

**WZEW, WNXP, WZEW HD 2 (96.5 The Crab) &
WZEW HD 3 (92.5 The Soul) ISSUES and
PROGRAMMING TO ADDRESS THOSE
ISSUES, 3rd Quarter, 2019**

The following are the issues of public importance identified by radio station WZEW-FM in the 3rd Quarter of 2019 for Mobile, Fairhope and the surrounding service area:

- 1) The improvement and protection of the environment in Mobile and Baldwin counties along with Mobile Bay and the Gulf of Mexico.
- 2) The need for funding and support of the Child Advocacy Center for victims of sexual and physical abuse within the Mobile/Fairhope area.
- 3) Support for the American Heart Association, which provides education about cardiovascular conditions and resources for maintaining heart health.
- 4) The need for volunteer action to support programs and services for non-profit agencies within the service area.
- 5) Support for, and education about, the arts and the role they play in our community.

WZEW-FM offers extended airtime to legitimate public service groups through our liberal offering of airtime to legitimate public service groups. Included in the 3rd quarter were the American Heart Association, the Child Advocacy Center, Children's of Alabama, the Lagniappe, Ronald McDonald House Charities, United Cerebral Palsy, Mobile Arts Council, Mobile Bay Keeper, Mobile Theatre Guild, Mobile Shakespeare Company, The Joe Jefferson Playhouse and the Providence Hospital Foundation. All the PSA's that aired on WZEW are listed under separate cover in the public file.

Public News/Lagniappe

WZEW has dedicated time to supporting news efforts in partnership with the Lagniappe weekly newspaper to cover stories of public interest that go uncovered due to the area's lack of a daily newspaper.

American Heart Association

WZEW-FM promoted the "Heart Walk" event upcoming October 5th, a fundraiser benefiting the American Heart Association, though the event was eventually cancelled. The AHA is one of the leading supporters of cardiovascular research nationwide.

Child Advocacy Center

WZEW-FM sponsored and promoted the "Cheers to Children" event, which featured a wine tasting, live music and a silent auction. All proceeds benefited the local Child Advocacy Center.

Ronald McDonald House Charities

WZEW-FM promoted the "Rubber Ducky Regatta," taking place on October 5th and 12th annual "Girls Just Wanna Have Fun" event on September the 12th, all of which benefited the local Ronald McDonald House Charities. The RMHC provides resources for families and sick children.

United Cerebral Palsy

WZEW-FM promoted the Food and Folly Event September 19th that benefited United Cerebral Palsy. United Cerebral Palsy (UCP) educates, advocates and provides support services to ensure a life without limits for people with a spectrum of disabilities.

Mobile Bay Keeper

WZEW-FM sponsored and promoted the “Bay Bites Food Truck Festival,” an event featuring music, food vendors, a dunk tank and more benefiting Mobile Bay Keeper. Mobile Bay Keeper lobbies on a local, state and federal level to promote a cleaner environment in south Alabama. WZEW-FM interviewed one of the directors of the organization and promoted the event times, food trucks and entertainment. .

The Arts in our Community

WZEW_FM is a proud sponsor of the Arts in Mobile & Baldwin Counties. This includes The Joe Jefferson Playhouse, Mobile Theatre Guild, and Mobile Shakespeare Company, Mobile Arts Council, Loda Art Walk/Arts Alive!, The Mobile Opera & Symphony and many others.

E-Town

WZEW airs “E-Town”, a non profit program every Sunday. E-Town features a variety of guests and performances and promotes better living for our planet.

92 ZEW’s Community Round Table

WZEW-FM airs the show “Community Round Table” along with the “Radio Health Journal” on Sunday mornings. “Community Round Table” is a local issues discussion show hosted by WZEW-FM evening personality Tony Plosczyinski. On the show Tony interviews community leaders and citizens of Mobile, Fairhope and the surrounding area to find out what the issues affecting the community are and what solutions exist. The

“Radio Health Journal” is a half hour program that focuses on new medicines and cure and suggestions and tips on how to live a healthier lifestyle.

What Matters to Mobile

The issues that concern the citizens of Mobile, Fairhope and surrounding communities are the concerns of WZEW-FM. WZEW-FM is actively working with many groups who are trying to further the quality of life in our area of the beautiful Gulf Coast. WZEW-FM will continue to seek out and address the concerns of its city of license and surrounding area.

The following are the scripts that were used by the on air staff to read and promote the previous mentioned events and more.

The Mobile Rundown 7/1-7/8 (Final Edition)

7/3 – 7/4: Grand Bay Watermelon Festival

Wednesday – Thursday, Grand Bay Festival Park

Admission: \$5 per car. Ages: All. Nothing celebrates the 4th of July more than a watermelon festival! Enjoy a full 2 days of family-friendly fun along with crafts and live entertainment.

7/4: 5th Annual 5K on the 4th

Thursday – 7:30 am, Run N Tri Mobile

Admission: Free. Ages: All. Get your holiday off to a great start with a quick morning 5K. All ages and all fitness levels are welcome to join! Get there early to get your raffle ticket and to be in the group photo. Don't forget to bring a dish that you can share and most importantly—wear your red, white, and blue!

7/4: Market in the Park – Lavretta Park

Thursday – 3 pm – 6 pm, Lavretta Park. Admission: Free. Ages: All. Spend your Thursday afternoons strolling the vendors at the Lavretta Park Market in the Park. It's your chance to get your hands on the freshest local produce, plants, and baked goods. Shop makers, crafters, artists, and more!

7/5 FIRST FRIDAY ART WALK- Fri 6pm-8pm, downtown Fairhope

Stroll through downtown Fairhope to see local artists and hear local musicians at various venues. Start your Art Walk at the Eastern Shore Art Center to see the latest exhibit.

FRIDAY AT THE FIREHOUSE- Fri 5:30pm-7pm, H.H. Edwards Station, Hillcrest Rd, Mobile. Friday At The Firehouse is an open-house-style evening of family fun! You will have the chance to tour the stations, explore the fire engines, and meet Mobile Fire-Rescue crews. There will also be coloring stations and kids games.

The Mobile Rundown 7/8-7/15 (Final Edition)

7/8 - 7/12: Junior Police Summer Camp

Monday - Friday, Mobile Police Academy

Admission: \$60 per person

Ages: 9 - 12 years old

This is the perfect opportunity for kids who are fascinated with becoming a police officer to join the Mobile Police Department for a week-long adventurous learning experience. The summer camp program provides a whole lot of fun, with team-building challenges and specialty unit field trips to spend some quality time with real-world law enforcement officers. The Junior Police Summer Camp is for kids ages 9 to 12.

7/12-7/14

RED, WHITE & BLUES WEEK: BLUE ANGELS PENSACOLA BEACH AIR SHOW-

WEATHER PERMITTING OF COURSE WITH BARRY LOOMING IN THE GULF.

Thurs 2pm (Full practice);

Fri 12 noon (Dress rehearsal with civilian acts at 12 and Blue Angels at 2); Sat 12 noon (Pensacola Beach Air Show with Blue Angels at 2), Pensacola Beach

The U.S. Navy Blue Angels headline this weekend's airshow over Pensacola Beach. For schedule, [click HERE](#). For pro tips on going to the Air Show, [click HERE](#).

7/12: LoDa ArtWalk

Friday - 6 pm - 9 pm, Downtown Mobile

Admission: Free

Ages: All

What could be better than being let loose in the streets of Downtown Mobile surrounded by artists, makers, and musicians? Check out the always entertaining LoDa ArtWalk on the second Friday of each

month. All downtown businesses, galleries, restaurants, and boutiques are open late for the evening.

7/13 MARKET IN THE PARK- Saturdays through July 27th, 7:30am-12:00noon, Cathedral Square, downtown Mobile

Each year, the Mobile Arts Council and the City of Mobile Special Events Department work together to produce Market in the Park. Each week, the market features live musical performances, one-of-a-kind arts and crafts produced by local artisans, and locally grown produce, seafood, cheese and eggs, honeys, flowers and plants, baked goods, pasta, and more.

7/13: Roy Martin Young Anglers Tournament

Saturday - 5 am, Dauphin Island

Admission: \$5 per angler

Ages: Children under 15 can participate

The Alabama Deep Sea Fishing Rodeo's Roy Martin Young Anglers Tournament takes place the weekend before the ADSFR weekend.

This is an opportunity to get young anglers involved in the sport and to teach them sportsmanship. This one-day event features 31 categories with prizes awarded for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place in all categories. One Master Angler is awarded.

7/13: Africatown Bridge Challenge

Saturday - 7:30 am - 10:30 am, Africatown Welcome Center - Old Plateau Cemetery

Admission: \$12+

Ages: All

The out-and-back 5K course will take participants over the Africatown Bridge twice—on the way out and on the way back. The 1-mile course will take participants to the foot of the Africatown Bridge and back to the Africatown Welcome Center.

The Mobile Rundown 7/15-7/22 (FINAL Edition)

EVENTS:

7/18: Market in the Park – Lavretta Park

Thursday – 3 pm – 6 pm, Lavretta Park

Admission: Free

Ages: All

Spend your Thursday afternoons strolling the vendors at the Lavretta Park Market in the Park. It's your chance to get your hands on the

freshest local produce, plants, and baked goods. Shop makers, crafters, artists, and more!

7/19 – 7/21: Alabama Deep Sea Fishing Rodeo

Friday – Sunday, Dauphin Island

Admission: \$50 per angler

Ages: All

The Alabama Deep Sea Fishing Rodeo, a project of the Mobile Jaycees, is the largest fishing tournament in the world. Since 1929, the rodeo has grown to over 3,000 anglers and over 75,000 spectators. This 3-day event awards anglers in over 30 categories, including cash prizes for King Mackerel, Speckled Trout, and Big Game Jackpots.

7/19: FRIDAY AT THE FIREHOUSE- Fri 5:30pm-7pm, Crichton Station, 200 Davenport Ave., Mobile. Friday At The Firehouse is an open-house-style evening of family fun! You will have the chance to tour the stations, explore the fire engines, and meet Mobile Fire-Rescue crews. There will also be coloring stations and kids games.

7/19 – 8/11: *Oliver!*

Fridays & Saturdays – 7:30 pm | Sundays – 2:30 pm

Admission: \$16 Adults | \$14 Students and Seniors

Ages: All

Mobile's Playhouse-in-the-Park presents Lionel Bart's *Oliver!*, the Broadway musical based on Charles Dickens' timeless novel. A great show for all ages with classic tunes including "Food, Glorious Food!," "Where is Love," "Consider Yourself," "You've Got to Pick a Pocket or Two," and "As Long as He Needs Me." Book, music, and lyrics by Lionel Bart. *Oliver!* will run on weekends, July 19 through August 11, 2019. Reservations online or call 251-602-0630.

7/19 – 7/21 DEAD ACCOUNTS- Fri/Sat 7:30pm; Sun 2:30pm, Theatre 98, Fairhope

Jack's unexpected return from Manhattan to his parents' Cincinnati home throws his family into a frenzy, and his sister Lorna needs answers. Is he coming home or running away? Where is his wife everyone hates? And how did he get all that money?

7/20: Market in the Park – Cathedral Square

Saturday – 7:30 am – Noon, Cathedral Square

Admission: Free. Ages: All

The Summer Market in the Park at Cathedral Square is the best one-stop shop for local produce, baked goods, wares, and more! Bring the

family out for a morning of fun and shopping in the heart of Downtown Mobile.

7/20: 9th Annual Dauphin Street Vault

Saturday – 10 am – 10 pm, Downtown Mobile

Admission: Free for Spectators | \$60 per entry

Ages: All. The Dauphin Street Vault (DSV) is a not-for-profit grassroots event to raise awareness for the pole vault and to create an opportunity for spectators to see the event up close. Whether you're competing in the event or just watching, you'll enjoy the block party atmosphere.

The Mobile Rundown 7/22-7/29 (Final Edition) **EVENTS:**

7/24: Bay Bites Food Truck Festival

Wednesday – 5 pm – 9 pm, Cooper Riverside Park

Admission: \$20 in advance | \$25 at the gate

Ages: All

Hosted by Mobile Baykeeper's Young Advisory Council (YAC) Leadership Committee, Bay Bites is an annual food truck festival benefiting our work for clean water, clean air, and healthy communities. Enjoy delicious food from the area's best local food trucks, craft beer and wine, live music, lawn games, and a variety of kids' entertainment options on the beautiful riverfront of downtown Mobile.

7/25: Oceans Alive! Day Camp

Thursday – 1 pm – 4 pm, Discovery Hall at The Sea Lab | Dauphin Island

Admission: \$35 per person. Ages: 5 – 8 years old

The Gulf of Mexico offers a wealth of material for developing minds and curious senses in "Ocean's Alive," a half-day adventure for children ages 5 through 8 and their parents/grandparents. Combining arts and crafts with a beach walk adventure, the educators at the Dauphin Island Sea Lab usher children and adults into a deeper appreciation of the marvelous Alabama coast. Lessons in marine biology, ecology, and zoology are introduced in hands-on activities so fun, your children will discover that learning can be a blast.

7/25: Market in the Park – Lavretta Park

Thursday – 3 pm – 6 pm, Lavretta Park. Admission: Free. Ages: All
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freshest local produce, plants, and baked goods. Shop makers, crafters, artists, and more!

SUMMER CLASSIC MOVIE SERIES: PURPLE RAIN- Thurs Doors open at 6:30. Movie starts at 7pm, Mobile Saenger Theatre, downtown Mobile

Purple Rain is a 1984 American [rock musical drama film](#) starring [Prince](#) in his acting debut playing "The Kid", a character based in part on Prince himself. *Purple Rain* was developed to showcase Prince's talents, and the film contains several concert sequences too and is a true classic of the 80's genre and pop music.

7/26 – 7/28: 19th Annual MBGFC Billfish Limited Tournament

Friday – Sunday, Orange Beach Marina

Admission: \$1,000 per Boat

Ages: All

Join the Mobile Big Game Fishing Club for the Annual Billfish Limited Tournament the weekend of July 26th at the Orange Beach Marina. Kick off the weekend with dinner at the MBGFC Clubhouse at 6 pm Friday, fish all day Saturday, and enjoy an awards breakfast at 9:30 am on Sunday!

7/26-7/28: LOVE'S LABOR'S LOST- Fri/Sat 7:30pm, Sun 2pm, Mobile Theatre Guild.

One of Shakespeare's early comedies, Love's Labor's Lost is both silly and sincere, heartwarming and bittersweet, a delightful exploration of the language of love.

7/26 -7/28: OLIVER! - Fri/Sat 7:30pm, Sun 2:30pm, Playhouse in the Park, Langan Municipal Park, Mobile

Come join Oliver and Dodger as they sing and dance In Lionel Bart's Broadway musical based on Charles Dicken's novel.

DEAD ACCOUNTS- Fri/Sat 7:30pm; Sun 2:30pm, Theatre 98, Fairhope

Jack's unexpected return from Manhattan to his parents' Cincinnati home throws his family into a frenzy, and his sister Lorna needs answers. Is he coming home or running away? Where is his wife everyone hates? And how did he get all that money?

7/27: Market in the Park –LAST WEEK- Cathedral Square

Saturday – 7:30 am – Noon, Cathedral Square

Admission: Free

Ages: All

The Summer Market in the Park at Cathedral Square is the best one-

stop shop for local produce, baked goods, wares, and more! Bring the family out for a morning of fun and shopping in the heart of Downtown Mobile. Don't miss this last Saturday of local shopping fun!

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7/27: 6th Annual KIDS DAY- Sat 10am-2pm, Tillman's Corner Community Center.

A day of FREE fun and activities that the whole family can enjoy, like laser tag, inflatables, and the largest mobile video game theater. Bring a canned food item for admission. Sponsored by SouthWest Mobile County Chamber of Commerce.

7/27: BALDWIN HUMANE SOCIETY'S PET EXPO- Sat 10am-4pm, Loxley Civic Center. This is an indoor, family and pet-friendly event, full of pet related vendors, activities for your pet like best trick and costume contests, training demos, a rabies clinic, an adoption event and much more!

The Mobile Rundown 8/5- 8/12 (FINAL Edition) **EVENTS:**

8/8: Water Balloon Battle of Mobile Bay

Thursday - 5 pm, Cathedral Square

Admission: Free. Ages: All

To mark the 155th anniversary of the Battle of Mobile Bay, the Downtown Mobile Alliance stages a reenactment of that epic naval encounter. Except this time, the Battle will be on land (Cathedral

Square), cannons will be replaced by water balloons & super-soakers, and the outcome is uncertain! Meet in Cathedral Square at 5:00, Battle Stations at 5:15 and the Balloon Fly at 5:30. (Don't be late — unlike the original battle, this one is over in a matter of minutes!) This is a free event, but bring super-soakers if you wish and a towel — you'll want to dry off before heading to the shops, galleries and restaurants after the battle is decided! Water balloons (thousands of them) provided.

8/8-8/9: BABE RUTH WORLD SERIES IN MOBILE- Thurs 5pm and 7:30pm, Fri (game time TBD), Jacobs Field, University of Mobile

For the first time ever, Mobile is hosting the 16-18 year old Babe Ruth World Series, with 8 regional champion teams competing. The week of competition wraps up with the Semi-Finals on Thursday and the Championship Game on Friday.

8/9-8/11: OLIVER! - Fri/Sat 7:30pm, Sun 2:30pm, Playhouse in the Park, Langan Municipal Park, Mobile. Come join Oliver and Dodger as they sing and dance in Lionel Bart's Broadway musical based on Charles Dicken's novel.

8/9 - 8/25: A Gentleman's Guide to Love and Murder

Friday & Saturday - 7:30 pm | Sunday - 2 pm, Chickasaw Civic Theatre

Admission: \$12 and up. Ages: All

Set in London in 1907, *A Gentleman's Guide to Love and Murder* centers on Monty Navarro, a penniless clerk who is informed after the death of his mother that he is ninth in line to inherit the earldom of Highhurst, controlled by the wealthy D'Ysquith banking family. After the imperious ruling Lord dismisses Monty's claim of being a relative, the eight D'Ysquiths ahead of young Mr. Navarro begin dying in natural and unnatural ways. How will all of these convoluted storylines come together?

8/9: LoDa ArtWalk

Friday - 6 pm - 9 pm, Downtown Mobile

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The Mobile Rundown 8/12- (FINAL Edition)

EVENTS:

8/14: United Way of Southwest Alabama Annual Meeting Featuring Fox Butterfield

Thursday – 11:30 am, Renaissance Mobile Riverview Plaza

Admission: \$60 per person | \$600 for a table of 9

Ages: All

The United Way of Southwest Alabama (UWSWA) is hosting a two-day Annual Meeting featuring Pulitzer Prize Winner Fox Butterfield. The event opens with a Community Roundtable led by Mr. Butterfield on August 14 at 1 PM in the Government Plaza Auditorium that is free and open to the public. On August 15, the public is invited to the 2019 Campaign Kickoff at the UWSWA office. Immediately following, there will be a second-line style parade to the Renaissance Mobile Riverview Plaza that ends with a Campaign Rally in the courtyard. The ticketed luncheon will be held in the Renaissance Riverview Plaza Hotel ballroom and includes a short program followed by Mr. Butterfield's keynote speech. Tickets are \$60 each and tables of nine are \$600.

8/16: Women's Forum – Women Who Rock It

Friday – 8 am – 10:30 am, Renaissance Riverview Riverview Plaza

Admission: \$25 per person | \$200 for a table of 8 – Register by Monday, August 12th

Ages: All

The Women's Forum is a great opportunity to network and engage with inspiring women from our region who ROCK IT every day! We are excited to hear from our keynote speaker, Kay Hire. Hire, a Mobile native and Murphy High School graduate, is a former NASA astronaut and Captain in the U.S. Navy Reserve who has flown aboard two Space Shuttle missions and was the first female in the U.S. military to be assigned to a combat aircrew. The Forum will also feature Lynne Chronister, Vice President of Research and Economic Development, University of South Alabama; Dr. Kathryn Dempsey, Dermatologist, Coastal Dermatology & Skin Care Center; Helena Roldan, Marriage and Family Counselor, Phases Employee Assistance Program; and Suintrese Williams-Maynard, Trial Attorney, U.S. Equal Employment Opportunity. These women will participate in a panel discussion with Maggie Lacey, Executive Editor of Mobile Bay Magazine serving as moderator.

8/16 – 9/1: Matilda

Friday – Sunday, Joe Jefferson Playhouse

Admission: \$10 and up

Ages: All. *Matilda* is a cherished story of a whimsically brilliant little

girl who practically raises herself and learns she has special powers! Don't miss this enchanting play at the JJP.

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8/24: Miles for Medicine 5K and Fun Run

Saturday – 7:30 am, Langan Municipal Park

Admission: \$17 and up Adults | \$12 and up Children 12 and Under

Ages: All. The annual "Miles for Medicine 5K and Fun Run" to support charitable activities of the Lions Club at South Alabama will be held in Langan Park Saturday, Aug. 24th. This family-friendly event will include food, music, trophies, and give-aways. Bring any used eyeglasses to be recycled.

The Mobile Rundown 8/19-8/26 (FINAL Edition)

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times a year in various communities. Each Vintage Market Days event is a unique opportunity for vendors to display their talents and passions in different venues.

[8/22: 2019 Business Expo](#)

Thursday - 10 am - 3 pm, Mobile Convention Center

Admission: \$5 with Business Card

Ages: Professionals

Hosted by the Mobile Area Chamber, Business Expo gives members an opportunity to showcase the latest products and services at the area's largest business-to-business trade show. With more than 200 exhibitors and over 2,000 attendees each year, you'll want your company up front and visible at this premier event!

[8/23: Cool Club Cookout](#)

Friday - 6:30 pm, Moe's Original Bar B Que Downtown Mobile

Admission: \$30 per person

Ages: All

Dance Without Limits Foundation provides the recreational activity of dance, yoga, and other activities to children and adults with special needs. This fundraiser will help to purchase equipment and provide scholarships to those who need them. \$30 per person is a great deal for all you can eat, 2 drink tickets and some of the best entertainment you've ever seen! Enjoy live music and a silent auction.

[8/23: Veterans Pancake Breakfast Fundraiser](#)

PRFoundation.Net And Ed's Seafood Shed are doing a Pancake Breakfast to raise money for the Fight Oar Die Veteran Rowing Team. Go to usvetrow.org. A 3,000 mile row across the Atlantic Ocean to raise awareness for PTSD, TBI and reintegration from Military service. Please Swing by for a great breakfast for a great cause. 8am-11am. This Sauturday 24th Ed's Seafood Shed. Meet the Team and See "woobie" their cross Atlantic Row Boat.

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The Mobile Rundown 8/26- 9/2 (FINAL Edition)
EVENTS:

8/29: GULFQUEST COMMUNITY OPEN HOUSE- Thurs 5:30pm-8pm, GulfQuest Community Maritime Museum, downtown Mobile

Enjoy music by Symone French and take a guided tour with staff and volunteers. Sit and watch the ships pass by or take a 25 minute complimentary tour on the river by WildNative Tours.

8/30 – 9/1: *Matilda*

Friday – Sunday, Joe Jefferson Playhouse

Admission: \$10 and up. Ages: All. *Matilda* is a cherished story of a whimsically brilliant little girl who practically raises herself and learns she has special powers! Don't miss this enchanting play at the JJP.

9/30: FRIDAY AT THE FIREHOUSE - Fri 5:30pm-7pm, Tapia Station, 4710 Airport Blvd

Friday At The Firehouse is an open-house-style evening of family fun! You will have the chance to tour the stations, explore the fire engines, and meet Mobile Fire-Rescue crews. There will also be coloring stations and kids games.

8/29: 21st Annual Alabama Chef Challenge

Thursday – 6 pm – 9 pm, Fort Whiting Armory. Admission: \$75 per ticket

Ages: 21+ It's Feeding the Gulf Coast's 21st year to host the Chef Challenge—A Challenge to End Hunger. FTGC invites you to celebrate with a night of culinary magic as some of the area's most celebrated chefs come together to fight hunger in our community and enjoy a little friendly competition. With your support of the Chef Challenge, FTGC looks forward to continuing and innovating its hunger-relief programs and services that provide meals to those in need throughout our 24-county, tri-state service area. Guests must be 21 and over.

8/30 – 8/31: Mobile Cross Country Challenge of Champions

Friday – Saturday, Langan Park. Admission: Free for spectators

Ages: All. This is the Mobile area's largest high school cross country event of the year. Presented by Mobile Sports Authority.

9/1: Outdoor Market

Sunday – 12 pm – 4 pm, 5 Rivers Delta Resource Center

Admission: Free

Ages: All

Get out this Labor Day weekend and explore 5 Rivers Delta's Outdoor Market. Shop local artists, makers, crafters, and more vendors from noon until 4 pm.

9/2: 74th Annual LABOR DAY PARADE- Mon 9:45am, downtown Mobile

The AFL-CIO Southwest Alabama Labor Council hosts this parade to pay tribute to the contributions workers have made to the strength, prosperity, and well-being of our community. This is the parade where they throw locally made paper products, such as toilet paper and paper towels!

The Mobile Rundown 9/9 - 916 (FINAL Edition) **EVENTS:**

9/12: Girls Just Wanna Have Fun- Thursday – 5:30 pm – 9 pm, Government Plaza. Admission: \$50. Ages: 21+. Grab your girlfriends and head down to Government Plaza for an evening of fun and fundraising for Ronald McDonald House Charities of Mobile. Enjoy a night of food, drinks, fashion, and pampering.

9/19: USA Stokes Center Presents Performance Poet Danez Smith

Thursday – 6 pm, John Counts Room at the Mitchell Center

Admission: Free. Ages: All

Danez Smith is a queer/poz writer and performer from St. Paul. Danez is the author of *Don't Call Us Dead* (Graywolf Press, 2017), winner of the Forward Prize for Best Collection and a finalist for the National Book Award; he also wrote *[insert] boy*, winner of the Kate Tufts Discovery Award and the Lambda Literary Award for Gay Poetry. Danez's work has been featured in *Buzzfeed*, *The New York Times*, *PBS NewsHour*, and on *The Late Show with Stephen Colbert*. In addition to leading a poetry writing class at USA, Smith will also visit English classes at Murphy High School. Co-sponsors include the Office of Diversity and Inclusion, Spectrum, and African-American Studies. Book signing and reception to follow. Rain location will be in the Humanities Auditorium.

9/19: UCP's Food & Folly Presented by the Richardson Wealth Management Group

Thursday – 6:30 pm – 9:30 pm, Fort Whiting Armory

Admission: \$45 per person | \$70 per couple

Ages: 21+. Food & Folly asks area chefs to prepare samples of their best fare for guests to taste and eventually vote on. In addition, guests have the opportunity to sample fine wines and craft beer, participate in a wine grab, and try their hand in a silent auction. All proceeds benefit United Cerebral Palsy of Mobile. For more information on Food & Folly and UCP, visit ucpmobile.org!

9/13: LoDa ArtWalk

Friday – 6 pm – 9 pm, Downtown Mobile

Admission: Free. Ages: All

Come join the fun as Downtown Mobile comes alive for the monthly LoDa ArtWalk. Walk the streets, enjoy live music, and shop artists, makers, bakers, and craft vendors. Restaurants, bars, boutiques, and galleries are all open late for the evening.

9/13-9/15: CALAMINE- Fri/Sat 7:30pm; Sun 2pm, Mobile Theatre Guild- STARRING 92 ZEW's own Gene, Tony, and WNSP's Ben Morris.

Set in Texas in the 1880s, this tells the story of Wesley Haddon Chambers and his quest for identity, through acceptance and rejection, and with his unwanted mentor, the deadly Calamine. Based on the song of the same name by singer-songwriter Ross Newell, of The Mulligan Brothers and Hamelin fame, who will perform each night.

9/14 – 9/15: 4th Annual Massacre Island's Pirate Siege

Saturday – Sunday, 9 am – 5 pm, Historic Fort Gaines | Dauphin Island

Admission: Adults \$8 | Children \$4

Ages: All

Over 300 years ago, the French explorer Pierre Le Moyne d'Iberville named Dauphin Island "Massacre Island" because of the huge pile of human skeletons that he discovered, which later turned out to be an Indian burial ground that was unearthed during a storm. Pirates later attacked Isle Dauphine and tied everyone up, then robbed their warehouses. Come and meet the Pirates who stormed Mobile Bay and watch as they defend the fort from Spanish and British galleons in a wildly entertaining reenactment. There will also be treasure hunts on both days.

9/14: Jubilee Race for Life 5K

Saturday – 8 am, Christ the King | Daphne

Admission: \$15 and up per race. Ages: All

Help Bayside Medical Missions provide surgeries for persons with limited resources by participating in this 5K and Fun Run. Register online.

9/14: Black Tie Bingo – Saturday 7PM-10 PM. Historic Malbis Nursery. Sponsored by 92 ZEW and hosted by Matt McCoy. The gala will feature food and drink, live music from Tim Roberts, a silent auction and free Bingo games with local celebrity callers and prizes. Come dressed in formal or cocktail attire (suit and black tie or a dress) if you so desire. This is a fun, social event and an opportunity to help raise money for a special cause in honor of a special girl. Tickets are \$100 per couple, \$55 per person and \$500 for a table of 8 (with 1 bottle of red wine and 1 bottle of white wine included). Please contact info@berrystrongfoundation.com for table of 8 sales. Proceeds benefit the Berry Strong Foundation for childhood cancer research.

The Mobile Rundown 9/16-9/23 (FINAL Edition)
EVENTS:

9/19: USA Stokes Center Presents Performance Poet Danez Smith

Thursday – 6 pm, John Counts Room at the Mitchell Center

Admission: Free

Ages: All

Danez Smith is a queer/poz writer and performer from St. Paul. Danez is the author of *Don't Call Us Dead* (Graywolf Press, 2017), winner of the Forward Prize for Best Collection and a finalist for the National Book Award; he also wrote *[insert] boy*, winner of the Kate Tufts Discovery Award and the Lambda Literary Award for Gay Poetry. Danez's work has been featured in *Buzzfeed*, *The New York Times*, *PBS NewsHour*, and on *The Late Show with Stephen Colbert*. In addition to leading a poetry writing class at USA, Smith will also visit English classes at Murphy High School. Co-sponsors include the Office of Diversity and Inclusion, Spectrum, and African-American Studies. Book signing and reception to follow. Rain location will be in the Humanities Auditorium.

9/19: UCP's Food & Folly Presented by the Richardson Wealth Management Group

Thursday – 6:30 pm – 9:30 pm, Fort Whiting Armory

Admission: \$45 per person | \$70 per couple

Ages: 21+

Food & Folly asks area chefs to prepare samples of their best fare for guests to taste and eventually vote on. In addition, guests have the opportunity to sample fine wines and craft beer, participate in a wine grab, and try their hand in a silent auction. All proceeds benefit United Cerebral Palsy of Mobile. For more information on Food & Folly and UCP, visit ucpmobile.org!

9/19: Mobile Symphonic Pops Concert

Thursday – 7 pm, Medal of Honor Park

Admission: Free

Ages: All

The Mobile Symphonic Pops Band, Inc. (aka The Mobile Pops) is a non-profit symphonic concert band that provides around 12 concerts annually in the Greater Mobile, AL area that are free to the public. Their goal is to contribute positively to the arts and cultural environment of the Mobile area and to foster and promote the concept of the adult community concert band.

9/20: The 8th Annual Throwdown

Friday – 6 pm – 9 pm, USS Alabama Battleship Park Medal of Honor Aircraft Pavillion

Admission: \$30 in advance | \$35 day of

Ages: 21 and up

It's time for The Throwdown! Five local artists will compete to create works of art in just 90 minutes, which will then be auctioned off live at the end of the evening. While these artists work, guests will enjoy libations, musical performances, a fantastic silent auction, and delicious eats in the air-conditioned Medal of Honor Aircraft Pavilion at USS Alabama Battleship Park.

9/20: Rise for Climate Mobile Bay

Friday – 8 am – 12 pm, Dog River | Gulf Coast Areas

Admission: Free

Ages: All This is a Non-Partisan event, focused on education. There will be over 40 guests speakers from local Environmental programs and businesses all discussing how we can better our local and worldwide resources and environments. Presented by Sierra Club Mobile Bay Group, and the Mobile Environmental Justice Action Coalition.

9/21: Annual International Coastal Cleanup

Saturday – 12 pm-5PM, Bienville Square | Gulf Coast Areas

Admission: Free

Ages: All

Let's get the trash out of the splash! Join thousands of volunteers all along the Gulf Coast for the Annual Alabama Coastal Cleanup. You or your group can volunteer to clean Alabama's coastal waterways and beaches. Join the Dog River Clearwater Revival organization and pitch in to clean up the Upper and Lower Dog River areas. Volunteers go by boat or land to walk along the shorelines and remove trash. Please bring a water bottle and clothes that can get dirty, along with closed-toe shoes. Lunch will be provided. Check-in required. Visit dogriver.org for more info.

9/21:SMITHSONIAN MAGAZINE MUSEUM DAY-

Saturday, all day. Participating museums and cultural institutions across the country provide free entry to anyone presenting a Museum Day ticket. The Museum Day ticket provides free admission for two people on Saturday.

In Mobile, USS Alabama Battleship Park, Mobile Museum of Art, Eastern Shore Art Center, Conde Charlotte Museum, The Estuarium at Dauphin Island Sea Lab.

9/21 – 9/22: An Evening of the Carol Burnett Show

Saturday – 7:30 pm | Sunday – 2 pm

Admission: \$10 per person

Ages: All

“An Evening of The Carol Burnett Show” is going to be a one-weekend-only medley of performances of skits from the famous Carol Burnett show that originally aired on TV in the 70s. Joe Jefferson Players is excited to bring famous skits from this classic comedy show to the Mobile area and to introduce this amazing show to some

of our younger generations. This performance will run roughly an hour and a half and includes an intermission.

9/21 – 9/22: ¡Olé!

Saturday – 7:30 pm | Sunday – 2:30 pm, Saenger Theatre

Admission: \$20 and up

Ages: All

The Mobile Symphony opens its 2019-2020 season with sizzling Latin heat on Saturday, Sept. 21, at 7:30 pm, and Sunday, Sept. 22, at 2:30 pm, at the Saenger. Cuban pianist Aldo López-Gavilán performs Ravel's Concerto in G Major in a program filled with beloved tributes to the music of Spain and Cuba. Highlights include Gershwin's *Cuban Overture*, deFalla's *Nights in the Gardens of Spain*, and Rimsky-Korsakov's *Capriccio Espagnol*. Tickets range from \$10 (Students) to \$80 and can be purchased online at www.mobilesymphony.org or by calling 251.432.2010. Through the MSO Big Red Ticket program sponsored by Alabama Power, students in grades K-12 can attend the Sunday performance free with a paying adult.

9/26: Build Hope for McKemie Place

Thursday – 6:30 pm, Crown Hall. Admission: \$75 per person

Ages: 21+. Build Hope is an evening to give back to McKemie Place, the only homeless shelter for unaccompanied women in Mobile, Baldwin and Washington counties. Enjoy delicious food by Bay Gourmet catering, drinks, a silent auction and music from Velcro Pygmies in Mobile's brand new event space, Crown Hall.

9/28: Special Cruise to Bayou Canot Blakeley State Park

Saturday, September 28, 9 – 11 a.m. from Historic Blakeley Park. Scene of two of the most dramatic tragedies in regional history: the derailment of Amtrak's "Sunset Limited" in 1993 and the last documented importation of African slaves into the United States in 1860 aboard the Clotilda. At 11:00 a.m. a special interactive wildlife program entitled "Feathered Friends and Falconry" presented by local biologist, educator, and falconer Mark Wetzel. Tickets are just \$25 for adults, and \$15 for children 6-12. For more information to go the events page at www.blakeleypark.com or call 251-626-0798.

9/28: 12th Annual GO Run & 1-Mile Fun Run

Saturday – 6:30 am Registration | 8 am 5K | 9 am Fun Run, USA Moulton Tower

Admission: \$25 Adults | \$10 Youth 12 and Under

Ages: All

Presented by the Catranis Family Charitable Foundation, the GO Run supports gynecologic cancer research at USA Health Mitchell Cancer Institute. This fun family event includes prizes for individual runners and teams and children's activities such as inflatables, face painting, and more.

9/28: Delta Dash

Saturday – 7:30 am, Live Oak Landing | Stockton

Admission: \$65 and up

Ages: 12+

Experience the Delta like never before with a 5K obstacle course race designed to challenge the heart, body, and soul. The goal is simple: provide participants of all lifestyles and ages with an opportunity to test their endurance, stamina, resilience, quick decision-making skills, animal instinct, and the ability to enjoy a face-full of mud, leaves, or whatever else the terrain throws their way. The Delta Dash will take place on over three miles of wooded terrain where several obstacles will be encountered. Obstacles could be anything from crawling in the mud to wading through a creek, scaling hay bales, or something else (shhh...it's a secret!).

9/28 – 9/29: 31st Annual Jubilee Festival

Saturday – Sunday, 10 am – 5 pm, Main Street | Old Towne Daphne

Admission: Free. Ages: All

The Jubilee Festival of Arts is two exciting days filled with arts, crafts, food, entertainment, and fun on the streets of Olde Towne Daphne. The Eastern Shore Chamber of Commerce, City of Daphne, and the Festival Committee are set to welcome more than 100 artists and craftsmen from all over the Southeast. With a nod to the culinary arts, the festival will showcase cooking demonstrations from some of the Eastern Shore's most celebrated chefs and introduce the new Jubilee Market with local makers. The Kids Art Park will also be back, providing free activities for young artists.

9/28-“Postcard Palooza”

Saturday, September 28, 10 a.m. – 12 p.m. West Regional Library.

Come celebrate 150 Years of Postcards. Enjoy our postcard and travel themed displays, make your own personalized postcard, participate in a scavenger hunt, and so much more! For more information, please call 340-1589 or email clovvorn@mplonline.org.

For more information on 150 Years of Postcards, go to 150yearsofpostcards.com.

9/29: VINTAGE AFFAIR GALA- Sun 4pm-7pm, Cotton Hall, Dauphin St, Mobile. A one-of-a-kind evening, featuring great food, entertainment, featured painting by artist Margi McCall, local art work, a spectacular auction, and much more, all to help the American Cancer Society fight cancer and saves lives.

9/28: RACE FOR THE FALLEN GLOW RUN- Sat 6:30pm, The Grounds, West Mobile. Come run under our LED glowing inflatable arch and between the inflatable columns. Each runner will receive a glow gear kit with registration. Race proceeds will benefit the Police Benevolent Foundation.

9/28: 12th Annual GO Run & 1 mile Fun Run- Sat 6:30am (registration); 8am (5K); 9am (Fun Run), Moulton Tower, USA campus

The GO Run supports gynecologic cancer research at USA Health Mitchell Cancer Institute. This fun family event includes prizes for individual runners and teams and children's activities such as inflatables, face painting, and more.

The Mobile Rundown 10/7-10/14 (Final Edition)

EVENTS:

10/11: MOBILE FIRE-RESCUE FIRE & LIFE SAFETY EXPO- Fri 9am-1pm, James Seals Community Center, Texas Street, Mobile

The Expo allows citizens the opportunity to gain an inside look at many of the things that MFRD does for the City of Mobile, while also having fun with firefighters. MFRD will provide vehicle extrication and house burn demonstrations, fire truck rides, food, games, safety information, and more. Free & open to the public.

10/11: LoDa ArtWalk

Friday – 6 pm – 9 pm, Downtown Mobile

Admission: Free. Ages: All

Come join the fun as Downtown Mobile comes alive for the monthly LoDa ArtWalk. Walk the streets, enjoy live music, and shop artists, makers, bakers, and craft vendors. Restaurants, bars, boutiques, and galleries are all open late for the evening.

10/12: Fall Market in the Park

Saturday – 7:30 am – 12 pm, Cathedral Square

Admission: Free

Ages: All

Get out and enjoy the cooler weather at the Fall Market in the Park. It's a fun-filled morning with live music, produce vendors, makers,

bakers, crafters, and more!

10/12: Bras Across the Causeway:

Saturday – 8 am – 12 pm, Meaher State Park | Admission: \$-12 \$20 per person at event.bright.com/

Ages: All . 5k, Games for Kids, and Restaurant Rally Benefitting LOCAL Patients Fighting Breast Cancer right here in Mobile, plus our own Matt Mc Coy will DJ and Host the festivities. Please join us in helping our neighbors who are suffering and have fun making a difference!

10/12: Living History Crew Drill

Saturday – 8 am – 4 pm, USS Alabama Battleship Memorial Park
Admission: \$15 Adults | \$13 Senior Citizens 55+ | \$6 Children 6 – 11
| Free Children 5 & Under

Ages: All

Come see history come alive! Join us as our WWII historical reactors board the battleship USS Alabama and the submarine USS Drum. Learn what life was like on these naval vessels during wartime. Be on the deck of the USS Alabama at 1 pm for the “call to battle stations” as vintage airplanes dive bomb the ship, then watch the men defend the Lucky A with guns blazing! Authentic WWII airplanes, L-Birds, will hold a fly-in on the field and conduct aerial maneuvers throughout the day, weather permitting. Our ham radio broadcasters will also be broadcasting live from the ship. Included in admission.

10/12: Dauphin Island Art Trail

Saturday – 9 am – 4 pm, Dauphin Island

Admission: Free

Ages: All

Join the Dauphin Island Chamber of Commerce for the 9th Annual Dauphin Island Art Trail.

10/12: Walk to Defeat ALS

Saturday – 10 am, Hank Aaron Stadium

Admission: Free to walk | Accepting Donations

Ages: All. Participate in the Walk to Defeat ALS and have a direct impact on people living with ALS and their families at the local level. Through education, support groups, access to care, and advocacy, this group is working to defeat ALS and provide hope to people living with ALS and their families. Check-in starts at 10 am, and the walk begins at 11 am.