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## fun-raisers Charitable Events

October 1-November 9  
Horry County  
**Angel of Hope Gift Drive**

Make this season a happy one for a child in foster care during Fostering Hope's annual Angel of Hope Christmas Gift Drive. Last year this effort provided gifts for every child in Horry County's foster-care system.  
**Fostering Hope, 1001 Second Ave., Conway. (843)254-8168, [www.fosteringhopeinc.com](http://www.fosteringhopeinc.com)**

October 3  
Summerville  
**Scrumptious Summerville Kitchen Tour**

Benefiting Children In Crisis, Inc., this culinary tour allows guests to visit ten homes, cottages, and gardens in historic downtown Summerville and sample fare created by some of the Lowcountry's favorite chefs.  
**Downtown Summerville. Sunday, 1-5pm. \$50. (843)875-1551, [www.scrumptioussummerville.com](http://www.scrumptioussummerville.com)**

October 12  
Myrtle Beach  
**Taste of the Town**

Sample specialty food items from more than fifty area restaurants at this kid friendly event to raise funds for St. Andrew Catholic School. Don't miss this grand culinary and social event.  
**Myrtle Beach Convention Center, 2101 N. Oak St. Tuesday, 4-10pm. \$5-\$6. (843)448-6062, [www.tasteofthetownmb.com](http://www.tasteofthetownmb.com)**

October 23  
Pawleys Island  
**Pawleys Island Tour of Homes**

See everything from Civil War summer homes to contemporary dwellings in this annual home tour on Pawleys Island to benefit Habitat for Humanity

of Georgetown County. Free transportation is provided to and on the island.  
**Parking at Pawleys Island Presbyterian Church, 9967 Ocean Highway. Saturday, 10am-4pm. \$25-\$30. (843)546-5685, [www.habitatgeorgetown.com](http://www.habitatgeorgetown.com)**



**October 24  
Couture for the Cure**

See the latest in bridal couture collections while enjoying high tea at this fundraiser to benefit Brides Against Breast Cancer. Come in your Sunday best and enjoy two fashion shows presented by The Little White Dress, creating a "Wedding Wonderland" on the runway.


**Pine Lakes Country Club, 5603 Granddaddy Dr., Myrtle Beach. Sunday, 3-5pm. \$35. (843)449-4940, [www.bridesagainstbreastcancer.org](http://www.bridesagainstbreastcancer.org)**

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October 25  
*Murrells Inlet*  
**Waccamaw Community Hospital  
Charity Golf Tournament**  
Since its inception, this annual golf event has raised funds for significant programs at the Waccamaw Community Hospital, including the Broslow-Luten color coding system for children, breast health navigator, and Healthy Learners program. The day includes a putting challenge with a TaylorMade representative and an awards luncheon.  
**International Club, 1560 International Club Blvd. Monday, 8am registration, 10am shotgun start. \$125-\$500. (843)651-6843, www.georgetownhospitalsystem.org**

October 30  
*Myrtle Beach*  
**Celebrate Our Rivers**  
Spend an evening communing with the fishes at Ripley's Aquarium and benefit the Waccamaw Riverkeeper Program, an effort to protect water quality, habitat, and recreational opportunities provided by local rivers. This event features food, libations, and a silent auction at a fitting venue.  
**Ripley's Aquarium, 1110 Celebrity Circle. Saturday, 5:30-9:30pm. \$50-\$90. (843)349-4007, www.winyahivers.org**

November 3-7  
*Myrtle Beach*  
**Jack Monroe Beach Ride**  
Enjoy the longest beach horseback ride on the East Coast and the only equestrian event nationwide held by the American Heart Association in this fundraiser to support research and education efforts. This five-day event draws more than 1,500 riders and their families to the area.  
**Lakewood Camping Resort, 5901 S. Kings Hwy. Wednesday-Sunday, times vary. \$100-\$150 per rider. (843)282-2911, www.ahabeachride.org**

November 6  
*Myrtle Beach*  
**Strides for Autism**  
Lace up your sneakers for this 5K walk and family event to benefit the South Carolina Autism Society. This day will help to increase awareness, encourage advocacy, and raise funds for the South Carolina Autism Society.  
**The Market Common, 1150 Farrow**

**Parkway. Saturday, 9am. Walkers raise donations. (800)438-4790, www.scautism.org/strides**

November 13  
*Myrtle Beach*  
**Memory Walk**  
Take part in one of the largest events to raise awareness and funds for Alzheimer's care, support, and research: the Memory Walk. In addition to walking the walk, participants can create multi-hued memory flags in honor or memory of those affected by Alzheimer's disease.  
**Broadway at the Beach, 1325 Celebrity Circle. Saturday, 10am. Walkers raise donations. (800)860-1444, www.alz.org**

November 16  
*Myrtle Beach*  
**Bag Ladies Luncheon**  
Bid on nearly 100 handbags in a silent auction to benefit the Myrtle Beach Art Museum. This sixth-annual event will also feature a fashion show by Victoria's Ragpatch and a luncheon.  
**Marina Inn, 8121 Amalfi Place. Tuesday, 11am-1pm. \$35-\$40. (843)238-2510, www.myrtlebeachartmuseum.org**

November 26  
*Conway*  
**Remember the Time...**  
Help mark the tenth anniversary of the nonprofit Ultimate Gullah with a day of traditional arts and crafts. The event will feature a tool sharpener, soap maker, basket weavers, homemade honey and syrup, food, and live music. Bring your tools in need of sharpening and don't miss this celebration of times past.  
**Ultimate Gullah, 1601 Horry St. Friday, 10am-8pm. Free. (843)488-4885, www.ultimategullah.com**

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## cultural affairs

Visual Arts, Literary, & Enlightening Events

Through January 9, 2011  
 Myrtle Beach  
**Treelee MacAnn**

A professor of art at Coastal Carolina University since 1990, Treelee MacAnn teaches what she loves to do herself—printmaking, drawing, and design. With a strong background in traditional graphic arts and photography, it will surely be a treat to see this educator's work.

**The Franklin G. Burroughs-Simeon B. Chapin Art Museum, 3100 S. Ocean Blvd. Tuesday-**

**Saturday, 10am-4pm; Sunday 1-4pm. Free. (843)238-2510, www.myrtlebeachartmuseum.org**

October 12, 2010-January 9, 2011  
 Myrtle Beach

**Alex Powers: A Retrospective**

Using gouache, charcoal, pastel, and collage on illustration board, Alex Powers's loose realism combines an emphasis on drawing with an awareness of the art of our times. This exhibit

features a retrospective of this nationally recognized artist, teacher, and juror. Over the years, Powers's style has evolved into personal, content-dominated imagery, dealing with issues such as human origins, religion, philosophy, and economic inequality. Don't miss this exhibit and a rare opportunity to hear from the artist himself.

**The Franklin G. Burroughs-Simeon B. Chapin Art Museum, 3100 S. Ocean Blvd. Tuesday-Saturday, 10am-4pm; Sunday 1-4pm. Free. (843)238-2510, www.myrtlebeachartmuseum.org**

October 21-November 26

Conway  
**Uncanny**

This exhibition explores the Freudian concept of the "uncanny" as manifested in the work of four contemporary sculptors: Lasse Antonsen, Cal Lane, Susannah Strong, and Jen Raimondi. A reception is planned for October 28, 4:30 to 6:30 p.m.

**Coastal Carolina University, 642 Century Circle. Monday-Friday, 9am-5pm. Free. (843)349-2502, www.coastal.edu/culturalarts**

October 22-24

Myrtle Beach

**South Carolina Writers Conference**

Featuring keynote speaker and bestselling novelist Joshilyn Jackson, and a host of authors, agents, and editors, this is the place for writers aspiring to publish. The event features workshops, critique sessions, and the chance to pitch work to an editor or agent.

**Hilton Myrtle Beach Resort, 10000 Beach Club Dr. Friday, 8am-8:30pm; Saturday, 9am-8pm; Sunday, 8am-12:15pm. \$50-\$425. (706)564-7998, www.myscww.org**

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Through October 31  
**National Sculpture Society Seventy-Seventh Annual Awards Exhibition**

This juried show includes the work of prominent sculptors from across the country—fifteen of them award-winning—and will be on display in the Noble and Jennewein Galleries. During the course of the exhibit, visitors will be able to vote for their favorite sculptures to win Brookgreen Gardens' People's Choice Award.

**Brookgreen Gardens, 1931 Brookgreen Gardens Dr., Murrells Inlet. Monday-Sunday, 9:30am-5pm. Free. (843)235-6000, www.brookgreen.org**

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**October 24**  
**Murrells Inlet**  
**Public Sculpture Demonstration**  
 Master Sculptor, Simon Kogan, will give a public sculpture demonstration in the Campbell Center Studio. Kogan, who was born in Russia, studied under one of that country's renowned sculptors, Isaac Brodsky. He is a teacher, and his recent major works include *Cezanne* for the Granet Museum, Aix-en-Provence, France, and a Holocaust Memorial for Temple Beth Shalom in Spokane, Washington.  
**Brookgreen Gardens, 1931 Brookgreen Dr. Sunday, 3pm. Free with garden admission. (843)235-6000, www.brookgreen.org**

**November 13-14**  
**Myrtle Beach**  
**Art in the Park**  
 Under the tents of more than sixty national, regional, and local artists you can peruse and purchase everything from metalworks and photography to fabric art. Presented by the Waccamaw Arts and Crafts Guild, this open-air gallery offers art lovers the chance to chat with the artists to learn about their inspiration.  
**Valor Park, 1120 Farrow Parkway. Saturday-Sunday, 10am-4pm. Free. (843)446-7471, www.wacg.org**

**November 13 & 27**  
**Myrtle Beach**  
**KidsArt**  
 Exploring a different theme inspired by the museum's current exhibition or the season, children ages five to twelve can unleash their

creativity through a variety of arts and crafts with instructor Lori Seckinger.  
**The Franklin G. Burroughs-Simeon B. Chapin Art Museum, 3100 S. Ocean Blvd. Saturday, 1-2:30pm. Free for members, \$5 for non-members. (843)238-2510, www.myrtlebeachartmuseum.org**

**November 16**  
**Conway**  
**Reporter**  
*Reporter* is a film exploration of two desperate crises: the current state of American journalism as reflected through the work of Nicholas Kristof, one of its best (and last?) reporters, and the urgent crisis in the Congo, news of which can only reach the public if journalists like Kristof continue to do what they do best. This film is part of the Southern Circuit Tour of Independent Filmmakers and a meet-and-greet with filmmaker Eric Metzgar will follow the screening.  
**Coastal Carolina University, 642 Century Circle. Tuesday, 7:30pm. \$5. (843)349-2502, www.coastal.edu/culturalarts**

**December 2-11**  
**Conway**  
**Portfolios**  
 Survey the work of talented young artists in this exhibit featuring graduating students in the Department of Visual Arts. An opening reception is scheduled for December 2, 4:30 to 6:30 p.m.  
**Coastal Carolina University, 642 Century Circle. Monday-Friday, 9am-5pm; Saturday, noon-4pm. Free. (843)349-2502, www.coastal.edu/culturalarts**

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*October 26*  
**Children of Invention**

Part of the Southern Circuit Tour of Independent Filmmakers, this film follows hardworking single mom and recent Boston transplant Elaine as she tries desperately to support her young children, Raymond and Tina. Based on *Windowbreaker*, Tze Chun's award-winning short film screened at the 2007 Sundance Film Festival, *Children of Invention* is a drama about the influence of an adult world on children, the immigrant mentality, and shortcuts to the American dream. A meet-and-greet with the filmmaker will follow the screening.

**Coastal Carolina University, 642 Century Circle, Conway. Tuesday, 7:30pm. \$5. (843)349-2502, www.coastal.edu/culturalarts**

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October 8  
Conway

### Emotional Spectrum

Green with envy? Feeling blue? Discover the shades of life through Dancewordz's theatrical ballet, *Emotional Spectrum*, which promises to take you on a roller coaster ride, from deep melancholy to the blissful heights of unconditional love.  
Coastal Carolina University, 642 Century Circle. Friday, 7:30pm. \$5-\$15. (843)349-2502, [www.coastal.edu/culturalarts](http://www.coastal.edu/culturalarts)

October 8  
Myrtle Beach

### Gaither Fest

This gospel-music event presented by Bill and Gloria Gaither features The Gaither Vocal Band, Ernie Haase and Signature Sound, Jeff and Sheri Easter, The Isaacs, The Collingsworth Family, Karen Peck and New River, and more.  
Myrtle Beach Convention Center, 2101 N. Oak St. Friday, 7pm. \$90. (800)515-1330, [www.gaither.com](http://www.gaither.com)

October 13-31  
Conway

### Into the Woods

What begins as a lively, irreverent fantasy in the style of the film *The Princess Bride* becomes a moving lesson about community, responsibility, and the stories we tell our children.  
Theatre of the Republic, 337 Main St. Wednesday-Saturday, 8pm; Sunday, 3pm. \$18-\$22. (843)488-0821, [www.theatreoftherepublic.com](http://www.theatreoftherepublic.com)

October 16  
Myrtle Beach

### Tim Conway & Friends

Hardworking comedian, six-time Emmy winner, and veteran of *The Carol Burnett Show*, Tim Conway comes to town bringing with him family-friendly comedy. Along for the ride are friends Louise DuArt, "The Woman of a Hundred Voices," and Chuck McCann, who appeared in *The Puppet Hotel* and *The Great Bombo's Magic Cartoon Circus* in the 1960s, along with a host of movies and television shows.  
Alabama Theatre, 4750 Highway 17 S. Saturday, 7pm. \$50-\$64. (843)272-1111, [www.alabama-theatre.com](http://www.alabama-theatre.com)

October 22-31  
Murrells Inlet

### Lost in Yonkers

Set during World War II, this play focusing on the importance of family, survival, and acceptance was especially timely when it was published just as the United States was entering the Gulf War in 1991. Considered to be Neil Simon's best work, this Pulitzer Prize-winning dramedy will have you in turns laughing and thinking.  
Murrells Inlet Community Theatre, 4450 Murrells Inlet Rd. Friday, 8pm; Saturday, 2 & 8pm; Sunday, 2pm. \$10. (843)651-4152, [www.mictheatre.com](http://www.mictheatre.com)

October 23  
Myrtle Beach

### The Oak Ridge Boys

Starting out as a gospel quartet in 1973, this enduring group is known for its smash hits "Elvira" and "Bobbie Sue." Following the release of their new album, *The Boys Are Back*, The Oak Ridge Boys are hitting the road and proving they are evolving with a collection of songs that explores blues, country, gospel, and rock.  
Alabama Theatre, 4750 Highway 17 S. Saturday, 7pm. \$41-\$54. (843)272-1111, [www.alabama-theatre.com](http://www.alabama-theatre.com)

October 26-November 14  
Georgetown

### Broadway's Best

The Swamp Fox Players present their must-see season finale with this production featuring twenty-three songs from nineteen of your favorite Broadway shows. If you're a fan of musicals and Broadway, don't miss *Broadway's Best*.  
Strand Theatre, 710 Front St. Friday-Saturday, 8pm; Sunday, 2:30pm. \$18. (843)527-2924, [www.swampfoxplayers.com](http://www.swampfoxplayers.com)

October 31  
Conway

### Ghost Voices & Other Songs from the Grave

The voice students of Professor Jeffrey Jones celebrate Halloween with songs about ghosts and ghouls. The program's focus will be the Southeast premiere of Karl Schindler's *Ghost Voices: Songs from a Cemetery*, based on the poetry of Edgar Lee Masters. Get into the spirit of the haunting holiday with ghoulish music. Costumes are welcome and encouraged!  
Coastal Carolina University, 642 Century Circle. Sunday, 3pm. Free with ticket. (843)349-2502, [www.coastal.edu/culturalarts](http://www.coastal.edu/culturalarts)

November 1, 2010-January 2, 2011  
Myrtle Beach

### Christmas on Ice

From the creators of the international smash-hit show *Spirit of the Dance* comes a new show featuring former winter Olympic skaters, the best high kicking dancers this side of New York, and beloved Christmas songs sung by veterans of Broadway and London's West End. This show will have you singing all of the holiday favorites, from "Jingle Bells" to "O Holy Night."

Palace Theatre, 1420 Celebrity Circle. Monday-Saturday, 8pm. \$10-\$30. (800)905-4228, [www.palacetheatremyrtlebeach.com](http://www.palacetheatremyrtlebeach.com)

November 4  
Conway

### Borenya West African Drum and Dance

Borenya West African Drum and Dance exemplifies the artistic integrity of West African musical arts. Bringing the music and dance of Africa to people of all ages, Borenya shares its knowledge and mastery of these ancient and

beautiful traditions.

Coastal Carolina University, 642 Century Circle. Thursday, 7:30pm. \$5-\$20. (843)349-2502, [www.coastal.edu/culturalarts](http://www.coastal.edu/culturalarts)

November 14  
Myrtle Beach

### Carolina Beach Music Awards

From performers and writers to radio personalities and dancers, this annual award show honors those who have helped make beach music great. The event also exists to keep the music alive by encouraging a younger generation to get

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### November 2, 2010-January 1, 2011 The South's Grandest Christmas Show

Celebrate the holidays with the Alabama Theatre's award-winning production, *The South's Grandest Christmas Show*. This year's extravaganza combines traditional Christmas classics and contemporary holiday favorites along with comedy, courtesy of Ricky Mokel.

Alabama Theatre, 4750 Highway 17 S., Myrtle Beach. Monday-Saturday, times vary. \$40-\$50. (843)272-1111, [www.alabama-theatre.com](http://www.alabama-theatre.com)

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**Sunday, 3pm. \$40-\$57. (843)272-1111,**  
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**November 15**  
*Conway*  
**Jazz After Hours**

Performed by Coastal Carolina University's own Big Band, this program features a variety of jazz songs ranging from traditional big-band tunes to

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*November 7*  
**Symphonic Blockbusters**

Enjoy symphonic masterpieces containing some of the most recognizable melodies in the repertoire, from the brilliantly majestic opening of the Tchaikovsky *Piano Concerto* to the noble energy of the Brahms *Symphony No. 4* (part of which was transcribed and performed by rock group Yes) in this performance featuring guest artist Gleb Ivanov on piano. Don't miss the chance to learn about these pieces in a pre-concert lecture with conductor Dr. Charles Jones Evans at 3:15 p.m.

**Myrtle Beach High School Music and Arts Center, 3302 Grissom Parkway.**  
**Sunday, 4pm. \$10-\$45. (843)448-8379, www.longbaysymphony.com**

contemporary arrangements.  
**Coastal Carolina University, 642 Century Circle. Monday, 7:30pm. \$3-\$9. (843)349-2502, www.coastal.edu/culturalarts**

**November 26-December 19**  
*Myrtle Beach*  
**Frank Sinatra Christmas Show**

Celebrate the holidays with Frank Sinatra in this tribute to "Old Blue Eyes," featuring his signature tunes and swingin' Christmas hits.  
**Palace Theatre, 1420 Celebrity Circle. Wednesday-Saturday, 8:30pm. \$30. (800)905-4228, www.palacetheatremyrtlebeach.com**

**December 1**  
*Myrtle Beach*  
**Eleventh Annual Holiday Concert**

Coastal Carolina University's Department of Music presents the first of its annual Community Concert Series. This concert of holiday and seasonal favorites features the university's Symphonic Band as well as the Concert and Chamber Choirs.  
**First Presbyterian Church, 3810 Robert Grissom Pkwy. Wednesday, 7:30pm. Free. (843)349-2502, www.coastal.edu/culturalarts**

**December 3-4**  
*Conway*  
**A Christmas to Remember**

Coastal Carolina University Dance Company presents its spectacular original holiday production, *A Christmas to Remember*. Conceived and written by members of the company, this performance will combine traditional classics with contemporary holiday favorites.  
**Coastal Carolina University, 642 Century Circle. Friday-Saturday, 7:30pm. \$3. (843)349-2502, www.coastal.edu/culturalarts**

**December 4**  
*Conway*  
**Gospel Choir Seasonal Concert**

A celebration of joyous and heartfelt seasonal music, this annual performance is a community favorite that features the harmony of the Coastal Carolina University Inspirational Ambassadors.  
**Coastal Carolina University, 642 Century Circle. Saturday, 4:30pm. Free with ticket. (843)349-2502, www.coastal.edu/culturalarts**

**December 4-5**  
*North Myrtle Beach*  
**Two Christmas Choral Classics**  
 The Long Bay Symphony Chamber Orchestra, combined choirs of First Presbyterian and First United Methodist Churches of Myrtle Beach, and outstanding vocal soloists present a pair of seasonal works: Saint-Saëns's contemplative *Christmas Oratorio* and Part I of Handel's *Messiah*.  
**Saturday: Our Lady Star of the Sea Church, 1100 8th Ave. N., 7:30pm. Sunday: First Presbyterian Church, 1300 N. Kings Hwy., 4pm. \$10-\$45. (843)448-8379, www.longbaysymphony.com**

**December 5**  
*Myrtle Beach*  
**Eddie Miles—An Elvis Christmas**  
 Experience Elvis's unique take on classic holiday favorites with this entertainer who both looks and sounds like The King.  
**Alabama Theatre, 4750 Highway 17 S. Sunday, 7pm. \$23-\$30. (843)272-1111, www.alabama-theatre.com**

**December 8-19**  
*Conway*  
**Holiday on Main Street—'Tis the Season**  
 Delighting audiences since its creation in 2002, this original holiday story celebrates the love that only Christmas can bring.  
**Theatre of the Republic, 337 Main St. Wednesday-Saturday, 8pm; Sunday, 3pm. \$18-\$22. (843)488-0821, www.theatreoftherepublic.com**

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October 8-10

*Myrtle Beach*

### Broadway at the Beach Fall Festival

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**Broadway at the Beach, 1325 Celebrity Circle. Friday-Sunday, call for time and**

**cost. (800)386-4662,**

**[www.broadwayatthebeach.com](http://www.broadwayatthebeach.com)**

October 9-10

*Little River*

### Little River Shrimp and Jazz Festival

The Sixth Annual Shrimp and Jazz Festival is held in Little River on its scenic waterfront.

Don't miss live jazz music ranging from the North Myrtle Beach Youth Orchestra to the Kat

Daniels Band, as well as arts and crafts vendors, and of course the famous Shrimp Cook-Off! Come fill your ears and stomachs with the delicious sounds and tastes of Little River.

**Historic waterfront. Saturday, 10am-10pm; Sunday, noon-6pm. Free. (843)249-6604, [www.littleriverchamber.org](http://www.littleriverchamber.org)**

October 16

*Loris*

### Thirty-first Annual Loris Bog-Off Festival

An event for all ages, this festival offers more than 200 vendors of crafts, nonprofits, food, and retail. Roam through the booths while listening to live music and vote for your favorite in the Chicken Bog Cooking Contest. Make it an all-day family affair with a large children's pavilion, a parade, and finally with fireworks.

**Main Street. Saturday, 9am-11pm. Free. (843)756-6030, [www.lorischambersc.com](http://www.lorischambersc.com)**

October 16

*Georgetown*

### Wooden Boat Show

Wander along the riverfront boardwalk and historic Front Street, admiring nearly 100 classic wooden boats on display. This year's event includes a boat-building competition, children's model boat building, wooden-boat exhibit, and much more. A variety of wooden boats will be displayed, ranging from boats 100 years and older to surfboards, sailboats, and canoes. The money raised at this show will aid the construction of the Harbor Historical Association's Maritime Museum.

**Front Street. Saturday, 11am-6pm. Free, \$100 boat-building competition. [www.woodenboatshow.com](http://www.woodenboatshow.com)**

October 16-17

*Murrells Inlet*

### Harvest Home Weekend

Visit Brookgreen Gardens for the annual Harvest Home Weekend festival and enjoy the season. With a scarecrow-building contest,

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### October 27-31 Terror Under the Bridge

For thrills and chills, be sure to stop by this haunted attraction in Conway. Once a slaughterhouse built in the 1890s, the Lower River Warehouse is thought to be truly haunted and has been voted a top haunt along the Grand Strand. Muster up as much courage as you can and see how brave you really are!

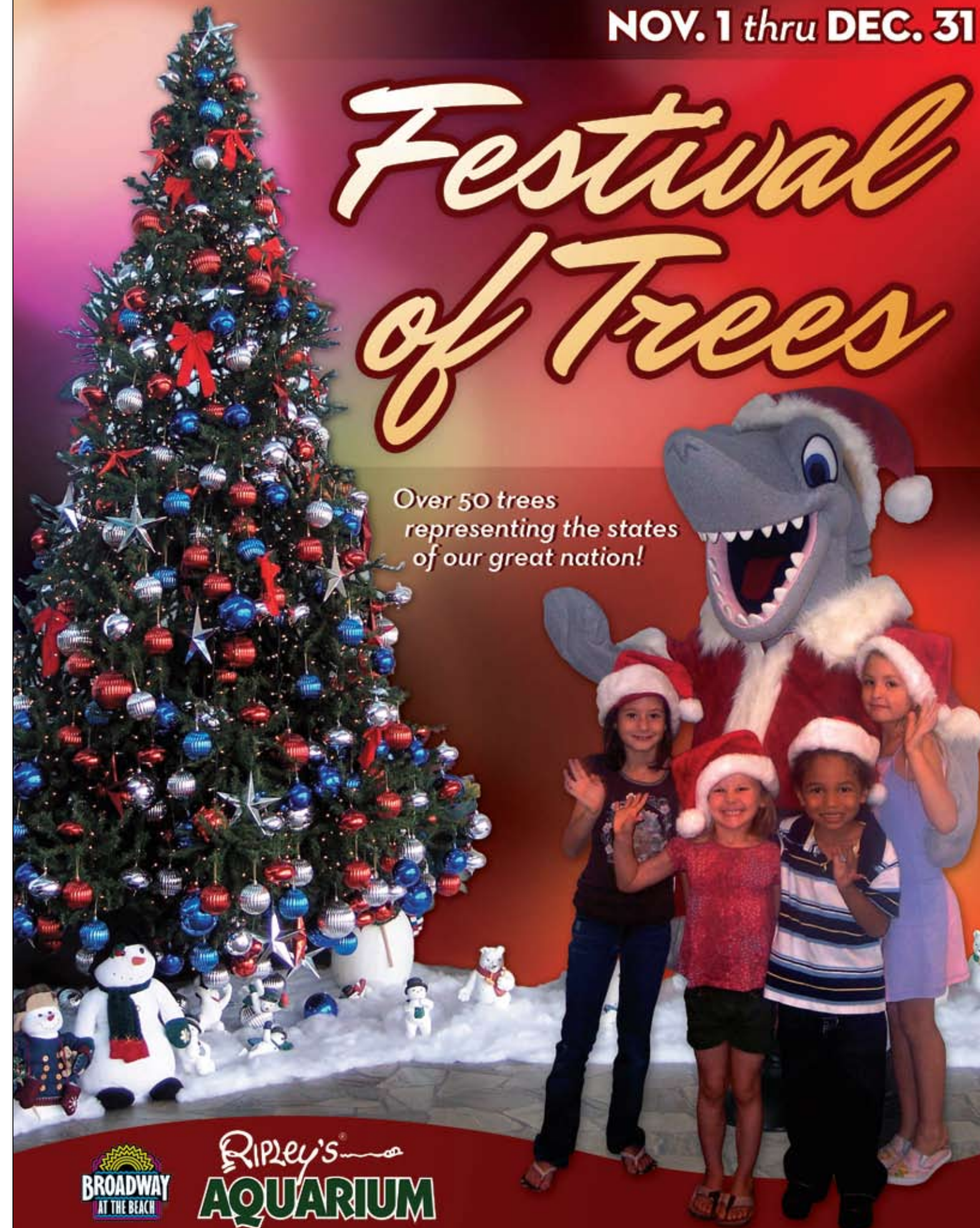
**Lower River Warehouse, under Main St. Bridge, Conway. Wednesday-Thursday, 7-11pm; Friday-Sunday, 7pm-midnight. \$10. (843)283-9229, [www.terrorunderthebridge.com](http://www.terrorunderthebridge.com)**

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**Brookgreen Gardens, 1931 Brookgreen Dr. Saturday-Sunday, 9:30am-4:30pm. Free for members, \$6-\$12. (843)235-6000, www.brookgreen.org**

October 21-31  
*Myrtle Beach*

**Holiday Harvest**

South Carolina community pride and the depth of South Carolina's agricultural industry will be showcased at Broadway at the Beach for two consecutive weekends. For the Second Annual Holiday Harvest, a hay maze, farmers market, pumpkin pyramid, a beer garden, and even South Carolina-made wines can be found

throughout the boardwalk.  
**Broadway at the Beach, 1325 Celebrity Circle. Free. (866)553-4508, www.holidayharvest.com**

October 23-24  
*Myrtle Beach*  
**Inaugural Myrtle Beach Mini Marathon, Coastal 5K, & High-Heel Run**

Go for a run along Myrtle Beach's most beautiful sea- and cityscapes during the Mini Marathon or Coastal 5K. If you are looking for a good laugh for a good cause, see how balanced you are by running in the High-Heel Run, or take your dog for a jog in the Doggie Dash. Make certain to stick around following these events on both Saturday and Sunday for a post-

race party at Margaritaville!  
**Marina Inn, 1499 Grande Dunes Blvd. Coastal 5K: Saturday, 7:30 am. \$25-\$30. High-Heel Run: Saturday, 8:30am. \$15-\$20. Doggie Dash: Saturday, 8:45am. \$15-\$20. Intersection of Fantasy Way and Harbor Lights Drive. Half marathon: Sunday, 7am. \$80-\$100. (800)733-7089, www.runmyrtlebeach.com**

October 29  
*Myrtle Beach*  
**Wee Ones Boo Bash**

For the younger monsters, the Children's Museum of South Carolina is offering a more-treats-less-tricks kind of Halloween party. Children six and under can enjoy games, exhibits, and even their own trick-or-treating bag for goodies.

**Children's Museum of South Carolina, 2501 N. Kings Hwy. Friday, 5-7pm. \$5. (843)946-9469, www.cmsckids.org**

October 30  
*North Myrtle Beach*  
**Endless Summer Festival**

Embrace the continuous warm weather and beautiful ocean views even in October with North Myrtle Beach's Endless Summer Festival. Enjoyment for all ages abounds with carnival rides, children's area, arts, crafts, and food vendors, and a classic-car show. At noon, grab your lawn chairs and sit in the Horseshoe to listen to live music!

**Main Street. Saturday, 10am-4pm. Free. (843)281-2662, www.nmbevents.com**

November 6  
*Loris*  
**Fish & Grits Festival**

Cedar Branch Community Empowerment Center will once again host the Fish & Grits Festival in Loris. Families and friends are welcome to enjoy horse and hay rides, karate demonstrations, arts, crafts, and food vendors, a car and bike show, as well as performances by local step teams, praise dancers and mimes, gospel choirs, and more.

**Cedar Branch Community Empowerment Center, 756 Cedar Branch Rd. Saturday, 10am-4pm. Free. (843)716-0210, www.cedarbranchempowerment.com**

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November 6  
**Free Family Day—Dia de los Muertos**

Marking the eighth year celebrating Dia de Los Muertos at the Myrtle Beach Art Museum, this Mexican tradition gives visitors a way to connect with the culture of our neighbors. Used as a way to memorialize those family members and friends who have passed on, Dia de los Muertos includes a variety of arts, food, and other crafts. At this festivity, visitors can watch and participate in crafts workshops to make masks, *papel picado*, and the famous sugar skulls. Artist's altars, a main way that the Mexican culture celebrates the lives of those who are gone, will also be displayed. Traditional Mexican dancing, a live Mariachi band, and even a piñata will be present at this event.

**The Franklin G. Burroughs-Simeon B. Chapin Art Museum, 3100 S. Ocean Blvd., Myrtle Beach. Saturday, 11am-3pm. Free. (843)238-2510, www.myrtlebeachartmuseum.org**

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**November 11-14**  
*Myrtle Beach*  
**Dickens Christmas Show and Festival**

Take a trip back in time to nineteenth-century London at Christmas during this Charles Dickens-style festival featuring snow-covered streets lined with vendors of arts and crafts, toys, food, and more. The Dickens Christmas Show and Festival transports you into a time of joy in preparation of the holiday season.

**Myrtle Beach Convention Center, 2101 N. Oak St. Thursday-Saturday, 9am-6pm; Sunday, noon-6pm. \$4-\$12. (843)448-9483, [www.dickenschristmasshow.com](http://www.dickenschristmasshow.com)**

**November 25**  
*Myrtle Beach*  
**Grand Strand Turkey Trot**

For the fourth year in a row, Myrtle Beach residents and visitors can run off those mashed potatoes and turkey before lunch at the Grand Strand Turkey Trot. Thanksgiving morning, you can participate in an 8K run, 5K fitness run/walk, one-mile Fun Run, or 50-yard Tot Trot for those tiny runners ages six and under. Get some exercise in with the family to celebrate this holiday of thanks.

**The Market Common, 1150 Farrow Parkway. Thursday, start times 8:30-10:15am. \$20-\$38. (843)712-2618, [www.mbturkeytrot.com](http://www.mbturkeytrot.com)**

**November 25-27**  
*Myrtle Beach*  
**Forty-first Annual South Carolina State Bluegrass Festival**

As a celebration of the great music of bluegrass, Myrtle Beach will host the South Carolina State Bluegrass Festival for its forty-first year. More than twenty bands will perform over the course of the three-day festival at the Myrtle Beach Convention Center. Chairs will be provided and parking is free.

**Myrtle Beach Convention Center, 2101 N. Oak St. Thursday-Saturday, times vary. \$20-\$95. (843)918-1225, [www.aandabluegrass.com](http://www.aandabluegrass.com)**

**November 27**  
*North Myrtle Beach*  
**Intracoastal Christmas Regatta**

As per tradition, the Saturday following Thanksgiving marks the annual Intracoastal

Christmas Regatta, starting in Little River Inlet at 5 p.m. and traveling to Dock Holidays Marina by 7 p.m. Whether you enter your boat in the parade or simply come to watch the wonderful spectacle along the waterway, remember to bring an unwrapped toy so that every child may have a gift to open on Christmas.

**Little River Inlet. Saturday, 5-7pm. Free, please bring an unwrapped toy donation. (843)249-8888, [www.christmasregatta.com](http://www.christmasregatta.com)**

**December 3-18**  
*Murrells Inlet*  
**Nights of a Thousand Candles**

Spend a night out among the marvelously illuminated candles throughout Brookgreen Gardens. While strolling through candle-lit garden paths, you can be serenaded by carolers and performing musicians, transforming an already gorgeous garden into a magical night of breathtaking beauty.

**Brookgreen Gardens, 1931 Brookgreen Dr. Friday-Saturday, 3-10pm. \$4-\$10. (843)235-6021, [www.brookgreen.org](http://www.brookgreen.org)**

**December 5**  
*Murrells Inlet*  
**Murrells Inlet Christmas Parade**

No matter your age, everyone's inner child will come out as the annual Christmas parade marches down Business 17. Finishing at Morse Landing Park, parade-goers will witness the tree lighting, and, as snow falls, see Santa arrive. The feeling of the holiday season will fill your ears and warm your heart as the sound of choirs resound throughout the park and the bonfire heats up.

**Willcox Ave. and Business 17. Sunday, 3pm. (843)357-2007, [www.murrellsinletsc.com](http://www.murrellsinletsc.com)**

**December 11**  
*Surfside Beach*  
**Surfside Beach Christmas Parade**

Greet the season with this annual celebration featuring high school marching bands, car clubs, Shriners, fire trucks, floats, and, of course, Santa.

**Surfside Dr. and Ocean Blvd. Saturday, 2pm. Free. (843)650-9548, [www.surfsidebeach.org](http://www.surfsidebeach.org)**

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