



Calendar of Events

The Naples Visitor Information Center

2390 Tamiami Trail North, Ste 210

Naples, Florida 34103

239-262-6141

www.napleschamber.org

10/1/2018-3/31/2019

Reflections on Glass Exhibit at Naples Botanical Gardens

Naples Botanical Garden unveils their newest exhibition, Reflections on Glass: Fräbel in the Garden. A first of its kind in Naples, this whimsical show brings a collection of glass sculptures and installations by flamework glass artist Hans Godo Fräbel to meet the Garden. The 13 displays feature botanically-inspired pieces, playful figures and ornate geometric shapes. The sculpture exhibit is included with regular admission.

One-of-a-kind pieces of Fräbel glass will be available for purchase in the Berger Shop in the Garden.

4820 Bayshore Drive, Naples

239-643-7275

11/17/2018-4/21/2019

Washed Ashore Exhibit at the Naples Zoo at Caribbean Gardens

9:00am-5:00pm

Last ticket sold at 4:00pm

On exhibit for the first time in Southwest Florida, Naples Zoo presents "Washed Ashore: Art to Save the Sea". Made entirely of plastic debris collected from beaches, the colorful and dramatic sculptures of marine animals represent the more than 315 billion pounds of plastic in oceans today and underscore the need for wildlife conservation.

Naples Zoo will showcase eleven of the larger-than-life sculptures of marine life. Zoo guests are invited to get up close to view the sculptures, which range from an 11-foot-long shark and 16-foot-long parrot fish to an 8-foot-wide octopus and an 11-foot-tall polar bear. This exhibit is free with paid Zoo admission.

"Washed Ashore: Art to Save the Sea" was founded by Angela Haseltine Pozzi, an artist and teacher from Oregon. Her passion for protecting the oceans led her

to create this project with the goal of educating a global audience about plastic pollution in waterways and spark positive changes in consumer habits. Since the project began in 2010, thousands of pounds of trash have been removed from beaches. That trash was then processed into more than 70 works of art, which travel the country to raise awareness about the plight of the world's oceans and marine life.

Naples Zoo at Caribbean Gardens

1590 Goodlette-Frank Rd., Naples

239-262-5409

1/9/2019-3/23/2019

Heritage & Harvest-Original Works by Paul Arsenault

at Immokalee Museum at Roberts Ranch

9:00am-4:00pm

For over 44 years, Paul Arsenault has devoted his painting to the places and events that visually speak to southwest Florida's history. The painted stories in this exhibition explore the heartland of Florida and its transition over 150 years from a raw wilderness inhabited by the Seminole and hardy pioneers into a vibrant, multicultural agricultural core.

1215 Roberts Ave W., Immokalee

252-2611

2/14/2019-3/23/2019

Exhibit: Heritage & Harvest-Original Works by Paul Arsenault at Immokalee Pioneer Museum at Roberts Ranch

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3/8/2019-3/10/2019

Southern Tropics Pickleball Tournament

East Naples Community Park
3500 Thomason Drive, Naples
www.southerntropicspickleball.net
239-778-8194

3/8/2019

Birding Basics

8:30am-12:30pm
Enjoy this fun and informative class designed to help you identify birds around you. Oriented toward the beginning birder, the classroom session explores how to use birds' plumage, shape, behavior and habitat to recognize various species. It also covers the effective use of binoculars and field guides. During the second part of the class you will learn more tricks of the trade during a field trip to a nearby park where you can enjoy practicing new skills.
\$40.00 Registration is required.
www.rookerybay.org/calendar
Rookery Bay Environmental Learning Center
300 Tower Road, Naples
239-530-5940

3/9/2019

Chalk Art on Fifth Avenue South

8:00am-4:00pm
This is a one-of-a-kind event for all residents, families & visitors to come "Walk the Chalk" as individuals and teams of amateur and professional artists transform Fifth Avenue South into a colorful, half-mile long Concrete Canvas.
The proceeds will be used to fund Naples Pelican Bay Rotary Club's charitable contributions which include college scholarships for neediest local seniors, Quest for Kids scholarships, feeding the hungry with Kids-Against-Hunger, donations to local charities ranging from St. Mathews House to the Boy Scouts to the Immokalee Friendship House and many other local worthwhile charities.
For more information visit www.pelicanbayrotary.com

3/9/2019

Immokalee Cattle Drive & Jamboree

8:00am-4:00pm
Experience the pioneer spirit and rich agricultural history of Florida's heartland with a cattle drive and jamboree at the Immokalee Pioneer Museum at Roberts Ranch. The cattle drive starts along Main Street in Immokalee led by cattle boss Clint Raulerson and

leads to Roberts Ranch, a former farmstead listed on the National Register of Historic Places and operated as a Collier County museum. Activities and entertainment kick off when the cows come home and include storytelling, roping and whip cracking demonstrations, traditional food demonstrations, music, craft and food vendors, and so much more. Bring the whole family to the Kids' Korral with petting zoo, games, and crafts.
1215 Roberts Ave W., Immokalee
For more information: 239-252-2611

3/10/2019

Dixieland Jazz Band

1:45pm-4:00pm
Naples Dixieland Jazz Band plays classic jazz of the 1920's, with emphasis on the songs of Louis Armstrong, Bessie Smith, Fats Waller, Jellyroll Morton, WC Handy and more.
Cambier Park
580 8th South, Naples
239-213-3058

3/11/2019

Stardust Memories Big Band

7:00pm-9:00pm
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Cambier Park
580 8th South
239-213-3058

3/16/2019

43rd Annual Naples St. Patrick's Day Parade

11:00am-1:30pm
Wear your green and enjoy the revelry followed by an all-day celebration at Sugden Plaza. This is now the largest privately-funded Parade in the state and draws over 40,000 people to downtown Naples to celebrate Irish heritage and Irish culture in America. The parade is sponsored by the Naples St. Patrick foundation, a non-profit charitable organization.

3/16/2019

Florida Panther National Wildlife Refuge Open House

10:00am-2:00pm

Florida Panther National Wildlife Refuge proudly presents the annual Refuge Open House from 10am-2pm! This year's guided hikes, swamp buggy tours, and interpretive activities will take place across the Refuge at our hiking trails, fire operations center, and conservation club locations for quality experiences surrounded by the Refuge's natural beauty. Orchid wet walks, archery lessons, plant pressing, fire management, poetry hike and more!
Tickets are \$15 with all proceeds directly supporting the Friends panther conservation and Refuge support activities. Tickets available for purchase on 3/1/2019.
12085 State Road 29 South, Immokalee
239-657-8001 for information & tickets

3/18/2019

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3/19/2019

Lunch & Learn Lecture: Rookery Bay thru the Eyes of the Researcher

12:00pm-1:00pm

Please join us for the fifth in a series of six lectures in honor of the 40th anniversary of the Rookery Bay Research Reserve - Rookery Bay through the Eyes of the Researcher. Stephen Wilkie, Masters Candidate at Gulf Coast University in Environmental Science, will present on his effort to replicate the 1970's fish population study by Dr. Bernie Yokel.

The 2018-19 lecture series will focus on the history of the Rookery Bay area and the establishment of the Research Reserve. Lectures by staff and volunteers will describe 3,000 years of use of the estuary, the grassroots movement to save the bay, fisheries research, the establishment of the Research Reserve and Environmental Learning Center, as well as some of the more recent accomplishments and notable events in the Reserve's timeline.

\$15.00

Rookery Bay Reserve
300 Tower Road, Marco Island
239-530-5940

3/20/2019

2019 Collier County Agricultural Bus Tour

Bus #1 leaves at 8:00am; return approx. 4:00pm

Bus #2 leaves at 9:00am; return approx. 5:00pm

Take a "Behind-the-Scenes" Tour of Collier County's Agricultural Operations

The Collier County UF/IFAS Extension presents an all-day bus tour highlighting the vibrant agriculture of the region. This year the Ag Tour will showcase Collier County's agricultural operations in Immokalee.

The tour this year will include a stop for lunch at the Culinary Accelerator in Immokalee and transportation to various farms throughout the county aboard an air-conditioned bus, accompanied by knowledgeable local tour guides.

A lunch of local fare will be served (sorry, the menu will be thoughtfully planned, but special diets cannot be accommodated).

The tour involves getting on and off a bus and a moderate amount of walking. Wear boots or tennis shoes, clothing for variable temperatures. These are working farms; you may experience wet, uneven and rough terrain. Consider wearing a wide-brimmed hat, sunglasses, sunscreen and a rain jacket. Tickets include lunch, snacks and water.

Tour is \$60.00

Departure Location: Golden Gate Community Center
4701 Golden Gate Parkway, Naples

Contact: Jessica Ryals, UF/IFAS Extension Collier County
239-252-4800 or jessicaryals@ufl.edu

3/21/2019

Third Thursday on Third

5:00pm-8:00pm

You can groove and dance to MATTY B at the Fleischmann Courtyard and PATCHOULI in front of Bad Ass Coffee for a fun and festive night al fresco. Visit Third Street South and enjoy an evening of shopping, dining and time with your favorite destination in Naples
1250 Third Street South, Naples
239-434-6533

3/22/2019-3/23/2019

Naples Flower Show at Naples Botanical Garden

9:00am-5:00pm

Naples Botanical Garden and Naples Garden Club combine resources and talents to present the Naples

Flower Show. The two-day event, one of the largest flower shows in Florida, includes a Garden Market, a variety of educational demonstrations as well as the Naples Garden Club's spectacular juried Designs and Horticultural exhibits.

The Naples Flower Show is included with General Garden Admission. Tickets are available to purchase.

Naples Botanical Garden
4820 Bayshore Drive, Naples
239-643-7275

3/22/2019-3/24/2019

2019 Marco Island Seafood and Music Festival

11:00am-9:00pm

In addition to a weekend of fun and great musical entertainment, all your favorite seafood specialties will be available for a full day of noshing including fresh fish, grouper, crab cakes, stone crab, shrimp and more. There will also be a wide assortment of traditional Landlubber favorites for everyone to enjoy. Beer, wine and frozen cocktails will be available to quench your thirst. Arts and crafts vendors will be displaying their wonderful talents.

Call the Marco Island Area Chamber of Commerce to purchase tickets at 239-394-7549.

Veterans Community Park
901 Park Avenue, Marco Island, FL
239-692-8436 and 239-262-6517

3/23/2019-3/24/2019

Naples Downtown Art Show on Fifth Avenue South

Saturday 10:00am-6:00pm

Sunday 10:00am-5:00pm

One of the last major art festivals of the winter season, the Naples Downtown Art Show is a favorite show for art enthusiasts and collectors and rated in the top seven percent on Sunshine Artist magazine's Top 200 Outdoor Art Shows list. The Naples Downtown Art Show is a juried art show with openings for 250 artists looking to show in the popular seasonal destination of Naples, Florida.

Admission: FREE donations are always greatly appreciated and benefit The Naples Art Association art education programs.

Parking: All around 5th Ave South or ride your bike!
Fifth Avenue South, Naples

3/23/2019

Naples Concert Band

2:00pm-4:00pm

The Naples Concert Band will host a special Saturday Concert in the park featuring Rob Platter, percussionist

extraordinaire, at the drum set for "Concerto for Drum Set and Band" and Stevie Wonder's "Sir Duke". Local favorites Jenny Bintliff and Craig Greusel will sing Rodger and Hammerstein's "South Pacific Symphonic Scenario". And, the Finale from Kalinikov's Symphony No. 1", Robert Jager's "Sinfonia Nobilissima", and the music from "How to Train Your Dragon" add more fire power to the concert line up.

Cambier Park
560 8th Street South, Naples
239-213-3049

3/30/2019-3/31/2019

Naples Fine Art Show

10:00am-5:00pm

The Naples Fine Art Show at Galleria Shoppes at Vanderbilt is a top juried fine art and craft show bringing over 100 professional artists to the region. All the art is original and personally handmade by the artist who is present at the show. In addition to the professional artists and artwork, the show also includes the budding artist competition for ages 9-19. The show is free to enter, but a \$5 donation is suggested to support show promoter HotWorks.org's non-profit arm, the Institute for the Arts & Education.

Galleria Shoppes at Vanderbilt
2343 Vanderbilt Beach Rd., Naples
248-684-2613

4/1/2019

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7:00pm-9:00pm

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Cambier Park 580 8th Street South, Naples
239-213-3058

4/6/2019

Art in the Park

10:00am-4:00pm

The Naples Art Association proudly connects artists with art shoppers in another exciting season of Art in the Park. Since 1957, Art in the Park has showcased the talents of artists and is believed to be the first outdoor art show held in Naples. Art in the Park carries on the tradition of providing our community access to the very

creative fine art and craftwork of local artists. The Naples Art Association is proud to host this juried art show held on the first Saturday of each month from November through April, from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.
Cambier Park
580 8th Street South, Naples
239-213-3058

4/7/2019

Gulf Coast Big Band at Cambier Park

2:00pm-4:00pm

The Gulf Coast Big Band has been performing since 1991. It plays big band and jazz standards to the delight of thousands at Sunday afternoon concerts-in-the-park at Cambier Park, Naples, Florida. The Band plays a wide range of big band music from traditional swing and blues to bebop and Afro-Cuban. Audiences enjoy songs from a large variety of jazz greats including Glenn Miller, Artie Shaw, Woody Herman, Duke Ellington, Count Basie, Dizzy Gillespie, Tadd Dameron, Stan Kenton, Sonny Rollins, and Thelonious Monk.

Cambier Park

580 8th South Street, Naples

239-213-3058

4/12/2019

Birding Basics Class

8:30am-12:30pm

This fun and informative class is led by Randy McCormick to help participants identify the birds in everyday life. This workshop is geared toward the beginning birder and explores the use of a birds' plumage, shape, behavior and habitat to recognize various species. The most effective use of binoculars and field guides also will be covered. During the second part of class, participants will take a trip to Eagle Lakes Park to practice new birding skills.

300 Tower Road, Naples

4/13/2019

Blooms & Brews 2019 at Naples Botanical Garden

4:00pm-8:00pm

Sit back with friends and enjoy live music by The Woodwork while savoring a variety of local craft brews in your own commemorative Blooms & Brews 2019 glass, included with every ticket. Food will be available for purchase.

Designated Drivers will have access to free soda or water for the duration of the event, and will not be served alcohol.

Must be 21 or older to attend.

\$35 Garden Members; \$50 Non-Members; \$15 Designated Drivers.

Event proceeds benefit Naples Botanical Garden's Conservation efforts.

4820 Bayshore Drive, Naples

239-643-7275

4/14/2019

Naples Concert Band

2:00pm-4:00pm

The Naples Concert Band has grown to over 80 musicians who often play to thousands during peak season here in Naples. We love to see friends, neighbors, and members of the community enjoying a night of music in our beautiful city! The Naples Concert Band has also worked closely with the City of Naples to build the original Band Shell in Cambier Park in 1987 and the major renovation in 2001.

Cambier Park

560 8th Street South, Naples

239-213-3049

4/15/2019

Miss Naples Pride Pageant at Gulfshore Playhouse

7:00pm

Don't miss the 1st annual Miss Naples Pride Pageant at Gulfshore Playhouse. This event boasts over \$2000 in cash and prizes!

The winner gets \$1000, crown, sash, photo shoot and more!

1st runner up receives \$300 and the 2nd runner up receives \$150!

Contestant fees:

Early entry fee \$100 after March 31 the fee raises to \$125.

For more information contact Lisa Renee

at: mislisarenee@gmail.com

Gulfshore Playhouse

755 8th Ave South, Naples

Door \$10.00

Pre-Sale \$15.00

4/18/2019

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5:00pm-8:00pm

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239-434-6533

4/21/2019

Naples Botanical Garden: Bugtussle Ramblers

12:00pm-2:00pm

One of Southwest Florida's popular Acoustic Bluegrass Band blends traditional style bluegrass music and songs with the inspirations that guide bluegrass today. Their energetic show includes a variety of tunes to have your toes tapping and have you humming along. The band includes the strong traditional rhythm guitar of Doug Yaehrling. Karen Batten picks a driving banjo, bringing her love of a strong banjo. Doug Gerdon plays the mandolin bringing thoughtful, creative breaks and arrangements to the group and Mark Iselo rounds out the band playing strong upright bass. Included in Garden admission.

4820 Bayshore Drive, Naples

239-643-7275

4/23/2019-4/28/2019

The Naples Space Festival-Celebration of 50th Anniversary of Apollo 11

This very special event will bring together: Dr. James Hansen, author of the "First Man"-biographer of Neil Armstrong, the first man to walk on the moon. He will talk about creating his bio and Neil Armstrong. William Harwood, the CBS News space reporter. He will lecture about the shuttle program.

Joel Banow, the television director who directed the Apollo broadcasts for CBS News. He will talk about how he created the coverage of Apollo 11, "Landing on the moon with Walter Cronkite".

Chris Calle, American artist whose work has appeared on our commemorative stamps, will lecture about his father who was the only artist to be with the Apollo 11 crew on launch day. He will also talk about the art works of Apollo 12 astronaut Alan Bean who walked on the moon on the second lunar landing mission.

Art exhibitions will be on sale and portions of the sale will go to: Golisano Children's Museum, The Boys & Girls Club, The Salvation Army Fran Cohen Youth Center, The Naples Players Children's Theater Program for scholarships and the Naples Press Club journalism scholarships.

For more info call Joel Banow at 239-641-1501

Visit www.thenaplesspacefestival.com

4/24/2019-4/28/2019

Film Fest 239 at Silverspot Cinema

Founded by film industry veterans Randi Emerman and Carol Marshall, along with Program Director Claudia Puig, this inaugural festival will showcase notable

feature films and documentaries, providing the Naples community with a unique opportunity to engage with prominent and emerging filmmakers about their work.

Silver Spot Cinema

9118 Strada Place, Ste. 5150, Naples

818-385-1396

4/24/2019-5/8/2019

Stay in May Festival at Multiple Naples Venues

The 2019 StayInMay Festival will continue this great tradition of bringing an array of young and seasoned world-class performers from around the globe to the city of Naples.

Throughout multiple and unique venues across Naples, The StayInMay Festival presents concerts and events spanning art, chamber music, cinema, culinary, dance, opera, fashion, theater and orchestra.

For more information please

visit: <http://www.stayinmay.com/>

4/27/2019-5/4/2019

2019 Minto US Open Pickleball Championships

Don't miss all the exciting play during the 2019 Minto US OPEN Pickleball Championships!

The Minto US OPEN Pickleball Championships, a world-class, international competition, return to East Naples Community. This tournament is the biggest in the sport's history and grows each year.

The competition includes singles, doubles and mixed doubles play in a variety of skill and age groups. The event will be covered by CBS Sports Network. Come on down to see fastest-growing sport in the U.S!

To learn more please click

here: <https://www.usopenpickleballchampionship.com/schedule.html>

East Naples Community Park

3500 Thomasson Drive, Naples

239-793-4414

4/28/2019

Naples Dixieland Jazz Band

1:45pm-4:00pm

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Cambier Park

580 8th South Street, Naples

239-213-3058

5/5/2019

Taste of Collier at Bayfront

11:00am-5:00pm

Taste of Collier, a long-standing Naples tradition, is an afternoon of family fun featuring live music by area musicians, crowd-pleasing ice-carving demonstrations, cooking competitions with local top chefs, and of course, savory samples from over 30 of the best local restaurants in Collier County!

Bayfront-465 Bayfront Place, Naples

For more information call 239-272-1907

5/5/2019

Naples Botanical Garden: Bob Zottola & Jazz Simpatico

2:00pm

Bob Zottola & Jazz Simpatico bring a multi-dimensional musical ensemble that covers many genres such as Jazz, Classical, Rhythm & Blues and the best of Pop. Bob on trumpet, flugelhorn and vocals, Corrine Manning on vocals, Roy Gerson on piano and Kevin Mauldin on bass and Tony Vigilante on drums. Included in Garden admission.

4820 Bayshore Drive, Naples

239-643-7275

5/11/2019

43rd Annual Great Dock Canoe Race

9:00am-2:00pm

2019 Theme is..."Heroes and Villains"

The Great Dock Canoe Race was created as a celebration for friends and locals that signified that season was over and summer was coming. It was designed to support the community and create a fun experience for participants and onlookers alike. Thanks to another like-minded group in the Jaycees, the tradition will continue in perpetuity.

*There is LIMITED PARKING in the Crayton Cove Area.

*There will be a FREE trolley shuttle that will run from 8:00am until 3:00pm.

Pickup locations as follows (there will be signs at the pickup locations the day of the event):

Location 1: City of Naples Parking Garage located at 400 9th Street South, Naples, Florida.

Location 2: City of Naples Parking Garage located at the corner of 8th Street South and 6th Avenue, Downtown Naples.

Location 3: Norris Community Center, 755 8th Ave. S., Naples, FL 34102 (extra parking available in the City lot caddy corner from the Norris Community Center, across from the fire station).

All trolley pickup locations will drop off and pick up participants and spectators at the City Dock.

Contact Matt Flores 239-825-1228

greatdockcanoeraces@gmail.com

5/19/2019

Naples Botanical Garden: The John Patti Project

12:00pm-2:00pm

"Island infused jazz and blues." John's expressively smooth sound elevates the steel pan from its perceived impression as just an island instrument to one of versatility across many musical genres. Rock, jazz, blues, country, funk and even classical are all rejuvenated when John combines them with the tropical sound.

Included in Garden admission.

4820 Bayshore Drive, Naples

239-643-7275

5/30/2019-6/12/2019

Summer Sizzle SWFL Restaurant Week

With over 70 participating restaurants offering three-course prix-fixe dinner menus with special upgrades and deals starting at just \$26 or \$36 this is regional favorite event.

The goal of Restaurant Week is to encourage people to visit the best LOCAL restaurants during a normally slow time of year and help expose people of Collier, Lee and surrounding counties to our amazing SWFL restaurants!

The best thing about the Sizzle SWFL Restaurant Week is that \$1.00 from every Restaurant Week meal (lunch or dinner) sold will be donated to the Sizzle SWFL FGCU Food & Beverage Scholarship!

4 EASY STEPS TO PARTICIPATE IN RESTAURANT WEEK

1. Go to www.SizzleSWFL.com and pick your city
2. Look through all the menus and pick a restaurant
3. Make a reservation. (Not always needed but recommended)
4. When you arrive, order from the Restaurant Week prix fixe menu

6/1/2019

3rd Annual Naples Pride Fest

11:00am-5:00pm

Naples Pride celebrates diversity and unity, educates the community on LGBTQ issues to promote equal rights for all. This year's theme is "We Are Love". This all-inclusive, family-friendly and open to the public event will combine entertainers, speakers, musicians, performers, vendors, exhibitors, kids activities, food and drinks for a day of fun and celebration in the name of equality. The event will feature music spun by crowd favorite DJ Kooshie and the dynamic MC Liquid will emcee the event.

2019 Vendor, Sponsor and Volunteer registration is now open. Visit www.naplespride.org for more information on how to become a vendor, a sponsor, or a volunteer.

You may reach Naples Pride by phone 941-281-4817 or email at info@naplespride.org.

Cambier Park
580 8th South Street, Naples
Admission is Free
Donation \$5.00

6/2/2019

Sarah Hedeka Trio at Naples Botanical Garden

12:00pm-2:00pm

The voice of Sarah Hedeka brings a unique blend of pure, strong, and full of range, and is seasoned with soul, emotion, and downright passion. Alongside her chilling vocal ability, Sarah is a clever songwriter, and an accomplished instrumentalist. With background as a pianist from the tender age of four, she has performed consistently throughout her life to audiences of all shapes and sizes and has never failed at captivating any one of them. Included in Garden admission.

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239-643-7275

6/16/2019

The Band Trinity at the Naples Botanical Garden

12:00pm-2:00pm

The Band Trinity, comprised of members Peter Heaney (Vocals, 6 and 12 string Guitar, Banjo, Mandolin, Bouzouki, Bodhran, Rhythm Bones and Spoons) Randi Zwicker (Vocals, Fiddle, Mandolin, Bodhran) and Paul Hartigan (Vocals, Button Accordion) Peter and Paul both are originally from Ireland, County Down and County Galway, respectively.

Naples Botanical Garden
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7/4/2019

Naples July 4th Parade

10:00am-11:00am

Bring the family and enjoy the annual Naples 4th of July parade. The parade route goes from Broad Avenue South to Third Street South, up to 5th Avenue South, then east on 5th Avenue South, turning South on 8th Street South past City Hall, ending at 8th Avenue South and 8th Street South.

Downtown Naples

7/4/2019

July 4th Fireworks at Naples Pier

9:00pm-9:30pm

A city favorite celebrating our Independence Day in 1776! The presentation will feature a twenty minute

display with special effects musically choreographed to patriotic selections that will be simulcast on radio station WAVV 101.1 FM.

Naples residents are invited to bring chairs or blankets to viewing spots in town, as the fireworks can be seen all along the Naples beach. Personal use of sparklers or any fireworks is prohibited per City ordinance.
Naples Pier

7/7/2019

Kelly & Mason Duo at Naples Botanical Garden

12:00pm-2:00pm

Kelly Clinger (Vocals) and Mason Williams (Guitar) are professional artists and hold music degrees in their respective fields (voice and guitar performance). With a new fresh style the duo performs a wide variety of music from Jazz standards and soulful classics to jazz versions of more current pop songs. Included in Garden admission.

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7/21/2019

Little Eddie and the Fat Fingers at Naples Botanical Garden

12:00pm-2:00pm

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8/4/2019

The Woodwork performing at the Naples Botanical Garden

12:00pm-2:00pm

Returning to the Naples Botanical Garden music scene please welcome The Woodwork; formed in March 2016 The Woodwork is composed of Taylor Freyberg (guitar, vocals), Christina Ortega (vocals), Julio Pintos (upright bass) and Mayo Coates (percussion). Playing an ensemble of Indie, Folk and Jazz the band truly "comes

out of the woodwork” to bring a unique blend of sound to the Garden. Included in Garden admission.

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9/28/2019

Blessing of the Stone Crab Fleet

10:00am-1:00pm

The annual Blessing of the Stone Crab Fleet is always a fun day for the entire family! The Arts & Crafts booths open at 10 a.m. and the Opening Ceremony starts at 10:30, which includes the blessing of the boats by local pastors. The event also includes bake sales, live music, face-painting, a kids frog-jumping contest, raffles (50/50, gift certificates, gourmet basket), a stone crab art contest for kids, and the annual hotly contested coconut guava cake contest! Winners of contests and raffles will be announced at 1 p.m.

Rod & Gun Club
200 Broadway, Everglades City
239-695-2905

10/24/2019-10/27/2019

Naples International Film Festival at Artis-Naples

Hours vary by performance times

Now in its eleventh year, the Naples International Film Festival is a place for film lovers to connect, exchange ideas and celebrate the art of film in a friendly, welcoming environment.

NIFF has matured into a destination festival, drawing emerging and established filmmakers to experience and atmosphere of keen appreciation for cinema and an all-around world-class event, featuring a judiciously chosen

opening night film and party, three days of screenings and panel discussions, and an awards ceremony.

Artis-Naples
5833 Pelican Bay Blvd, Naples
239-597-1900

10/25/2019-10/27/2019

Stone Crab Festival

You definitely don't want to miss out on this year's annual Stone Crab Festival! The party starts Friday afternoon, October 25 and continues all day on Saturday and Sunday, October 26 & 27 at several connecting locations on the Old Naples Waterfront, including Tin City, Bayfront, Port of Naples Marina, and the Experience Naples location, home of Naples Trolley. The Stone Crab Festival will offer plenty of fresh stone crab claws, music, events, art and a ton of fun activities for the whole family!

Tin City, Bayfront, Port of Naples
1500 Fifth Ave. South, Naples

10/25/2019-10/27/2019

Boo at the Zoo at Naples Zoo

10:00am-3:00pm

The Naples Zoo is excited to invite all kids in costume to Boo at the Zoo with FREE admission!

Activities include trick-or-treating, education stations, games, and a costume contest with prizes each day! Costume contests will be held every day at 1pm with 3 different categories for everyone to participate. As always, everyone can enjoy watching rare animals going wild "carving" pumpkins and other treats with tooth, horn, and claw. All the fun is included in regular Zoo admission!

*Free Child Admission: Every child age 12 and under in costume will receive free admission to Naples Zoo. For this family-friendly event, only adults accompanied by children are permitted in costume.

Naples Zoo at Caribbean Gardens
1590 Goodlette-Frank Rd, Naples
239-262-5409

10/31/2019

Halloween on 5th Spooktacular

4:00pm-7:00pm

Fun events for families and children, including live music, street dancing, costume contest, games and more.