



Planning Calendar of Events for 2012

JANUARY

2	PTC QuickStart Tennis Clinics <i>(through May 14th)</i>	Palmetto Tennis Center
7	Alpha Kappa Alpha Cotillion	Patriot Hall
10	Whodunnit?: A Series of Stimulating Mysteries	Sumter County Library
10	Men's Tennis Clinics Begin	Palmetto Tennis Center
11	Second Saturdays Children Art Program	Sumter Co. Gallery of Art
12	SC Watermedia Society Sumter Artists' Guild Winners Show <i>(through Feb 10th)</i>	Sumter Co. Gallery of Art
13-15	Chick-fil-A Winter Chill	Palmetto Tennis Center
14	SSCCA presents Charleston Symphony	Patriot Hall
16	Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Dream Walk	USC Sumter
19	Sumter WineFest	Sumter Co. Gallery of Art/Patriot Hall
21	"Over The Top" Concert	Patriot Hall
21	2012 Local Author Fair	Sumter County Library
25	Lunch and Learn Series: <i>Pearls of Wisdom</i>	Sumter County Museum
28	Sumter High School Beauty Pageant	Patriot Hall
28	Morris College Greek Step Show	Sumter County Civic Center
28	Sumter Youth Summit	Old Lincoln High School
29	Sumter Enduro	Manchester State Forest
30	Baseball/Softball Registration <i>(through Feb 16th)</i>	Sumter Co. Rec. Department
31	"Tops in Blue"	Patriot Hall

FEBRUARY

3-4	Roughest and Toughest Brawl	Sumter County Civic Center
3-5	Annual Chamber Retreat	Hilton Head, S.C.
7	Whodunnit?: A Series of Stimulating Mysteries	Sumter County Library
9-12	SLT presents "Crowns"	Sumter Little Theatre
11	Indoor Garage Sale	Alice Boyle Garden Center
13-14	Region III AAA Basketball Tournament	Sumter County Civic Center
16-19	SLT presents "Crowns"	Sumter Little Theatre
16	Jon Eric Riis Exhibition <i>(through April 20th)</i>	Sumter Co. Gallery of Art
18	SSCCA presents "Horizon"	Patriot Hall
18-19	Kookaburra Cup Soccer Tournament	Patriot Park
18-19	USSSA Baseball Tournament	Patriot Park
22	Chamber of Commerce Legislative Day	Columbia State House
22	Lunch and Learn Series: <i>Tea Time</i>	Sumter County Museum

25-26 Sumter Arts Showcase Patriot Hall

MARCH

1-22	Swan Lake-Iris Gardens Docent Training	Swan Lake Iris Gardens
3	Kite Flying Contest & Bike Rodeo	Dillon Park
9	Downtown Friday Nights Classic Movies	Sumter Opera House
10	Doyle Baseball Parents and Players School	Sumter County Recreation Dept.
10	Sumter County Heart Walk	Sumter Chamber of Commerce
10	Millwood Elementary Variety Show	Patriot Hall
10	SCISA Softball Tournament	Palmetto Park
15	SSCCA presents USC Chamber Orchestra	Patriot Hall
16	YPS Annual Chili Cook-off	Sumter County Museum
17	Sumter Lion's Club Oyster Roast	Swan Lake Iris Gardens Heath Pavilion
17-18	USSSA Baseball Tournament	Patriot Park
18	Sumter Community Concert Band	Patriot Hall Performing Arts Center
22-25	SLT presents "Wiley and the Hairy Man"	Sumter Little Theatre
24	CSA Softball Tournament	Patriot Park
27-28	SCISA Open	Palmetto Tennis Center
28	Lunch and Learn Series: <i>Weaponry</i>	Sumter County Museum
29	SLT presents "Wiley and the Hairy Man" (through April 1 st)	Sumter Little Theatre
30	Freed School of Dance Spring Recital	Patriot Hall
31	Easter Egg Roll in the Backcountry	Sumter County Museum
31	Carolina Cup	Camden, SC
31	SKIB and Softball Jamboree	Patriot Park

APRIL

7	Easter Egg Hunt	Swan Lake Iris Gardens
8	Swan Lake Sunrise Easter Service	Swan Lake Iris Gardens
13	Downtown Friday Nights Classic Movies	Sumter Opera House
13-14	Festival on the Avenue	Manning Avenue
14	Habitat For Humanity-Battle of the Bands	Sumter County Civic Center
14-15	USSSA Baseball Tournament	Patriot Park
14-15	SC Youth Soccer State Cup	Patriot Park
17-27	Lifeguard Training: Session I	City of Sumter Aquatics Center
19-22	Conference Carolinas Championship	Palmetto Tennis Center
20	SSCCA presents "The Dick Goodwin Big Band"	Patriot Hall
21	"Dancing with the Sumter Stars"	Patriot Hall
21-22	USSSA Softball Tournament	Patriot Park
23	Alice Drive Elementary Spring Fling	Patriot Hall
24-25	Sumter County Safe Kids	Sumter County Civic Center
24-26	Senior Fitness Games	Sumter County Rec. Dept.
25	Lunch and Learn Series: <i>Silver</i>	Sumter County Museum
26	SSCCA presents "USAF Airmen of Note"	Patriot Hall
26	Denise Greer/Steve Johnson Exhibition (through July 6 th)	Sumter Co. Gallery of Art

28	Sumter Green Spring Truckload Sale	Swan Lake Iris Gardens
28	Recovery Road Race	Swan Lake Iris Gardens
28	Earth Day Celebration	Swan Lake Iris Gardens
28	Rotary Cow Patty Bingo	Sumter County Civic Center
28-29	NJCAA Region 10 Tournament	Patriot Park
28-29	WFC Softball Tournament	Palmetto Park

MAY

1-11	Lifeguard Training: Session II	City of Sumter Aquatics Center
3	National Day of Prayer	Sumter South Carolina
3	Mayor's Prayer Breakfast	Jehovah Missionary Baptist Church
3-6	Black Cowboy 'Man or Myth' Cultural Festival	Greenfield Farms, Rembert SC
4	Downtown Friday Nights presents 1 st Fridays	Main Street, Downtown Sumter
4-6	Iris Jr. Championships	Palmetto Tennis Center
5	Dancin' on Main Recital	Patriot Hall
5-6	Shaw Air Expo 2012	Shaw AFB
8	Sumter High & Community Concert Jazz Band	Patriot Hall
11	Downtown Friday Nights Classic Movies	Sumter Opera House
12	City of Sumter Aquatics Center Opens (through Oct 20 th)	City of Sumter Aquatics Center
12	Dreamworks Dance Recital	Patriot Hall
12-13	WFC Softball Tournament	Patriot Park
13	Sumter Community Concert Band	Patriot Hall
13-19	National Police Week	Sumter South Carolina
15-25	Lifeguard Training: Session III	City of Sumter Aquatics Center
15	Community Swim Lessons Begin (through June 1)	City of Sumter Aquatics Center
16	The Greater Sumter Chamber of Commerce's 100 th Anniversary Gala	Sumter Civic Center
17	Miss Libby's School of Dance Recital	Patriot Hall
17-20	SLT presents "Dearly Departed"	Sumter Little Theatre
18	Downtown Friday Nights 3 rd Fridays	Rotary Centennial Plaza
18	2012 Relay for Life of Sumter County	Hillcrest Memorial Stadium
19	Indoor Garage Sale	Sumter County Civic Center
19	Sumter Iris Festival Pageant	Sumter High School
19	Spring Garden Tour	Alice Boyle Garden Center
19	Spring Backcountry Days	Sumter County Museum
19-20	USSSA Baseball Tournament	Patriot Park
19-27	Palmetto Pro Open	Palmetto Tennis Center
23	Third Annual Japanese Iris Workshop	Alice Boyle Garden Center
23	Lunch and Learn Series: <i>Poultry Industry</i>	Sumter County Museum
24-27	SLT presents "Dearly Departed"	Sumter Little Theatre
24	Freed School of Dance Recital	Patriot Hall
24	Sumter Iris Festival Ribbon Cutting Ceremony	Swan Lake-Iris Gardens
24	Sumter Iris Festival Taste at the Gardens	Swan Lake Iris-Gardens
25-27	Sumter Iris Festival	Swan Lake Iris-Gardens
25	Sumter Iris Festival Diaper Derby/Parade	Swan Lake Iris-Gardens
26-27	Sumter Iris Festival Flower Show	Alice Boyle Garden Center
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26-27	CSA Softball State Tournament	Patriot Park
26	Land of the Sky Gun & Knife Show	Sumter County Civic Center
27	Sumter Jaycee's Iris Parade	Liberty Street
27	Sumter Community Concert Band Concert	Patriot Hall
29	Lifeguard Training: Session IV (<i>through June 8</i>)	City of Sumter Aquatics Center
TBA	Downtown Sumter Farmer's Market Opens	Rotary Centennial Plaza

JUNE

1	Downtown Friday Nights presents 1 st Fridays	Main Street, Downtown Sumter
2	Splash Day	City of Sumter Aquatics Center
3	Splash-In Movies (<i>through Aug 19th</i>)	City of Sumter Aquatics Center
5	Summer Kids' Movies (<i>through Aug 16th</i>)	Sumter Opera House
5	Guard Start (<i>through Oct 20th</i>)	City of Sumter Aquatics Center
5	Learn To Swim (<i>through Oct 20th</i>)	City of Sumter Aquatics Center
8	Downtown Friday Nights Classic Movies	Sumter Opera House
9	Caroline Mack Recital	Patriot Hall
11	Summer Art Camp (<i>through Aug 3rd, skipping week of July 4</i>)	Sumter County Gallery of Art
12-22	Lifeguard Training: Session V	City of Sumter Aquatics Center
14	World's Largest Swim Lesson	City of Sumter Aquatics Center
15	Downtown Friday Nights 3 rd Fridays	City Centre Terrace, Downtown Sumter
15-16	World Double Dutch Tournament	Sumter County Civic Center
15-17	WFC State Softball Tournament	Palmetto Park/Patriot Park
22-24	Palmetto Adult Classic	Palmetto Tennis Center
23	3 rd Annual Medallion Invitation Swim Meet	City of Sumter Aquatics Center
23-24	USSSA Baseball Tournament	Patriot Park
27	Lunch and Learn Series: <i>Documentary Fabrics</i>	Sumter County Museum
27	Children's Wednesday at the Museum	Sumter County Museum

JULY

4	Jammin' July 4 th	Dillon Park
6	Downtown Friday Nights presents 1 st Fridays	Main Street, Downtown Sumter
6-8	WFC Showcase Softball Tournament	Patriot Park
12	Sumter Artists' Guild Show (<i>through Aug 31st</i>)	Sumter Co. Gallery of Art
13	Downtown Friday Nights Classic Movies	Sumter Opera House
14-15	CSA Softball Tournament	Patriot Park
20	Downtown Friday Nights 3 rd Fridays	Caldwell St., Downtown Sumter
23-27	Chuck Kriese Total Tennis Training	Palmetto Tennis Center
24	Lifeguard Training: Session VI (<i>through Aug 3</i>)	City of Sumter Aquatics Center
24-27	Swim Camp: Session I	City of Sumter Aquatics Center
25	Lunch and Learn Series: <i>Project South Carolina</i>	Sumter County Museum
25	Children's Wednesday at the Museum	Sumter County Museum
28	End of Summer Invitation Swim Meet	City of Sumter Aquatics Center
28-29	USSSA Softball Tournament	Patriot Park
30	Fall Sports Registration (<i>through Aug 16th</i>)	Sumter Co. Rec. Department
31	Swim Camp: Session II (<i>through Aug 3rd</i>)	City of Sumter Aquatics Center

AUGUST

3	Downtown Friday Nights presents 1 st Fridays	Main Street, Downtown Sumter
4-5	USSSA Baseball Tournament	Patriot Park
7	National Night Out	South Carolina
7-10	Swim Camp: Session III	City of Sumter Aquatics Center
10	Downtown Friday Nights Classic Movies	Sumter Opera House
17	Downtown Friday Nights 3 rd Fridays	City Centre Terrace
18-19	CSA Softball Tournament	Patriot Park
22	Lunch and Learn Series: <i>Civil War</i>	Sumter County Museum
25-26	USSSA Softball Tournament	Patriot Park

SEPTEMBER

1-3	USTA Regional Tournament	Palmetto Tennis Center
6	Stacy Lynn Waddell/Jody Servon Exhibition (through Oct 26 th)	Sumter Co. Gallery of Art
7	Downtown Friday Nights presents 1 st Friday	Main Street, Downtown Sumter
8-9	USSSA Baseball Tournament	Patriot Park
11-21	Lifeguard Training: Session VII	City of Sumter Aquatics Center
14	Downtown Friday Nights Classic Movies	Sumter Opera House
14	National Anthem Project Day	Patriot Hall
14-16	Conference Carolinas Individual	Palmetto Tennis Center
15	Football Jamboree	Patriot Park
15-16	Ashlie Pipkin Softball Tournament	Patriot Park/Palmetto Park
20	Sumter Green Fall Feast	USC Sumter
20	Downtown Friday Nights 3 rd Fridays	Rotary Centennial Plaza
21	Rub O' the Green Golf Tournament	Sunset Country Club
21	National POW/MIA Recognition Day	Sumter South Carolina
21-24	USTA ITA Southeast Regional Championships	Palmetto Tennis Center
22	Soccer Jamboree	Patriot Park
22-23	USSSA Softball Tournament	Patriot Park
26	Lunch and Learn Series: <i>Flint Napping</i>	Sumter County Museum
29-30	USSSA Baseball Tournament	Patriot Park

OCTOBER

4	Porches of Sumter, Simply Delicious	Memorial Park
12	House of Classic Movies	Sumter Opera House
13-14	CSA Fall State Softball Tournament	Patriot Park
20	TriSumter Triathlon	City of Sumter Aquatics Center
20-21	USSSA Baseball Tournament	Patriot Park
20-21	SCISA Girls State Championships	Palmetto Tennis Center
24	Lunch and Learn Series: <i>Wine Pairings</i>	Sumter County Museum
26-28	Palmetto Fall Championships	Palmetto Tennis Center
29	Basketball Registration (through Nov 15 th)	Sumter Co. Rec. Department

NOVEMBER

2	Winefest Sip & Stroll	Downtown Sumter
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3-4	USSSA Baseball Tournament	Patriot Park
3	Fahamu Pecou Exhibition (<i>through Jan 4, 2013</i>)	Sumter Co. Gallery of Art
9	House of Classic Movies	Sumter Opera House
9-11	Sumter Junior Challenger	Palmetto Tennis Center
11	Veterans Day Ceremony	Sumter County Courthouse Lawn
15	Carolina Backcountry Oyster Roast	Sumter County Museum
17	Eastern District Soccer Championships	Patriot Park
17-18	USSSA Baseball Tournament	Patriot Park
22	Turkey Trot 5K	Sumter Family YMCA

DECEMBER

1	Columbia City Ballet presents "Nutcracker"	Patriot Hall
1	SCRIP-SCAP State Soccer Tournament	Patriot Park
1-2	USSSA Softball Toys For Tots Tournament	Patriot Park
1-31	Swan Lake Fantasy of Lights	Swan Lake Iris Gardens
7	Sumter County Christmas Tree Lighting	Sumter County Courthouse
7	Walk with St. Nick	Sumter County Courthouse
7	Arbor Day	Sumter South Carolina
8	Breakfast with Santa	Sumter County Recreation Dept.
14	House of Classic Movies	Sumter Opera House