

The City of Biloxi publishes this monthly calendar of public events. If you need more information about an event, contact information is included with each listing. Events are subject to change or cancellation.

If you have an item to submit, information is due by the 10th of the month. Send it by e-mail (calendar@biloxi.ms.us), by fax (228-435-6248) or by regular mail to: Downtown Services City of Biloxi P.O. Box 429 Biloxi, MS 39533 The city reserves the right to edit listings.

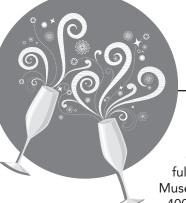
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# Community Calendar



New Year's Eve Oyster Ball Drop ... Dec. 31 – 8:30 p.m.-12:30 a.m., Maritime & Seafood Industry Museum, 115 E 1st St. Ring in the New Year with live entertainment by Blackwater Brass, heavy hors d'oeuvres, full bar, party favors, beignets to go & fireworks! Call the Museum to reserve your tickets; \$90 couple, \$50 single. Only 400 tickets will be sold. Call for tickets, 228-435-6320.

January 2018

**New Year's Eve Party At Margaritaville** ... Dec. 31 – 10 p.m.-1 a.m. 195 Beach Blvd. Celebrate 2018 with us at Margaritaville Resort Biloxi with a Kids Countdown Balloon Drop at 10 p.m. Countdown and balloon drop to ring in the New Year at Midnight. Dance Party with Bella the DJ 10 p.m.-1 a.m. Arcade will be 1/2 priced 10 p.m.-1 a.m. 1/2 priced games Monday 1/1 all day. Free admission. Details, 228-271-6377.

**The Molly Ringwalds** ... Dec. 31 – 11 p.m., Beau Rivage Casino Resort, 875 Beach Blvd. Performing live New Year's Eve. Must be 21 or older. Tickets start at \$19.95. Details, 888-566-7469 or 228-386-7111.

**Eugene Eash Band With DJ Hurricane**... Dec. 31 – 10 p.m. until, Golden Nugget Biloxi, Grand Ballroom, 151 Beach Blvd. Price: \$50, includes party favors, entertainment, cocktails, champagne toast. Details, 800-745-3000.

**Blind Tiger Biloxi – NYE Bash** ... Dec. 31 – 8 p.m.-midnight, The Blind Tiger Biloxi Beach, 265 Beach Blvd. Live entertainment by The All Nighters. These four Southern gentlemen are no strangers to the Gulf Coast music scene. From StereoHype to Whiskey Tango, they're seasoned professionals. The All Nighters cover all the crowd favorites, new to old and every spectrum of genre. They definitely live up to their name... A real deal Party Band, keeping everybody rocking and dancing all night! Drink specials to be announced. Details, 228-207-5240.

**Annual Biloxi Twelfth Night** ... Jan. 5 – Begins 5 p.m., Biloxi Visitors Center, 1050 Beach Blvd. The Gulf Coast will officially change from the holiday season to Carnival season with the celebration of Twelfth Night beginning at the Biloxi Visitors Center and parading to the Mardi Gras Museum. The occasion also serves as reminder of the religious significance of Carnival, often lost on the tens of thousands of revelers at Mardi Gras parades. Twelfth Night, the 12th day from Christmas, is the night before the Epiphany, the day when the three wise men visited the infant Jesus, foretelling the revelation of God the Son being born as a human.

• At 6 p.m., the reigning Royal Courts of Gulf Coast Carnival Association, Krewe of Neptune and Krewe of Le Cavaliers will be presented to extinguish the Christmas lights at the Biloxi Lighthouse. The entourage will then board a float and parade to the Mardi Gras Museum, where, at 6:30 p.m., the lights at the Mardi Gras Museum will be illuminated, signaling the beginning of Carnival season. Free admission. Details, 228-374-3105.

**First Friday Rue Magnolia Art District (#artontherue)** ... Jan. 5 – 5-8 p.m., Downtown Biloxi Rue Magnolia Art District. Live entertainment and prize giveaways. Shops and galleries stay open late and offer additional specials and refreshments. Details, 228-435-6339.

**Charlie Mabry Exhibit** ... Jan. 5 – 5-8 p.m., Almost Circle Gallery, 128 Rue Magnolia. Art exhibit featuring Charlie Mabry, the ceramic director of Ohr- O'Keefe Museum – show title: Major Arcana. No admission charged. Details, 228-207-4799. **The 2018 Frosty Kroc 5k/10k Run** ... Jan. 13 – 8:30 a.m. race start time. Golden Nugget Biloxi, 151 Beach Blvd. Details, 374-9111.

**Bike Biloxi** ... Jan. 16 – 6 p.m., Biloxi Visitors Center, 1050 Beach Blvd. Join us for a free, fun-filled ride through downtown. Bike rental is now available through the Zagster app or you provide your own bike. Helmets and lights recommended. Details, 228-435-6339, or email mainstreet@biloxi.ms.us.

**Raku Night** ... Jan. 18 – 4-8 p.m., Ohr-O'Keefe Museum of Art, 386 Beach Blvd. Come to our beautiful studio and enjoy the excitement of firing work in a Raku kiln! Raku is an exhilarating and unique process where pots are taken out of the kiln while red hot and put in a combustible material to make colorful and iridescent effects. Students must wear closed toe shoes and clothes you aren't afraid to get dirty! Cost of class includes two pots (your choice of bisqued vases and bowls) that you get to glaze and fire in our Raku kiln. \*Students may not bring outside pieces to fire.\* Ages 18 and up. Class Limit: six students per class. Price: \$45. Details, 228-374-5547.

**175th Anniversary Event – Monthly Lectures – Stained Glass Window Education Series: #1 – "Mary, Mother of God" – window donated in memory of Josephine Lopez.** ... Jan. 18 – 6-7 p.m., Cathedral of the Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary, 870 Howard Ave. Presenters: Fr. Dennis Carver and Edmond Boudreaux. Free to the public event. Details, 228-374-1717

**Mardi Gras Mambo Seniors Dance** ... Jan. 19 – 11:30 a.m.-1 p.m. Donal M. Snyder Sr. Community Center, 2520 Pass Rd. Wear Mardi Gras attire. Door prizes. Entertainment provided. A King, Queen, Grand Duke & Duchess will be crowned! (chosen by random drawing). Bring a dessert. Free admission. RSVP at 228-388-1340. Details, 228-388-2494, email seniors@biloxi.ms.us or visit biloxi.ms.us.

**City of Biloxi Softball/Baseball Registration** ... Jan. 27 – 9 a.m.-12 p.m. Donal M. Snyder Sr. Center, 2520 Pass Rd. Baseball ages are 4-15. Softball ages are 5-16. Participant fees: \$30 to \$90. Details, 228-388-2483.

**Casino Bridge Run** ... Jan. 27 – 8:30 a.m. race start for 5k/10. Golden Nugget BiloxI, 151 Beach Blvd. DJ Blayze at the after party! Free food & beer with race entry. A portion of the proceeds go to **Furrever Homes Rescue**. Details, 251-980-1045.

#### At Ohr-O'Keefe Museum of Art



• The Wind In Your Hair – Vintage Motorcycles ... • The Wind In Your Hair – Vintage Motorcycles ...

through Feb. 24, 2018 • Paul Andrew Wandless – Stories, Myths & Musings ... through March 10, 2018

#### • A City Within a City Opening Reception... Jan. 18, 5-7 p.m.

- Coffee Club with Cree Cantrell ... Jan. 3
- Make a Mardi Gras Mask ... Jan. 13
- Yoga at OOMA ... Jan. 17

There Are Many Events Happening at Ohr-O'Keefe Museum of Art!

At The Biloxi Elks LodgeElks 606 Lodge, 1178 Beach Blvd., 228-374-0606• Meeting Nights ... Jan. 3 & 17 – Starts at 7 p.m. Welcome new members.

- **Steak Nights** ... Jan. 6, 13, 20 & 27 Ribeyes \$18; T-Bone \$20; serving 6-8:30 p.m. Live entertainment 6-10 p.m. Public welcome.
  - Jan. 1, Southbreeze
- Jan. 13, Southwind
- Jan. 20, Marsha Gaines and Razzoo Jan. 27, Nick Mattina & The Checkmates
- Friday Night Bingo ... Jan. 5, 12, 19 & 26 Early Bird Start at 6:30 p.m. Big cash prizes up to \$2,500. Drawings & gifts! Kitchen open until 8:30 p.m. Public welcome.
- **Mardi Gras Ball** ... Feb. 3 starts at 7 p.m. with the Court and the King and Queen Crowning. Entertainment with **Southwind**, 8 p.m.-Midnight. \$15 a person.

At The Fleur De Lis Society (French Club) 182 Howard Ave., 228-436-6472 • Friday Night Dinners ... Every Friday Night – 6 p.m.

## **Biloxi Casinos!**



#### Beau Rivage

- **Riverdance** Jan. 12-14, Friday 7 p.m.; Saturday 3 & 7 p.m. Sunday 3 p.m.
- Engelbert Humperdinck Jan. 21, 8 p.m.
- Starship featuring Mickey Thomas – Jan. 26, 8 p.m.

888-566-7469, www.beaurivage.com



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- Smash Mouth Jan. 19, 8 p.m.
- Seether–Poison The Parish Tour Jan. 27, 8 p.m.

228-877-6256, www.hardrockbiloxi.com



#### IP Casino Resort Spa

- B.B. King's Blues Band featuring Tito Jackson – Jan. 5, 8 p.m.
- Tommy James & The Shondells Jan. 12, 8 p.m.
- Ann Wilson of Heart Jan. 13, 8 p.m.
- Jeff Foxworthy Jan. 19, 8 p.m.
- Creedance Clearwater Revisited Jan. 26, 8 p.m.

888-WIN-ATIP, www.ipbiloxi.com

#### At the Coliseum

2350 Beach Blvd., 800-726-2781 or 594-3700

- PCA Rodeo Finals... Jan. 11-14
- Avenged Sevenfold with Breaking Benjamin and Bullet for My Valentine ... Jan. 31 www.mscoastcoliseum.com

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
31	1 Story Time Woolmarket Library	2 Community Market Story Time W. Biloxi	3 Coffee Club with Cree Cantrell Ohr-O'Keefe Museum of Art	4 Community Market Story Time MSherry Library	5 First Friday Downtown Biloxi Biloxi Twelfth Night Biloxi Visitors Center Chris Mabry Exhibit Almost Circle Gallery BB King's Blues Band featuring Tito Jackson IP Casino Resort Spa	6
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Mayor Andrew "FoFo" Gilich and the Biloxi City Council George Lawrence Felix O. Gines Dixie Newman Robert L. Deming III Paul A. Tisdale Kenny Glavan Nathan Barrett **Charles R. Hegwood Biloxi Community Market** ... Tuesdays & Thursdays – Vendors will be present to sell farm fresh produce, plants, homemade baked goods, and more! Under the I-110 bridge overpass on Howard Avenue, 6 a.m.-4 p.m. Details, Tina Cowart, 228-388-2443.

**Seniors Activities** ... The City of Biloxi offers a senior citizens program at the East Biloxi Senior Citizen Center and the Donal M. Snyder Sr. Community Center. For a calendar of senior events or details, contact Gwen Johnson at 228-388-2494 or seniors@biloxi.ms.us.

**Story Time** ... Biloxi libraries story and activity time for pre-schoolers.

- Woolmarket Library, 8455 Woolmarket Road, Mondays, 10:30 a.m., 228-354-9464
- West Biloxi Library, 2047 Pass Road, Tuesdays, 10 a.m., 228-388-5696
- Biloxi Library, 580 Howard Ave., Toddler Time, 1st and 3rd Tuesdays at 10 a.m.; Preschool Story Time, Tuesdays at 4 p.m. and Thursdays at 10 a.m.; After School Buddies, Thursdays at 4 p.m., 228-436-3095
- Margaret Sherry Library, 2141 Popp's Ferry Road, Thursdays, 10 a.m., 228-388-1633

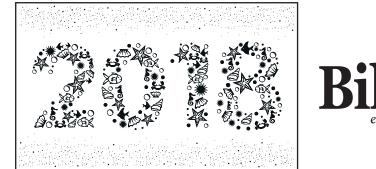
**Free & Fun Programs at Coastal Libraries** ... Digging for something fun, educational & free for your children while visiting the MS Gulf Coast! Check out all the programs offered throughout local libraries! Activities include reading exciting adventures with books, games, activities, crafts & more! • Hancock County Library System - 228-467-5282

- Harrison County Library System 228-436-3095
- Jackson County Library System 228-769-3060, ext. 232

#### **City of Biloxi Public Meetings**

- Biloxi City Council Meetings on Jan. 2 at 6 p.m. and Jan. 16 & 23 at 1:30 p.m. Phone: 228-435-6257. Location: Biloxi City Hall, City Council Chambers, 2nd floor
- Biloxi Civil Service Commission Meetings: 2nd Thursday of the month, 4 p.m.
  Phone: 228-435-6259, Courtney Lamar. Location: Biloxi City Hall, City Council Chambers, 2nd floor
- Biloxi Planning Commission Meetings: 1st & 3rd Thursday of the month, 2 p.m. Phone: 228-435-6266. Location: MLK Building
- Architectural Review Commission Meetings: 2nd & 4th Thursday of the month, 8:30 a.m. Phone: 228-435-6266. Location: MLK Building

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