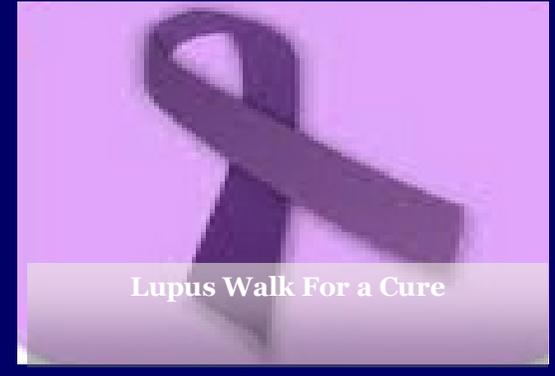




Pet of the Week:
Patches



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WORLD AFFAIRS COUNCIL/ COLUMBIA COLLEGE PROGRAM ON HUMAN TRAFFICKING

On October 27, 2014, the World Affairs Council will be collaborating with Columbia College to host a speaker program on human trafficking. The Program will be held at Columbia College Breed Leadership Center (1301 Columbia College Drive) from 5-7 p.m. SC Attorney General Alan Wilson will open the program with remarks about his task force and state plan for combatting human trafficking. The speaker panelist includes Deputy Police Chief Melron Kelly; Patricia Ravenhorst, Attorney; Marie Sazehn, Assistant Attorney General; Dr. Mary Baskin Waters, Professor University of South Carolina; and Dr. Catherine Howard, R. Wright Spears Professor of Religion.

The event is free and will be open to the public. To register for the event, visit columbiawac.org/events.html

For more information about the event, call Columbia World Affairs Council at 803-252-2197 or email programs@columbiawac.org.



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City Talk

**Tune in to City Talk today on WGCV 620 AM
from 5 p.m. - 6 p.m. to hear:**



5:00 p.m. - 5:20 p.m.

Guest: James Helms, Assistant Chief,
Columbia Fire Department

Topic: Firefighters Recruitment

5:20 p.m. - 5:40 p.m.

Guest: Jada Hubbard, Wellness Center
Manager

Topic: Lupus Walk for a Cure

5:40 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Guest: Lee Thompson, Interim Assistant
Superintendent of Recreation, Parks &
Recreation

Topic: Youth Winter Basketball League
Registration

**For more information about today's topics, contact the
Public Relations Department at 803-545-3020.**



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The Week Ahead

MORE TIME TO NAME OUR TEAM

Columbia's new Professional Baseball team is extending the Name Our Team Contest until **Friday, October 24, 2014**. The contest was announced on September 24, 2014. The team has received more than 1,300 suggestions.

Fans now have nine more days to visit ColumbiaProBall.com where they can submit **a team** name idea and a short explanation for why.



The winning name, along with the team's logo and colors, will be unveiled in the Spring of 2015. The fan whose submission leads to the team's new name will have the honor of throwing out a ceremonial first pitch on the opening night of the ballpark. That fan will also receive a prize package that will include an official team cap and jersey and tickets to opening night.

For more information on the team and venue, and to enter your submission for the #NameOurTeam Contest, visit ColumbiaProBall.com

SCE&G TO PERFORM TREE TRIMMING ACTIVITIES AS SCHEDULED FOR 2014

SCE&G will perform tree trimming activities along overhead utility lines in the following neighborhoods for the next two weeks:

Crosshill Neighborhood

Heyward Park Neighborhood

Hampton Hills Homeowners

Heathwood Park Neighborhood

Sherwood Forest Neighborhood

Hampton-Wildcat Neighborhood

Hampton Ridge Neighborhood Association

Meadowfield Neighborhood Association

Kilbourne Park Neighborhood Association

Hampton Leas Neighborhood

The purpose of the trimming activities is to increase safety and reliability of the electric service.

For more information about SCE&G's tree trimming efforts, including helpful tips and suggestions regarding the planting of trees and other vegetation, visit www.sceg.com/treetrimming.



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LUPUS WALK FOR A CURE

The Charles R. Drew Wellness Center will host the Second Annual Lupus Walk for a cure on October 25, 2014. Onsite registration is \$25 and will begin at 7:30 a.m. Walking activities will begin at 8:30 a.m. at the Drew Wellness Center (2101 Walker Solomon Way).

The profits obtained from donations will be used locally by Lupus Columbia SC to support efforts to help improve the quality of life of people affected by lupus through support groups, education, advocacy and awareness in the state of South Carolina.

For more information, call Lupus Columbia SC at 803-563-8117 or visit www.lupuscsc.org.

REGISTRATION PERIOD OPEN FOR COED ADULT VOLLEYBALL LEAGUE

The City of Columbia Parks and Recreation Department is accepting registrations for the 2014 Adult Volleyball League. Men and women ages 18 and older can participate in this coed volleyball league. The fee to participate is \$150 per team. **The last day to register is October 31.**

To download a registration form, visit the Parks & Recreation's Athletics page [online](#) and click the "Adult Registration Form" link.

For more information, please contact Corinn Taylor at 803-545-3109 or email cetaylor@columbiasc.net.



THE 36TH ANNUAL CITY OF COLUMBIA VETERANS DAY PARADE

The 36th Annual City of Columbia Veterans Day Parade will be held on Tuesday, November 11, 2014 at 11 a.m. The parade will begin from the intersection of Sumter and Laurel street and travel southbound on Sumter street ending at Pendleton Street near the State House. The City of Columbia will be honoring those who have served and those serving now.



The Veterans Day Parade is hosted by City of Columbia Parks and Recreation and Blue Cross and Blue Shield of South Carolina.

For more information, please call Kim Mitchell at 803-545-3100 or visit www.columbiasc.net.



COUNCILMAN CAMERON RUNYAN TO HOST OPEN HOUSE



City Councilman Cameron Runyan will host his October Open House on Monday, October 27, 2014 from 5-7 p.m. at Martin Luther King Jr. Park, 2300 Greene Street

For more information or to schedule an appointment, please call 803-545-3061.

PARK OF THE WEEK: PINEHURST PARK

Pinehurst Park features a baseball diamond, basketball courts, a gymnasium, and a playground area and spray pool. The Metro Gators assist Pinehurst staff with athletic programs including football and basketball.

The community center hosts several programs during the week including an after-school program, chess and spades games, metal detecting for youth and bingo. The center also includes a game room and computer room. If you want to exercise, there's plenty of room outside on the walking track. You also can get fit by participating in one of the Zumba classes held on Tuesday and Thursday from 6 to 7 p.m.



The community center also hosts Girl Power, a mentoring program designed to inspire, motivate, educate and encourage girls between the ages of 4 and 15. The program, which helps build confidence and leadership skills, is held on the second and fourth Saturday of each month from 1:30 to 3 p.m.

For more information about Pinehurst programs and how to volunteer, please call 803-733-8449.

PET OF THE WEEK: MEET PATCHES ! (ID A208265)



Patches is a full-grown, loving and well-behaved Feist mix. She is perfect for someone with an easy-going lifestyle. Patches is spayed and microchipped. Come visit her today to see if she's the pet for you!

All of our pets need loving homes! To view other animals available for adoption, visit Petfinder.com. Please refer to the ID number listed above when visiting the website.

PET TIP

Pets should be given more food during colder seasons to keep warm when they exercise heavily outdoors.

Make Your Hometown Your Destination This Weekend

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 23RD

SC SMALL BUSINESS MEET UP OCTOBER: WEBSITES



Join us for our monthly after-work networking meet up, meet with local business owners and learn how to effectively use your website to promote your business and attract new clients. The event is free for members. Food will be available for purchase from M Vista. Space is limited.

Location: The Vista Ballroom – 717 Lady St.

Time: 6 p.m.

Admission: Free for members- register online

Phone: 803-252-5733

Website: <http://scsbc.org/join-us/>

JUNIE B. JONES: THE PLAY

Have you read the book? Now you can see the play! This play is based off the book by Barbara Park. Come out to the Koger center and see your favorite first grader.

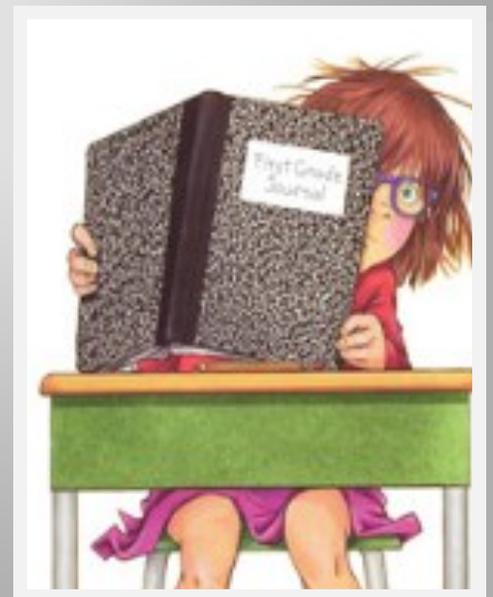
Location: The Koger Center – 1051 Greene St.

Time: 9:45 a.m. AND 11:45 a.m.

Admission: \$8

Phone: 803-777-7500

Website: <http://www.classicproductions.org/junie.htm>

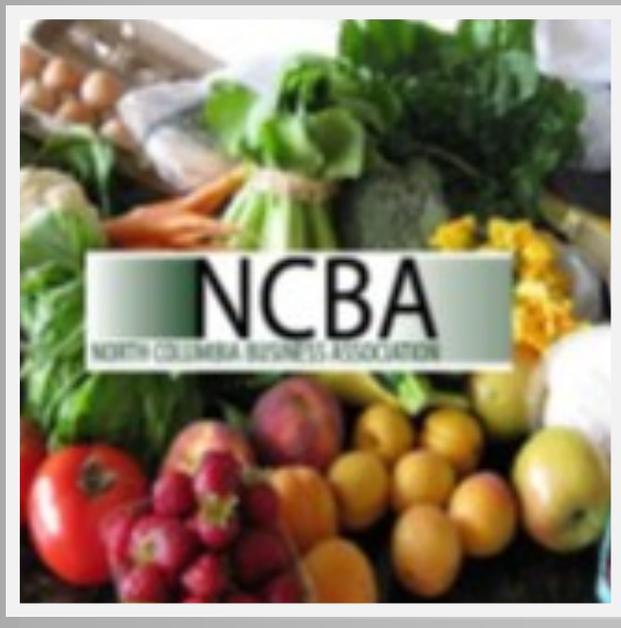


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FRIDAY, OCTOBER 24TH

NORTH COLUMBIA FOOD PARK



The North Columbia Food Park is a community farmer's market that aims to provide the citizens of North Columbia and surrounding access to fresh fruits, plants and vegetables. Simply put, it is a "Fun Place to have a Healthy, Good Time!"

Location: 2720 North Main Street

Time: 4:00 – 8:00 p.m.

Cost: Free Entry (cost of produce vary based on vendor)

Website: foodparkofcolumbia.com

Phone: 803-556-5428

CEPHALICUS: A HEAD OF INDECISION

Cephalicus is an exhibition of paintings by USC Alum Dan Smith. The human face has been a favorite subject Smith has examined utilizing a wide variety of styles and subjects during his artistic career. His McMaster's exhibit includes large acrylic paintings incorporating a variety of iconic portraits. Integrated into this exhibition are montage-based labels that integrate Smith's verse with T.S. Elliot's "The Love Song of Alfred P. Prufrock".



Location: McMaster Gallery – 1615 Senate St.

Time: Monday –Friday 9 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.

Admission: FREE Phone: 803-777-7480

Website: http://artsandsciences.sc.edu/art/mcmaster_gallery

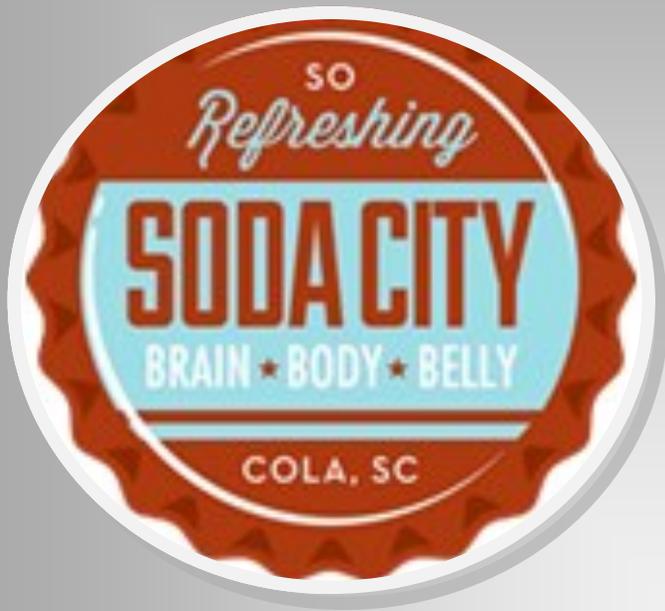


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SATURDAY, OCTOBER 25TH

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!

Location: 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)

Phone: 803-269-3241

Website: Sodacitysc.com

SPOOKTACULAR NIGHT AT CMA



Come have a ghoulishly good time at the fourth annual “Spooktacular” family fun event. As darkness falls, the Museum transforms with ghosts, bats, pumpkins, art stations, sweet treats, and more! Make sure to wear your costume as you embark on a spooky gallery tour. Visit the Mad Scientist’s Laboratory as he conducts some exciting experiments. And at the stroke of 7:00, enjoy a performance by the band Lunch Money.

Location: Columbia Museum of Art – 1515 Main St.

Time: 5 p.m. – 9 p.m.

Admission: FREE – with canned good donation to Harvest Hope Food Bank

Phone: (803) 799-2810

Website: <http://www.columbiamuseum.org/events/calendar>



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SUNDAY, OCTOBER 26TH

4-D THEATER: ICE AGE DAWN OF THE DINOSAURS



Our favorite sub-zero heroes, Manny, Ellie and Diego venture into a mysterious underground world after Sid the Sloth stumbles across three abandoned eggs and decides to raise them as his own. Once the eggs hatch, the adventure begins in the lost world of the dinosaurs!

Location: South Carolina State Museum – 301 Gervais St.

Time: 12:30 p.m., 2:30 p.m., and 4:30 p.m.

Admission: Adults 13-61: \$8.95, Seniors 62 and over: \$7.95, Children 3-12: \$6.95, Infants 2 and under: FREE

Phone: 803-898-4921

Website: <http://scmuseum.org>

FREE SUNDAYS AT COLUMBIA MUSEUM OF ART

Enjoy the Columbia Museum of Art every Sunday for free. This discount is not valid for special ticketed events.

Location: Columbia Museum of Art – 1515 Main St.

Time: Noon – 5 p.m.

Admission: FREE on Sundays

Phone: 803-799-2810

Website: <https://www.columbiamuseum.org/>



Save the Date:

The Charles R. Drew Wellness Center

2101 Walker Solomon Way Columbia, SC 29204

www.drewwellnesscenter.com

803-545-3200



FREE to the public!

Cooking Healthy for the Holidays

When: November 10 at 5:30-6:30PM

Where: Charles R. Drew Wellness Center

Join us and Registered Dietitian, Ashley Raash from DHEC's Office of Public Health Nutrition, as we get the holiday season started by learning about cooking healthier meals in this fun, interactive class! During this cooking demonstration you'll help prepare and sample a fun, healthy dish that you can add to your holiday table.



For more information or to register call 545-3200 or visit the Member Services Desk at the Drew Wellness Center.



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Save the Date:



City of Columbia's
**"SPOOKTACULAR"
BLOCK PARTY**
OCT. 31st
TAYLOR STREET
(Beside Finlay Park)
7PM - 10PM

Food Trucks | Carnival Games (prices vary) | Exhibitors

Entertainment	Tunnel of Terror	Other Attractions
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Costume Contest• Jugglers• Dancers• Acrobatics• Stilt Walker• Mimes• & More!	<p>Gates Open at 6:30P</p> <p>Recommended for Ages 12 and Up</p> <p>\$3 per person</p> <p>Entrance on Lady St.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Health & Safety Zone• Interactive Inflatables• Face Painting• Marshmallow Roasting• Pumpkin Patch• & Much More !

 **Don't be Blah!
Help the Needy!** **\$1 off ticket prices (Tunnel, Games & Inflatables) per person
with the donation of 3 non-perishable food items**

For more information, call 803-545-3100 or email kcmitchell@columbiasc.net.



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Meetings

COUNCIL MEETING DATE	TYPE OF MEETING	DEADLINES FOR AGENDA ITEMS
October 21	WORK SESSION / COUNCIL MEETING	-
November 18	WORK SESSION/ COUNCIL MEETING	November 4



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