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Mathews Market Days returns this year on Sept. 9 and 10, the Friday and Saturday after Labor Day. The past two festivals were canceled due to the COVID-19 pandemic. At the 2019 festival, Mathews Line Dancers Phyllis Hudgins, Cheri Stone, Carol Swartz, Larry Stone and Luz Thompson, from left, performed for nearly an hour in the heat and humidity.

Mathews Market Days returns Sept. 9-10

After a two-year hiatus because of the COVID-19 pandemic, Mathews Market Days is back.

The festival, a Mathews tradition since 1975, will be held on Friday and Saturday, Sept. 9 and 10, on and around

the Historic Court Green at Church and Court streets and Brickbat Road.

Market Days Committee chair Morgan Hudgins has issued an invitation for arts and crafts, food, and information vendors to submit their appli-

cations, available at mathewsmarketdays.org.

Applications must be mailed by July 1, along with payment, according to the website. Vendor applications postmarked after the July 1 deadline will require a \$25 late fee.

Those interested in volunteering with the Market Days Committee should visit mathewsmarketdays.org/contact and send a message or write Mathews Market Days, PO Box 295, Mathews, Va. 23109-0295.

Anthem LemonAid fundraiser benefits CHKD

The Anthem LemonAid annual fundraiser is back, with in-person lemonade stands to sweeten the summer. Virtual fundraising pages are also available to ramp up the effort to help kids with cancer at Children's Hospital of The King's Daughters.

Hampton Roads area families, businesses and community organizations are invited

to host a stand, participate virtually or a combination of the two during the event which will be held July 22-24. Visit AnthemLemonAid.com to register for free.

The King's Daughters, the founding organization of Children's Hospital of The King's Daughters, has teamed up with Anthem Blue Cross and Blue Shield in Virginia for this

campaign to raise awareness and funds for the fight against childhood cancer at CHKD.

Participants who want in-person stands will receive a free LemonAid kit that includes lemonade mix, cups, a pitcher, a banner and stickers.

Share your virtual fundraising page, as well as photos and videos from your LemonAid stand, with friends and

family, and encourage them to "Squeeze the Day" as they put the squeeze on childhood cancer, a release stated.

Anthem LemonAid has helped raise more than \$1 million over the years to fight cancer in children in Hampton Roads.



THURSDAYS
7 to 9:30 PM
(no concert July 7)

June 2
THE UPTOWN BAND

June 9
THE MAIN EVENT BAND

June 16
ANOTHER LEVEL

June 23
CAT5 BAND

June 30
THE ORIGINAL RHONDELS

July 14
THE DELOREANS

July 21
TIDEWATER DRIVE BAND

July 28
THE ADRIAN DUKE PROJECT

August 4
BAND OF OZ

August 11
SLAPNATION

EVENT WEATHER HOTLINE: 757.890.3520
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JUNE
2022

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Arts on Main

Event Sponsors

Sculpture Walk
- Sentara

Paint Main
- Main Street Preservation Trust

Cocktails in the Garden
- TCV Trust & Wealth Management

Brews & Brine
- Ionic Design Studios - Eugene Thompson

Plein Air Reception
- Ann P. Stokes Landscape Architects

A Night Off-Broadway
- Martin, Ingles & Hensley, Ltd.

Meet the Artists Dinner
- Margaret & John Singleton, Lawyers

Village Arts Day Music Sponsor
- Dovetail Construction

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Best in Show
- Patten, Wornom, Hatten & Diamondstein

Artist's Choice
- Theresa Hupp

2nd Place
- Baldwin Advisory

3rd Place
- Brent & Becky's Bulbs

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Don't just save the date... save the month of June!

GLOUCESTER



FESTIVAL

From murals and sculptures to the new **Studio Tour** with Gloucester's own artists and artisans, to the premier **Plein Air Invitational** of the Middle Peninsula and the Virginia Symphony Orchestra's **Under the Stars Concert**, this year's festival will be more exciting than ever! Throughout the month, guests can watch as Plein Air artists from across the country paint the **Heart of the River** collection; Meet the Artists during the **Brews & Brine** event at historic Timberneck Farm and at historic Abingdon Church for **Cocktails in the Garden** and a bluegrass concert with Chris Jones and the Night Drivers; and our newest event **Village Arts Day** - which features a full day of performances and a bespoke Artisan Market. There is something for everyone during June at the Gloucester Arts Festival!!

Calendar of Events

June 4th & 5th ~ 10am - 5pm

Heart of the River Open Studio Tour. Visit studios, meet artists, and gain insight into their vision and techniques. **Free**

June 4th ~ 6 - 9pm

A Night Off Broadway. Three one-act plays brought to you by three unique troupes that are sure to excite! **Ticketed event \$10**

June 11th ~ 8 - 10pm

Virginia Symphony Orchestra concert. Expected to draw over 2,000 people to the Gloucester Village for an evening of great food and music. **Free**

June 11th ~ 10 - 12pm

Art Workshop with Anne Yoncha. Join Anne as she demonstrates and teaches you to create and paint with dyes made from natural materials. **Free**

June 14th ~ Jun 18th

During one very exciting week in June, artists from all over the country will be competing in the **Plein Air Invitational**. **Free**

June 14th ~ 5 - 8pm

Brews & Brine. Enjoy oysters and beer while watching the artists paint the historic surroundings of Timberneck Farm on their canvases. **Ticketed event \$20pp**

June 15th (Tentative)

Sculpture Walk. Globally renowned artist Adrian Landon will present the four new sculptures on Main Street, including the kinetic sculpture "The Mechanical Horse". **Free**

June 15th ~ 9am - 11am

Beaverdam Park. Watch the artists paint a local treasure, the nature and trails and lake of Beaverdam. **Free**

June 16th ~ 4:30 - 6:30pm

Cocktails in the Garden. Sip on handcrafted specialty cocktails and watch internationally known artists paint the grounds of historic Abingdon Episcopal Church. **Ticketed event \$75pp**

June 16th ~ 7 - 8:30pm

Bluegrass Concert. Join us for a music-filled evening at Historic Abingdon Church. **Free**

June 18th ~ 10am - 12pm

Paint Main. See Plein Air and community artists from the community create new paintings in this fast-paced painting event! **Free**

June 18th ~ 5:30 - 9pm

Plein Air Gala. Mingle with the Plein Air artists while nibbling on heavy hors d'oeuvres and sparkling wine. Peruse all the paintings from the week and select your favorite! **Ticketed event \$100pp**

June 25th ~ 10am - 5pm

Village Arts Day. Includes live performances with music, dancing, and Artisan Market. There will be food trucks and creative opportunities for the entire family. **Free**

June 25th ~ 4 - 6pm

Last Chance Reception at Arts on Main. Paintings will be available for purchase for the last time. **Free**

www.gloucesterartsfestival.com

Tickets are available for purchase on our website. To purchase by check, please mail to: The Cook Foundation, P.O. Box 1383, Gloucester, VA 23061 (Phone: 804.824.9401)