

# Destination Hometown

May 1-4



“Make Our Hometown Your Destination This Weekend”



## Thursday, May 1

### ATLAS ROAD CREW



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Join us this Thursday to listen to the local band, Atlas Road Crew at the Five Points fountain. As a part of the Five After Five Free Concert Series, this event has tons of family-friendly stuff, too — including sidewalk chalk, hula-hoops, jump rope, bubbles and more!

Five Points Fountain

Time: 5:00 p.m.

Cost: Free

[www.fivepointscolumbia.com](http://www.fivepointscolumbia.com)

Contact: 803-748-7373



#### THE COLUMBIA MUSEUM OF ART ABOUT FACE EXHIBITION AT THE GALLERY AT CITY HALL

“About Face” is a classroom, a studio, a circle of friends centered at the Columbia Museum of Art for over a decade to hone artistic skills during live-model and outdoor drawing and painting gatherings. The exhibition features 31 portrait and landscape pieces by 23 artists created during the group’s sessions at the Museum.

City Hall

1737 Main Street

Time: 6:00 p.m.—8:00 p.m.

Cost: Free

[www.columbiamuseum.org](http://www.columbiamuseum.org)

Contact: 803-799-2810

#### THE GRAND BUDAPEST HOTEL

Don't miss the chance to see the adventures of Gustave H. a film about a legendary concierge at a famous European hotel between the wars, and Zero Moustafa, the lobby boy who becomes his most trusted friend.

Nickelodeon Theatre

1607 Main Street

Time: TBD

Cost: \$10

[www.nickelodeon.org](http://www.nickelodeon.org)

Contact: 803-254-8234



## Friday, May 2



#### TINY TASTE BUDS

Explore the wonderful world of food! Practice making (and eating) healthy snacks in Taste Buds, EdVenture's cooking lab. This preschool series will occur on the first and third Friday of every month and focus on experiencing new flavors, fun assembly snacks and food based sensory play. Pre-registration is required 48hrs prior to the program date and is for ages 3-4.

EdVenture

211 Gervais Street

Time: 11:00 a.m.—12:00 p.m.

Cost: \$8 members | \$10 members

[www.edventure.org](http://www.edventure.org)

Contact: 803-400-1131

#### SHREK THE MUSICAL

Come take your children to see this play when an unseemly ogre – not a handsome prince – shows up to rescue a feisty princess from her tower guarded by a fire breathing love-sick dragon.

Town Theatre

1012 Sumter Street

Time: Show times vary

Cost: \$15-25

[www.towntheatre.com](http://www.towntheatre.com)

Contact: 803-799-2510

#### MADAME MAGAR'S WORKSHOP

Explore the contemporary world of millinery and fashion design through an innovative, imaginative installation by Charleston artist Leigh Magar. Look, touch and try on clothes in The Mill Collection, allow Leigh to personally assist you in choosing the right look and enjoy being surrounded by beautiful things.

701 Whaley Street

Time: 10:00 a.m.—5:00 p.m.

Cost: Free

[www.701cca.org](http://www.701cca.org)

Contact: 803-319-9949



## Saturday, May 3



**Bicycle Skills Clinic & Tour de Cure Mayors Bike Ride MAY 3rd 2014**

free breakfast - bicycling skills  
- safety obstacle course  
- bicycling safety check & tune up - family bike ride

Robert Mills House, 1615 Blanding Street 9:30am  
Bring your own bicycle and helmet to participate. Register at [www.bikerodeo.org](http://www.bikerodeo.org)

Sponsored by: Regions Bank, presented by: American Diabetes Association, City of Columbia Bicycle & Pedestrian Advisory Committee (BPAC), SC Safe Routes to School Resource Center, Safe Kids, and Palmetto Conservation Foundation.



#### ROSEWOOD CRAWFISH FESTIVAL

Come out to the Rosewood Crawfish Festival on Rosewood Drive and celebrate Cajun culture. The event features a diverse selection of food, music, art and family fun. The famous band, Everclear, will be performing as well! This is an event you don't want to miss!

2600-2800 block of Rosewood

Time: 11:00 a.m.—10:00 p.m.

Cost: \$8 advance | \$12 day of show

[rosewoodcrawfishfest.com/](http://rosewoodcrawfishfest.com/)

Contact: 803-261-8947



#### SODA CITY MARKET

Come by for the season's best produce, meat, dairy, flowers and baked items from farmers, bakers, gardeners and artisans in Columbia!

Soda City Market

1500 block of Main Street

Time: 8:00 a.m.—12:00 p.m.

Cost: FREE

(Free entry, but prices vary for each vendor)

[www.sodascitysc.com](http://www.sodascitysc.com)

Contact: 803-269-3241



#### VISTA MARKETPLACE AT WHALEY FARMER'S AND CRAFT MARKET

Vista Marketplace at Whaley is a small community vendor's market featuring all local products. The vendors offer seasonal produce, organic and conventionally grown, handmade food items and gifts.

Vista Marketplace

701 Whaley Street

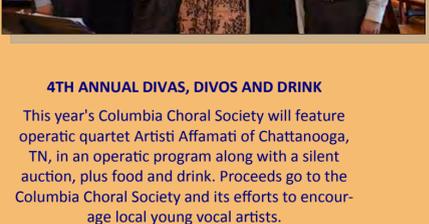
Time: 9:00 a.m.—1:00 p.m.

Cost: Free Admission (vendors may vary)

[www.vista.locallygrown.net/welcome](http://www.vista.locallygrown.net/welcome)

Contact: 803-917-4702

## Sunday, May 4



#### 4TH ANNUAL DIVAS, DIVOS AND DRINK

This year's Columbia Choral Society will feature operatic quartet Artisti Affamati of Chattanooga, TN, in an operatic program along with a silent auction, plus food and drink. Proceeds go to the Columbia Choral Society and its efforts to encourage local young vocal artists.

Chamber of Commerce

930 Richland Street

Time: 3 p.m.

Cost: \$30 per person, \$50 per couple

[www.artistiaffamati.com/](http://www.artistiaffamati.com/)

Contact: 803-606-3343



#### FESTIVAL CINCO DE MAYO

The State Museum is partnering with Hispanic Connections for a special celebration full of family fun! Guests will enjoy a family fiesta featuring Hispanic crafts and games, Spanish puppet show, live music, authentic Mexican and Latin American food for purchase, and lots more!

South Carolina State Museum

3013 Park Street

Time: 12:30 p.m. - 6 p.m.

Cost: Free with membership/admission

[www.scmuseum.org](http://www.scmuseum.org)

Contact: 803-898-4921

## Save The Date

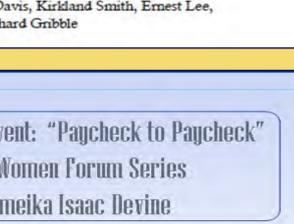
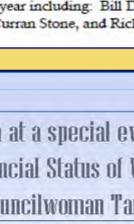
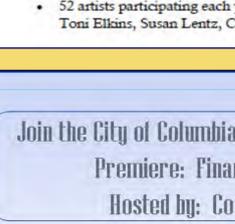
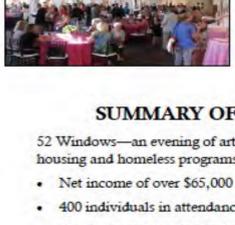
### 52 WINDOWS

an evening of art to benefit MIRCJ

#### THE 3RD ANNUAL 52 WINDOWS EVENT

May 8, 2014 at 701 Whaley

- SILENT AUCTION
- HEAVY HORS D'OEUVRES by Jack Brantley, Aberdeen Catering
- OPEN BAR & LIVE MUSIC!



#### SUMMARY OF THE 2012 & 2013 52 WINDOWS EVENT

52 Windows—an evening of art to benefit MIRCJ has become a signature event to benefit the housing and homeless programs of MIRCJ. Results for the 2012 and 2013 events include:

- Net income of over \$65,000 on average raised
- 400 individuals in attendance on average
- 52 artists participating each year including: Bill Davis, Kirkland Smith, Ernest Lee, Toni Elkins, Susan Lentz, Curran Stone, and Richard Gribble



COUNCILWOMAN TAMEIKA ISAAC DEVINE

Councilwoman Tameika Isaac Devine will host Columbia's premiere of the documentary, "Paycheck to Paycheck: The life of Katrina Gilbert." This film is about the unequal state women face in 2014, which highlights the recent "Driver Report: Women's Nation Pushes Back from the Brink about the inequality for women."



ADULT WOMEN LIVE IN POVERTY



DR. LINDA SALANE

Dr. Linda Salane, Interim Director for the Cooperative Ministries and CEO of WNN Consulting and Executive Coaching. Former Executive Director of the Leadership Institute at Columbia College.



KAREN R. JENKINS

Karen R. Jenkins, President & CEO KRJ Consulting, LLC Financial Empowerment Consultant

If you plan to attend, please send an RSVP to [Suzi.Brown@scbrown.com](mailto:Suzi.Brown@scbrown.com). Registration is not required, but an RSVP would be appreciated for planning purposes.

For more information, contact Leshia Utsey at 803-545-3020 or at [lutsey@columbiasec.net](mailto:lutsey@columbiasec.net)