



February Calendar



Tuesday, Feb. 2

Experience the Tommy Dorsey Orchestra

An extraordinary musician during the Big Band Era of music, Tommy Dorsey was known for his perfection when it came to his music. Hear what the culmination of his talented song-making produced fifty years after his death. The Tommy Dorsey Orchestra is led by the talented Buddy Morrow and seeks to set the Naval Aviation Museum aflame with their talent and tunes "for the kids" beginning at 7 and ending at 9 p.m.. Whether you are a youth in age or spirit, expect to have a blast... from the past! Call 850-452-3604 or go online at <http://www.naval-air.org> for more details.

Wednesday, Feb. 3

Listen to Storytime: "The Mitten"

Storytime begins anew this year at the Barnes & Noble at 11 a.m. in the reading of "The Mitten" by Jan Brett. This warm hearted romp details how a lost mitten tries to house the animals of the forest ranging from a mouse to a huge bear. Intricate illustrations capture the imagination and hearts of children. After the fun with the story, make a mitten of your own design filled with pocket sized creatures to take home and cherish. For more information call 850-969-9564.

Saturday, Feb. 6

Watch Ed Asner as FDR at the Mattie Kelly Arts Center
Veteran stage and screen actor Ed Asner will perform in the national tour of the solo performance drama, "FDR", at the Mattie Kelly Arts Center in Niceville at 7:30 p.m. FDR is based upon Dore Schary's Broadway hit "Sunrise at Campobello" and explores the life of one of America's best-loved presidents and the events and decisions that shaped a nation. Recently he was the voice of "Carl Fredricksen" in Disney Pixar's animated movie "Up". Mr. Asner's New York City Theatre credits include

Ivanov, The Tempest, Face of a Hero, King Henry V, and Born Yesterday. For more information, contact the Mattie Kelly Arts Center Box Office at 850-729-6000 or go online to www.mattiekellyartscenter.org. The center is located on the Niceville campus of Northwest Florida State College at 100 College Blvd.

Watch as Dr. Bethune is Portrayed at Pensacola Junior College

Just in time for Black History Month, Dr. Bethune's life will be put on display as her accomplishments and life will be presented in a theatre setting. The African American Heritage Society will present Ersula Knox Odom as an actor portraying the good Doctor. Go back in time to 1954 and meet the founder of Bethune-Cookman College. Beginning at 7 p.m. at the Hagler Auditorium at PJC in Pensacola, come ready for a show. For more information call 850-469-1456.

Tuesday, Feb. 9

"Sweet Tea, Southern Cooking" Free Cooking Classes

Fourth annual series of cooking symposiums to preserve the art and tradition of fine Southern cooking: one recipe at a time. The Fish House and Atlas chefs will teach classes, demonstrate traditional Southern cooking methods and suggest ways to modernize each recipe without losing its Southern roots. Classes are limited to first come, first served. The title of the event is "Give Me Some Sugar" and details how to cook something sweet for your sweetheart this Valentine's Day at the Fish House on 6 p.m. For more information call 850-748-9001 or visit <http://www.goodgrits.com/free-cooking-classes-fish-house-fourth-annual-sweet-tea-southern-cooking-series>.

Enjoy the Snowbird Discount Day

To celebrate the arrival of our Northern visitors, the Museum will offer a variety of special deals and discounts including savings on the Top

Gun Air Combat Flight Simulator, IMAX tickets, the Cubi Bar Cafe and, the Flight Deck Store. Starts at 9 a.m. until 5 p.m. at the Naval Aviation Museum, come enjoy a day of history with a wide array of planes and other naval exhibits on display at the museum. For more information call 850-452-3604 or visit online at <http://www.naval-air.org>.

Friday, Feb. 12

Visit the Women Build 'Fun'draising Friday at Howl at the Moon

Come enjoy a fabulous evening of entertainment and fun while helping raise funds for the Women Build Project. Howl at the Moon offers a unique and exciting production of Dueling Piano and a Rock and Roll Show. Habitat will receive 100% of the proceeds from all pre-sold tickets for our evening of fun on the Island. Doors open at 7 p.m., show starts at 8 p.m. For more information call 850-315-0025.

Saturday, Feb. 13

Pensacola POPS! A Tribute to the Beatles

Join the Pensacola Symphony as we welcome the Classical Mystery Tour at the Saenger Theatre at 8 p.m. They will be performing hits of the Beatles in a concert that is sure to be a smash hit with the populace. For details concerning the event go online at <http://www.pensacolasymphony.com> or call 850-435-2300.

Help Hands Across the Sand

Have a negative opinion on the oil drilling to be conducted in the Gulf of Mexico? Come and support the others who seek to drive out the drilling at 12 p.m. For more information, please visit www.handsacrossthesand.com or call 850-837-6241.

Attend the Village of Baytowne Wharf Mardi Gras Kick-Off Party

This musical gumbo has electrified and entertained audiences world wide. Make



Do you have the best chili? Find out this month.

plans to be in the Village! You don't want to miss out! Begins at 6 p.m. at the Sandestin Golf and Beach Resort at Destin. For more information call 850-837-6241.

Participate in the 20th Annual Chili Competition

Put a team together and be part of this fun local event at the Santa Rosa Mall where

contestants will be selling competition chili to the general public for 50 cents. Takes place at the mall in Ft. Walton Beach. Let the public decide who the winner of the best chili in the area shall be. Interested? Sign up your team today! E-mail: events@united-way.org. Call 850-837-6241 for more details about the contest.

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