ArtFields Office/Gallery, 118 Sauls St., Lake City, SC, 29560, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

ArtFields Jr. will hold Art Explorers for children in 5K through 6th grade from 4 to 5:30 p.m. on the third Thursday of each month. These classes allow students to explore all disciplines of art and only costs \$5 per class. Please call 843-374-0180 to register.

5:30pm - 6:30pm Yin Yoga

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Release tightness and relax into a state of stillness and bliss. Yin yoga is a deep stretching practice that targets the fascia and other connective tissue around the muscles. Restorative, passive poses are typically held from 2-5 minutes; the longer holds of yin yoga allow for connective tissues to release tension and revive mobility. All levels welcome. Join June from 5:30 to 6:30 p.m. Thursdays for this Yin Yoga class.

6pm - 7:30pm Art Afterhours: Screen Printing with Indigo

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Spend the evening exploring your creative side and learning new artmaking skills at the Florence County Museum. All materials are provided and all experience levels are welcome. Learn to set up a simple screen, create your own design, and screen print with ink made from natural indigo grown at the FCM. Enjoy a free cup of locally roasted coffee, tea or hot chocolate at the Lula's Coffee Co. Pop-up. Lula's is a local 501(c)(3) non-profit coffee shop run by Thread and Compass. Lula's Coffee is locally roasted. Thread and Compass is committed to connecting people to missions, both in our community and around the world. Art Afterhours is free of charge, open to the public for adults 18+.

6pm - 9pm Masquerade Ball

Where: Leatherman Senior Center, 600 Senior Way, Florence, SC, 29505, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Join Florence County Parks & Recreation and Agape Hospice at the Leatherman Senior Center for a Masquerade Ball. They will have a DJ, dancing, door prizes, and light hors d'oeuvres. Please wear a mask and join for a great evening!

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

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Join Olio Studio for their Art After Dark classes: February 6 - Handmade Ceramic Heart Dishes - \$25 February 13 - Galentine's Day: Pick Your Own Painting/Pottery - \$25-\$35 February 14 - Couple's Paintings \$40-\$60 (Birch Trees, Beach Scene, Deer & Doe, Love Birds, Flamingos, or Custom) February 20 - Blue & White Painted Pottery / Canvas - \$25-\$35 February 27 - Colorful Highland Cow Painting - \$25-\$35 February 28 - Blue & White Door Hanger Workshop February 29 (2 p.m.) - Blue & White Door Hanger Workshop Starts at 6:30 p.m. Complementary refreshments will be served. Adults only.

6:30pm - 8:30pm Dramatic Coffee Beans Open Mic Night

Where: Lake City Boys & Girls Club, 131 Calhoun St., Lake City, SC, 29560, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Do you sing, perform spoken word, poetry, rap, play an instrument, perform comedy, dance or draw? Here's a chance to "Face Your Fears" and showcase your talent. First 10 who sign up that evening get to perform. Maximum time five minutes. Everybody is invited to come and enjoy this great evening of entertainment, FREE food, and conversation. If you are an artist, please bring your artwork no later than 6:30 PM so it can be properly exhibited. If you plan to perform, please arrive by 6:30 PM to sign up. Show begins at 7:00 PM. For more information call (843)687-4493 or email dcbinc@outlook.com.

7pm - 7pm Addie's Baby Paint Class

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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Description:

Addie's Baby Studio has a lot of fun classes scheduled in February. Saturday - 2/1 at 2 p.m. - "African Elephant" Adult Paint Class Thursday - 2/6 at 7 p.m. - "Cardinal on a Branch" Adult Paint Class Friday - 2/7 at 7 p.m. - "Truck Filled with Love" Adult Paint Class Saturday - 2/8 at 11 a.m. - "Baby Yoda" - Kids paint class (ages 4 years +) Saturday - 2/8 at 2 p.m. - "Lavender in a Mason Jar" Adult Paint class Saturday - 2/8 at 6 p.m. - Couples Paint Class - "Love Anchors the Soul" Thursday - 2/13 at 7 p.m. - "Heart Trees" Adult Paint Class Friday - 2/14 at 7 p.m. - Couples Paint Class - "Kissy Fish" Saturday - 2/15 at 11 a.m. - Mom and Me Paint Class - Mermaids (ages 4 years +) Saturday - 2/15 at 2 p.m. - Couples Paint Class - "Love Hands" Saturday - 2/15 at 6 p.m. - "Wine Lovers" Adult Paint Class Monday - 2/17 at 7 p.m. - "Jeep Life" Door Hanger at Southern Hops Thursday - 2/20 at 7 p.m. - "Gray Scale Daisy" Adult Paint Class Saturday - 2/22 at 11 a.m. - Mom and Me Paint Class - Under the Ocean (ages 4 years +) Saturday - 2/22 at 2 p.m. - "Moonlight Trees" Adult Paint Class Saturday - 2/22 at 6 p.m. - "Glow Bubble Gum Diva" Adult Paint Class Thursday - 2/27 at 7 p.m. - "Red Wine & Red Soles" Adult Paint Class Saturday - 2/29 at 11 a.m. Kids Paint Class - "Cute Elephant" (ages 4 years +) Saturday - 2/29 at 6 p.m. - "Glowing Moonlight Waterfall" Adult Paint Class HOW TO RSVP FOR A CLASS: Call or text 843.229.5862 to sign up for public classes and fundraiser events. Walk-Ins are welcome, but it is strongly advised to RSVP at least 24 hrs in advance or purchase seat below (if applicable) to ensure the class is not sold out or canceled before arriving. Reservations: A non-refundable fee of \$10 must be paid in advance to lock in seat(s) or group. ADULT CLASSES: You must be 18+ to attend our evening classes. KIDS CLASSES: Ages 5 yrs and up (4 yrs and under welcomed with an adult)

7pm - 7pm Johnny Tanner

Where: Dolce Vita Café & More, 160 S Dargan St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description: Johnny Tanner will perform at Dolce Vita Thursday at 7 p.m.

7pm - 7pm The Basics of Digital Investing

Where: Soulé Cafe, 130 S. Irby St., Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

This is event is part of Soule' cafe's Entrepreneurship series. On 2/20 Forex Traphouse will talk about "The basics of Digital Investing". Some of the topics discussed will be: basic knowledge of apps like Stash / Acorns / Robinhood / MT4 / CashApp and how they relate to everyday Day Trading.

7:30pm - 7:30pm LCCS: "Love the Arts"

Where: The Inn at the Crossroads, 128 W. Main St., Lake City, SC, 29560, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Join the Lake City Concert Series for their annual education fundraiser "Love the Arts" at 7:30 p.m. at The Stables at The Inn at the Crossroads. Prominent local artists headline an evening of musical entertainment with divine desserts, wine and champagne. Also, there will be a unique silent auction with funds going directly to the ArtsIn Education program. Tickets are \$20 per person. Tickets can be purchased either by sending a check to the LCCC, from the Chamber of Commerce office or at the door. This concert is co-sponsored by The Inn at the Crossroads.

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7:30pm - 7:30pm Peter Sinn Nachtrieb's Boom

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

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Description:

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7:30pm - 7:30pm Retrofit Trivia Night

Where: Retrofit sip-n-seat, 152 Mantissa Row, Hartsville, SC, 29550, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Find your brainiest, pop cultured-est friends for a night of trivia! Be sure to fuel that brain with some tasty bevs from the bar...we hear booze makes you smarter. Registration opens at 7:30; game starts at 8!

8pm - 8pm Glow Throw Night

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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Description:

GLOW THROW!!! Every Thursday through Saturday starting at 8 p.m. Come out and wear your neon because they've got black lights!

Fri Feb 21, 2020

All day Baseball, Softball, Miracle League Registration

Fri Feb 21, 2020

Where: Florence County Parks & Recreation, 710 S. Irby St, Florence, SC, 29501, United States

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All day City of Florence: Registration for Baseball, Softball, Track and Field

Fri Feb 21, 2020

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

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6:30am - 7:30am All-Levels (Yoga)

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description: This early morning yoga class is designed for all levels. Join Axia on Fridays from 6:30 to 7:30 a.m.

7:30am - 6pm School's Out Day Camp

Where: Girls University Hartsville, 701 W Washington St, Hartsville, SC, 29550, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

All day, school's out day camp for girls 5K-6th grade. Girls will have a fun, exciting day filled with experiments, learning and fun! The girls will explore the following: Art, Science, Technology, Engineering and much more . . . These camps are designed for all girls. Time: 7:30am - 6:00 pm (come and go as you like) Cost: \$25 per girl (open to all girls 5k-6th) Girls need to bring their own lunch and snacks. Register online to hold your spot.

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9am - 5:30pm Artist JRenée Exhibit

Where: Dr. N. Lee Morris Gallery, 509 S. Dargan St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Dr. Lee Morris Gallery is hosting an exhibit by artist JRenée Sunday, January 26 through March 15. The opening reception is Sunday, January 26 at 3 p.m. Admission is free and open to the public and light refreshments will be served. In addition to the exhibit, she will present an artist's talk about her work on February 11 at 6:30 p.m. in the Joseph Stukes Meeting Room. JRenée is internationally known for her reverse glass paintings, or Eglomise, depicting southern lifestyle themes, tropical design, and the life and times in New Orleans, pre-and post-Katrina. She enjoys painting images and scenes that promote thought on issues of social justice, history, and folklore. She graduated from Xavier University in 1989 with a Bachelor's degree in Fine Arts. Like many, JRenée was a Katrina evacuee who was forced to move around the country. She eventually settled in Columbia, South Carolina. The Doctor N. Lee Morris Gallery is located on the second floor of the Drs. Bruce and Lee Foundation Library.

9am - 4pm Oil Painting Workshop

Where: Cheraw Arts Commission, 258 Second Street, Cheraw, SC, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Cheraw Art Commission is hosting a 3 day oil painting workshop with award winning Charleston artist Joyce Hall. The workshop focus will be "Clouds & Sky". The workshop is suitable for all skill levels -beginners are welcome. More information call the Cheraw Arts Commission 843.537.8420 x 12 (Photo courtesy of The Studio Joyce Hall -thestudiosc.com)

10am - 5pm 2020 Pee Dee Regional Art Competition Exhibition

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The annual competition, sponsored by Chick-fil-A of Florence, is organized by The Florence County Museum and is open to any artist native to the Pee Dee area or currently living in Florence, Horry, Chesterfield, Darlington, Dillon, Georgetown, Kershaw, Lee, Marion, Marlboro, Sumter, and Williamsburg counties. This year's exhibition is comprised of 36 artworks selected by competition juror, Jeff Donovan. Donovan is a mixed media artist and paintings conservator living and working in Columbia, SC. The art will remain on display through Friday, April 3. For more information about the 2020 Pee Dee Regional Art Competition and all other museum exhibits and programs, please visit flocmuseum.org or contact the Florence County Museum at 843.676.1200.

10am - 4pm Birds of Paradise Exhibit

Where: Franklin G. Burroughs-Simeon B. Chapin Art Museum, 3100 S. Ocean Blvd., Myrtle Beach, SC, 29577, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Franklin G. Burroughs-Simeon G. Chapin Art Museum will host the Sarah Golish: Birds of Paradise exhibit. This is a collection of portraits in oil featuring ethnically diverse female subjects in bold colors, as well as exotic birds and plants that symbolize strength through adversity and fortitude of spirit. The exhibit is on display January 14 through April 11. Toronto-based artist Sara Golish questions the symbolism of conventional oil portraiture through a lens of eco-feminism by depicting traditionally oppressed bodies with dignity and grace in her Birds of Paradise series. Golish breathes new life into the traditional canon of early modern portraiture, where affluent women were presented in ways that spoke more to men's accumulation of wealth and status than to any representation of their own identities. If women of color appeared, they were rendered as servants and exotic curiosities to demonstrate the imperial reach of aristocratic power and wealth. Birds of Paradise is about liberating not just the subject from the patriarchal grasp, but also the form, techniques and materials from their historical usage and symbolism. Golish fills her portraits with ethnically diverse female subjects in bold colors, as well as exotic birds and plants that symbolize strength through adversity and fortitude of spirit. Admission to the Art Museum is free at all times but donations are welcome.

10am - 4pm Elizabeth Claffey Exhibit

Where: Cecelia Coker Bell Gallery, 300 E. College Ave., Hartsville, SC, 29550, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Cecelia Coker Bell Gallery will host the Elizabeth Claffey Exhibit February 3 through February 28. The gallery is open MWF 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. and TTh from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m.

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10am - 10am Library Movie Matinee

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Doctors Bruce and Lee Foundation Library will show a 2013 film about the widows Dr. Betty Shabazz and Coretta Scott King and how they picked their lives back up after the assassinations of their husbands. In honor of Black History Month, this PG-13 rated matinee is open to anyone 14+ years old and will be held on Friday, February 21, at 10:00 am. Starring Mary J. Blige, Angela Bassett, Gloria Reuben, and Malik Yoba, the film has a runtime of 120 mins. Admission is free and light refreshments will be served. The Doctors Bruce and Lee Foundation Library is located at 509 S. Dargan Street in Florence. Space is limited and registration is requested for groups. Call 843-413-7074 to register groups of 5 or more. The free matinee series is sponsored by Friends of Florence County Library.

10am - 5pm Willie + Holcha Art Exhibit

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

An exhibition of Art by William Henry Johnson and Holcha Krake Johnson is on display at Florence County Museum October 15, 2019 through May 17, 2020. In 1928, Florence native William Henry Johnson met Danish textile artist Holcha Krake. It was a chance encounter which opened a new chapter in Johnson's life, both personally and artistically. Johnson's early artworks often evince his shifting nature, reflecting the influences of well established artists and styles of the time. However, after their marriage in 1930, Holcha became a constant in Johnson's life. Holcha's folk art philosophies were rooted in the past, but were shaped just as much by the progressive thinking of European modernism. By 1940 these principals had become a catalyst for Johnson's own artistic transformation. Willie and Holcha presents for the first time, rare rediscovered works by Holcha Krake which have recently been acquired. This exhibition explores the mutual influence between these artists and invites a deeper interpretation of both Johnson and Holcha's work in the context of their relationship. For more information about Willie and Holcha as well as other upcoming exhibits and events, please contact the Florence County Museum at 843.676.1200 or visit the website at flocomuseum.org.

11am - 7pm Charlie Mills: Painting Blind

Where: University Place Gallery, 142 North Dargan Street, Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

FMU's University Place Gallery will host the Charlie Mills: Painting Blind exhibit January 14 through February 21. The Closing Reception is February 21 from 6 to 8 p.m. After forty-eight years of commercial design work, Charlie Mills now focuses his time on abstract painting. His interest in non-literal expression is fueled by his focus on accessing the intuitive mind or the subconscious. Mills' large scale paintings express clearly defined shapes and edges, calligraphic shapes and pin-stripping. They are a result of the artist finding a balance of the analytical and the intuitive.

11am - 5pm Jamey Grimes Exhibition: Formicarium

Where: Jones-Carter Gallery, 105 Henry St., Lake City, SC, 29560, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Jones-Carter Gallery will host an exhibition by artist Jamey Grimes January 31 through March 14. The objects and environments that he creates are fueled by encounters with natural forces, both real and imagined. Inspired by these encounters, he generates unique forms through the manipulation of synthetic materials. These forms accumulate, en masse, to engulf the viewer in an experience that is simultaneously unsettling and serene. The artist's intent is to remind us of our relationships to forces of nature. Synthetic materials establish a unique starting point for creating artwork that responds to nature. These tangible substances are selected because they have been cleansed of nature's direct influence and reset by human manufacturing processes. Through abstraction and re-interpretation, patterns emerge from the medium and quickly emulate more complex natural designs. The juxtaposition of this dialogue reflects a human impulse to codify the natural world.

11am - 5pm Noah James Saunders Exhibition: The Depth of Wire

Where: TRAX Visual Arts Center, 122 Sauls St., Lake City, SC, 29560, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The TRAX Visual Art Center will host an exhibition from artist Noah James Saunders January 31 through March 21.

3:30pm - 3:30pm Fine Arts Friday

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The library will offer Fine Arts Friday for children in grades 5K-3rd on Fridays at 3:30 p.m. Children will be working with a variety of art forms. Registration is limited. For more information, contact the Greenberg Children's Library at 843-292-7382.

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4:30pm - 5:30pm Beer Plus Yoga

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Soulift Yoga is partnering with Seminar Brewing ... come celebrate happyhour every 3rd Friday of the month at 4:30 p.m. \$10 drop-in for Beer +Yoga OR Pilates & Pints OR Barre at the Bar. Join us for our firstHappy Hour on Friday, February 21st with Sallie and Beer Yoga. BRINGYOUR OWN MAT! Bring your partner or friends!

5pm - 5pm FMU 2020 Softball

Where: FMU Softball Field: Griffin Athletic Complex, 4700 E. Palmetto St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Francis Marion University will play its softball games at the FMUSoftball Stadium. The home game schedule is listed below. Sat. - Feb. 1- Mount Olive at 1 p.m. and 3 p.m. Sun. - Feb 9 - Newberry at 1 p.m.and 3 p.m. Fri. - Feb. 14 - Chowan at 3 p.m. - Patriot InvitationalTournament Fri. - Feb. 14 - Mercy at 5 p.m. - Patriot InvitationalTournament Sat. - Feb. 15 - Chowan at 1 p.m. - Patriot InvitationalTournament Sat. - Feb. 15 - Mars Hill at 5 p.m. - Patriot Invitational Tournament Sun. - Feb. 16 - Mars Hill at 2 p.m. - Patriot InvitationalTournament Fri. - Feb. 21 - Queens (N.C.) at 5 p.m. - Swamp Fox SizzlerSat. - Feb. 22 - Emmanuel (Ga.) at 1 p.m. - Swamp Fox Sizzler Sat. -Feb. 22 - Queens (N.C.) at 5 p.m. - Swamp Fox Sizzler Sun. - Feb. 23 -Frostburg St. at 12 p.m. - Swamp Fox Sizzler Thu. - Feb. 27 - Erskineat 4 p.m. and 6 p. m. Sat. - Feb. 29 - King (Tenn.) at 1 p.m. and 3 p.m.Sat. - March 7 - Wingate at 1 p.m. and 3 p.m. Wed. - March 18 - USC Aiken * at 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. Thu. - March 19 - New Haven at 4 p.m. and6 p.m. Wed. - March 25 - UNC Pembroke at 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. Sat. - March28 - Georgia College at 1 p.m. and 3 p.m. Wed. - April 1 - Lenoir-Rhyneat 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. Fri. - April 10 - Columbus St. at 4 p.m. and 6p.m. Sat. - April 11 - Ga. Southwestern at 1 p.m. and 3 p.m.

6pm - 6pm Bruin Cup

Where: Florence Soccer Complex, 3701 W. Palmetto Street, Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

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6pm - 8pm Charlie Mills Exhibit Closing Reception

Where: University Place Gallery, 142 North Dargan Street, Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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Description: FMU University Place Gallery is hosting a Closing Reception for the Charlie Mills Exhibit Friday from 6 to 8 p.m

6pm - 6pm FMU Baseball

Where: Sparrow Stadium, 4700 E. Palmetto St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

FMU baseball games are played at Sparrow Stadium. Listed below are thehome games for the 2020 schedule. Jan. 31 - vs. Mars Hill at 5 p.m. Feb1 - vs. Lenoir-Rhyne at 2 p.m. Feb 2 - vs. Southern Wesleyan at 2 p.m.Feb 5 - vs. Mount Olive at 4 p.m. Feb 7 - vs. Limestone at 6 p.m. Feb 8- vs. Limestone at 2 p.m. Feb 19 - vs. Mercy at 3 p.m. Feb 21 - vs.North Georgia at 6 p.m. Feb 22 - vs. North Georgia at 2 p.m. Feb 23 -vs. North Georgia at 1 p.m. Feb 28 - vs. Young Harris at 6 p.m. Feb 29- vs. Young Harris at 2 p.m. Mar. 1 - vs. Young Harris at 1 p.m. Mar. 3- vs. Newberry at 5 p.m. Mar. 10 - vs. Chowan at 6 p.m. Mar. 11 - vsChowan at 2 p.m. Mar. 20 - vs. Augusta at 6 p.m. Mar. 21 - vs. Augusta at 2 p.m. Mar. 22 - vs. Augusta at 1 p.m. Mar. 24 - vs. Barton at 6p.m. Mar. 31 - vs. Queens (NC) at 6 p.m. April 9 - vs. UNC Pembroke at6 p.m. April 10 - vs. UNC Pembroke at 3 p.m. April 11 - vs. UNCPembroke at 1 p.m. April 24 - vs. Ga. Southwestern at 1 p.m. April 24 -vs. Ga. Southwestern at 4 p.m. April 25 -vs. Ga Southwestern at 1 p.m.

7pm - 7pm Wrong Side Up

Where: Southern Hops Brewing Company, 911 Sunset Acres Lane, Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Wrong Side Up will perform Friday at 7 p.m. Southern Hops strives to showcase the best regional and local music in a spacious, smoke free environment. There is live music Friday evenings at 7 p.m.

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7:30pm - 7:30pm Peter Sinn Nachtrieb's Boom

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8pm - 8pm Organa Trio

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

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Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description: Organa Trio will perform Friday at 8 p.m.

8pm - 8pm Thomas Coleman

Where: Retrofit sip-n-seat, 152 Mantissa Row, Hartsville, SC, 29550, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

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Sat Feb 22, 2020

All day Baseball, Softball, Miracle League Registration

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All day High School Softball Scrimmages

Sat Feb 22, 2020

Where: Freedom Florence, 1515 Freedom Blvd., Florence, SC, 29505, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

SFHS will hold High School Softball scrimmages Saturday at Freedom Florence. Most areas are accessible to the public no charge; however there may be some softball/baseball tournament games that require an admission fee. For more information please call 843-669-4597, 843-665-3253 or email athletics@cityofflorence.com.

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9am - 5:30pm Artist JRenee Exhibit

Where: Dr. N. Lee Morris Gallery, 509 S. Dargan St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

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9am - 11am Be Love Now Workshop

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The path of the Heart. A lineage of Love. Do you want to move beyond the egoic, emotional, "greeting card" heart and connect with the timeless, eternal, Spiritual Heart? Join Jamie for an exploration of Bhakti Yoga as outlined by Ram Dass from the lineage of Neem Karoli Baba. She will present theory and techniques to move beyond the ego, attachments, and desires that keep us bound in our own suffering. Love is the antidote for fear, and the pathway to deep connections and freedom. What to expect: - Storytelling - Discussion - Pranayama - Meditation - Partner Work - Mantra and Chanting - Mudra - NO ASANA \$20, or free with monthly unlimited

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9am - 1pm City Center Farmers Market

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

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Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Florence City Center Farmers Market is open every Saturday from 9 a.m. to 1 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. For more information or to become a vendor at the market, please email: jpeze@cityofflorence.com. www.facebook.com/citycenterfarmersmarket

9am - 10:30am Farm Animal Day

Where: L.W. Paul Living History Farm, 2279 Harris Shortcut Road, Conway, SC, 29526, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Experience life on the "one horse farm" in Horry County from 1900-1955 at the L.W. Paul Living History Farm. Join them from 9 to 10:30 a.m. to help feed livestock and learn about some of the different animals that would be on a small family farm. This program is free and open to all ages. Occurs the fourth Saturday of every month.

9:30am - 9:30am Introduce a Girl to Engineering Day

Where: Girls University Hartsville, 701 W Washington St, Hartsville, SC, 29550, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Introduce A Girl To Engineering Day is all about encouraging girls to consider a route into engineering, and inspiring a generation who might grow up to be the great innovators and problem solvers of the next generation! Great for girls 5K-6th grade. HANDS ON ENGINEERING ACTIVITIES LEARN MORE ABOUT GIRLS UNIVERSITY EXPLORE YOUR CREATIVITY & HAVE FUN! Contact Information and/or ticket purchasing information-RSVP and register at the Girls University store online www.girls-university.com register here-<https://checkout.square.site/buy/BGOILVGQW6XEGSVKCDT54JA6>

Florence Festivals & Events

10am - 5pm 2020 Pee Dee Regional Art Competition Exhibition

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The annual competition, sponsored by Chick-fil-A of Florence, is organized by The Florence County Museum and is open to any artist native to the Pee Dee area or currently living in Florence, Horry, Chesterfield, Darlington, Dillon, Georgetown, Kershaw, Lee, Marion, Marlboro, Sumter, and Williamsburg counties. This year's exhibition is comprised of 36 artworks selected by competition juror, Jeff Donovan. Donovan is a mixed media artist and paintings conservator living and working in Columbia, SC. The art will remain on display through Friday, April 3. For more information about the 2020 Pee Dee Regional Art Competition and all other museum exhibits and programs, please visit flocomuseum.org or contact the Florence County Museum at 843.676.1200.

10am - 4pm Birds of Paradise Exhibit

Where: Franklin G. Burroughs-Simeon B. Chapin Art Museum, 3100 S. Ocean Blvd., Myrtle Beach, SC, 29577, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Franklin G. Burroughs-Simeon G. Chapin Art Museum will host the Sarah Golish: Birds of Paradise exhibit. This is a collection of portraits in oil featuring ethnically diverse female subjects in bold colors, as well as exotic birds and plants that symbolize strength through adversity and fortitude of spirit. The exhibit is on display January 14 through April 11. Toronto-based artist Sara Golish questions the symbolism of conventional oil portraiture through a lens of eco-feminism by depicting traditionally oppressed bodies with dignity and grace in her Birds of Paradise series. Golish breathes new life into the traditional canon of early modern portraiture, where affluent women were presented in ways that spoke more to men's accumulation of wealth and status than to any representation of their own identities. If women of color appeared, they were rendered as servants and exotic curiosities to demonstrate the imperial reach of aristocratic power and wealth. Birds of Paradise is about liberating not just the subject from the patriarchal grasp, but also the form, techniques and materials from their historical usage and symbolism. Golish fills her portraits with ethnically diverse female subjects in bold colors, as well as exotic birds and plants that symbolize strength through adversity and fortitude of spirit. Admission to the Art Museum is free at all times but donations are welcome.

10am - 5pm Willie + Holcha Art Exhibit

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

An exhibition of Art by William Henry Johnson and Holcha Krake Johnson is on display at Florence County Museum October 15, 2019 through May 17, 2020. In 1928, Florence native William Henry Johnson met Danish textile artist Holcha Krake. It was a chance encounter which opened a new chapter in Johnson's life, both personally and artistically. Johnson's early artworks often evince his shifting nature, reflecting the influences of well established artists and styles of the time. However, after their marriage in 1930, Holcha became a constant in Johnson's life. Holcha's folk art philosophies were rooted in the past, but were shaped just as much by the progressive thinking of European modernism. By 1940 these principals had become a catalyst for Johnson's own artistic transformation. Willie and Holcha presents for the first time, rare rediscovered works by Holcha Krake which have recently been acquired. This exhibition explores the mutual influence between these artists and invites a deeper interpretation of both Johnson and Holcha's work in the context of their relationship. For more information about Willie and Holcha as well as other upcoming exhibits and events, please contact the Florence County Museum at 843.676.1200 or visit the website at flocomuseum.org.

11am - 11am Addie's Baby Paint Class

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11am - 5pm Jamey Grimes Exhibition: Formicarium

Where: Jones-Carter Gallery, 105 Henry St., Lake City, SC, 29560, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Jones-Carter Gallery will host an exhibition by artist Jamey Grimes January 31 through March 14. The objects and environments that he creates are fueled by encounters with natural forces, both real and imagined. Inspired by these encounters, he generates unique forms through the manipulation of synthetic materials. These forms accumulate, en masse, to engulf the viewer in an experience that is simultaneously unsettling and serene. The artist's intent is to remind us of our relationships to forces of nature. Synthetic materials establish a unique starting point for creating artwork that responds to nature. These tangible substances are selected because they have been cleansed of nature's direct influence and reset by human manufacturing processes. Through abstraction and re-interpretation, patterns emerge from the medium and quickly emulate more complex natural designs. The juxtaposition of this dialogue reflects a human impulse to codify the natural world.

11am - 5pm Noah James Saunders Exhibition: The Depth of Wire

Where: TRAX Visual Arts Center, 122 Sauls St., Lake City, SC, 29560, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The TRAX Visual Art Center will host an exhibition from artist Noah James Saunders January 31 through March 21.

11am - 11am Soap Making

Where: Olanta Public Library (Dr. John M. Thomason), 210 E. Hampton St., Olanta, SC, 29114, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Dr. John M. Thomason Public Library will host a soap making demonstration on Saturday at 11 a.m. This demonstration will use ingredients such as various carrier oils and essential oils, to illustrate the ease with which soap can be made at home. Due to the use of lye in this process, the instructor will be the only one actually making the soap. This free program is intended for an adult audience. For more information, call 843-396-4287, or visit the library.

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: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

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12pm - 2pm 3rd Annual "Repack the Backpack" Jamboree

Where: Ragsdale Old Building (The R.O.B.), 245 S. Church St., Lake City, SC, 29560, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

In collaboration with HealthyBlue SC, we present the 3rd Annual "Repack the Backpack" Jamboree! There will be tons of fun activities, refreshments, school supplies, health screenings and much more. The first 500 people will even receive a backpack with supplies at no cost. This will be a fun and festive event for all!

12pm - 5pm Winter Parrot Head Fest

Where: La Belle Amie Vineyard, 1120 St. Joseph Road, Little River, SC, 29566, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Bring a blanket and chair, and enjoy the music at La Belle Amie! This event features live music, tasty food and excellent wine. Admission is \$12, and individuals under 18 and over 80 are admitted for free. Join us from noon to 5 p.m. Admission is reduced by \$2 if you bring 2 canned/dry good food items for the area food bank. Festival dates are subject to change. Inclement weather may cause a last-minute postponement or cancellation, so check the website or call prior to coming out for an event.

Florence Festivals & Events

1pm - 1pm FMU 2020 Softball

Where: FMU Softball Field: Griffin Athletic Complex, 4700 E. Palmetto St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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Description:

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2pm - 2pm FMU Baseball

Where: Sparrow Stadium, 4700 E. Palmetto St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

FMU baseball games are played at Sparrow Stadium. Listed below are the home games for the 2020 schedule. Jan. 31 - vs. Mars Hill at 5 p.m. Feb 1 - vs. Lenoir-Rhyne at 2 p.m. Feb 2 - vs. Southern Wesleyan at 2 p.m. Feb 5 - vs. Mount Olive at 4 p.m. Feb 7 - vs. Limestone at 6 p.m. Feb 8 - vs. Limestone at 2 p.m. Feb 19 - vs. Mercy at 3 p.m. Feb 21 - vs. North Georgia at 6 p.m. Feb 22 - vs. North Georgia at 2 p.m. Feb 23 - vs. North Georgia at 1 p.m. Feb 28 - vs. Young Harris at 6 p.m. Feb 29 - vs. Young Harris at 2 p.m. Mar. 1 - vs. Young Harris at 1 p.m. Mar. 3 - vs. Newberry at 5 p.m. Mar. 10 - vs. Chowan at 6 p.m. Mar. 11 - vs. Chowan at 2 p.m. Mar. 20 - vs. Augusta at 6 p.m. Mar. 21 - vs. Augusta at 2 p.m. Mar. 22 - vs. Augusta at 1 p.m. Mar. 24 - vs. Barton at 6 p.m. Mar. 31 - vs. Queens (NC) at 6 p.m. April 9 - vs. UNC Pembroke at 6 p.m. April 10 - vs. UNC Pembroke at 3 p.m. April 11 - vs. UNC Pembroke at 1 p.m. April 24 - vs. Ga. Southwestern at 1 p.m. April 24 - vs. Ga. Southwestern at 4 p.m. April 25 - vs. Ga. Southwestern at 1 p.m.

2pm - 2pm Introduce a Girl to Engineering Day

Where: Girls University, 1249 Celebration Blvd., Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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Description:

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2pm - 2pm Peter Sinn Nachtrieb's Boom

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezzsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Francis Marion University Theatre's winter production will be Peter Sinn Nachtrieb's Boom. The performance is Wednesday through Friday at 7:30 p.m. and 2 p.m. on Saturday. THE STORY: Jules, a grad student in marine biology, and Jo, a journalism student, meet one Saturday night in Jules's small underground laboratory on a university campus, after Jo answers Jules's online personal ad offering an encounter that promises "sex to change the course of the world." During his research on a deserted tropical island, Jules discovered patterns among the behavior of fish that seemed to portend a premature end to most forms of earthly life. So he has turned his tiny lab/apartment into a place to wait out the disaster and begin remaking humanity. A third character, Barbara, is the audience's guide in her portrayal of the end of civilization thousands of years earlier. AUDITIONS: For specific info: llarsen@fmarion.edu RESERVATIONS: Reservations may only be made by calling the FMU Performing Arts Center Box Office at 843-661-4444 between 12:00 and 5:00 pm. \$5 admission supports the Fine Arts Performing Arts Scholarships.

3pm - 3pm Wild Weekends

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

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7pm - 7pm Country Corner Band

Where: VFW Post 3181, 236 S. Greer Rd., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezzsol@gmail.com

Description: The Country Corner Band will perform on Saturday at 7 p.m.

Florence Festivals & Events

8pm - 8pm Glow Throw Night

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezzsol@gmail.com

Description:

GLOW THROW!!! Every Thursday through Saturday starting at 8 p.m. Comeout and wear your neon because they've got black lights!

8pm - 8pm The Rod Brown Combo

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezzsol@gmail.com

Description: The Rod Brown Combo will perform Saturday at 8 p.m.

8pm - 8pm Wet Nose Dogs

Where: Local Motive Brewing Company, 123 North Dargan Street, Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezzsol@gmail.com

Description: Wet Nose Dogs will perform at 8 p.m.

Sun Feb 23, 2020

All day Baseball, Softball, Miracle League Registration

Sun Feb 23, 2020

Where: Florence County Parks & Recreation, 710 S. Irby St, Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezzsol@gmail.com

Description:

February 3 marks the opening of baseball, softball, Miracle League registration for Florence County Parks & Recreation. Register: Online at <https://registration.florenceco.org/>, by phone at 843-667-0920 or in person.

All day City of Florence: Registration for Baseball, Softball, Track and Field

Sun Feb 23, 2020

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezzsol@gmail.com

Description:

Registration is open for the following City of Florence athletics.(Through 3/5) - P.A.L. Little League - ages 5-12 (Through 2/20) -Baseball: Maple Park - ages 5-12 (Through 2/27) - Baseball: McLeod Park- ages 5-12 (Through 3/13) - Baseball: McLeod Park - ages 13-16(Through 3/20) - Track and Field - ages 6-18 (Through 2/29) - YouthSoftball - ages 4-12 (3/23 through 4/24) - Youth Softball - ages 13-18Registration can be completed online at www.cityofflorenceathletics.com

9am - 9am Bruin Cup

Where: Florence Soccer Complex, 3701 W. Palmetto Street, Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezzsol@gmail.com

Description:

The 2020 Bruin Cup, our third year for this event, is a sponsored fundraising tournament for the South Florence High School Girls Soccer program. The event will include both varsity, junior varsity and middle school divisions. For the schedule of events click: <https://www.bruincupsoccer.com/>

11am - 11am FMU Tennis Schedule

Where: Francis Marion University - Kassab Courts, 4822 E. Palmetto St.,Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezzsol@gmail.com

Description:

Tennis games are played at the Kassab Tennis Courts on the campus of Francis Marion University. Unless otherwise noted. Feb 7 - vs BluefieldSt. Played at Florence Tennis Center (City of Florence College TennisInvitational) - Men play at 2 p.m. Women play at 4 p.m. Feb 8 - TBA -Played at Florence Tennis Center (City of Florence College Tennis Invitational) - Men play at 9 a.m. and 2 p.m. - Women play at 11 a.m.and 4 p.m. Feb 18 - vs. Coker - 2 p.m. Feb 23 - vs. Carson Newman at 11a.m. Mar 7 - vs Chowan played at Florence Tennis Center at 10 a.m. Mar8 - vs Lenoir-Rhyne at Florence Tennis Center at 3 p.m. March 10 - vsAshland at 2 p.m. March 12 - vs Tusculum at 2 p.m. March 28 - vsAugusta at 12 p.m. March 29 - vs Georgia College at 11 a.m. April 10 -vs Columbus St. at 2 p.m. April 11 - vs. Ga. Southwestern 11 a.m. April18 - vs. Lander at 12 p.m.

Florence Festivals & Events

12pm - 12pm FMU 2020 Softball

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Description:

Francis Marion University will play its softball games at the FMU Softball Stadium. The home game schedule is listed below. Sat. - Feb. 1 - Mount Olive at 1 p.m. and 3 p.m. Sun. - Feb 9 - Newberry at 1 p.m. and 3 p.m. Fri. - Feb. 14 - Chowan at 3 p.m. - Patriot Invitational Tournament Fri. - Feb. 14 - Mercy at 5 p.m. - Patriot Invitational Tournament Sat. - Feb. 15 - Chowan at 1 p.m. - Patriot Invitational Tournament Sat. - Feb. 15 - Mars Hill at 5 p.m. - Patriot Invitational Tournament Sun. - Feb. 16 - Mars Hill at 2 p.m. - Patriot Invitational Tournament Fri. - Feb. 21 - Queens (N.C.) at 5 p.m. - Swamp Fox Sizzler Sat. - Feb. 22 - Emmanuel (Ga.) at 1 p.m. - Swamp Fox Sizzler Sat. - Feb. 22 - Queens (N.C.) at 5 p.m. - Swamp Fox Sizzler Sun. - Feb. 23 - Frostburg St. at 12 p.m. - Swamp Fox Sizzler Thu. - Feb. 27 - Erskine at 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. Sat. - Feb. 29 - King (Tenn.) at 1 p.m. and 3 p.m. Sat. - March 7 - Wingate at 1 p.m. and 3 p.m. Wed. - March 18 - USC Aiken * at 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. Thu. - March 19 - New Haven at 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. Wed. - March 25 - UNC Pembroke at 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. Sat. - March 28 - Georgia College at 1 p.m. and 3 p.m. Wed. - April 1 - Lenoir-Rhyne at 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. Fri. - April 10 - Columbus St. at 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. Sat. - April 11 - Ga. Southwestern at 1 p.m. and 3 p.m.

1pm - 1pm FMU Baseball

Where: Sparrow Stadium, 4700 E. Palmetto St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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Description:

FMU baseball games are played at Sparrow Stadium. Listed below are the home games for the 2020 schedule. Jan. 31 - vs. Mars Hill at 5 p.m. Feb 1 - vs. Lenoir-Rhyne at 2 p.m. Feb 2 - vs. Southern Wesleyan at 2 p.m. Feb 5 - vs. Mount Olive at 4 p.m. Feb 7 - vs. Limestone at 6 p.m. Feb 8 - vs. Limestone at 2 p.m. Feb 19 - vs. Mercy at 3 p.m. Feb 21 - vs. North Georgia at 6 p.m. Feb 22 - vs. North Georgia at 2 p.m. Feb 23 - vs. North Georgia at 1 p.m. Feb 28 - vs. Young Harris at 6 p.m. Feb 29 - vs. Young Harris at 2 p.m. Mar. 1 - vs. Young Harris at 1 p.m. Mar. 3 - vs. Newberry at 5 p.m. Mar. 10 - vs. Chowan at 6 p.m. Mar. 11 - vs. Chowan at 2 p.m. Mar. 20 - vs. Augusta at 6 p.m. Mar. 21 - vs. Augusta at 2 p.m. Mar. 22 - vs. Augusta at 1 p.m. Mar. 24 - vs. Barton at 6 p.m. Mar. 31 - vs. Queens (NC) at 6 p.m. April 9 - vs. UNC Pembroke at 6 p.m. April 10 - vs. UNC Pembroke at 3 p.m. April 11 - vs. UNC Pembroke at 1 p.m. April 24 - vs. Ga. Southwestern at 1 p.m. April 24 - vs. Ga. Southwestern at 4 p.m. April 25 - vs. Ga. Southwestern at 1 p.m.

2pm - 5pm 2020 Pee Dee Regional Art Competition Exhibition

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The annual competition, sponsored by Chick-fil-A of Florence, is organized by The Florence County Museum and is open to any artist native to the Pee Dee area or currently living in Florence, Horry, Chesterfield, Darlington, Dillon, Georgetown, Kershaw, Lee, Marion, Marlboro, Sumter, and Williamsburg counties. This year's exhibition is comprised of 36 artworks selected by competition juror, Jeff Donovan. Donovan is a mixed media artist and paintings conservator living and working in Columbia, SC. The art will remain on display through Friday, April 3. For more information about the 2020 Pee Dee Regional Art Competition and all other museum exhibits and programs, please visit flocmuseum.org or contact the Florence County Museum at 843.676.1200.

2pm - 6pm Artist JRenee Exhibit

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2pm - 5pm Repack the Backpack

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Healthy Blue is hosting a community event called "Repack the Backpack." The goal is to provide as many students as possible with back to school items for the new semester, and there will be a community education event Sunday. This event is free to attend, and free for vendors as well! Backpacks will be provided to the first 500 children. Stock up on school supplies (while supplies last) Refreshments (while supplies last) Health screenings and prizes!

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2pm - 2pm Wild Weekends

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

See live animal every Saturday and Sunday at the Environmental Discovery Center at Lynches River County Park. Animal presentations are every Saturday at 11:30 a.m. and 3 p.m. and Sundays at 2 p.m. You'll have an opportunity to meet an animal up close and learn about them.

2pm - 5pm Willie + Holcha Art Exhibit

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

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Description:

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2:30pm - 2:30pm Sunday Family Movie

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 Drs. Bruce & Lee Foundation Library will host popular movies for families at 2:30 p.m. Sundays. The movies are rated either G or PG and are sponsored by Friends of Florence County Library.

3pm - 5pm FSO Family - Peter and the Wolf

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Florence Symphony Orchestra will present the symphonic fairytale, "Peter and the Wolf" by Sergei Prokofiev, along with the "Toy Symphony" by Haydn on February 23 at 3 pm. Post concert, children may visit an instrument "Petting Zoo" where they can get an up-close look at the different instruments of the symphony. Tickets are on sale now at the FMU PAC ticket office for \$10, general admission.

3pm - 4pm The Evening Sky

Where: Dooley Planetarium at FMU, 4822 E. Palmetto St, Florence, SC, United States

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Description:

Join the Dooley Planetarium for The Evening Sky as part of our FREE public planetarium shows offered each month. They will discuss what is visible in the sky at this time of year. They will cover the bright stars, major constellations, visible planets, and highlight some of the deep sky objects. Each time this presentation is given it is customized to the current sky! The program will begin promptly at 3 pm. Doors will open at 2 pm for visitors to arrive early and explore the planetarium. There is no admission fee for this event, but seating is first come first served. Visit: <http://astro.fmarion.edu/> to learn more about Dooley Planetarium.

5pm - 5pm South Carolina Chamber Music Festival

Where: Francis Marion University – Hyman Fine Arts Center, 4822 E. Palmetto St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The South Carolina Chamber Music Festival will host a series of chamber recitals to showcase the artists participating in workshops and masterclasses taking place throughout the week. Sunday 2/23/20 – Where jazz meets classical Paolo André Gualdi, piano; Natalie Boeyink, bass; Jon Hill, drums; Danijela Zezelj-Gualdi, violin Kassab Recital Hall (FMU main campus), 5 p.m. (Free Admission) Tuesday 2/25/20 – Terranova Trio Christian Zamora, violin; Yun Hao Jiang, cello; Irina Pevzner, piano Black Box Theater (PAC), 7:30 p.m. Wednesday 2/26/20 – Stephen Anderson Jazz Trio Stephen Anderson, piano; Aaron Hill, saxophones; Jeffrey Eckels, bass; Ross Pederson, drums Black Box Theater (PAC), 7:30 p.m. Friday 2/28/20 – Balkan Quartet Live recording session – BlackBox, 7 p.m. (free admission, limited seating) Saturday 2/29/20 – Balkan Quartet: Music of Eastern Europe Sinisa Ciric and Mirna Ogrizovic, violins; Danijela Zezelj-Gualdi, viola; Martin Gueorguiev, cello BlackBox Theater (PAC), 7:30 p.m.

Florence Festivals & Events

7pm - 7pm Ranch House Band

Where: VFW Post 3181, 236 S. Greer Rd., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description: The Ranch House Band will perform Sunday at 7 p.m.

Mon Feb 24, 2020

All day Baseball, Softball, Miracle League Registration

Mon Feb 24, 2020

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All day YMCA T-Ball and Coach Pitch Baseball Registration

Mon Feb 24, 2020

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10am - 4pm Elizabeth Claffey Exhibit

Where: Cecelia Coker Bell Gallery, 300 E. College Ave., Hartsville, SC, 29550, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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Description:

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2:30pm - 4:30pm Microsoft Excel Basics

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

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Description:

This class teaches the basics of Microsoft Excel. The participant needs to be competent with computers, including a mouse and a keyboard. Also, needs to have completed Word 2013 Basics before registering. Call 843-413-7074 to register.

3:30pm - 3:30pm Monday Library Lab

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The library will offer Monday Library Lab for children in grades 4-6 on Mondays 3:30 p.m. Children will do a variety of science concepts. Registration is limited. For more information, contact the Greenberg Children's Library at 843-292-7382.

5pm - 5pm The Stitchers: Crochet & Knit Club

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description: The Hartsville Stitchers (a Crochet & Knit club) meet every Monday at the Library at 5 p.m.

5:30pm - 6:30pm Philosophy Flow (Yoga)

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Let go and move to the rhythm of your own breath! Linking breath with mindful movement, this class will firmly ground you in the present moment in order to allow you to connect with your True Self. Movement, breathing and meditation. All-Levels welcomed. Join Jamie on Monday's for this Philosophy Flow class.

7pm - 7pm Our Critical Voices

Where: Watson Theater, Hartsville, SC, 29550, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description: Our Critical Voices is a panel on student involvement in activism presented by students at Coker University.

7pm - 8pm Yoga Basics

Where: SC

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Description:

A slower paced, alignment based yoga class geared toward a beginner student, but suitable for intermediate students who want to refine their yoga practice. Classic yoga poses will be presented with emphasis on correct alignment and precise actions in the body. All levels, especially beginners, welcomed. Join Jamie from 7 to 8 p.m. Mondays for this Yoga Basics class.

8:30pm - 8:30pm Music Mondays

Where: Soulé Cafe, 130 S. Irby St., Florence, SC, 29501, United States

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Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Come on out and join the fun every Monday night Soule Cafe. Music Mondays is another Open Mic nite (Musicians+Vocalist) *Bring your instruments ,play with the band. Vocalist can play w/ a track or band. Tired of sitting on the couch. Come checkout Amazing musicians&vocalists playing Jazz/R&B/Gospel/Pop/Folk

Tue Feb 25, 2020

All day Baseball, Softball, Miracle League Registration

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8:30am - 5pm Impressed by Nature Art Exhibit

Where: Francis Marion University – Hyman Fine Arts Center, 4822 E. PalmettoSt., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The FMU Hyman Fine Arts Center presents an art exhibit by MiyakoFujiwara titled “Impressed by Nature”. This exhibit runs from February25 through April 2. This exhibition “Impressed by Nature” emphasizes the richness and beauty of nature in the Carolina Lowcountry, which she enjoys daily and which is quite opposite from the synthetic beauty of the controlled urban landscape of Tokyo. For this exhibition Miyakoalso explored more hand-building techniques to express organic shapes,patterns and colors in oxidation firing.

8:30am - 5pm The Type Directors Club Exhibit

Where: Francis Marion University – Hyman Fine Arts Center, 4822 E. PalmettoSt., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

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Description:

The Type Directors Club Exhibit is on display February 25 through April2. The TDC celebrates and amplifies the undeniable power of typography.They are a global community united by the shared belief that type drives culture and culture drives type. Established in 1946, the TDCtoday curates a calendar of typographic intrigues designed to: —build a community through public events and platforms —support the growth of students and early career professionals — recognize excellence in typedesign across the world.

9am - 4:30pm AARP Foundation Tax-Aide’s Tax Preparation

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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Description:

AARP Foundation Tax-Aide, the nation’s largest, free, volunteer-run taxassistance and preparation service, will assist taxpayers with personalfederal and state income tax returns at the library. This free serviceis for all taxpayers with low to middle income with special attentionon ages 60+. Business, farms and rentals with depreciation areout-of-scope and cannot be prepared. All returns will be e-filed andall services are free. Tax preparation is available Tuesdays and Wednesdays through April 15 (9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.). There will be twoSaturday sessions, February 29 and March 14 and these will be walk-inonly (no appointments).

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9am - 3pm Wash Day

Where: L.W. Paul Living History Farm, 2279 Harris Shortcut Road, Conway, SC, 29526, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Experience life on a family farm from 1900-1955. Visitors are invited to see how clothes would be washed before the use of modern appliances. This program is free and open to all ages.

9:30am - 9:30am Toddler & Preschool Storytime

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The library will offer Toddler and Preschool Storytimes on Tuesday mornings. Children must be two years old to register for Toddler Storytime and 3, 4 or 5 years old to register for Preschool Storytime. The storytime will include stories, fingerplays, simple crafts, and music for these programs. Toddler storytime is at 9:30 a.m. and last 20 minutes. Preschool storytime is at 10:30 a.m. and last 30 minutes.

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10am - 4pm Birds of Paradise Exhibit

Where: Franklin G. Burroughs-Simeon B. Chapin Art Museum, 3100 S. Ocean Blvd., Myrtle Beach, SC, 29577, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Franklin G. Burroughs-Simeon B. Chapin Art Museum will host the Sarah Golish: Birds of Paradise exhibit. This is a collection of portraits in oil featuring ethnically diverse female subjects in bold colors, as well as exotic birds and plants that symbolize strength through adversity and fortitude of spirit. The exhibit is on display January 14 through April 11. Toronto-based artist Sara Golish questions the symbolism of conventional oil portraiture through a lens of eco-feminism by depicting traditionally oppressed bodies with dignity and grace in her Birds of Paradise series. Golish breathes new life into the traditional canon of early modern portraiture, where affluent women were presented in ways that spoke more to men's accumulation of wealth and status than to any representation of their own identities. If women of color appeared, they were rendered as servants and exotic curiosities to demonstrate the imperial reach of aristocratic power and wealth. Birds of Paradise is about liberating not just the subject from the patriarchal grasp, but also the form, techniques and materials from their historical usage and symbolism. Golish fills her portraits with ethnically diverse female subjects in bold colors, as well as exotic birds and plants that symbolize strength through adversity and fortitude of spirit. Admission to the Art Museum is free at all times but donations are welcome.

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10am - 10am Hartsville Library: Story Time

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11am - 2pm Blanket Class

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezzsol@gmail.com

Description:

Create a cozy and beautiful hand knit blanket. Finished blanket will bea 35"x 45". \$70 per person; Yarn is included. Color is Sleepy Sky(cream & grey multicolors). Custom Color Choice Available: For customcolor choice must reserve and notify studio of choice no later thanFebruary 9th. (There is an additional charge of \$10 to customize color selection. Please leave color choice in the notes section at checkout.)A sandwich lunch will be provided. You may contact the Cheraw ArtsCommission for additional information (843) 537-8420 Reserve with linkbelow: https://www.verlocal.com/pages/payment_page?listing_id=47759

11am - 5pm Jamey Grimes Exhibition: Formicarium

Where: Jones-Carter Gallery, 105 Henry St., Lake City, SC, 29560, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezzsol@gmail.com

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11am - 5pm Noah James Saunders Exhibition: The Depth of Wire

Where: TRAX Visual Arts Center, 122 Sauls St., Lake City, SC, 29560, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezzsol@gmail.com

Description:

The TRAX Visual Art Center will host an exhibition from artist Noah James Saunders January 31 through March 21.

2pm - 4pm Rep. Tom Rice

Where: Pamplico Public Library (Dozier M. Munn), 100 E. Main St., Pamplico, SC, 29583, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezzsol@gmail.com

Description:

A representative from Tom Rice's office will be available to the publicfor any questions, comments or concerns Tuesday at 2 p.m.. All arewelcome to attend. No appointment needed.

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3:30pm - 4:30pm Archery Clinic

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Calling all aspiring Hawkeyes and Katniss Everdeens! The six-week archery clinic begins February 25 and runs through April 2. Choose to attend Tuesday or Thursday from 3:30 to 4:30 p.m. (ages 12 to 17). \$30 per participant. This is an introductory class, and by the end of the class the participant should know the basic skills to archery. For more information, or to register, please call Taylor Rowe at (843) 389-0550 or contact her by email at trowe@florenceco.org.

3:30pm - 3:30pm Bookworms Book Club

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

This is a book discussion group that enjoys crafts and games while discussing a book. The program is for grades 3 – 5 and meets on the fourth Tuesday of each month. The first meeting is Tuesday, January 28 at 3:30 p.m. Registration is required and space is limited.

4pm - 5pm Youth Classes by Laurie Keeton

Where: Lynda English Gallery, 403 Second Loop Road, Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Youth Classes taught by Laurie Keeton are Tuesdays. This is a 6-week course. The cost is \$120 plus a \$10 supply fee. Ages 6 to 8 meet from 4 to 5 p.m. Ages 9 to 12 meet from 5:30 to 6:45 p.m. This 6-week session runs from 2/25 through 4/7.

5pm - 7pm Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper

Where: St. John's Church, 252 S. Dargan St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Everyone is invited to a Pancake Supper with a Mardi Gras theme for Shrove Tuesday! Come prepared to shop their Youth Auction! The Auction will start at 6 p.m. Fr. Ken will auction off members of the Youth Group to raise money for the mission trip this year. It will be a wonderful opportunity to eat pancakes, enjoy fellowship, and get to know the youth of the church better. They have youth who are willing to baby sit, do yard work, organize, teach art classes, pet sitting, running errands, and more. Please come out and support our youth at the beginning of their journey on this year's mission trip.

5:30pm - 5:30pm Power Yoga

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description: Our Sacred Space Yoga presents class called Power Yoga Tuesdays at 5:30 p.m.

5:30pm - 6:45pm Youth Classes by Laurie Keeton

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6pm - 6:30pm Bilingual Story Time

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The library will offer Bilingual Storytime on Tuesday evenings for ages 2 – 5. The storytime will include stories, fingerplays, and music with a bilingual theme. Bilingual Storytime will last 30 minutes.

6pm - 6pm Fat Tuesday Mardi Gras Party

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Shrove Tuesday also known as Fat Tuesday kicks off Mardi Gras in New Orleans and it will kick it off in Florence with the Soda City Brass Band with Florence native trumpeter Mark Rapp. They are taking it to the streets so bring your beads, mask and festive Mardi Gras attire. Make sure you try the special voodoo egg roll!!!

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6pm - 8pm Heart and Sole Line Dancing

Where: Poynor Adult Education, 301 S. Dargan St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Join Heart & Sole Line Dancing Tuesday's from 6 to 8 p.m.! Don't know how to line dance? Don't worry instructors will teach you. The cost is \$5 to participate.

6pm - 6pm Mardi Gras Beer Dinner

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Downtown Southern Funk and Seminar Brewing present Mardi Gras Beer Dinner Tuesday from 6 to 8:30 p.m.

4 Courses of Downtown Southern Funk's food paired with Seminar Brewing's Beer! \$45/person (plus tax & tip). Seating by advance reservation only. Let them know of any dietary restrictions ahead of time and they will easily accommodate you!

Menu: Mushrooms on the Forest Floor Toasted Pumpernickel Bread Crumbs, Roasted Mushrooms and Beets, Mixed Greens, Ashen Goat Cheese and Truffle Vinaigrette Fauxrizo & Seafood Gumbo House-made Vegan Chorizo, Catfish, Okra and Vegetables in a Sassafras-thickened Soup Whole Smoked Alligator Roasted Cauliflower with Caper-Raisin Vinaigrette and Brabant Potatoes Tabasco Bloody Mary Sorbet

6:30pm - 7:30pm Chew, Chat, and Support Relay For Life of Florence County

Where: Mellow Mushroom, 120 Dunbarton Dr., Florence, SC, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Join Relay For Life of Florence County Team Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority Inc., Epsilon Chi Omega Chapter

Tuesday from 6:30 - 7:30 PM @ Mellow Mushroom, as they Chew and Chat about Nic Stone's New York Bestseller "Dear Martin". This is a public event and 10% of purchases made at Mellow Mushroom between 4 p.m. and close will be donated to Relay For Life of Florence County. So come early for supper and join the chat OR join the chat and stay late for dinner.

6:30pm - 6:30pm Wilson High School Gospel Choir

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Wilson High School Gospel Choir, led by Director Quantessa Davis, will be performing at the Doctors Bruce and Lee Foundation Library on Tuesday, February 25 at 6:30 p.m. The Wilson High School Gospel Choir has provided students with an extracurricular way to express themselves artistically for over 30 years. It is a student led organization that participates in school and community events. The Gospel Choir will be performing songs in honor of Black History month. This free program, in honor of Black History month, is open to attendees 14 and over, and is made possible by Friends of Florence County Library. 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.

7pm - 7pm Lake City History Fields

Where: Lynches Lake Historical Society, 238 E. Main St., Lake City, SC, 29560, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

This event has the discussion on the development of Lake City as well as the local history of the town. We invite everyone to come and join in the learning as well as learn more how much Lake City has grown. The time period allotted is for the discussion of Lake City History and can be shorter or longer but there is not a time limit on the meet and greet that is across the street at the Museum with some hors d'oeuvres and refreshments.

7:30pm - 7:30pm South Carolina Chamber Music Festival

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The South Carolina Chamber Music Festival will host a series of chamber recitals to showcase the artists participating in workshops and masterclasses taking place throughout the week. Box Office: 843-661-4444 between 12:00 and 5:00 pm. Sunday 2/23/20 - Where jazz meets classical Paolo André Gualdi, piano; Natalie Boeyink, bass; Jon Hill, drums; Danijela Zezelj-Gualdi, violin Kassab Recital Hall (FMU main campus), 5 p.m. (Free Admission) Tuesday 2/25/20 - Terranova Trio Christian Zamora, violin; Yun Hao Jiang, cello; Irina Pevzner, piano Black Box Theater (PAC), 7:30 p.m. Wednesday 2/26/20 - Stephen Anderson Jazz Trio Stephen Anderson, piano; Aaron Hill, saxophones; Jeffery Eckels, bass; Ross Pederson, drums Black Box Theater (PAC), 7:30 p.m. Friday 2/28/20 - Balkan Quartet Live recording session - Black Box, 7 p.m. (free admission, limited seating) Saturday 2/29/20 - Balkan Quartet: Music of Eastern Europe Sinisa Ciric and Mirna Ogrizovic, violins; Danijela Zezelj-Gualdi, viola; Martin Gueorguiev, cello Black Box Theater (PAC), 7:30 p.m.

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Wed Feb 26, 2020

All day Baseball, Softball, Miracle League Registration

Wed Feb 26, 2020

Where: Florence County Parks & Recreation, 710 S. Irby St, Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

February 3 marks the opening of baseball, softball, Miracle League registration for Florence County Parks & Recreation. Register: Online at <https://registration.florenceco.org/>, by phone at 843-667-0920 or in person.

All day City of Florence: Registration for Baseball, Softball, Track and Field

Wed Feb 26, 2020

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Registration is open for the following City of Florence athletics.(Through 3/5) - P.A.L. Little League - ages 5-12 (Through 2/20) -Baseball: Maple Park - ages 5-12 (Through 2/27) - Baseball: McLeod Park- ages 5-12 (Through 3/13) - Baseball: McLeod Park - ages 13-16(Through 3/20) - Track and Field - ages 6-18 (Through 2/29) - YouthSoftball - ages 4-12 (3/23 through 4/24) - Youth Softball - ages 13-18Registration can be completed online at www.cityofflorenceathletics.com

All day YMCA T-Ball and Coach Pitch Baseball Registration

Wed Feb 26, 2020

Where: Florence Family YMCA, 1700 S. Rutherford Drive, Florence, SC, 29505, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Registration for T-Ball and Coach Pitch Baseball is February 24-March 22. \$10 late applies to any sign-ups after that. T-ball is for boys and girls ages 3-4 and coach pitch is for boys and girls ages 5-9. The season runs March 30 to 31-May 19 or 21. The YMCA T-Ball and Coach-Pitch Baseball program teaches 3 to 9 year olds the beginning of baseball skills with the use of a batting tee or pitches. Skills include running, batting, fielding, throwing and catching. While playing outdoors and having fun with others, this will give children the chance to share and play nice with others. All participants will enjoy equal playing time. Those teachings and interactions will allow them all to grow in accordance with the YMCA Mission. Children need to bring their own glove. Parents are needed as volunteer coaches. Registration through March 22; \$10 late fee will be added after March 22. Come by and register at the Florence Family YMCA. For more information visit our website at www.florenceymca.org or call Brent Freeman at 665-1234 ext 104.

8:30am - 5pm Impressed by Nature Art Exhibit

Where: Francis Marion University - Hyman Fine Arts Center, 4822 E. PalmettoSt., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The FMU Hyman Fine Arts Center presents an art exhibit by MiyakoFujiwara titled "Impressed by Nature". This exhibit runs from February25 through April 2. This exhibition "Impressed by Nature" emphasizes the richness and beauty of nature in the Carolina Lowcountry, which sheenjoys daily and which is quite opposite from the synthetic beauty of the controlled urban landscape of Tokyo. For this exhibition Miyakoalso explored more hand-building techniques to express organic shapes,patterns and colors in oxidation firing.

8:30am - 5pm The Type Directors Club Exhibit

Where: Francis Marion University - Hyman Fine Arts Center, 4822 E. PalmettoSt., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Type Directors Club Exhibit is on display February 25 through April2. The TDC celebrates and amplifies the undeniable power of typography.They are a global community united by the shared belief that typedrives culture and culture drives type. Established in 1946, the TDCtoday curates a calendar of typographic intrigues designed to: —build a community through public events and platforms —support the growth ofstudents and early career professionals — recognize excellence in typedesign across the world.

9am - 4:30pm AARP Foundation Tax-Aide's Tax Preparation

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

AARP Foundation Tax-Aide, the nation's largest, free, volunteer-run taxassistance and preparation service, will assist taxpayers with personalfederal and state income tax returns at the library. This free serviceis for all taxpayers with low to middle income with special attentionon ages 60+. Business, farms and rentals with depreciation areout-of-scope and cannot be prepared. All returns will be e-filed andall services are free. Tax preparation is available Tuesdays and Wednesdays through April 15 (9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.). There will be twoSaturday sessions, February 29 and March 14 and these will be walk-inonly (no appointments).

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9am - 8:30pm Artist JRenee Exhibit

Where: Dr. N. Lee Morris Gallery, 509 S. Dargan St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Dr. Lee Morris Gallery is hosting an exhibit by artist JReneeSunday, January 26 through March 15. The opening reception is Sunday, January 26 at 3 p.m. Admission is free and open to the public and light refreshments will be served. In addition to the exhibit, she will present an artist's talk about her work on February 11 at 6:30 p.m. in the Joseph Stukes Meeting Room. JRenee is internationally known for her reverse glass paintings, or Eglomise, depicting southern lifestyle themes, tropical design, and the life and times in New Orleans, pre-and post-Katrina. She enjoys painting images and scenes that promote thought on issues of social justice, history, and folklore. She graduated from Xavier University in 1989 with a Bachelor's degree in Fine Arts. Like many, JRenee was a Katrina evacuee who was forced to move around the country. She eventually settled in Columbia, South Carolina. The Doctor N. Lee Morris Gallery is located on the second floor of the Drs. Bruce and Lee Foundation Library.

9:30am - 10:30am How Does the Garden Grow?

Where: L.W. Paul Living History Farm, 2279 Harris Shortcut Road, Conway, SC, 29526, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Experience life on the family farm in Horry County from 1900-1955 at the L.W. Paul Living History Farm. Join us for a program on gardening where visitors can learn about growing a garden using heirloom varieties of vegetables and organic fertilizers. This program is free and open to all ages.

10am - 5pm 2020 Pee Dee Regional Art Competition Exhibition

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The annual competition, sponsored by Chick-fil-A of Florence, is organized by The Florence County Museum and is open to any artist native to the Pee Dee area or currently living in Florence, Horry, Chesterfield, Darlington, Dillon, Georgetown, Kershaw, Lee, Marion, Marlboro, Sumter, and Williamsburg counties. This year's exhibition is comprised of 36 artworks selected by competition juror, Jeff Donovan. Donovan is a mixed media artist and paintings conservator living and working in Columbia, SC. The art will remain on display through Friday, April 3. For more information about the 2020 Pee Dee Regional Art Competition and all other museum exhibits and programs, please visit flocomuseum.org or contact the Florence County Museum at 843.676.1200.

10am - 4pm Birds of Paradise Exhibit

Where: Franklin G. Burroughs-Simeon B. Chapin Art Museum, 3100 S. Ocean Blvd., Myrtle Beach, SC, 29577, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Franklin G. Burroughs-Simeon G. Chapin Art Museum will host the Sarah Golish: Birds of Paradise exhibit. This is a collection of portraits in oil featuring ethnically diverse female subjects in bold colors, as well as exotic birds and plants that symbolize strength through adversity and fortitude of spirit. The exhibit is on display January 14 through April 11. Toronto-based artist Sara Golish questions the symbolism of conventional oil portraiture through a lens of eco-feminism by depicting traditionally oppressed bodies with dignity and grace in her Birds of Paradise series. Golish breathes new life into the traditional canon of early modern portraiture, where affluent women were presented in ways that spoke more to men's accumulation of wealth and status than to any representation of their own identities. If women of color appeared, they were rendered as servants and exotic curiosities to demonstrate the imperial reach of aristocratic power and wealth. Birds of Paradise is about liberating not just the subject from the patriarchal grasp, but also the form, techniques and materials from their historical usage and symbolism. Golish fills her portraits with ethnically diverse female subjects in bold colors, as well as exotic birds and plants that symbolize strength through adversity and fortitude of spirit. Admission to the Art Museum is free at all times but donations are welcome.

10am - 4pm Elizabeth Claffey Exhibit

Where: Cecelia Coker Bell Gallery, 300 E. College Ave., Hartsville, SC, 29550, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Cecelia Coker Bell Gallery will host the Elizabeth Claffey Exhibit February 3 through February 28. The gallery is open MWF 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. and TTh from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m.

10am - 4pm Free Tax Preparation

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

A representative with SC Thrive will be available at the library to assist with tax preparation. Call 843-386-2052 or come by the library to reserve your time.

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10am - 11:15am Preschool Storytime

Where: Lake City Public Library, 221 E. Main St., Lake City, SC, 29560, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Lake City Public Library is presenting storytime to preschoolers, ages 2-5 years old, on Wednesdays from 10:00 a.m. - 11:15 a.m. This free event is open to the public.

10am - 5pm Willie + Holcha Art Exhibit

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

An exhibition of Art by William Henry Johnson and Holcha Krake Johnson is on display at Florence County Museum October 15, 2019 through May 17, 2020. In 1928, Florence native William Henry Johnson met Danish textile artist Holcha Krake. It was a chance encounter which opened a new chapter in Johnson's life, both personally and artistically. Johnson's early artworks often evince his shifting nature, reflecting the influences of well established artists and styles of the time. However, after their marriage in 1930, Holcha became a constant in Johnson's life. Holcha's folk art philosophies were rooted in the past, but were shaped just as much by the progressive thinking of European modernism. By 1940 these principals had become a catalyst for Johnson's own artistic transformation. Willie and Holcha presents for the first time, rare rediscovered works by Holcha Krake which have recently been acquired. This exhibition explores the mutual influence between these artists and invites a deeper interpretation of both Johnson and Holcha's work in the context of their relationship. For more information about Willie and Holcha as well as other upcoming exhibits and events, please contact the Florence County Museum at 843.676.1200 or visit the website at flocmuseum.org.

11am - 7pm Celebrity BBQ Benefit

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Florence County Disabilities Foundation is preparing to kick off Disabilities Awareness Month with their annual Celebrity BBQ Benefit. The benefit will be held Wednesday, February 26, at three locations: Roger's BBQ in Florence, Schoolhouse BBQ in Scranton, and Johnsonville First Baptist Church in Johnsonville. The benefit will start at 11 a.m. and end at 7 p.m. at both Roger's and Schoolhouse BBQ. It will be catered to Johnsonville First Baptist Church from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. Drive-thru will be available at all locations, but you are invited to dine-in and meet local celebrities! Tickets for individual plates will cost \$8. The plates include barbecue, rice and red gravy, sweet potato soufflé, cole slaw, and bread. Satisfy your sweet tooth with a dessert from our Bake Sale starting at \$1. You can also buy barbecue "by the pound," which freezes well and is great to have when unexpected company arrives, for only \$10. To purchase tickets, please visit any of our Pee Dee Thrift Stores listed below: * Pee Dee Thrift of East Palmetto - 1650 E. Palmetto St., Florence, SC * Pee Dee Thrift of Lake City - 219 N. Church St., Lake City, SC * Pee Dee Thrift of Scranton - 1670 US Hwy 52, Scranton, SC * Pee Dee Thrift of South Park Shopping Ctr - 1524 S. Irby St., Florence, SC You can purchase tickets today by visiting www.fcdfoundation.org/bbq or by calling the Florence County Disabilities Foundation at 843-374-2641 or 843-662-4021. Local delivery is available for orders of 10 or more plates.

11am - 5pm Jamey Grimes Exhibition: Formicarium

Where: Jones-Carter Gallery, 105 Henry St., Lake City, SC, 29560, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

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Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

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3:15pm - 4:15pm Tech Talk PM

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Call to schedule a 30 minute appointment for assistance with: tablet use, creating or using e-mail, the Jasmine reading system, laptops, smart phones, cloud storage, safety and security for portable devices, or specific questions on software such as Word, Firefox, etc. Call 843-413-7074 to make an appointment.

3:30pm - 3:30pm Library Tweens Program

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The library will offer programs for children in grades 3 - 5 on Wednesday afternoons. The programs will consist of movies, stories, crafts, and guest speakers. The programs will last 30 to 45 minutes.

4pm - 8pm Wine Down Wednesdays

Where: Dolce Vita Café & More, 160 S Dargan St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description: Every Wednesday, Dolce Vita offers 1/2 off wines from 4 to 8 p.m. Super classy, chill atmosphere!

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

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Francis Marion University Women's Basketball will play in the Smith University Center. (Home games only)
Nov. 18 - vs. Claflin at 6 p.m. Nov. 23 - vs. Queens (NC) at 1:30 p.m. Dec 19 - vs. North Georgia at 5:30 p.m. Dec 21 - vs. Young Harris at 1:30 p.m. Jan 11 - vs. Lander at 1:30 p.m. Jan 18 - vs. Clayton St. at 1:30 p.m. Jan 22 - vs. Georgia College at 5:30 p.m. Jan 25 - vs. Flagler at 1:30 p.m. Feb 1 - vs. Ga. Southwestern at 1:30 p.m. - Homecoming Feb 5 - vs. USC Aiken at 5:30 p.m. Feb 12 - vs. Augusta at 5:30 p.m. Feb 26 - vs. UNC Pembroke at 5:30 p.m. - Senior Night

5:30pm - 6:30pm Yoga for Anxiety

Where: SC

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Anxiety is a feeling of worry, nervousness, or unease, typically about an imminent event or something with an uncertain outcome. This gentle yoga class is designed to alleviate symptoms of anxiety and teach stress management techniques to manage daily struggles. Postures, breathing, and guided meditation included. Not intended to replace proper medical and/or psychiatric care.

7pm - 8pm Reiki + Restore with Sandra

Where: SC

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description: Join Sandra for Reiki + Restore from 7 to 8 p.m. Wednesdays.

7pm - 7pm Trivia: Right Answers with Wrong Travis

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The weekly trivia sensation, Right Answers with Wrong Travis is back for another 12-week season, with weekly prizes and the grand prize!

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

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Francis Marion University Men's Basketball will play in the Smith University Center. Home games are listed below. Nov 8 - vs. Newberry (PBC/SAC Challenge) at 11 a.m. Nov 9 - vs. Catawba (PBC/SAC Challenge) at 4 p.m. Nov 23 - vs. Johnson & Wales (NC) - at 3:30 p.m. Dec 19 - vs. North Georgia at 7:30 p.m. Dec 21 - vs. Young Harris at 3:30 p.m. Jan 11 - vs. Lander at 3:30 p.m. Jan 18 - vs. Clayton St. at 3:30 p.m. Jan 22 - vs. Georgia College at 7:30 p.m. Jan 25 - vs. Flagler at 3:30 p.m. Feb 1 - vs. Ga. Southwestern (Homecoming) at 3:30 p.m. Feb 5 - vs. USC Aiken at 7:30 p.m. Feb 12 - vs. August at 7:30 p.m. Feb 26 - vs. UNC Pembroke at 7:30 p.m.

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7:30pm - 7:30pm South Carolina Chamber Music Festival

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Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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Description:

The South Carolina Chamber Music Festival will host a series of chamber recitals to showcase the artists participating in workshops and masterclasses taking place throughout the week. Box Office: 843-661-4444 between 12:00 and 5:00 pm. Sunday 2/23/20 - Where jazz meets classical Paolo André Gualdi, piano; Natalie Boeyink, bass; Jon Hill, drums; Danijela Zezelj-Gualdi, violin Kassab Recital Hall (FMU main campus), 5 p.m. (Free Admission) Tuesday 2/25/20 - Terranova Trio Christian Zamora, violin; Yun Hao Jiang, cello; Irina Pevzner, piano Black Box Theater (PAC), 7:30 p.m. Wednesday 2/26/20 - Stephen Anderson Jazz Trio Stephen Anderson, piano; Aaron Hill, saxophones; Jeffery Eckels, bass; Ross Pederson, drums Black Box Theater (PAC), 7:30 p.m. Friday 2/28/20 - Balkan Quartet Live recording session - Black Box, 7 p.m. (free admission, limited seating) Saturday 2/29/20 - Balkan Quartet: Music of Eastern Europe Sinisa Ciric and Mirna Ogrizovic, violins; Danijela Zezelj-Gualdi, viola; Martin Gueorguiev, cello Black Box Theater (PAC), 7:30 p.m.

8pm - 8pm Wednesday Night Karaoke

Where: Local Motive Brewing Company, 123 North Dargan Street, Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Come out and join Local Motive for Karaoke with Tony Rogers. It's hard to think of a better way to get over the hump than good music, good drinks, and good food.

8:30pm - 8:30pm Soulé Open Mic Nite

Where: Soulé Cafe, 130 S. Irby St., Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Soulé Open Mic Nite at 8 p.m. Wednesdays. Check out the next budding stars (singers/musicians/poets/producers/etc.).

Thu Feb 27, 2020

All day Baseball, Softball, Miracle League Registration

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8:30am - 5pm Impressed by Nature Art Exhibit

Where: Francis Marion University – Hyman Fine Arts Center, 4822 E. PalmettoSt., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The FMU Hyman Fine Arts Center presents an art exhibit by MiyakoFujiwara titled “Impressed by Nature”. This exhibit runs from February25 through April 2. This exhibition “Impressed by Nature” emphasizes the richness and beauty of nature in the Carolina Lowcountry, which she enjoys daily and which is quite opposite from the synthetic beauty of the controlled urban landscape of Tokyo. For this exhibition Miyako also explored more hand-building techniques to express organic shapes, patterns and colors in oxidation firing.

8:30am - 5pm The Type Directors Club Exhibit

Where: Francis Marion University – Hyman Fine Arts Center, 4822 E. PalmettoSt., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Type Directors Club Exhibit is on display February 25 through April 2. The TDC celebrates and amplifies the undeniable power of typography. They are a global community united by the shared belief that type drives culture and culture drives type. Established in 1946, the TDC today curates a calendar of typographic intrigues designed to: —build a community through public events and platforms —support the growth of students and early career professionals — recognize excellence in type design across the world.

9am - 8:30pm Artist JRenee Exhibit

Where: Dr. N. Lee Morris Gallery, 509 S. Dargan St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Dr. Lee Morris Gallery is hosting an exhibit by artist JRenee Sunday, January 26 through March 15. The opening reception is Sunday, January 26 at 3 p.m. Admission is free and open to the public and light refreshments will be served. In addition to the exhibit, she will present an artist's talk about her work on February 11 at 6:30 p.m. in the Joseph Stukes Meeting Room. JRenee is internationally known for her reverse glass paintings, or Eglomise, depicting southern lifestyle themes, tropical design, and the life and times in New Orleans, pre- and post-Katrina. She enjoys painting images and scenes that promote thought on issues of social justice, history, and folklore. She graduated from Xavier University in 1989 with a Bachelor's degree in Fine Arts. Like many, JRenee was a Katrina evacuee who was forced to move around the country. She eventually settled in Columbia, South Carolina. The Doctor N. Lee Morris Gallery is located on the second floor of the Drs. Bruce and Lee Foundation Library.

10am - 10am Baby Storytime

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The library will offer programs for babies 0 – 23 months old on Thursday mornings. The programs will be divided into two groups, walkers and non-walkers. An adult caregiver will need to stay with the baby during the 15 minute program. The programs will consist of music, fingerplays, and stories appropriate for these age groups. Non-walkers meet at 10 a.m. and walkers meet at 11 a.m.

10am - 4pm Birds of Paradise Exhibit

Where: Franklin G. Burroughs-Simeon B. Chapin Art Museum, 3100 S. Ocean Blvd., Myrtle Beach, SC, 29577, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Franklin G. Burroughs-Simeon G. Chapin Art Museum will host the Sarah Golish: Birds of Paradise exhibit. This is a collection of portraits in oil featuring ethnically diverse female subjects in bold colors, as well as exotic birds and plants that symbolize strength through adversity and fortitude of spirit. The exhibit is on display January 14 through April 11. Toronto-based artist Sara Golish questions the symbolism of conventional oil portraiture through a lens of eco-feminism by depicting traditionally oppressed bodies with dignity and grace in her Birds of Paradise series. Golish breathes new life into the traditional canon of early modern portraiture, where affluent women were presented in ways that spoke more to men's accumulation of wealth and status than to any representation of their own identities. If women of color appeared, they were rendered as servants and exotic curiosities to demonstrate the imperial reach of aristocratic power and wealth. Birds of Paradise is about liberating not just the subject from the patriarchal grasp, but also the form, techniques and materials from their historical usage and symbolism. Golish fills her portraits with ethnically diverse female subjects in bold colors, as well as exotic birds and plants that symbolize strength through adversity and fortitude of spirit. Admission to the Art Museum is free at all times but donations are welcome.

10am - 8pm Elizabeth Claffey Exhibit

Where: Cecelia Coker Bell Gallery, 300 E. College Ave., Hartsville, SC, 29550, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Cecelia Coker Bell Gallery will host the Elizabeth Claffey Exhibit February 3 through February 28. The gallery is open MWF 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. and TTh from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m.

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10am - 10am It's Story Time

Where: Darlington County Library, 204 N. Main St., Darlington, SC, 29532, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Darlington Library hosts story time every Thursday at 10 a.m. This program is geared towards preschoolers but anyone is welcome!

10am - 12pm Open Studio Class with Lynda English

Where: Lynda English Gallery, 403 Second Loop Road, Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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Description:

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10am - 7pm Willie + Holcha Art Exhibit

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

An exhibition of Art by William Henry Johnson and Holcha Krake Johnson is on display at Florence County Museum October 15, 2019 through May 17, 2020. In 1928, Florence native William Henry Johnson met Danish textile artist Holcha Krake. It was a chance encounter which opened a new chapter in Johnson's life, both personally and artistically. Johnson's early artworks often evince his shifting nature, reflecting the influences of well established artists and styles of the time. However, after their marriage in 1930, Holcha became a constant in Johnson's life. Holcha's folk art philosophies were rooted in the past, but were shaped just as much by the progressive thinking of European modernism. By 1940 these principals had become a catalyst for Johnson's artistic transformation. Willie and Holcha presents for the first time, rare rediscovered works by Holcha Krake which have recently been acquired. This exhibition explores the mutual influence between these artists and invites a deeper interpretation of both Johnson and Holcha's work in the context of their relationship. For more information about Willie and Holcha as well as other upcoming exhibits and events, please contact the Florence County Museum at 843.676.1200 or visit the website at flocomuseum.org.

11am - 5pm Jamey Grimes Exhibition: Formicarium

Where: Jones-Carter Gallery, 105 Henry St., Lake City, SC, 29560, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Jones-Carter Gallery will host an exhibition by artist Jamey Grimes January 31 through March 14. The objects and environments that he creates are fueled by encounters with natural forces, both real and imagined. Inspired by these encounters, he generates unique forms through the manipulation of synthetic materials. These forms accumulate, en masse, to engulf the viewer in an experience that is simultaneously unsettling and serene. The artist's intent is to remind us of our relationships to forces of nature. Synthetic materials establish a unique starting point for creating artwork that responds to nature. These tangible substances are selected because they have been cleansed of nature's direct influence and reset by human manufacturing processes. Through abstraction and re-interpretation, patterns emerge from the medium and quickly emulate more complex natural designs. The juxtaposition of this dialogue reflects a human impulse to codify the natural world.

11am - 5pm Noah James Saunders Exhibition: The Depth of Wire

Where: TRAX Visual Arts Center, 122 Sauls St., Lake City, SC, 29560, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The TRAX Visual Art Center will host an exhibition from artist Noah James Saunders January 31 through March 21.

2:30pm - 4:30pm Microsoft Excel Basics Practice

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Come practice the Excel skills that you learned. The participant needs to be basic computer competent with mouse, keyboard, and general computer use. Also, needs to have completed Excel 2013 Basics before registering. Call 843-413-7074 to register.

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3pm - 5pm Open Studio Class with Lynda English

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3:30pm - 3:30pm Library Afterschool Program

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

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Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The library will offer programs for children in grades 5K – 2nd on Thursday afternoons. The programs will consist of movies, stories, crafts and guest speakers. The programs will last 30 to 45 minutes.

4pm - 4pm FMU 2020 Softball

Where: FMU Softball Field: Griffin Athletic Complex, 4700 E. Palmetto St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Francis Marion University will play its softball games at the FMU Softball Stadium. The home game schedule is listed below. Sat. – Feb. 1 – Mount Olive at 1 p.m. and 3 p.m. Sun. – Feb. 9 – Newberry at 1 p.m. and 3 p.m. Fri. – Feb. 14 – Chowan at 3 p.m. – Patriot Invitational Tournament Fri. – Feb. 14 – Mercy at 5 p.m. – Patriot Invitational Tournament Sat. – Feb. 15 – Chowan at 1 p.m. – Patriot Invitational Tournament Sat. – Feb. 15 – Mars Hill at 5 p.m. – Patriot Invitational Tournament Sun. – Feb. 16 – Mars Hill at 2 p.m. – Patriot Invitational Tournament Fri. – Feb. 21 – Queens (N.C.) at 5 p.m. – Swamp Fox Sizzler Sat. – Feb. 22 – Emmanuel (Ga.) at 1 p.m. – Swamp Fox Sizzler Sat. – Feb. 22 – Queens (N.C.) at 5 p.m. – Swamp Fox Sizzler Sun. – Feb. 23 – Frostburg St. at 12 p.m. – Swamp Fox Sizzler Thu. – Feb. 27 – Erskine at 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. Sat. – Feb. 29 – King (Tenn.) at 1 p.m. and 3 p.m. Sat. – March 7 – Wingate at 1 p.m. and 3 p.m. Wed. – March 18 – USC Aiken * at 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. Thu. – March 19 – New Haven at 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. Wed. – March 25 – UNC Pembroke at 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. Sat. – March 28 – Georgia College at 1 p.m. and 3 p.m. Wed. – April 1 – Lenoir-Rhyne at 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. Fri. – April 10 – Columbus St. at 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. Sat. – April 11 – Ga. Southwestern at 1 p.m. and 3 p.m.

5pm - 5pm Marketing Art Seminar by Tyler Pate and Tom Shaw

Where: Francis Marion University – Hyman Fine Arts Center, 4822 E. Palmetto St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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Description:

FMU's Fine Arts Department is hosting a Marketing Art Seminar by Tyler Pate and Tom Shaw Thursday, February 27. Tyler Pate will be the first presenter of the Business of Art Seminar at 5 p.m. at the FMU Fine Arts Center, room 202. Tyler Pate is a freelance graphic designer and former art director at Blue Ion in Charleston, SC. The seminar is aimed at individuals wishing to start an art-based business. Pate will discuss the importance of artists to create a brand. He will show examples of his own work and discuss outstanding examples of branding by artists or businesses. Pate is a FMU Dept. of Fine Arts, graphic design alumnus. In addition, Tom Shaw, a Wilmington-based graphic designer and printmaker, who specializes in making advertising posters will be a speaker for the event. <https://www.tshawdesigns.com/>

5:30pm - 6:30pm Yin Yoga

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

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Description:

Release tightness and relax into a state of stillness and bliss. Yin yoga is a deep stretching practice that targets the fascia and other connective tissue around the muscles. Restorative, passive poses are typically held from 2-5 minutes; the longer holds of yin yoga allow for connective tissues to release tension and revive mobility. All levels welcome. Join June from 5:30 to 6:30 p.m. Thursdays for this Yin Yoga class.

6pm - 9pm Florence SC Rotary Club Centennial Celebration

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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Description:

The 100th Anniversary of Rotary Club of Florence will be held on February 27, 2020 to celebrate a Century of Service. Keynote speaker will be Past Rotary International President John Germ. The event will be held at the Florence Center at 6 p.m., and tickets are \$100 per person, \$150 per couple. Tickets purchased before February 3, 2020 will include a complementary copy of the Rotary Club of Florence History Book. Proceeds benefit Rotary International Foundation and local charities through the Rotary Club of Florence Giving Fund.

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6pm - 6pm FMU 2020 Softball

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6pm - 8pm Meet Crazy Horse Family Elder & Author W Matson

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

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Description:

Crazy Horse Family Elder Floyd Clown Sr and Author William Matson will discuss and sign their book "Crazy Horse: The Lakota Warrior's Life and Legacy" based on the Family's oral history. Photo is of Crazy Horse grandsons Doug War Eagle and Don Red Thunder who also heavily participated in writing our book.

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

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Join Olio Studio for their Art After Dark classes: February 6 - Handmade Ceramic Heart Dishes - \$25 February 13 - Valentine's Day: Pick Your Own Painting/Pottery - \$25-\$35 February 14 - Couple's Paintings \$40-\$60 (Birch Trees, Beach Scene, Deer & Doe, Love Birds, Flamingos, or Custom) February 20 - Blue & White Painted Pottery / Canvas - \$25-\$35 February 27 - Colorful Highland Cow Painting - \$25-\$35 February 28 - Blue & White Door Hanger Workshop February 29 (2 p.m.) - Blue & White Door Hanger Workshop Starts at 6:30 p.m. Complementary refreshments will be served. Adults only.

6:30pm - 6:30pm Chef & Child Dinner Auction

Where: McLeod Regional Medical Center Cafeteria, Florence, SC, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Chef & Child Dinner and Auction, benefiting the McLeod Children's Hospital, is a prestigious event allowing our guests to experience a gourmet meal prepared by Chefs throughout the state of South Carolina. A silent auction is also apart of the allure that draws people to this event. What a wonderful opportunity to sit back, relax and enjoy an elegant evening of fine dining with the extra bonus of knowing the money raised enhances the quality of healthcare for the children in our community. There will be a champagne reception and silent auction at 6:30 p.m. At 7:30 p.m. is dinner and an auction. Black Tie Optional. For more information on this event, please contact the McLeod Foundation at (843) 777-2694. <https://www.mcleodhealth.org/foundation-event/chef-child-dinner-and-auction/>

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7pm - 8pm A Taste of Chocolate & Wine

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Grab your friends, your momma, or your man! You are NOT going to want to miss our Taste of Chocolate & Wine on Thursday, February 27. Desserts will be crafted by their in house baker, Betsy Merlos, and each treat will be paired with a tasting of wine. Tickets are \$20 per person and will be available for purchase until Tuesday, February 25. Call 843-665-0846 or email Help@victorsflorence.com

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7pm - 7pm Addie's Baby Paint Class

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Addie's Baby Studio has a lot of fun classes scheduled in February. Saturday - 2/1 at 2 p.m. - "African Elephant" Adult Paint Class Thursday - 2/6 at 7 p.m. - "Cardinal on a Branch" Adult Paint Class Friday - 2/7 at 7 p.m. - "Truck Filled with Love" Adult Paint Class Saturday - 2/8 at 11 a.m. - "Baby Yoda" - Kids paint class (ages 4 years +) Saturday - 2/8 at 2 p.m. - "Lavender in a Mason Jar" Adult Paint class Saturday - 2/8 at 6 p.m. - Couples Paint Class - "Love Anchors the Soul" Thursday - 2/13 at 7 p.m. - "Heart Trees" Adult Paint Class Friday - 2/14 at 7 p.m. - Couples Paint Class - "Kissy Fish" Saturday - 2/15 at 11 a.m. - Mom and Me Paint Class - Mermaids (ages 4 years +) Saturday - 2/15 at 2 p.m. - Couples Paint Class - "Love Hands" Saturday - 2/15 at 6 p.m. - "Wine Lovers" Adult Paint Class Monday - 2/17 at 7 p.m. - "Jeep Life" Door Hanger at Southern Hops Thursday - 2/20 at 7 p.m. - "Gray Scale Daisy" Adult Paint Class Saturday - 2/22 at 11 a.m. - Mom and Me Paint Class - Under the Ocean (ages 4 years +) Saturday - 2/22 at 2 p.m. - "Moonlight Trees" Adult Paint Class Saturday - 2/22 at 6 p.m. - "Glow Bubble Gum Diva" Adult Paint Class Thursday - 2/27 at 7 p.m. - "Red Wine & Red Soles" Adult Paint Class Saturday - 2/29 at 11 a.m. Kids Paint Class - "Cute Elephant" (ages 4 years +) Saturday - 2/29 at 6 p.m. - "Glowing Moonlight Waterfall" Adult Paint Class HOW TO RSVP FOR A CLASS: Call or text 843.229.5862 to sign up for public classes and fundraiser events. Walk-Ins are welcome, but it is strongly advised to RSVP at least 24 hrs in advance or purchase seat below (if applicable) to ensure the class is not sold out or canceled before arriving. Reservations: A non-refundable fee of \$10 must be paid in advance to lock in seat(s) or group. ADULT CLASSES: You must be 18+ to attend our evening classes. KIDS CLASSES: Ages 5 yrs and up (4 yrs and under welcomed with an adult)

8pm - 8pm Glow Throw Night

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

GLOW THROW!!! Every Thursday through Saturday starting at 8 p.m. Come out and wear your neon because they've got black lights!

Fri Feb 28, 2020

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Fri Feb 28, 2020

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6:30am - 7:30am All-Levels (Yoga)

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Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description: This early morning yoga class is designed for all levels. Join Axia on Fridays from 6:30 to 7:30 a.m.

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7:30am - 7:30am Florence County Legislative Breakfast

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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Description:

The Greater Florence Chamber will be holding the 2020 Winter Legislative Breakfast focused on Florence County Friday at the Florence Center. Florence County Council Chairman, Willard Dorriety, will be the keynote speaker. Doors will open around 7:30 a.m. and the program will begin just before 8:00 a.m. The full breakfast program will be about an hour-long and will feature updates on current and upcoming Florence County projects and programs – including progress in economic development, infrastructure enhancement and other critical efforts to grow the county. Breakfast tickets are \$20 each and tables are available by calling the Chamber offices at (843)-665-0515 or by going to www.flochamber.com. Since seating is limited, we ask that all attending register as soon as possible. This program is being sponsored by Duke Energy. <https://www.flochamber.com/event/florence-county-update-breakfast/>

8am - 8am Sand Blast Rally 2020

Where: Various Locations in Cheraw and Chesterfield, Cheraw, Chesterfield

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Sandblast Rally returns to Chesterfield County on February 29th (Leap Year!) 2020! For a full listing of events please go to <http://www.nasarallysport.com/main/event-schedule/259> Sandblast Rally is a car and motorcycle race run primarily in the Sandhills State Forest and H. Cooper Black Recreation facility in Chesterfield County, SC. All of the racing is against the clock to see which vehicle can complete the course in the lowest cumulative time. If this is your first time to the rally or your first time every finding out about the rally, glad you are here. If you are not competing the best way to get close to the action is to volunteer. Head over to the volunteer page and get signed up. Volunteers get closer to the racing than the spectators and get free lunch and dinner.

8:30am - 5pm Impressed by Nature Art Exhibit

Where: Francis Marion University – Hyman Fine Arts Center, 4822 E. Palmetto St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The FMU Hyman Fine Arts Center presents an art exhibit by Miyako Fujiwara titled “Impressed by Nature”. This exhibit runs from February 25 through April 2. This exhibition “Impressed by Nature” emphasizes the richness and beauty of nature in the Carolina Lowcountry, which she enjoys daily and which is quite opposite from the synthetic beauty of the controlled urban landscape of Tokyo. For this exhibition Miyako also explored more hand-building techniques to express organic shapes, patterns and colors in oxidation firing.

8:30am - 5pm The Type Directors Club Exhibit

Where: Francis Marion University – Hyman Fine Arts Center, 4822 E. Palmetto St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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Description:

The Type Directors Club Exhibit is on display February 25 through April 2. The TDC celebrates and amplifies the undeniable power of typography. They are a global community united by the shared belief that type drives culture and culture drives type. Established in 1946, the TDC today curates a calendar of typographic intrigues designed to: —build a community through public events and platforms —support the growth of students and early career professionals —recognize excellence in type design across the world.

9am - 5:30pm Artist JRenee Exhibit

Where: Dr. N. Lee Morris Gallery, 509 S. Dargan St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Dr. Lee Morris Gallery is hosting an exhibit by artist JRenee Sunday, January 26 through March 15. The opening reception is Sunday, January 26 at 3 p.m. Admission is free and open to the public and light refreshments will be served. In addition to the exhibit, she will present an artist's talk about her work on February 11 at 6:30 p.m. in the Joseph Stukes Meeting Room. JRenee is internationally known for her reverse glass paintings, or Eglomise, depicting southern lifestyle themes, tropical design, and the life and times in New Orleans, pre- and post-Katrina. She enjoys painting images and scenes that promote thought on issues of social justice, history, and folklore. She graduated from Xavier University in 1989 with a Bachelor's degree in Fine Arts. Like many, JRenee was a Katrina evacuee who was forced to move around the country. She eventually settled in Columbia, South Carolina. The Doctor N. Lee Morris Gallery is located on the second floor of the Drs. Bruce and Lee Foundation Library.

Florence Festivals & Events

10am - 5pm 2020 Pee Dee Regional Art Competition Exhibition

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The annual competition, sponsored by Chick-fil-A of Florence, is organized by The Florence County Museum and is open to any artist native to the Pee Dee area or currently living in Florence, Horry, Chesterfield, Darlington, Dillon, Georgetown, Kershaw, Lee, Marion, Marlboro, Sumter, and Williamsburg counties. This year's exhibition is comprised of 36 artworks selected by competition juror, Jeff Donovan. Donovan is a mixed media artist and paintings conservator living and working in Columbia, SC. The art will remain on display through Friday, April 3. For more information about the 2020 Pee Dee Regional Art Competition and all other museum exhibits and programs, please visit flocomuseum.org or contact the Florence County Museum at 843.676.1200.

10am - 4pm Birds of Paradise Exhibit

Where: Franklin G. Burroughs-Simeon B. Chapin Art Museum, 3100 S. Ocean Blvd., Myrtle Beach, SC, 29577, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Franklin G. Burroughs-Simeon G. Chapin Art Museum will host the Sarah Golish: Birds of Paradise exhibit. This is a collection of portraits in oil featuring ethnically diverse female subjects in bold colors, as well as exotic birds and plants that symbolize strength through adversity and fortitude of spirit. The exhibit is on display January 14 through April 11. Toronto-based artist Sara Golish questions the symbolism of conventional oil portraiture through a lens of eco-feminism by depicting traditionally oppressed bodies with dignity and grace in her Birds of Paradise series. Golish breathes new life into the traditional canon of early modern portraiture, where affluent women were presented in ways that spoke more to men's accumulation of wealth and status than to any representation of their own identities. If women of color appeared, they were rendered as servants and exotic curiosities to demonstrate the imperial reach of aristocratic power and wealth. Birds of Paradise is about liberating not just the subject from the patriarchal grasp, but also the form, techniques and materials from their historical usage and symbolism. Golish fills her portraits with ethnically diverse female subjects in bold colors, as well as exotic birds and plants that symbolize strength through adversity and fortitude of spirit. Admission to the Art Museum is free at all times but donations are welcome.

10am - 4pm Elizabeth Claffey Exhibit

Where: Cecelia Coker Bell Gallery, 300 E. College Ave., Hartsville, SC, 29550, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Cecelia Coker Bell Gallery will host the Elizabeth Claffey Exhibit February 3 through February 28. The gallery is open MWF 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. and TTh from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m.

10am - 10am Library Movie Matinee

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Doctors Bruce and Lee Foundation Library will show a 2006 musical adapted from a 1981 Broadway musical. It follows an African American girl group's rise through the music industry. In honor of Black History Month, this PG-13 rated matinee is open to anyone 14+ years old and will be held on Friday, February 28, at 10:00 a.m. It stars Jamie Foxx, Beyoncé, Eddie Murphy, and Jennifer Hudson and has a running time of 2 hours and 11 minutes. Admission is free and light refreshments will be served. The Doctors Bruce and Lee Foundation Library is located at 509 S. Dargan Street in Florence. Space is limited and registration is requested for groups. Call 843-413-7074 to register groups of 5 or more. The free matinee series is sponsored by Friends of Florence County Library.

10am - 5pm Willie + Holcha Art Exhibit

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

An exhibition of Art by William Henry Johnson and Holcha Krake Johnson is on display at Florence County Museum October 15, 2019 through May 17, 2020. In 1928, Florence native William Henry Johnson met Danish textile artist Holcha Krake. It was a chance encounter which opened a new chapter in Johnson's life, both personally and artistically. Johnson's early artworks often evince his shifting nature, reflecting the influences of well established artists and styles of the time. However, after their marriage in 1930, Holcha became a constant in Johnson's life. Holcha's folk art philosophies were rooted in the past, but were shaped just as much by the progressive thinking of European modernism. By 1940 these principals had become a catalyst for Johnson's own artistic transformation. Willie and Holcha presents for the first time, rare rediscovered works by Holcha Krake which have recently been acquired. This exhibition explores the mutual influence between these artists and invites a deeper interpretation of both Johnson and Holcha's work in the context of their relationship. For more information about Willie and Holcha as well as other upcoming exhibits and events, please contact the Florence County Museum at 843.676.1200 or visit the website at flocomuseum.org.

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11am - 5pm Jamey Grimes Exhibition: Formicarium

Where: Jones-Carter Gallery, 105 Henry St., Lake City, SC, 29560, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Jones-Carter Gallery will host an exhibition by artist Jamey Grimes January 31 through March 14. The objects and environments that he creates are fueled by encounters with natural forces, both real and imagined. Inspired by these encounters, he generates unique forms through the manipulation of synthetic materials. These forms accumulate, en masse, to engulf the viewer in an experience that is simultaneously unsettling and serene. The artist's intent is to remind us of our relationships to forces of nature. Synthetic materials establish a unique starting point for creating artwork that responds to nature. These tangible substances are selected because they have been cleansed of nature's direct influence and reset by human manufacturing processes. Through abstraction and re-interpretation, patterns emerge from the medium and quickly emulate more complex natural designs. The juxtaposition of this dialogue reflects a human impulse to codify the natural world.

11am - 5pm Noah James Saunders Exhibition: The Depth of Wire

Where: TRAX Visual Arts Center, 122 Sauls St., Lake City, SC, 29560, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The TRAX Visual Art Center will host an exhibition from artist Noah James Saunders January 31 through March 21.

3:30pm - 3:30pm Fine Arts Friday

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The library will offer Fine Arts Friday for children in grades 5K-3rd on Fridays at 3:30 p.m. Children will be working with a variety of art forms. Registration is limited. For more information, contact the Greenberg Children's Library at 843-292-7382.

4pm - 4pm SCHSL Lower State Championship Basketball Tournament

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The 2020 South Carolina High School League (SCHSL) Lower State Basketball Tournament will take place February 28 and 29. Florence has once again been selected to host the South Carolina High School League (SCHSL) Lower State Basketball Tournament. The Florence Center will be the assembly destination for the 2-day tournament and is expected to host several thousand spectators. With the introduction of 5A teams, the venue will host a record 10-games over the 2-day span. Winners will advance to the State Championships in Columbia. More details coming!

5pm - 5pm Boys High School Tournament

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Dr. Eddie Floyd Florence Tennis Center will host the Boys High School Tournament Friday through Sunday.

6pm - 6pm FMU Baseball

Where: Sparrow Stadium, 4700 E. Palmetto St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

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

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Join Olio Studio for their Art After Dark classes: February 6 –Handmade Ceramic Heart Dishes – \$25 February 13 – Galentine’s Day: PickYour Own Painting/Pottery – \$25-\$35 February 14 – Couple’s Paintings\$40-\$60 (Birch Trees, Beach Scene, Deer & Doe, Love Birds, Flamingos,or Custom) February 20 – Blue & White Painted Pottery / Canvas –\$25-\$35 February 27 – Colorful Highland Cow Painting – \$25-\$35 February28 – Blue & White Door Hanger Workshop February 29 (2 p.m.) – Blue &White Door Hanger Workshop Starts at 6:30 p.m. Complementaryrefreshments will be served. Adults only.

7pm - 7pm Bonding Company

Where: Southern Hops Brewing Company, 911 Sunset Acres Lane, Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Bonding Company will perform Friday at 7 p.m. Southern Hops strives to showcase the best regional and local music in a spacious, smoke free environment. There is live music Friday evenings at 7 p.m.

7pm - 7pm South Carolina Chamber Music Festival

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The South Carolina Chamber Music Festival will host a series of chamberrecitals to showcase the artists participating in workshops andmasterclasses taking place throughout the week. Box Office:843-661-4444 between 12:00 and 5:00 pm. Sunday 2/23/20 – Where jazzmeets classical Paolo André Gualdi, piano; Natalie Boeyink, bass; JonHill, drums; Danijela Zezelj-Gualdi, violin Kassab Recital Hall (FMUmain campus), 5 p.m. (Free Admission) Tuesday 2/25/20 – Terranova TrioChristian Zamora, violin; Yun Hao Jiang, cello; Irina Pevzner, pianoBlack Box Theater (PAC), 7:30 p.m. Wednesday 2/26/20 – Stephen AndersonJazz Trio Stephen Anderson, piano; Aaron Hill, saxophones; JeffryEckels, bass; Ross Pederson, drums Black Box Theater (PAC), 7:30 p.m.Friday 2/28/20 – Balkan Quartet Live recording session – Black Box, 7p.m. (free admission, limited seating) Saturday 2/29/20 – BalkanQuartet: Music of Eastern Europe Sinisa Ciric and Mirna Ogrizovic, violins; Danijela Zezelj-Gualdi, viola; Martin Gueorguiev, cello BlackBox Theater (PAC), 7:30 p.m.

8pm - 8pm Glow Throw Night

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

GLOW THROW!!! Every Thursday through Saturday starting at 8 p.m. Comeout and wear your neon because they’ve got black lights!

8pm - 8pm Liz Kelly

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description: Liz Kelly will perform Friday 8 p.m.

8pm - 8pm Trey Charles

Where: Retrofit sip-n-seat, 152 Mantissa Row, Hartsville, SC, 29550, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description: Trey Charles will perform Friday at 8 p.m.

Sun Mar 1, 2020

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Florence Festivals & Events

All day YMCA T-Ball and Coach Pitch Baseball Registration

Sun Mar 1, 2020

Where: Florence Family YMCA, 1700 S. Rutherford Drive, Florence, SC, 29505, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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Description:

Registration for T-Ball and Coach Pitch Baseball is February 24-March 22. \$10 late applies to any sign-ups after that. T-ball is for boys and girls ages 3-4 and coach pitch is for boys and girls ages 5-9. The season runs March 30 to 31-May 19 or 21. The YMCA T-Ball and Coach-Pitch Baseball program teaches 3 to 9 year olds the beginning of baseball skills with the use of a batting tee or pitches. Skills include running, batting, fielding, throwing and catching. While playing outdoors and having fun with others, this will give children the chance to share and play nice with others. All participants will enjoy equal playing time. Those teachings and interactions will allow them all to grow in accordance with the YMCA Mission. Children need to bring their own glove. Parents are needed as volunteer coaches. Registration through March 22; \$10 late fee will be added after March 22. Come by and register at the Florence Family YMCA. For more information visit our website at www.florenceymca.org or call Brent Freeman at 665-1234 ext 104.

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2pm - 6pm Artist JRenée Exhibit

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Description:

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Florence Festivals & Events

2pm - 2pm Wild Weekends

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

See live animal every Saturday and Sunday at the Environmental Discovery Center at Lynches River County Park. Animal presentations are every Saturday at 11:30 a.m. and 3 p.m. and Sundays at 2 p.m. You'll have an opportunity to meet an animal up close and learn about them.

2pm - 5pm Willie + Holcha Art Exhibit

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2:30pm - 2:30pm Sunday Family Movie

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Drs. Bruce & Lee Foundation Library will host popular movies for families at 2:30 p.m. Sundays. The movies are rated either G or PG and are sponsored by Friends of Florence County Library.

3pm - 6pm Songwriting Contest

Where: Borgata Bar, 813 Surfside Drive, Surfside Beach, SC, 29550, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Create! Conway is pleased to announce the 2020 Muse on the Waccamaw Songwriting Contest. Sponsored by Southern Harmony Recording Studio, Conway Glass, Studio Kook, Shine Café, Good Day Café, Borgata Bar and more, the contest showcases the best local and regional songwriting talent. Songwriters will be judged on criteria including lyrical and musical content. Songwriters may be asked to perform up to three original songs. The Muse on the Waccamaw will consist of performances in four preliminary rounds and a final round. The four preliminary rounds will start in January, and will run through mid-March. The finals will be on April 18th at the 104 Laurel event space in Conway. The dates, times and locations of the preliminary rounds plus the finals are as follows: Round 1 is Saturday, January 18 3:00 pm sign-up, 3:30 music. Shine Café – 707 Main Street, Conway, South Carolina 29526 Round 2 is Saturday, February 15 3:00 pm sign-up, 3:30 music. Good Day Café – 819 Main Street, Myrtle Beach, South Carolina 29577 Round 3 is Sunday, March 1 3:00-3:15 pm sign-up, 3:30 music. Borgata Bar – 813 Surfside Drive, Surfside Beach, South Carolina 29575 Round 4 is Saturday, March 21 3:00-3:15 pm sign-up, 3:30 music. Shine Café – 707 Main Street, Conway, South Carolina 29526 The Finals is Saturday, April 18 7:15 Doors open, 8:00 Music 104 Laurel – 104 Laurel Street, Conway, South Carolina 29526 ***If you are a songwriter who wishes to perform, please bring a copy of your lyrics for the judges. Songwriters and industry professionals will judge each round, with the winning songwriter from each round, plus four wildcard entrants, earning a spot in the finals. It will be \$5 for a songwriter to enter a preliminary round. There is no cover for anyone wanting to come and watch some of the best songwriters in the area share their talents, but it is strongly recommended that you purchase some food or drink from our hosting establishment. The finals will be a single elimination competition with the winner receiving a hand-blown glass trophy from Conway Glass, a recording package from Southern Harmony Recording Studio, a house concert at Studio Kook and a featured slot for the Live Oaks Art & Music Festival in October. Other contestants will receive an array of prizes from local and regional merchants. <https://www.facebook.com/Muse-on-the-Waccamaw-Songwriting-Contest-178824758830740/> For more information contact Brian Roessler at music@brian-roessler.com

4pm - 4pm FMU String Ensemble

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The FMU String Ensemble will perform Sunday, March 1 at 4 p.m. 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. Box Office: 843-661-4444 between 12:00 and 5:00 pm.

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4:30pm - 4:30pm Annie Jr. Audition

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Lake City Community Theatre is holding auditions for the student production of Annie, Jr. Auditions for youth ages 8 (must be 8 yrs.old by auditions) through age 18 will be held. Audition dates are: Sunday, March 1 at 4:30 p.m. and Tuesday, March 3 at 6 p.m. All audition materials will be provided. If you are auditioning it is very important that you bring an adult with you as well as a complete list of known conflicts between the audition date and the performance dates.

Mon Mar 2, 2020

All day City of Florence: Registration for Baseball, Softball, Track and Field

Mon Mar 2, 2020

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

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2:30pm - 4:30pm Powerpoint Basics

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

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Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Learn Microsoft Powerpoint! The participant needs to be basic computer competent with mouse, keyboard, general computer use. Also, needs to have completed Microsoft Word 2013 Basics before registering. Call 843-413-7074 to register.

3:30pm - 3:30pm Monday Library Lab

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The library will offer Monday Library Lab for children in grades 4-6 on Mondays 3:30 p.m. Children will do a variety of science concepts. Registration is limited. For more information, contact the Greenberg Children's Library at 843-292-7382.

5pm - 5pm The Stitchers: Crochet & Knit Club

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description: The Hartsville Stitchers (a Crochet & Knit club) meet every Monday at the Library at 5 p.m.

5:30pm - 6:30pm Philosophy Flow (Yoga)

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

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Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Let go and move to the rhythm of your own breath! Linking breath with mindful movement, this class will firmly ground you in the present moment in order to allow you to connect with your True Self. Movement, breathing and meditation. All-Levels welcomed. Join Jamie on Monday's for this Philosophy Flow class.

6pm - 6pm Author, Dr. Kimmerly Martin

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

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Description:

Dr. Kimmerly Martin, Author of The Antidote For Everything will talk Monday at 6 p.m. Books will be available for purchase. Kimmerly Martin is an emergency medicine doctor-turned novelist whose works of medical fiction have been praised by The Harvard Crimson, Southern Living, The Charlotte Observer and The New York Times, among others. A lifelong literary nerd, she promotes reading, interviews authors, and teaches writing seminars. She's a frequent speaker at libraries, conferences, and bookstores around the United States. Kimmerly completed her medical training at the University of Louisville School of Medicine and the Vanderbilt University School of Medicine. She lives with her husband and three children in Charlotte, North Carolina. The Antidote for Everything is a whip-smart and timely novel about two doctors who travel a surprising path that brings them to a point where they must choose between treating their patients and keeping their jobs.

6:30pm - 6:30pm Darlington County Photography Club

Where: SC

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Black Creek Arts Center will host the Darlington County Photography Club the first Monday of every month.

Florence Festivals & Events

7pm - 7pm The 282d Army Band

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Don't miss this awesome concert at the Florence Center on March 2! Comejam with the 282d Army Band!
THIS IS A FREE CONCERT!!!!

7pm - 8pm Yoga Basics

Where: SC

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

A slower paced, alignment based yoga class geared toward a beginner student, but suitable for intermediate students who want to refine their yoga practice. Classic yoga poses will be presented with emphasis on correct alignment and precise actions in the body. All levels, especially beginners, welcomed. Join Jamie from 7 to 8 p.m. Mondays for this Yoga Basics class.

8:30pm - 8:30pm Music Mondays

Where: Soulé Cafe, 130 S. Irby St., Florence, SC, 29501, United States

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Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Come on out and join the fun every Monday night Soule Cafe. Music Mondays is another Open Mic nite (Musicians+Vocalist) *Bring your instruments ,play with the band. Vocalist can play w/ a track or band. Tired of sitting on the couch. Come checkout Amazing musicians&vocalists playing Jazz/R&B/Gospel/Pop/Folk

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9am - 4:30pm AARP Foundation Tax-Aide's Tax Preparation

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Description:

AARP Foundation Tax-Aide, the nation's largest, free, volunteer-run tax assistance and preparation service, will assist taxpayers with personal federal and state income tax returns at the library. This free service is for all taxpayers with low to middle income with special attention on ages 60+. Business, farms and rentals with depreciation are out-of-scope and cannot be prepared. All returns will be e-filed and all services are free. Tax preparation is available Tuesdays and Wednesdays through April 15 (9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.). There will be two Saturday sessions, February 29 and March 14 and these will be walk-in only (no appointments).

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9:30am - 9:30am Toddler & Preschool Storytime

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

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Description:

The library will offer Toddler and Preschool Storytimes on Tuesday mornings. Children must be two years old to register for Toddler Storytime and 3, 4 or 5 years old to register for Preschool Storytime. The storytime will include stories, fingerplays, simple crafts, and music for these programs. Toddler storytime is at 9:30 a.m. and last 20 minutes. Preschool storytime is at 10:30 a.m. and last 30 minutes.

10am - 5pm 2020 Pee Dee Regional Art Competition Exhibition

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The annual competition, sponsored by Chick-fil-A of Florence, is organized by The Florence County Museum and is open to any artist native to the Pee Dee area or currently living in Florence, Horry, Chesterfield, Darlington, Dillon, Georgetown, Kershaw, Lee, Marion, Marlboro, Sumter, and Williamsburg counties. This year's exhibition is comprised of 36 artworks selected by competition juror, Jeff Donovan. Donovan is a mixed media artist and paintings conservator living and working in Columbia, SC. The art will remain on display through Friday, April 3. For more information about the 2020 Pee Dee Regional Art Competition and all other museum exhibits and programs, please visit flocmuseum.org or contact the Florence County Museum at 843.676.1200.

Florence Festivals & Events

10am - 4pm Birds of Paradise Exhibit

Where: Franklin G. Burroughs-Simeon B. Chapin Art Museum, 3100 S. Ocean Blvd., Myrtle Beach, SC, 29577, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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Description:

The Franklin G. Burroughs-Simeon G. Chapin Art Museum will host the Sarah Golish: Birds of Paradise exhibit. This is a collection of portraits in oil featuring ethnically diverse female subjects in bold colors, as well as exotic birds and plants that symbolize strength through adversity and fortitude of spirit. The exhibit is on display January 14 through April 11. Toronto-based artist Sara Golish questions the symbolism of conventional oil portraiture through a lens of eco-feminism by depicting traditionally oppressed bodies with dignity and grace in her Birds of Paradise series. Golish breathes new life into the traditional canon of early modern portraiture, where affluent women were presented in ways that spoke more to men's accumulation of wealth and status than to any representation of their own identities. If women of color appeared, they were rendered as servants and exotic curiosities to demonstrate the imperial reach of aristocratic power and wealth. Birds of Paradise is about liberating not just the subject from the patriarchal grasp, but also the form, techniques and materials from their historical usage and symbolism. Golish fills her portraits with ethnically diverse female subjects in bold colors, as well as exotic birds and plants that symbolize strength through adversity and fortitude of spirit. Admission to the Art Museum is free at all times but donations are welcome.

10am - 10am Hartsville Library: Story Time

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description: Children's Story Time is every Tuesday at 10 a.m. at the Hartsville Library.

10am - 5pm Willie + Holcha Art Exhibit

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

An exhibition of Art by William Henry Johnson and Holcha Krake Johnson is on display at Florence County Museum October 15, 2019 through May 17, 2020. In 1928, Florence native William Henry Johnson met Danish textile artist Holcha Krake. It was a chance encounter which opened a new chapter in Johnson's life, both personally and artistically. Johnson's early artworks often evince his shifting nature, reflecting the influences of well established artists and styles of the time. However, after their marriage in 1930, Holcha became a constant in Johnson's life. Holcha's folk art philosophies were rooted in the past, but were shaped just as much by the progressive thinking of European modernism. By 1940 these principals had become a catalyst for Johnson's own artistic transformation. Willie and Holcha presents for the first time, rare rediscovered works by Holcha Krake which have recently been acquired. This exhibition explores the mutual influence between these artists and invites a deeper interpretation of both Johnson and Holcha's work in the context of their relationship. For more information about Willie and Holcha as well as other upcoming exhibits and events, please contact the Florence County Museum at 843.676.1200 or visit the website at flocomuseum.org.

11am - 5pm Jamey Grimes Exhibition: Formicarium

Where: Jones-Carter Gallery, 105 Henry St., Lake City, SC, 29560, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Jones-Carter Gallery will host an exhibition by artist Jamey Grimes January 31 through March 14. The objects and environments that he creates are fueled by encounters with natural forces, both real and imagined. Inspired by these encounters, he generates unique forms through the manipulation of synthetic materials. These forms accumulate, en masse, to engulf the viewer in an experience that is simultaneously unsettling and serene. The artists intent is to remind us of our relationships to forces of nature. Synthetic materials establish a unique starting point for creating artwork that responds to nature. These tangible substances are selected because they have been cleansed of nature's direct influence and reset by human manufacturing processes. Through abstraction and re-interpretation, patterns emerge from the medium and quickly emulate more complex natural designs. The juxtaposition of this dialogue reflects a human impulse to codify the natural world.

11am - 5pm Noah James Saunders Exhibition: The Depth of Wire

Where: TRAX Visual Arts Center, 122 Sauls St., Lake City, SC, 29560, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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Description:

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Florence Festivals & Events

5pm - 5pm FMU Baseball

Where: Sparrow Stadium, 4700 E. Palmetto St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

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Description:

FMU baseball games are played at Sparrow Stadium. Listed below are the home games for the 2020 schedule. Jan. 31 - vs. Mars Hill at 5 p.m. Feb 1 - vs. Lenoir-Rhyne at 2 p.m. Feb 2 - vs. Southern Wesleyan at 2 p.m. Feb 5 - vs. Mount Olive at 4 p.m. Feb 7 - vs. Limestone at 6 p.m. Feb 8 - vs. Limestone at 2 p.m. Feb 19 - vs. Mercy at 3 p.m. Feb 21 - vs. North Georgia at 6 p.m. Feb 22 - vs. North Georgia at 2 p.m. Feb 23 - vs. North Georgia at 1 p.m. Feb 28 - vs. Young Harris at 6 p.m. Feb 29 - vs. Young Harris at 2 p.m. Mar. 1 - vs. Young Harris at 1 p.m. Mar. 3 - vs. Newberry at 5 p.m. Mar. 10 - vs. Chowan at 6 p.m. Mar. 11 - vs. Chowan at 2 p.m. Mar. 20 - vs. Augusta at 6 p.m. Mar. 21 - vs. Augusta at 2 p.m. Mar. 22 - vs. Augusta at 1 p.m. Mar. 24 - vs. Barton at 6 p.m. Mar. 31 - vs. Queens (NC) at 6 p.m. April 9 - vs. UNC Pembroke at 6 p.m. April 10 - vs. UNC Pembroke at 3 p.m. April 11 - vs. UNC Pembroke at 1 p.m. April 24 - vs. Ga. Southwestern at 1 p.m. April 24 - vs. Ga. Southwestern at 4 p.m. April 25 - vs. Ga. Southwestern at 1 p.m.

5:30pm - 5:30pm Power Yoga

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description: Our Sacred Space Yoga presents class called Power Yoga Tuesdays at 5:30 p.m.

6pm - 6pm Annie Jr. Audition

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Lake City Community Theatre is holding auditions for the student production of Annie, Jr. Auditions for youth ages 8 (must be 8 yrs. old by auditions) through age 18 will be held. Audition dates are: Sunday, March 1 at 4:30 p.m. and Tuesday, March 3 at 6 p.m. All audition materials will be provided. If you are auditioning it is very important that you bring an adult with you as well as a complete list of known conflicts between the audition date and the performance dates.

6pm - 6:30pm Bilingual Story Time

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

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Description:

The library will offer Bilingual Storytime on Tuesday evenings for ages 2 - 5. The storytime will include stories, fingerplays, and music with a bilingual theme. Bilingual Storytime will last 30 minutes.

6pm - 8pm Heart and Sole Line Dancing

Where: Poynor Adult Education, 301 S. Dargan St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Join Heart & Sole Line Dancing Tuesday's from 6 to 8 p.m.! Don't know how to line dance? Don't worry instructors will teach you. The cost is \$5 to participate.

6:30pm - 6:30pm Florence Little Theatre Friends Meeting

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

FLT Friends is a group of people who love theatre and the joy it brings to our community. Not everyone desires to perform on the stage, but many would like to help FLT continue to be a vital part of the Florence community. We are willing to work "behind the scenes" to make that happen. The mission of the FLT Friends is to promote and support the endeavors of the Florence Little Theatre through fundraising projects and volunteerism. Meetings are held the 1st Tuesday of each month at 6:30 PM in the theatre lobby. Members take a turn sharing special recipes for a light supper. Discussions of upcoming projects and opportunities to sign up to volunteer are a regular part of our time together. Membership may be obtained at any meeting upon payment of the annual dues of \$20.

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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: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Francis Marion University Concert Band will perform its spring concert at the FMU Performing Arts Center Tuesday, March 3 at 7:30 p.m. 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 are 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. Beginning in the spring of 2002, the FMU Concert Band rehearsals were scheduled on Tuesday evenings and adult musicians from the region were invited to participate. The band continues to rehearse every Tuesday evening. They are always seeking additional participants; if you play a band instrument or know someone looking for a place to play, please contact us. Information can be found at Music - Instrumental Program or email Dr. Terry Roberts at troberts@fmarion.edu Box Office: 843-661-4444 between 12:00 and 5:00 pm.

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Description:

The annual competition, sponsored by Chick-fil-A of Florence, is organized by The Florence County Museum and is open to any artist native to the Pee Dee area or currently living in Florence, Horry, Chesterfield, Darlington, Dillon, Georgetown, Kershaw, Lee, Marion, Marlboro, Sumter, and Williamsburg counties. This year's exhibition is comprised of 36 artworks selected by competition juror, Jeff Donovan. Donovan is a mixed media artist and paintings conservator living and working in Columbia, SC. The art will remain on display through Friday, April 3. For more information about the 2020 Pee Dee Regional Art Competition and all other museum exhibits and programs, please visit flocmuseum.org or contact the Florence County Museum at 843.676.1200.

10am - 4pm Birds of Paradise Exhibit

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Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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10am - 11am Mornings at the Museum

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Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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Description:

Mornings at the Museum is an interactive program for children ages 3-5 and accompanying adult. This program is offered during the school year on the 1st and 3rd Wednesday of each month from 10 to 11 a.m. The 1st Wednesday of each month will be history related topics. The 3rd Wednesday of each month will be Visual Arts related topics. Each program will include a gallery visit, story time, and hands-on studio activity. This is a free program - registration is required flocmuseum.org/mornings-at-the-museum

Florence Festivals & Events

10am - 11:15am Preschool Storytime

Where: Lake City Public Library, 221 E. Main St., Lake City, SC, 29560, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Lake City Public Library is presenting storytime to preschoolers, ages 2-5 years old, on Wednesdays from 10:00 a.m. – 11:15 a.m. This free event is open to the public.

10am - 5pm Willie + Holcha Art Exhibit

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3pm - 3pm Hartsville Library: Adult Craft

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description: The Hartsville Library hosts an adult craft event the first Wednesday of the month at 3 p.m.

3:15pm - 4:15pm Tech Talk PM

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Call to schedule a 30 minute appointment for assistance with: tablet use, creating or using e-mail, the Jasmine reading system, laptops, smart phones, cloud storage, safety and security for portable devices, or specific questions on software such as Word, Firefox, etc. Call 843-413-7074 to make an appointment.

3:30pm - 3:30pm Library Tweens Program

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

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The library will offer programs for children in grades 3 – 5 on Wednesday afternoons. The programs will consist of movies, stories, crafts, and guest speakers. The programs will last 30 to 45 minutes.

Florence Festivals & Events

4pm - 8pm Wine Down Wednesdays

Where: Dolce Vita Café & More, 160 S Dargan St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description: Every Wednesday, Dolce Vita offers 1/2 off wines from 4 to 8 p.m. Super classy, chill atmosphere!

5pm - 7pm Wine Down Wednesday

Where: Visit Lake City, 110 E Main St., Lake City, SC, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Wine Down Wednesday is Visit Lake City's monthly networking event from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. inside the Visitors Center. This is a great time to network and meet new people in the Lake City community all while enjoying complimentary wine and hors d'oeuvres from Piggybacks BBQ and Catfish. These events occur the first Wednesday of every month.

5:30pm - 7:15pm Live@Central

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

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Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Live@Central is a free, public program that begins at 6:15 p.m. in Spears Fellowship. An optional meal is available from 5:30 to 6:15 p.m., and costs \$6 for adults and \$3 for children under 12. For more information, please visit www.centralmethodist.net.

5:30pm - 6:30pm Yoga for Anxiety

Where: SC

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Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Anxiety is a feeling of worry, nervousness, or unease, typically about an imminent event or something with an uncertain outcome. This gentle yoga class is designed to alleviate symptoms of anxiety and teach stress management techniques to manage daily struggles. Postures, breathing, and guided meditation included. Not intended to replace proper medical and/or psychiatric care.

7pm - 8pm Reiki + Restore with Sandra

Where: SC

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Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description: Join Sandra for Reiki + Restore from 7 to 8 p.m. Wednesdays.

7pm - 7pm Trivia: Right Answers with Wrong Travis

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The weekly trivia sensation, Right Answers with Wrong Travis is back for another 12-week season, with weekly prizes and the grand prize!

8pm - 8pm Wednesday Night Karaoke

Where: Local Motive Brewing Company, 123 North Dargan Street, Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Come out and join Local Motive for Karaoke with Tony Rogers. It's hard to think of a better way to get over the hump than good music, good drinks, and good food.

8:30pm - 8:30pm Soulé Open Mic Nite

Where: Soulé Cafe, 130 S. Irby St., Florence, SC, 29501, United States

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Description:

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Florence Festivals & Events

Thu Mar 5, 2020

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Description:

The Dr. Lee Morris Gallery is hosting an exhibit by artist JReneeSunday, January 26 through March 15. The opening reception is Sunday,January 26 at 3 p.m. Admission is free and open to the public and lightrefreshments will be served. In addition to the exhibit, she willpresent an artist's talk about her work on February 11 at 6:30 p.m. in the Joseph Stukes Meeting Room. JRenee is internationally known for herreverse glass paintings, or Eglomise, depicting southern lifestylethemes, tropical design, and the life and times in New Orleans, pre-and post-Katrina. She enjoys painting images and scenes that promotethought on issues of social justice, history, and folklore. Shegraduated from Xavier University in 1989 with a Bachelor's degree inFine Arts. Like many, JRenee was a Katrina evacuee who was forced tomove around the country. She eventually settled in Columbia, SouthCarolina. The Doctor N. Lee Morris Gallery is located on the secondfloor of the Drs. Bruce and Lee Foundation Library.

Florence Festivals & Events

9:30am - 9:30am Swamp Fox Quilters Guild Monthly Meeting

Where: John Calvin Presbyterian Church, 2000 Marsh Ave., Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Swamp Fox Quilters Guild monthly meetings are held at 9:30 a.m. the first Thursday of each month at John Calvin Presbyterian Church (corner of Third Loop Road and Marsh Ave.). New members and visitors are welcome. Guild purpose: Education of membership and community in the art of quilting. Annual membership dues are \$15. Visitors are free. For more information visit: www.swampfoxquilters.com

10am - 10am Baby Storytime

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

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Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The library will offer programs for babies 0 - 23 months old on Thursday mornings. The programs will be divided into two groups, walkers and non-walkers. An adult caregiver will need to stay with the baby during the 15 minute program. The programs will consist of music, fingerplays, and stories appropriate for these age groups. Non-walkers meet at 10 a.m. and walkers meet at 11 a.m.

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10am - 10am It's Story Time

Where: Darlington County Library, 204 N. Main St., Darlington, SC, 29532, United States

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Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Darlington Library hosts story time every Thursday at 10 a.m. This program is geared towards preschoolers but anyone is welcome!

10am - 12pm Starting Seeds Indoors

Where: Moore Farms Botanical Garden, 100 New Zion Road, Lake City, SC, 29560, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

MFBG is going to give you a leg-up on the growing season with this class. Starting seeds indoors gives you a few extra weeks of growing time; it's usually cheaper than buying young seedlings from a nursery; and, by planting your own seeds, you have control over the way the babies are raised. Seeds sown in this class will prepare you for planting your vegetable garden at home. Bring your own gardening gloves if desired. For more information: <https://moorefarmsbg.org/events/starting-seeds-indoors/>

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11am - 1pm Traditional Cooking Demonstration

Where: L.W. Paul Living History Farm, 2279 Harris Shortcut Road, Conway, SC, 29526, United States

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Description:

Experience life on the "one horse farm" in Horry County from 1900-1955 at the L.W. Paul Living History Farm. Join them for a traditional cooking demonstration of seasonal dishes on a wood burning stove. This program is free and open to all ages.

3pm - 4pm Kress Historical Marker Unveiling

Where: Kress Building, 100 Block of West Evans Street, Florence, SC, United States

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Description:

This March marks the 60th anniversary of one of Florence's most important civil rights events. Florence County Museum is hosting an unveiling ceremony and reception for a historical marker commemorating sit-in demonstrations at the S. H. Kress department store lunch counter on March 3rd and 4th of 1960. The marker will be unveiled in a ceremony from 3 to 4 o'clock in the afternoon, Thursday, March 5, 2020. The ceremony will take place in front of the Kress building on the northside of the 100 block of West Evans Street in downtown Florence. Speakers representing the protesters, Florence County, and the City of Florence will address the crowd, discussing the social, historical, and personal significance of the protests. The public is invited to attend.

3:30pm - 3:30pm Library Afterschool Program

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

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Description:

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5:30pm - 7pm Opening Reception: The Ultimate Consumer

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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Description:

The Ultimate Consumer exhibit features works by Colleen Critcher. The opening reception is Thursday, March 5 from 5:30 to 7 p.m. The exhibit will be on display until April 24. Colleen A. Critcher is a visual artist fascinated by commodity culture, kitsch, and plastic things. Her works routinely explore images of whimsical figurines, most commonly garden gnomes and dinosaurs. Through careful visual exploration into seemingly menial things, the work reveals the powerful emotional significance of common objects and serves as a commentary about the role consumption culture plays in modern happiness. She inserts herself and others as characters in a humorous narrative, weaving personal reflections into a truly complicated web of consumerism and human emotion. Critcher received her M.F.A. in Painting from Savannah College of Art and Design in 2012. Her work has been shown at The Southern, Kai Lin Art, Gutstein Gallery, and 701 Center for Contemporary Art. She currently maintains a studio in Florence, South Carolina.

Florence Festivals & Events

5:30pm - 6:30pm Yin Yoga

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Description:

Release tightness and relax into a state of stillness and bliss. Yin yoga is a deep stretching practice that targets the fascia and other connective tissue around the muscles. Restorative, passive poses are typically held from 2-5 minutes; the longer holds of yin yoga allow for connective tissues to release tension and revive mobility. All levels welcome. Join June from 5:30 to 6:30 p.m. Thursdays for this Yin Yoga class.

6pm - 7:30pm Teacher Workshop Indigo: SC History, Art and Science

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

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Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Educators, register now for this free Workshop for SC K-12 Teachers on Thursday, March 5, 2020 from 6:00 pm to 7:30 pm. Art, Science and History combine in this hands-on exploration of natural indigo. Educators will explore the importance of the indigo plant to South Carolina's early agricultural economy, learn the science behind this unique dye plant, and create an original work of textile art using indigo dye. This multi-disciplinary lesson can be adapted for a wide range of grade levels. Each participant will receive one flour sack towel for dyeing, indigo seeds for planting, and a standards-based lesson plan and resource guide for classroom use. <http://www.flocomuseum.org/teacher-workshop/>

8pm - 8pm Glow Throw Night

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

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Description:

GLOW THROW!!! Every Thursday through Saturday starting at 8 p.m. Come out and wear your neon because they've got black lights!

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All day SFHS Softball Pee Dee Pitch Off

Fri Mar 6, 2020

Where: Freedom Florence, 1515 Freedom Blvd., Florence, SC, 29505, United States

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Description:

SFHS will host the Softball Pee Dee Pitch Off Friday and Saturday. Most areas are accessible to the public no charge; however there may be some softball/baseball tournament games that require an admission fee. For more information please call 843-669-4597, 843-665-3253 or email athletics@cityofflorence.com.

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6:30am - 7:30am All-Levels (Yoga)

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

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The Dr. Lee Morris Gallery is hosting an exhibit by artist JRenee Sunday, January 26 through March 15. The opening reception is Sunday, January 26 at 3 p.m. Admission is free and open to the public and light refreshments will be served. In addition to the exhibit, she will present an artist's talk about her work on February 11 at 6:30 p.m. in the Joseph Stukes Meeting Room. JRenee is internationally known for her reverse glass paintings, or Eglomise, depicting southern lifestyle themes, tropical design, and the life and times in New Orleans, pre- and post-Katrina. She enjoys painting images and scenes that promote thought on issues of social justice, history, and folklore. She graduated from Xavier University in 1989 with a Bachelor's degree in Fine Arts. Like many, JRenee was a Katrina evacuee who was forced to move around the country. She eventually settled in Columbia, South Carolina. The Doctor N. Lee Morris Gallery is located on the second floor of the Drs. Bruce and Lee Foundation Library.

10am - 3pm "March for Meal" Fundraiser

Where: Leatherman Senior Center, 600 Senior Way, Florence, SC, 29505, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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Description:

Tickets are on sale now for the Senior Citizens Association's 3rd Annual “March for Meals” fundraiser. The event is set for Friday, March 6, 2020 from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., at the Leatherman Senior Center. This fundraiser benefits the Homebound/Meals on Wheels Program at the Senior Citizens Association in Florence County. We encourage walkers to take advantage of the fitness trail. The walk will begin at promptly 10 am with a drum line cadence. The barbecue chicken plates will be distributed at 11 am with a choice to dine in or drive thru. The drive thru offers quick pick up and ease of sitting in your car when picking up the BBQ chicken plates. The plate will include a half BBQ chicken, yellow rice, potato salad and green beans. The cost of the plate is \$10. You can purchase your ticket for this fundraiser at the Leatherman Senior Center or by calling Jesseca Bonnoitt at 843-669-6761 ext. 231. If you are in need of senior services, please reach out to us for assistance.

10am - 5pm 2020 Pee Dee Regional Art Competition Exhibition

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The annual competition, sponsored by Chick-fil-A of Florence, is organized by The Florence County Museum and is open to any artist native to the Pee Dee area or currently living in Florence, Horry, Chesterfield, Darlington, Dillon, Georgetown, Kershaw, Lee, Marion, Marlboro, Sumter, and Williamsburg counties. This year's exhibition is comprised of 36 artworks selected by competition juror, Jeff Donovan. Donovan is a mixed media artist and paintings conservator living and working in Columbia, SC. The art will remain on display through Friday, April 3. For more information about the 2020 Pee Dee Regional Art Competition and all other museum exhibits and programs, please visit flocomuseum.org or contact the Florence County Museum at 843.676.1200.

Florence Festivals & Events

10am - 4pm Birds of Paradise Exhibit

Where: Franklin G. Burroughs-Simeon B. Chapin Art Museum, 3100 S. Ocean Blvd., Myrtle Beach, SC, 29577, United States

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10am - 4pm Elle Love-Stamps and Paper

Where: Lynda English Gallery, 403 Second Loop Road, Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description: Lynda English is hosting a workshop titled Elle Love-Stamps and Paper from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. The cost is \$80.

10am - 5pm Willie + Holcha Art Exhibit

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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Description:

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11am - 5pm Jamey Grimes Exhibition: Formicarium

Where: Jones-Carter Gallery, 105 Henry St., Lake City, SC, 29560, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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Description:

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11am - 5pm Noah James Saunders Exhibition: The Depth of Wire

Where: TRAX Visual Arts Center, 122 Sauls St., Lake City, SC, 29560, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The TRAX Visual Art Center will host an exhibition from artist Noah James Saunders January 31 through March 21.

3:30pm - 3:30pm Fine Arts Friday

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The library will offer Fine Arts Friday for children in grades 5K-3rd on Fridays at 3:30 p.m. Children will be working with a variety of art forms. Registration is limited. For more information, contact the Greenberg Children's Library at 843-292-7382.

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5pm - 5pm Pardi Gras!

Where: Retrofit sip-n-seat, 152 Mantissa Row, Hartsville, SC, 29550, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

It's back! Kick off your weekend with everyone's favorite Mardi Grascelebration! From traditional cajun cuisine and cocktails, to a kid'sbike parade, there will be fun for the whole family! Live music fromHartsville local Jack Sproul begins at 8-don't miss out!

6pm - 7:30pm Sonic Flow with Luke + Laura

Where: Flow Town Yoga, 127 N. Dargan St. Suite 207, Florence, SC, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Join Luke and Laura for the meeting of music, fluid movement, and yoga during the ultimate yoga dance party. Everything in the universe vibrates, from light to sound to human beings. Sonic Flow is a celebration of sound, movement, and freedom while bathed in a mind-expanding sonic soundscape. Experience freedom on a whole new level as you move, breath and meditate.

7pm - 7pm Live Music at Southern Hops

Where: Southern Hops Brewing Company, 911 Sunset Acres Lane, Florence, SC, 29501, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Southern Hops strives to showcase the best regional and local music in a spacious, smoke free environment. There is live music Friday evenings at 7 p.m.

7pm - 7pm Royal Hanneford Circus

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The BIG 3-Ring Circus is back! The Royal Hanneford Circus brings a full-production 3-ring circus spectacular to Florence! Flying trapeze, Jugglers, Clowns, Liberty Horses, Performing Camels, Human Cannonball, Motorcycle Riders on the Globe of Death, and Much More. See over 45 performers PLUS the biggest stars of the show... Performing Elephants! And don't miss the only show in the world today with performing pigs featuring Oink, the singing pig! Arrive early to enjoy pre-show activities such as Elephant rides, Camel rides, Pony rides, Snake photos, Moon bounces, and more! * Doors open one hour before show start. WITNESS A SHOW LIKE NO OTHER The Royal Hanneford Circus March 6-8, 2020

7pm - 9pm St. John's Oyster Roast

Where: St. John's Church, 252 S. Dargan St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Join St. Johns for all you can eat oysters at St. John's. Come out and enjoy LIVE music with the band, Borrowed Time. A nursery will be provided for children. Tickets are available for \$35/person or \$60/couple. Call the church office to purchase tickets

7:30pm - 7:30pm "Don't Dress For Dinner"

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Florence Little Theatre presents "Don't Dress For Dinner" on March 6 through 14. Bernard is planning a romantic weekend with his chic Parisian mistress in his charming converted French farmhouse, while his wife, Jacqueline, is away. He has arranged for a cordon bleu cook to prepare gourmet delights, and has invited his best friend, Robert, along too to provide the alibi. It's foolproof; what could possibly go wrong? Well.... suppose Robert turns up not realizing quite why he has been invited. Suppose Robert and Jacqueline are secret lovers, and consequently determined that Jacqueline will NOT leave for the weekend. Suppose the cook has to pretend to be the mistress and the mistress is unable to cook. Suppose everyone's alibi gets confused with everyone else's. An evening of hilarious confusion ensues as Bernard and Robert improvise at breakneck speed. It is an affair—or three—you are not going to want to miss! Recommended minimum age 12+ (adult language and adult situations). Length 2.5 hours. Tickets \$25 Adult \$20 Senior 62+ \$15 Student/Child

8pm - 8pm Glow Throw Night

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

GLOW THROW!!! Every Thursday through Saturday starting at 8 p.m. Come out and wear your neon because they've got black lights!

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8pm - 8pm Live Jazz

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezzsol@gmail.com

Description: Jazz on Dargan presents live jazz every Friday and Saturday night at 8 p.m.

Sat Mar 7, 2020

All day City of Florence: Registration for Baseball, Softball, Track and Field

Sat Mar 7, 2020

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezzsol@gmail.com

Description:

Registration is open for the following City of Florence athletics.(Through 3/5) - P.A.L. Little League - ages 5-12 (Through 2/20) -Baseball: Maple Park - ages 5-12 (Through 2/27) - Baseball: McLeod Park- ages 5-12 (Through 3/13) - Baseball: McLeod Park - ages 13-16(Through 3/20) - Track and Field - ages 6-18 (Through 2/29) - YouthSoftball - ages 4-12 (3/23 through 4/24) - Youth Softball - ages 13-18Registration can be completed online at www.cityofflorenceathletics.com

All day DII Tennis Round Up

Sat Mar 7, 2020

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezzsol@gmail.com

Description: The Dr. Eddie Floyd Florence Tennis Center will host the DII Tennis Round Up Saturday and Sunday.

All day SFHS Softball Pee Dee Pitch Off

Sat Mar 7, 2020

Where: Freedom Florence, 1515 Freedom Blvd., Florence, SC, 29505, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezzsol@gmail.com

Description:

SFHS will host the Softball Pee Dee Pitch Off Friday and Saturday. Most areas are accessible to the public no charge; however there may be some softball/baseball tournament games that require an admission fee. For more information please call 843-669-4597, 843-665-3253 or email athletics@cityofflorence.com.

All day YMCA T-Ball and Coach Pitch Baseball Registration

Sat Mar 7, 2020

Where: Florence Family YMCA, 1700 S. Rutherford Drive, Florence, SC, 29505, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezzsol@gmail.com

Description:

Registration for T-Ball and Coach Pitch Baseball is February 24-March 22. \$10 late applies to any sign-ups after that. T-ball is for boys and girls ages 3-4 and coach pitch is for boys and girls ages 5-9. The season runs March 30 to May 19 or 21. The YMCA T-Ball and Coach-Pitch Baseball program teaches 3 to 9 year olds the beginning of baseball skill: with the use of a batting tee or pitches. Skills include running, batting, fielding, throwing and catching. While playing outdoors and having fun with others, this will give children the chance to share and play nice with others. All participants will enjoy equal playing time. Those teachings and interactions will allow them all to grow in accordance with the YMCA Mission. Children need to bring their own glove. Parents are needed as volunteer coaches. Registration through March 22; \$10 late fee will be added after March 22. Come by and register at the Florence Family YMCA. For more information visit our website at www.florenceymca.org or call Brent Freeman at 665-1234 ext 104.

7am - 11pm The Skirmish at Gambles Hotel

Where: The Columns Plantation, Rankin Plantation Rd, Florence, SC, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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Description:

The 23rd SC Infantry will present The Skirmish at Gambles Hotel 'TheColumns' from 7 a.m. to 11 p.m. Saturday and at 7 a.m. Sunday. TheSkirmish at Gamble's Hotel depicts an encounter that occurred on March5, 1865 when 500 Federal soldiers marched into the Florence area todestroy the railroad depot. They were met by Confederate soldiers and400 area home guards. The Columns is a popular name for The HarwellHouse at Rankin Plantation, a beautiful antebellum home. The namerefers to the 22 Greek-style, Doric columns on three sides of the home.Events include battle reenactments on Saturday & Sunday, Saturday nightdance, Sunday morning church service and more. Admission: Adults \$10,Students (under 18) \$5, Children under 12 are admitted free with anadult.

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8am - 8am Chili Championship and Car Show

Where: Joe's Grill, 306 Russell St., Darlington, SC, 29532, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Compete for a championship belt and title at Joe's Grill's first Chili Championship on Saturday, March 7, at Joe's Grill in Darlington. Sponsored by the Darlington Downtown Revitalization Association, the event proceeds will benefit the Darlington Fire Department. Come out from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday to taste all the chili you can stand for \$5, and the PEOPLE choose their Champion! Schedule of Events: 8a.m. Set-up and begin cooking 11 a.m. Public sampling of chili begins 1:30 p.m. Tickets taken up, sampling ends 1:45 p.m. Winners announced Cook teams can pick up entry forms at Joe's or here.

9am - 5:30pm Artist JRenée Exhibit

Where: Dr. N. Lee Morris Gallery, 509 S. Dargan St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The Dr. Lee Morris Gallery is hosting an exhibit by artist JRenée Sunday, January 26 through March 15. The opening reception is Sunday, January 26 at 3 p.m. Admission is free and open to the public and light refreshments will be served. In addition to the exhibit, she will present an artist's talk about her work on February 11 at 6:30 p.m. in the Joseph Stukes Meeting Room. JRenée is internationally known for her reverse glass paintings, or Eglomise, depicting southern lifestyle themes, tropical design, and the life and times in New Orleans, pre- and post-Katrina. She enjoys painting images and scenes that promote thought on issues of social justice, history, and folklore. She graduated from Xavier University in 1989 with a Bachelor's degree in Fine Arts. Like many, JRenée was a Katrina evacuee who was forced to move around the country. She eventually settled in Columbia, South Carolina. The Doctor N. Lee Morris Gallery is located on the second floor of the Drs. Bruce and Lee Foundation Library.

9am - 1pm City Center Farmers Market

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

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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Description:

The Florence City Center Farmers Market is open every Saturday from 9 a.m. to 1 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. For more information or to become a vendor at the market, please email: jpeze@cityofflorence.com. www.facebook.com/citycenterfarmersmarket

9:30am - 10:30am Farm Harvest Day

Where: L.W. Paul Living History Farm, 2279 Harris Shortcut Road, Conway, SC, 29526, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Experience life on a small family farm from 1900-1955! Visitors will learn about seasonal produce and even help harvest available crops. You can also purchase available produce. This program is free and open to all ages.

10am - 5pm 2020 Pee Dee Regional Art Competition Exhibition

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10am - 10am Abingdon Manor Cooking Classes

Where: Abingdon Manor, 307 Church Street, Latta, SC, 29565, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Designed for 2 or 3 couples, or a maximum of 6 individuals, cooking classes at the Inn offer a fun way to eat your way through a weekend. Bring one or two couples or group of friends and receive hands-on instruction for some of the Inn's favorite recipes and be part of preparing Saturday night dinner. These packages are for the novice or experienced cook, couples, friends, and colleagues. Please call them at (843) 752-5090 to book this package!

Florence Festivals & Events

10am - 4pm Birds of Paradise Exhibit

Where: Franklin G. Burroughs-Simeon B. Chapin Art Museum, 3100 S. Ocean Blvd., Myrtle Beach, SC, 29577, United States

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10am - 11am Casting Tracks

Where: Lee State Park, 487 Loop Rd, Bishopville, SC, 29010, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

It's time to put your animal tracking skills to the test. Are you rusty or inexperienced with track identification? This is a fun way to learn. All skill levels are welcome. Join a park ranger in a track hunt at Lee State Park. You will make your own track guide and cast of an animal print. Then, use your guide to track it down! It's a fun way to become a track master.

10am - 2pm Dr. Seuss Day "A Seussical Day to Read and Play"

Where: Brookgreen Gardens, 1931 Brookgreen Drive, Murrells Inlet, SC, 29576, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Brookgreen Gardens will host "A Seussical Day to Read and Play" on Saturday from 10 a.m. - 2 p.m., at the Wall Lowcountry Center. The event is in celebration of Read Across America Day, the annual nationwide event that takes place on March 2 - Dr. Seuss's birthday. Families are invited to come together to enjoy a read aloud of books that convey the appreciation of art, nature, and conservation as experienced at Brookgreen Gardens. Themed make-and-take crafts and activities will be available. Children and adults are encouraged to dress like their favorite book characters. Activities will close with a celebration of Dr. Seuss's birthday. The program is free with garden admission. For more information, contact Stephanie Atkinson, Coordinator for Nature Education Development, at 843-235-6055 or complete the Contact form on the website.

10am - 10am FMU Tennis Schedule

Where: Francis Marion University - Kassab Courts, 4822 E. Palmetto St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Tennis games are played at the Kassab Tennis Courts on the campus of Francis Marion University. Unless otherwise noted, Feb 7 - vs Bluefield St. Played at Florence Tennis Center (City of Florence College Tennis Invitational) - Men play at 2 p.m. Women play at 4 p.m. Feb 8 - TBA - Played at Florence Tennis Center (City of Florence College Tennis Invitational) - Men play at 9 a.m. and 2 p.m. - Women play at 11 a.m. and 4 p.m. Feb 18 - vs. Coker - 2 p.m. Feb 23 - vs. Carson Newman at 11 a.m. Mar 7 - vs Chowan played at Florence Tennis Center at 10 a.m. Mar 8 - vs Lenoir-Rhyne at Florence Tennis Center at 3 p.m. March 10 - vs Ashland at 2 p.m. March 12 - vs Tusculum at 2 p.m. March 28 - vs Augusta at 12 p.m. March 29 - vs Georgia College at 11 a.m. April 10 - vs Columbus St. at 2 p.m. April 11 - vs. Ga. Southwestern 11 a.m. April 18 - vs. Lander at 12 p.m.

10am - 12pm Orchid-ology: Growing Indoors

Where: Moore Farms Botanical Garden, 100 New Zion Road, Lake City, SC, 29560, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The golden rule for orchid success indoors is to duplicate the plant's natural conditions as closely as possible. Light, temperature, humidity, your watering tendencies, and fertilizing all play a role in growing these ethereal plants. MFBG Plant Recorder Tierney Rosenstock, who is hooked on orchids, will share all her tips and tricks to getting the most out of your indoor orchids and how to troubleshoot orchid care. Each attendee will pot their own orchid to take home. All materials will be provided. Bring your own gardening gloves if desired.

Florence Festivals & Events

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11am - 4pm Free First Saturday Glass Blowing Demos

Where: Conway Glass, 708 12th Ave., Conway, SC, 29526, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

The SC Arts Commission Quarterly Artist Grant enables visitors to see and learn about the traditional craft of glassblowing. Visit Conway Glass from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. on the first Saturday of every month at Conway Glass. Ed Streeter explores and demonstrates various traditional and experimental glass techniques.

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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: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

See live animal every Saturday and Sunday at the Environmental Discovery Center at Lynches River County Park. Animal presentations are every Saturday at 11:30 a.m. and 3 p.m. and Sundays at 2 p.m. You'll have an opportunity to meet an animal up close and learn about them.

12pm - 5pm Spring Music Blast

Where: La Belle Amie Vineyard, 1120 St. Joseph Road, Little River, SC, 29566, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

Created by: blueyezsol@gmail.com

Description:

Bring a blanket and chair and enjoy the music at La Belle Amie! This event features live music, delicious food, and excellent wine. Admission is \$10 per person, and individuals under 18 and over 80 are admitted for free. Join us from noon to 5 p.m. Folks who donate at least two canned or dry food items will receive a ticket discount of \$2.

Florence Festivals & Events

1pm - 1pm FMU 2020 Softball

Where: FMU Softball Field: Griffin Athletic Complex, 4700 E. Palmetto St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

Calendar: Florence Festivals & Events

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2pm - 3pm STEM Saturdays

Where: Girls University, 1249 Celebration Blvd., Florence, SC, 29501, United States

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Description:

Come learn, play and experience Girls University! Girls will complete a variety of Girls U signature STEM enrichment activities. Each month, there will be a different activities. Not sure what Girls University is, then come in for an hour and check it out. Enjoy hands on activities with our awesome Girls U staff! This event is free for Girls University members. \$5 for non-members.

3pm - 3pm FMU 2020 Softball

Where: FMU Softball Field: Griffin Athletic Complex, 4700 E. Palmetto St., Florence, SC, 29506, United States

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3pm - 3pm Royal Hanneford Circus

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3pm - 3pm Wild Weekends

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

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Description:

See live animal every Saturday and Sunday at the Environmental Discovery Center at Lynches River County Park. Animal presentations are every Saturday at 11:30 a.m. and 3 p.m. and Sundays at 2 p.m. You'll have an opportunity to meet an animal up close and learn about them.

4pm - 8pm Southeastern Bluegrass Association Concert

Where: Lydia Community Center, 5069 Indian Branch Rd., Hartsville, SC, 29550, United States

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Description:

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

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7pm - 7pm Royal Hanneford Circus

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7:30pm - 7:30pm "Don't Dress For Dinner"

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

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Description:

The Florence Little Theatre presents "Don't Dress For Dinner" on March 6 through 14. Bernard is planning a romantic weekend with his chic Parisian mistress in his charming converted French farmhouse, while his wife, Jacqueline, is away. He has arranged for a cordon bleu cook to prepare gourmet delights, and has invited his best friend, Robert, along too to provide the alibi. It's foolproof; what could possibly go wrong? Well.... suppose Robert turns up not realizing quite why he has been invited. Suppose Robert and Jacqueline are secret lovers, and consequently determined that Jacqueline will NOT leave for the weekend. Suppose the cook has to pretend to be the mistress and the mistress is unable to cook. Suppose everyone's alibi gets confused with everyone else's. An evening of hilarious confusion ensues as Bernard and Robert improvise at breakneck speed. It is an affair—or three—you are not going to want to miss! Recommended minimum age 12+ (adult language and adult situations). Length 2.5 hours. Tickets \$25 Adult \$20 Senior 62+ \$15 Student/Child

7:30pm - 9:30pm The Temptations (Sold out)

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

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Description:

The Temptations will perform at the PAC Saturday, March 7 from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. For more than 50 years, The Temptations have prospered, propelling popular music with a series of smash hits, and sold-out performances throughout the world.

8pm - 8pm Glow Throw Night

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

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Description:

GLOW THROW!!! Every Thursday through Saturday starting at 8 p.m. Come out and wear your neon because they've got black lights!

8pm - 8pm Live Jazz

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

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Description: Jazz on Dargan presents live jazz every Friday and Saturday night at 8 p.m.