



BEAUFORT, SC
REGIONAL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Fall 2016 Calendar of Events

October

1 Shrimp Festival

8:00 am Run Forrest Run 5k Race begins
8:45 am Popcorn Shrimp Run for ages 7 and under begins
11:00 am- 5:00 p.m. Festivities continue with live music all day at the Pavilion Stage by Broke Locals, The Bull Grapes, and Steel Rail Express. Local restaurants will put their unique spins on fresh local shrimp, available to all attendees, and will compete for the "Best Shrimp Dish" and "Best Booth Decoration."

5 Business for Breakfast: New Overtime Rule

8:00-9:30 a.m.
Hilton Garden Inn, 1500 Queen Street, Beaufort
Join us for breakfast and to hear HR Consultant Diedri Garrett of WebsterRogers present on the New Overtime Rule taking effect on December 1, 2016. \$10 for Chamber Members; \$20 for Guests. To register, visit beaufortchamber.org or call (843)525-8500.

7 First Friday After Five

5:00 – 6:00 p.m.
Join our downtown merchants the first Friday of each month. Many merchants stay open until 8:00 p.m. Refreshments offered. Live street music. Stay for dinner in one of our downtown restaurants.

11 Tourism Advisory Committee

8:30 – 9:30 a.m.
Arsenal Conference Room, 713 Craven Street, Beaufort

13 Business After Hours

5:30 – 7:00 p.m.
Hosted by: Kinghorn Insurance, 910 Carteret Street, Beaufort. FREE for Members; \$5 for Guests.

18 USCB Candidates Forum

6:00 p.m.
USCB Performing Arts Center, 805 Carteret Street, Beaufort. We invite you to come and learn more about the candidates running for local offices! The Chamber is non-partisan- we focus on issues and do not endorse any specific candidates.

20 Economic Workforce Development Committee

8:30 – 9:30 a.m.
Chamber Offices, 701 Craven Street, Beaufort

21 Coffee with Colleagues

8:30 – 9:30 a.m.
Hosted by: Great Clips, 330 Robert Smalls Parkway, Beaufort. Free Networking opportunity for members. Bring your business cards!

27 Trick or Treat Night in Downtown Beaufort

4:30-6:00 p.m.
Trick-or-treaters are invited to don their Halloween costumes and bring their treat bags for the annual Trick-or-Treat in Downtown Beaufort. Kids can visit more than 65 stores and businesses along Bay Street, West Street, Scott Street, Carteret Street, and beyond for "treats." This fun Beaufort tradition is free and open to the public!

29 Art Walk

5:00-7:30 p.m.
Visit more than a dozen galleries in downtown Beaufort featuring varied styles and mediums of art for all tastes and desires. Refreshments offered.

November

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8 Election Day

Don't forget to get out and vote! Polls open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

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10 Business After Hours

5:30 – 7:00 p.m.
Hosted by: Summit Place, 1119 Pick Pocket Plantation Drive, Beaufort. FREE for Members; \$5 for Guests.

11 Veterans Day

Chamber Offices Closed

17 Economic Workforce Development Committee

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18 Coffee with Colleagues

8:30 – 9:30 a.m.
Hosted by: Lotus Boutique, 1440 Ribaut Road, Port Royal. Free Networking opportunity for members. Bring your business cards!

24 Thanksgiving Day

Chamber Offices Closed

(November, continued)

25 Chamber Offices Closed in Observance of Thanksgiving

26 Small Business Saturday

10:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.

Come support our local businesses by “shopping small” in Downtown Beaufort!

December

1 Board of Directors Meeting

4:00-5:00 p.m.

Chamber Offices, 701 Craven Street

2 A Night On The Town

6:00-9:00 p.m.

Downtown Beaufort businesses will stay open late for your holiday shopping pleasure! Bay Street will be closed off to traffic. Entertainment by local choirs, dance groups, and clubs. Tree lighting with Santa Claus!

3 Light Up The Night

5:30-8:00 p.m.

Join us in Downtown Waterfront Park as we celebrate another festive holiday season and the magical display of decorated boats ambling up the Beaufort River in the Light Up The Night Boat Parade. Bring the family to watch the enchanted display of boats and enjoy cookies & cocoa.

4 Christmas Parade

3:00 p.m.

Join us for the annual Beaufort Christmas Parade featuring floats, bands, and decorated cars and trucks. Deadline for parade entries is Nov. 18th. Visit mainstreetbeaufort.com to register.

8 Business After Hours

5:30 – 7:00 p.m.

Hosted by: Lowcountry Produce, 302 Carteret Street, Beaufort. FREE for Members; \$5 for Guests.

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16 Coffee with Colleagues

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Hosted by: TBA. Free Networking opportunity for members. Bring your business cards!

23 Chamber Offices Closed in Observance of Christmas

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Thanks you for your Support**

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Welcome to our New Members

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| Alliance Consulting Engineers, Inc | Great Clips | Pluff Mudd Coffee Company |
| Ashley Rhodes Event Designs | Lagniappe Lowcountry | Ribaut One Stop |
| Association of Mature American Citizens | LK Advantage Property Solutions LLC | Sprenger Health Care of Port Royal |
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