



ACADIANA

# Festival & Events

CALENDAR

**JUNE 2017 - MAY 2018**

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## ONGOING EVENTS

- **ZooLive.** Zoo of Acadiana, 5601 Hwy 90 E, Broussard. 337-837-4325, ZooOfAcadiana.org.
- **Tuesdays & Saturdays** – Teche Area Farmer's Market. Bouligny Plaza, 102 W Main St., New Iberia. 337-369-2330.
- **Tuesdays, Thursdays & Saturdays** – Acadiana Farmer's Market. 801 Foreman Dr., Lafayette. 337-948-8812 or 337-351-9082.
- **Fridays** – Begnaud House Cajun Acoustic Jam Session (House Party). 110 Benoit Patin Rd., Scott. 337-269-5155, CityOfScott.org.
- **Saturdays** – Hub City Farmers Market. Oil Center, 427 Heymann Blvd., Lafayette. (Across from Champagne's). LafayetteHubCityMarket.com.
- **Saturdays** – Lafayette Farmers and Artisan Market. Horse Farm, 2913 Johnston St., Lafayette. 337-944-4167, MarketAtTheHorseFarm.com.
- **Saturdays** – Cajun Jam at Vermilionville. 300 Fisher Rd., Lafayette. 337-233-4077, Vermilionville.org.
- **Saturdays** – Rendez-vous des Cajuns. Liberty Theatre, 200 Park Ave., Eunice. 337-457-7389, Eunice-LA.com.
- **Sundays** – Bal du Dimanche at Vermilionville. 300 Fisher Rd., Lafayette. 337-233-4077, Vermilionville.org.
- **Second Saturday Every Month** – ArtWalk. Downtown, Lafayette. 337-291-5566, DowntownLafayette.org.

## JUNE 2017

- JUN 2-4** **Church Point Buggy Festival.** City Park, 102 Church Blvd., Church Point. 337-684-2739. AcadiaTourism.org.
- JUN 3** **Daylily Festival and Garden Show.** 2 S Magdalen Sq., Abbeville. 337-898-4110, MostCajun.com.
- JUN 3** **Frog Capital Classic Car/Hot Rod Show.** 206 Frog Festival Dr., Gossen Memorial Park, Rayne. 337-334-3585, AcadiaTourism.org.
- JUN 3-4** **Classic Arms Productions Gun & Knife Show.** Lafayette Event Center, 4607 Johnston St., Lafayette. 985-624-8577, CAPGunShows.com.
- JUN 4** **Creole Culture Day.** Vermilionville, 300 Fisher Rd., Lafayette. 337-233-4077, Vermilionville.org.
- JUN 7-10, 19, 20, 23, 24** **Acadiana Cane Cutter's Baseball.** Fabacher Field, 221 La Neuville Rd., Youngsville. 7 p.m. 337-451-6582, CaneCuttersBaseball.com.
- JUN 19 -SEP 17** **EatLafayette.** Locally owned restaurants in Acadiana. 800-346-1958, EatLafayette.com.
- JUN 24-25** **DSRA Drag Boat Racing.** Morgan City. 985-380-8224, DeepSouthRacing.net.
- JUN 25** **Stars & Stripes: A Musical Celebration.** Sugar Cane Festival Building, 601 Parkview Dr., New Iberia. 337-364-1603, IberiaTravel.com.
- JUN 30 -JUL 4** **Erath 4th of July Celebration.** Downtown, Erath. 337-937-5585, Erath4.com.

## JULY 2017

- JUL 1** **Lebeau Zydeco Festival.** Immaculate Conception Catholic Church, 103 Lebeau Church Rd., Lebeau. 337-351-3902, CajunTravel.com.
- JUL 1, 2, 9, 10, 13-16, 25, 26, 29, 30** **Acadiana Cane Cutter's Baseball.** Fabacher Field, 221 La Neuville Rd., Youngsville. 337-451-6582, CaneCuttersBaseball.com.
- JUL 3** **Independence Celebration.** Sugar Mill Pond, 101 Waterview Rd., Youngsville. 337-216-6544, SouthernLifestyleDevelopment.com.
- JUL 3** **Uncle Sam's Jam.** Parc International, Garfield St., Downtown Lafayette. Facebook.com/LafayetteDowntown.
- JUL 4** **Fireworks on the River.** Nall Park, 562 Front St., Krotz Springs. 337-566-2322, CajunTravel.com.

- JUL 4** **Fourth of July Fireworks Show.** Eunice Recreation Complex, 461 Sittig St., Eunice. 337-457-7389, CajunTravel.com.
- JUL 4** **New Iberia Fourth of July Parade.** Historic Downtown/Bouligny Plaza, 102 W Main St., New Iberia. 337-344-9397, IberiaTravel.com.
- JUL 14-15** **Bayou BBQ Bash, "Morgan City Under the Bridge."** Downtown Morgan City. 985-380-8224, CajunCoast.com.
- JUL 22** **Gulf Brew.** Blackham Coliseum, 2330 Johnston St., Lafayette. 337-233-7060, AcadianaCenterfortheArts.org.
- JUL 28** **Day of Remembrance.** St. Martinville. 337-394-2258, AcadianMemorial.org.
- JUL 28-30** **Louisiana Outdoor Expo.** Cajundome & Convention Center, 444 Cajundome Blvd., Lafayette. 337-265-2100, LAOutdoorExpo.com.

## AUGUST 2017

- AUG 2, 3, 6, 7** **Acadiana Cane Cutter's Baseball.** Fabacher Field, 221 La Neuville Rd., Youngsville. 337-451-6582, CaneCuttersBaseball.com.
- AUG 5** **Petite Tour du Teche V.** Parc des Ponts de Pont Breaux, 251 E Bridge St., Breaux Bridge. 337-789-0319, CajunTravel.com.
- AUG 5-6** **Classic Arms Productions Gun & Knife Show.** Lafayette Event Center, 4607 Johnston St., Lafayette. 985-624-8577, CAPGunShows.com.
- AUG 13** **Acadian Culture Day.** Vermilionville, 300 Fisher Rd., Lafayette. 337-233-4077, Vermilionville.org.
- AUG 15** **National Day of the Acadiens.** Acadian Memorial, 121 S New Market St., St. Martinville. 337-394-2258, AcadianMemorial.org.
- AUG 16-20** **Delcambre Shrimp Festival.** Shrimp Festival Grounds, 409 E Main St., Delcambre. 337-685-2653, ShrimpFestival.net.
- AUG 17-19** **Le Cajun French Music Festival and Awards Show.** 8/17: La Poussiere, Breaux Bridge. 8/18-19: Rayne Civic Center, 210 Frog Festival Dr., Rayne. 281-256-3097, CajunFrenchMusic.org.
- AUG 19** **Games of Acadiana.** Cajundome and Convention Center, 444 Cajundome Blvd., Lafayette. 337-984-1920, MilesPerret.org.
- AUG 24-27** **Gueydan Duck Festival.** Duck Festival Park, 404 Dallas Guidry Rd., Gueydan. 337-523-5559, DuckFestival.org.

## SEPTEMBER 2017

- TBA** **Labor Day Fishing Rodeo.** Cypremort Point State Park, 306 Beach Ln. 337-364-7301.
- FRIDAYS** **Downtown Alive!** Parc International or Parc Sans Souci, Downtown, Lafayette. 337-291-5566, DowntownLafayette.org.
- SEP 1-4** **Louisiana Shrimp & Petroleum Festival.** 715 Second St., Downtown Morgan City. 985-385-0703, Shrimp-Petrofest.org.
- SEP 2, 23** **UL Football Game.** Cajun Field, 2351 W Congress St., Lafayette. 337-265-2100, RaginCajuns.com.
- SEP 2** **Zydeco Breakfast Under the Oaks.** St. Landry Parish Courthouse, 118 S Court St., Opelousas. 337-948-6263, CajunTravel.com.
- SEP 2** **Southwest Louisiana Zydeco Music Festival.** Trail Ride: Zydeco Festival Park, 457 Zydeco Rd., Plaisance. (Off Highway 167 North) Live Music: Yambilee Building, 1939 W Landry St., Opelousas.. 337-290-6048, CajunTravel.com.
- SEP 15-16** **Kiwanis Pepper Festival.** 203 New Market St., St. Martinville. 337-394-2233, StMartinville.org.
- SEP 16-17** **Louisiana Comic Con.** Cajundome Convention Center, 444 Cajundome Blvd., Lafayette. LouisianaComicCon.com.
- SEP 20-24** **Louisiana Sugar Cane Festival & Fair.** 600 Parkview Dr., New Iberia. 337-369-9323, HISugar.org.
- SEP 28-30** **Tinsel & Treasures Holiday Market.** Cajundome Convention Center, 444 Cajundome Blvd., Lafayette. 337-988-2739, JuniorLeagueOfLafayette.com.
- SEP 29-30** **Bayou Round Up.** Blackham Coliseum, 2330 Johnston St., Lafayette. BayouRoundUp.com.



## OCTOBER 2017

FRIDAYS

**Bach Lunch.** Parc Sans Souci, 201 E Vermilion St., Downtown Lafayette. 337-291-5544, LafayetteScienceMuseum.org.

FRIDAYS

**Downtown Alive!** Parc International or Parc Sans Souci, Downtown, Lafayette. 337-291-5566, DowntownLafayette.org.

TBA

**Brudley's Wild Game Cook-Off.** 4800 Freyou Rd., Lydia. 337-268-9555, BGCAcadiana.com.

OCT 6-8

**Tour du Teche/Berwick Lighthouse Fest.** From Port Barre to Berwick. 985-380-8224, TourduTeche.com.

OCT 7

**Latin Music Festival.** Location TBA, Lafayette. ACLALaf.org.

OCT 7

**Shadows Arts & Crafts Fair.** 317 E Main St., New Iberia. 337-369-6446, ShadowsOnTheTeche.org.

OCT 7

**Festival de la Grande Église.** St. Landry Catholic Church, 1020 N Main St., Opelousas. 337-942-6552, CajunTravel.com.

OCT 7-8

**Roberts Cove Germanfest.** St. Leo Catholic Church, 7212 Roberts Cove Rd., Rayne. 337-334-8354, 877-783-2109, RobertsCoveGermanFest.com.

OCT 11-15

**Louisiana Cotton Festival.** North Side Civic Center, 704 N Soileau St., Ville Platte. 337-831-3340, LouisianaCottonFestival.com.

OCT 12

**UL Football Game.** Cajun Field, 2351 W Congress St., Lafayette. 337-265-2100, RaginCajuns.com.

OCT 12-15

**Louisiana Cattle Festival.** Downtown, Abbeville. 337-893-6328, LouisianaCattleFestival.org.

OCT 12-15

**Festivals Acadiens et Creoles.** Girard Park, 500 Girard Park Dr., Lafayette. 337-232-3737, FestivalsAcadiens.com.

OCT 13-15

**Antique Fair & Yard Sale.** 123 S Church St., Washington. 337-826-3580, CajunTravel.com.

OCT 14

**World Championship Gumbo Cook-Off.** Bouligny Plaza, 100 W Main St., New Iberia. 337-364-1836, IberiaChamber.org.

OCT 14-15

**Classic Arms Productions Gun & Knife Show.** Lafayette Event Center, 4607 Johnston St., Lafayette. 985-624-8577, CAPGunShows.com.

OCT 19-22

**International Rice Festival.** 110 E 4th St., Downtown Crowley. 337-783-3067, 877-783-2109, RiceFestival.com.

OCT 21

**Boudin Cook-Off.** Parc Sans Souci, 201 E Vermilion St., Downtown Lafayette. 337-993-2207, BoudinCookOff.com.

OCT 21

**Tailgating Cook-Off.** Loreauville Park, 601 Ed Broussard Rd., Loreauville. 337-577-3852.

OCT 21

**Shake Your Trail Feather Festival.** Parc des Pont de Pont Breaux, 251 E Bridge St., Breaux Bridge. TecheProject.org.

OCT 21-22, 28-29

**Boo at the Zoo.** Zoosiana, 5601 Hwy. 90 E, Broussard. 337-837-4325, Zoosiana.com.

OCT 22-26

**Blackpot Camp.** Lakeview RV Park & Beach, 1717 Veterans Memorial Hwy., Eunice. 337-457-2881, CajunTravel.com.

OCT 27-28

**South Louisiana Black Pot Festival & Cook-Off.** Vermilionville, 300 Fisher Rd., Lafayette. 337-354-5243, BlackpotFestival.com.

OCT 28

**Sweet Dough Pie Festival.** St. Charles Catholic Church, 174 Church St., Grand Coteau. 337-945-4314, CajunTravel.com.

OCT 28

**Harvest Moon Fest.** Main St. Hwy. 182, Franklin. 985-380-8224, CajunCoast.com.

OCT 28-29

**Experience Louisiana Festival.** LSU-Eunice Campus, 2048 Johnson Hwy., Eunice. 337-580-3363, CajunTravel.com.

## NOVEMBER 2017

TBA

**Louisiana Crossroads Series.** AcA's James D. Moncus Theater, 101 W Vermilion St., Lafayette. 337-233-7060, AcadianaCenterfortheArts.org.

NOV 3

**Downtown Alive!** Parc International or Parc Sans Souci, Downtown, Lafayette. 337-291-5566, DowntownLafayette.org.

NOV 3-4

**Festival of Words.** Various locations in Grand Coteau. 337-254-9695, CajunTravel.com.

NOV 3-5

**Holy Ghost Creole Bazaar.** Holy Ghost Catholic Church, 788 N Union St., Opelousas. 337-942-2732, HGCatholic.org.

NOV 4-5

**Steampunk and Makers Fair.** Vine St., Downtown Lafayette. 337-291-1122, SteamPunkAndMakersFair.org.

NOV 4-5

**Abbeville's Giant Omelette Celebration.** Magdalen Sq. Downtown, Abbeville. 337-344-9232, GiantOmelette.org.

NOV 9

**L'Ordre du Bon Temps Gala.** St. Martinville. 337-394-2258, AcadianMemorial.org.

NOV 10-12

**Cracklin Festival.** Veterans Memorial Park, 504 Saizan Ave., Port Barre. 337-585-2827, PortBarreCracklinFestival.com.

NOV 12

**Native American Culture Day.** Vermilionville, 300 Fisher Rd., Lafayette. 337-233-4077, Vermilionville.org.

NOV 16-19

**Southern Screen Film Festival.** Various locations in Lafayette. SouthernScreen.org.

NOV 18, 25

**UL Football Game.** Cajun Field, 2351 W Congress St., Lafayette. 337-265-2100, RaginCajuns.com.

NOV 19

**Country Christmas.** Sugar Mill Pond Town Center, 101 Waterview Rd., Youngsville. 337-856-2323, SugarMillPond.com.

NOV 22

**Camellia Crossing.** River Ranch Town Sq, 1100 Camellia Blvd., Lafayette. 337-984-1920, MilesPerret.org.

NOV 22

**Downtown Alive!** Official Lighting of the City Tree. Parc Sans Souci, 201 E Vermilion St., Downtown Lafayette. 337-291-5566, DowntownLafayette.org.

NOV 24-25

**Safari of Lights.** Zoosiana, 5601 Hwy. 90 E, Broussard. 337-837-4325, Zoosiana.com.

NOV 25

**Grand Noel.** Downtown Grand Coteau. 337-945-4314, CajunTravel.com.

NOV 25

**Everybody's Birthday Zydeco Celebration.** St. Peter Claver Hall, 252 Church St., Grand Coteau. 337-349-5814, CajunTravel.com.

NOV 26

**Sounds of the Season with the Acadiana Symphony Orchestra.** St. Peters Catholic Church, 108 E Saint Peter St., New Iberia. 337-364-1603, IberiaTravel.com.

## DECEMBER 2017

TBA

**Louisiana Crossroads Series.** AcA's James D. Moncus Theater, 101 W Vermilion St., Lafayette. 337-233-7060, AcadianaCenterfortheArts.org.

TBA

**The Singing Christmas Tree.** First Baptist, 1100 Lee Ave., Lafayette. 337-593-3757, FBCLaf.org.

TBA

**Christmas in Scott.** St. Aubin Park, Scott. 337-269-5155, CityOfScott.org.

DEC 1-23

**Noël Acadien Au Village.** Acadian Village, 200 Greenleaf Dr., Lafayette. 337-981-2364, AcadianVillage.org.

DEC 1-31

**Christmas at the Alexandre Mouton House.** 1122 Lafayette St., Lafayette. 337-234-2208.

DEC 1-31

**Victorian Christmas at the Joseph Jefferson Home.** Rip Van Winkle Gardens of Jefferson Island, 5505 Rip Van Winkle Rd., New Iberia. 337-359-8525, RipVanWinkleGardens.org.

DEC 1-31

**Christmas on the Cajun Coast.** Towns of Franklin, Patterson and Morgan City. 985-380-8224, CajunCoast.com/ChristmasEvents.

DEC 1

**Festival of Light.** Oil Center, Lafayette. 337-232-1267, TheOilCenter.com.

DEC 1

**Lighting of the Village.** Le Vieux Village, 828 E Landry St., Opelousas. 337-948-6263, CityOfOpelousas.com.

DEC 1-3, 8-30

**Safari of Lights.** Zoosiana, 5601 Hwy. 90 E, Broussard. 337-837-4325, Zoosiana.com.

DEC 2

**Abbeville's Christmas Parade.** Downtown, Abbeville. 337-652-0646, MostCajun.com.

DEC 2

**Carenco Country Christmas.** 5115 N University, Carenco. 337-280-9570, 337-896-6686.

DEC 2

**Delcambre Christmas Boat Parade.** Delcambre Docks, Richard St. 337-658-2422, IberiaTravel.com.

DEC 3	<b>Sonic Drive-In Christmas Parade.</b> Lafayette. 337-988-5301.
DEC 3	<b>Jeanerette Christmas Parade.</b> Main Street, Jeanerette. 337-579-2153, IberiaTravel.com.
DEC 3	<b>Festival of Light and Christmas Parade.</b> St. Martin de Tours Church Sq., St. Martinville. 337-394-2235, StMartinville.org/Festivals.html.
DEC 4-30	<b>Shadows Merry Making Season.</b> Shadows-on-the-Teche, 317 E Main St., New Iberia. 337-369-6446, ShadowsOnTheTeche.org.
DEC 7	<b>Pearl Harbor Day Memorial.</b> 102 W Main St., New Iberia. 337-365-1428, IberiaTravel.com.
DEC 7	<b>Abbeville's Annual Christmas Stroll.</b> Downtown, Abbeville. 337-898-4110, MostCajun.com, CityOfAbbeville.net.
DEC 8-10	<b>Living Bethlehem.</b> Sugar Mill Pond Town Center, 120 Waterview Rd., Youngsville. 337-856-2323, SugarMillPond.com.
DEC 9	<b>Magic on Main Christmas Parade.</b> Historic Downtown, 320 E Main St., New Iberia. 337-369-2330, IberiaTravel.com.
DEC 9&10	<b>The Nutcracker.</b> Heymann Performing Arts Center, 1373 S College Rd., Lafayette. 337-262-0444 or 337-291-5555, LafayetteBalletTheatre.org.
DEC 9&10	<b>Classic Arms Productions Gun &amp; Knife Show.</b> Lafayette Event Center, 4607 Johnston St., Lafayette. 985-624-8577, CAPGunShows.com.
DEC 10	<b>Lessons &amp; Carols.</b> St. John Cathedral, 914 Saint John St., Lafayette. 337-232-1322, SaintJohnCathedral.org.
DEC 10	<b>Delcambre Main Street Christmas Parade.</b> Main Street, Delcambre. 337-519-2541, IberiaTravel.com.
DEC 10	<b>Noel dans la Ville (Christmas in the Ville).</b> St. Martinville. 337-394-2233.
DEC 12-17, 19-23	<b>Old-Time Christmas at Vermilionville.</b> (16 – Family Day) 300 Fisher Rd., Lafayette. 337-233-4077, Vermilionville.org.
DEC 31	<b>New Year's Noon.</b> Children's Museum of Acadiana, 201 E Congress St., Lafayette. 337-232-8500, ChildrensMuseumOfAcadiana.com.

## JANUARY 2018

TBA	<b>Louisiana Crossroads Series.</b> AcA's James D. Moncus Theater, 101 W Vermilion St., Lafayette. 337-233-7060, AcadianaCenterfortheArts.org.
JAN 11-14	<b>Mid-Winter Fair Rodeo.</b> Blackham Coliseum, 2330 Johnston St., Lafayette. 337-400-7964, MidWinterRodeo.com.
JAN 13	<b>Bayou Mardi Gras Parade.</b> Main St., New Iberia. 337-367-2844, IberiaTravel.com.
JAN 15	<b>Zydefest.</b> Evangeline Downs Event Center, 2235 Creswell Ln., Opelousas. 337-594-3000, CajunTravel.com.
JAN 24-31	<b>Cinema on the Bayou Film Festival.</b> Acadiana Center for the Arts, LITE, Pack and Paddle, Lafayette Parish Library, Lafayette. 337-235-7845, CinemaOnTheBayou.com.
JAN 27	<b>Gumbo Cook-Off.</b> 603 E Landry St., Opelousas. 337-331-2837, CajunTravel.com.
JAN 28	<b>Krewe of Ezana Jeanerette Mardi Gras Parade.</b> Canal, MLK & Main St, Jeanerette. 337-255-9539, IberiaTravel.com.

## FEBRUARY 2018

TBA	<b>Louisiana Crossroads Series.</b> AcA's James D. Moncus Theater, 101 W Vermilion St., Lafayette. 337-233-7060, AcadianaCenterfortheArts.org.
TBA	<b>Classic Arms Productions Gun &amp; Knife Show.</b> Lafayette Event Center, 4607 Johnston St., Lafayette. 985-624-8577, CAPGunShows.com.
TBA	<b>Courir de Mardi Gras - Old-Fashion Mardi Gras Run.</b> Vermilionville, 300 Fisher Rd., Lafayette. 337-233-4077, Vermilionville.org.
FEB 2	<b>Cajun Groundhog Day.</b> Boulogny Plaza, 102 W Main St., New Iberia. 337-365-6773, IberiaTravel.com.
FEB 3	<b>Carencro Mardi Gras Parade.</b> Starts at Carencro High. Ends by Carencro Community Center. 337-896-4147, Carencro.org.

FEB 3	<b>Krewe des Chiens Parade for Dogs.</b> Downtown, Lafayette. ParadeForDogs.org.
FEB 3	<b>Krewe of Carnival en Rio Mardi Gras Parade.</b> Downtown to Cajun Field, Lafayette. 337-984-6522, RioLafayette.com.
FEB 3	<b>Lake Arthur Mardi Gras Parade.</b> Lake Arthur. 337-774-3675.
FEB 3	<b>Rotary Club Mardi Gras Ball.</b> Cade Community Center, 1688 Smede Hwy., St. Martinville. 337-394-2233.
FEB 4	<b>Scott Mardi Gras Parade.</b> City of Scott. 337-269-5155.
FEB 7	<b>Taster's Choice.</b> LSUE Acadiana Center, 2048 Johnson Hwy., Eunice. 337-945-3744, CajunTravel.com.
FEB 9	<b>"Kick Off" Parade.</b> Downtown to Cajun Field, Lafayette. 800-346-1958, GoMardiGras.com.
FEB 9	<b>Downtown Opelousas Mardi Gras Celebration.</b> Delta Grand Theatre, 120 S Market St., Opelousas. 337-948-6263, CajunTravel.com.
FEB 9-11	<b>Lil Nate's L'Argent Chicken Run, Rodeo &amp; Parade.</b> Yambilee Arena, 1939 W Landry St., Opelousas. 337-319-0639, CajunTravel.com.
FEB 9-13	<b>Le Festival de Mardi Gras a Lafayette.</b> Cajun Field, 2351 W Congress St., Lafayette. Carnival rides & games, live music, food vendors, parades roll through festival grounds. 800-346-1958, GoMardiGras.com.
FEB 9-13	<b>Cajun Country Mardi Gras Celebration.</b> Downtown Eunice – Walnut & 2nd Street area. 337-457-7389, CajunTravel.com.
FEB 10	<b>Lake Fausse Pointe Mardi Gras Parade.</b> Lake Fausse Pointe State Park, 5400 Levee Rd., St. Martinville. 888-677-7200, IberiaTravel.com.
FEB 10	<b>Krewe of Bonaparte Mardi Gras Parade.</b> Downtown to Cajun Field, Lafayette. 800-346-1958, GoMardiGras.com.
FEB 10	<b>Children's Parade.</b> Downtown to Cajun Field, Lafayette. 800-346-1958, GoMardiGras.com.
FEB 10	<b>Youngsville Mardi Gras Parade.</b> Public Works building to Fountain View, Youngsville. 337-856-4181.
FEB 10	<b>Jennings Mardi Gras Festival &amp; Parade.</b> Founder's Park, 341 N Main St., Jennings. 337-821-5532, CityOfJennings.com/Events.
FEB 10-11	<b>Cajun Courir de Mardi Gras Run.</b> Saddle Tramp Club House, 1036 E Ebey St., Downtown for parades, Church Point. 877-783-2109, ChurchPointMardiGras.com.
FEB 11	<b>Eunice Lil' Mardi Gras.</b> Eunice Rec Complex, 461 Sittig St., Eunice. 337-457-7389, CajunTravel.com.
FEB 11-13	<b>Carnival D'Acadie (Mardi Gras).</b> Downtown, Crowley. Fair, live music and street dance, costume contests, parade. 337-783-0821, Crowley-LA.com.
FEB 12	<b>Lundi Gras Boucherie.</b> Lakeview Park & Beach, 1717 Veterans Memorial Hwy., Eunice. 337-457-2881, CajunTravel.com.
FEB 12	<b>Queen Evangeline's Parade.</b> Downtown to Cajun Field, Lafayette. 800-346-1958, GoMardiGras.com.
FEB 13	<b>Mardi Gras Show at Clark Field.</b> Clark Field Stadium, Lafayette. MardiGrasShow.com.
FEB 13	<b>King Gabriel's Parade.</b> Downtown to Cajun Field, Lafayette. 800-346-1958, GoMardiGras.com.
FEB 13	<b>Lafayette Mardi Gras Festival Parade.</b> Downtown to Cajun Field, Lafayette. 800-346-1958, GoMardiGras.com.
FEB 13	<b>KADN Fox 15 Independent Parade.</b> Downtown to Cajun Field, Lafayette. 337-237-1500, GoMardiGras.com.
FEB 13	<b>Southwest Mardi Gras Association Pageant &amp; Ball.</b> Heymann Performing Arts Center and Frem F. Boustany Convention Center, 1373 S College Rd., Lafayette. 337-291-5540.
FEB 13	<b>Grand Marais Mardi Gras Parade.</b> Hwy 90 E at College Rd., Jeanerette. 337-365-8185, IberiaTravel.com.
FEB 13	<b>Krewe of Coteau Mardi Gras Parade.</b> Francis Romero Memorial Park & LA 88, Coteau. 337-577-5099, IberiaTravel.com.
FEB 13	<b>Family Affair Mardi Gras Parade.</b> Main St., Loreauville. 337-229-6001, IberiaTravel.com.

FEB 13	<b>Tee Mamou-Iota Mardi Gras Folklife Festival.</b> Downtown, Iota. 337-523-6557, IotaMardiGras.com.
FEB 13	<b>Krewe Chic-A-La-Pie Mardi Gras Parade.</b> Downtown, Kaplan. 337-643-6554.
FEB 13	<b>Half-Fast Krewe of Frank Mardi Gras Parade.</b> 600 E Landry St., Opelousas. 337-351-6943, CajunTravel.com.
FEB 13	<b>Sunset Mardi Gras Parade.</b> Oak Tree Park Dr., Sunset. 337-322-5374, CajunTravel.com.
FEB 13	<b>Mamou Mardi Gras.</b> Downtown, Mamou. 337-468-3175.
FEB 15-17	<b>Eagle Expo &amp; More.</b> Franklin. 985-380-8224, CajunCoast.com/EagleExpo.

## MARCH 2018

TBA	<b>Louisiana Crossroads Series.</b> AcA's James D. Moncus Theater, 101 W Vermillion St., Lafayette. 337-233-7060, AcadianaCenterfortheArts.org.
TBA	<b>Festival of the Arts.</b> Various locations around UL campus. 337-482-6224, Arts.Louisiana.edu.
TBA	<b>The Home, Garden &amp; Lifestyle Show.</b> Cajundome Convention Center, 444 Cajundome Blvd., Lafayette. 337-981-3053, AcadianHBA.com.
THURSDAYS	<b>Rhythms on the River.</b> River Ranch Town Square, 1100 Camellia Blvd., Lafayette. 337-216-6529, RiverRanchDevelopment.com.
FRIDAYS	<b>Bach Lunch.</b> Parc Sans Souci, 201 E Vermillion St., Lafayette. 337-291-5544, LafayetteScienceMuseum.org.
FRIDAYS	<b>Downtown Alive!</b> Parc International or Parc Sans Souci, Downtown, Lafayette. 337-291-5566, DowntownLafayette.org.
MAR 1-APR 28	<b>Azalea Trail of New Iberia.</b> Driving/Walking tour, New Iberia. 337-365-1540, IberiaTravel.com.
MAR 1-APR 28	<b>Azalea Trail of Lafayette.</b> Driving/Walking tour, Lafayette. 337-232-3737, LafayetteTravel.com.
MAR 3	<b>Shadows Arts &amp; Crafts Show.</b> Shadows-on-the-Teche, 317 E Main St., New Iberia. 337-369-6446, ShadowsOnTheTeche.org.
MAR 4	<b>Here's the Beef Cook-Off.</b> Ag Arena on the Yambilee Fair Grounds, 1939 W Landry St., Opelousas. 337-945-0364 or 337-684-6751, CajunTravel.com.
MAR 9-10	<b>Celtic Bayou Festival.</b> Warehouse 535, 535 Garfield St., Lafayette. CelticBayouFest.com.
MAR 17	<b>Acadian Memorial Heritage Festival &amp; Wooden Boat Congr�s.</b> Downtown St. Martinville. 337-394-2258, AcadianMemorial.org.
MAR 17	<b>Festival of Live Oaks.</b> New Iberia City Park, 300 Parkview Dr., New Iberia. 337-369-2337, IberiaTravel.com.
MAR 17-18	<b>EggstravaganZoo.</b> Zoosiana, 5601 US Hwy. 90 East, Broussard. 337-837-4325, Zoosiana.com.
MAR 22-25	<b>Web.com Tour/Chitimacha Louisiana Open Golf Tournament.</b> Le Triomphe Golf & Country Club, 100 Club Blvd., Broussard. 337-593-8000, LAOpen.com.
MAR 24	<b>Acadiana Dragon Boat Festival.</b> Bouligny Plaza, 102 W Main St., New Iberia. 337-352-2180, IberiaTravel.com.
MAR 24	<b>World Championship Crawfish �touff�e Cook-Off.</b> Northwest Community Center Pavilion - 651 Samuel Dr., Eunice. 337-457-2565, EtouffeeCookOff.org.
MAR 30-APR 1	<b>Lao New Year Celebration.</b> Wat Thammarattanaram Temple, 7913 Champa Ave., Coteau. 337-251-6624, IberiaTravel.com.

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THURSDAYS	<b>Rhythms on the River.</b> River Ranch Town Square, 1100 Camellia Blvd., Lafayette. 337-216-6529, RiverRanchDevelopment.com.
FRIDAYS	<b>Bach Lunch.</b> Parc Sans Souci, 201 E Vermillion St., Lafayette. 337-291-5544, 337-291-5461, LafayetteScienceMuseum.org.
FRIDAYS	<b>Downtown Alive!</b> Parc International or Parc Sans Souci, Downtown, Lafayette. 337-291-5566, DowntownLafayette.org.
TBA	<b>Cajun Hot Sauce Festival.</b> 713 NW Bypass (Hwy. 3212), New Iberia. 337-365-7539, SugArena.com/chsf.htm.

TBA	<b>Classic Arms Productions Gun &amp; Knife Show.</b> Lafayette Event Center, 4607 Johnston St., Lafayette. 985-624-8577, CAPGunShows.com.
APR 4-8	<b>Cycle Zydeco.</b> Lafayette, St. Martinville, Breau Bridge, Arnaudville, Opelousas, Eunice, Mamou, Scott. 337-781-9416, CycleZydeco.com.
APR 6-8	<b>Books Along the Teche Literary Festival.</b> Downtown New Iberia, Various Venues. 337-369-6446, DaveRobicheauxLiteraryFestival.com.
APR 7	<b>Acadiana Po-Boy Festival.</b> Parc Sans Souci, 201 E Vermillion St., Lafayette. AcadianaPoboyFestival.com.
APR 7	<b>Festival des Fleurs de Louisiane.</b> Blackham Coliseum, 2330 Johnston St., Lafayette. 337-482-5339, inh.louisiana.edu/festival.html.
APR 7-8 & 14-15	<b>Parade of Homes.</b> Subdivisions throughout Lafayette Parish. 337-981-3053, AcadianHBA.com.
APR 13-15	<b>Antique Fair &amp; Yard Sale.</b> 123 S Church St., Washington. 337-826-3580, CajunTravel.com.
APR 20-21	<b>Bayou Teche Black Bear Festival/Wooden Boat Show.</b> Downtown Main Street, Franklin. 985-380-8224, BayouTecheBearFest.org.
APR 20-22	<b>Scott Boudin Festival.</b> 125 Lions Club St., Scott. 337-233-1130, ScottBoudinFestival.com.
APR 21-27	<b>Dewey Balfa Cajun and Creole Heritage Week.</b> Chicot State Park, Ville Platte. 337-234-8360, LAFolkRoots.org.
APR 21	<b>"Stir the Pot: Seafood Cook-Off and Festival."</b> Palmetto Island State Park, 19501 Pleasant Rd., Abbeville. 337-898-6600, StirThePotCookOff.com.
APR 25-29	<b>Festival International de Louisiane.</b> Downtown, Lafayette. 337-232-8086, FestivalInternational.org.
APR 28	<b>�touff�e Festival.</b> St. John Francis Regis Church, 370 Main St., Arnaudville. 337-754-5912, CajunTravel.com.
APR 28-29	<b>Cajun Woodstock (Benefit for St. Jude Hospital).</b> City Park, 100 E Darbonne St., Church Point. 337-280-8710, CajunWoodstock.com.

## MAY 2018

TBA	<b>Louisiana Crossroads Series.</b> AcA's James D. Moncus Theater, 101 W Vermillion St., Lafayette. 337-233-7060, AcadianaCenterfortheArts.org.
TBA	<b>Acadiana Cane Cutter's Baseball,</b> Fabacher Field, 221 La Neuville Rd., Youngsville. 337-451-6582, CaneCuttersBaseball.com.
THURSDAYS	<b>Rhythms on the River.</b> River Ranch Town Square, 1100 Camellia Blvd., Lafayette. 337-216-6529, RiverRanchDevelopment.com.
FRIDAYS	<b>Downtown Alive!</b> Parc International or Parc Sans Souci, Downtown, Lafayette. 337-291-5566, DowntownLafayette.org.
MAY 4-5	<b>Vermilion Carmel May Festival.</b> VC-Mount Carmel School Grounds, 405 Park Ave., Abbeville. 337-893-6636, MCESchool.org.
MAY 4-6	<b>Breaux Bridge Crawfish Festival.</b> Parc Hardy, 1290 Rees St., Breaux Bridge. 337-332-6655, BBCrawfest.com.
MAY 5	<b>Celebration of Herbs &amp; Gardens.</b> Park on Marie St., Sunset. 337-662-3542, CajunTravel.com.
MAY 10-12	<b>Creole Zydeco &amp; Okra Festival.</b> 203 New Market St., St. Martinville. 337-394-2233, StMartinville.org.
MAY 10-12	<b>Rayne Frog Festival.</b> 206 Frog Festival Dr., Gossen Memorial Park, Rayne. 337-334-2332, RayneFrogFestival.com.
MAY 11-13	<b>El Festival Espanol de Nueva Iberia.</b> Bouligny Plaza/Steamboat Pavilion, 102 W Main St., New Iberia. 337-349-7343, IberiaTravel.com.
MAY 20	<b>Bayou Vermilion Festival &amp; Boat Parade.</b> Vermilionville, 300 Fisher Rd., Lafayette. 337-233-4077, BayouVermilionDistrict.org.
MAY 24-27	<b>Krotz Springs Sportsmen's Heritage Festival.</b> Nall Park, 562 Front St., Krotz Springs. 337-566-3527, KSSportsmensHeritageFestival.com.
MAY 24-JUN 3	<b>Cajun Heartland State Fair.</b> Cajundome, 444 Cajundome Blvd., Lafayette. 337-265-2100, Cajundome.com.
MAY 27	<b>Zydeco Extravaganza.</b> Blackham Coliseum, 2330 Johnston St., Lafayette. ZydecoExtra.com.