

The Key to the South

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News and Announcements

June 2025

JUNE 1, 2025

The **VCVB Visitor Information Center** is located at 52 Old Hwy 27 off Clay St., directly across from the Vicksburg National Military Park.

Visitor Center Hours:

Mon.-Sat.: 10:00 am – 4:00 pm Sun: 1:00 pm – 4:00 pm

VCVB Executive Offices are located at 1619 Walnut St. Mon.-Fri.: 8:00 am – 5:00 pm

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Miss Mississippi Pageant June 14, 2025 8:00 pm at the Vicksburg Convention Center, 1600 Dr. Briggs Hopson Blvd.

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6/4 Viking
6/4 American Serenade
6/8 American Splendor
6/8 American Heritage
6/9 Viking
6/13 American Heritage
6/18 Viking
6/19 American Serenade
6/22 American Heritage
6/27 American Heritage

- **Jun. 1: Sunday Brunch at the Watermark.** This event will begin at 11:00 am at the Watermark Vicksburg, 1415 Washington St. For more information, call 601-317-0243.
- **Jun. 2-4: All Rise Summer Day Camp.** Enjoy a camp where the youth will be introduced to concepts of law, justice, and leadership. This camp is available for students from 7th-12th grade. For more information, email melanies@co.warren.ms.us.
- **Jun. 2-6; 9-13; 16-20; 23-27: Southern Exposure Summer Camp.** This camp will be from 8:00 am until 5:00 pm at the Southern Cultural Heritage Foundation, 1302 Adams St. This camp is available for children aged 4-11. The registration fee for each week is \$125 per child or \$115 for two or more children. This price includes all materials needed and daily snack. Children are asked to bring their own lunch. Kids will experience music, art, gardening, games, and more. For more information and to register, call 601-631-2997.
- **Jun. 6-8: Grease.** This event will begin at 7:30 pm on Friday and Saturday and 4:00 pm on Sunday at the Strand Theatre, 717 Clay St. Enjoy this classic movie. Tickets are available in advance at 61 North Coffee House and at the door. For more information, call 601-529-7252.
- **Jun. 7: Vicksburg Farmers Market.** This event will be from 8:00 am until 12:00 pm at the Farmers' Market Lot on the corner of Jackson and Washington Street. Music will be by The Goodins and there will also be a scavenger hunt. This is a Mississippi Certified Farmers' Market. For more information, call 601-634-4527 or visit www.vicksburgfarmersmarket.org.
- **Jun. 7: Household Hazardous Waste Collection Day.** This event will be from 8:00 am until 2:00 pm. This event will be rain or shine at 2415 Sherman Ave. For more information, call 601-634-8073.
- Jun. 7: Summer Chef Series- Kick Off Event. This event begins at 2:00 pm at the Catfish Row Museum, 913 Washington St. Enjoy guest speakers Andrew P. Haley and Danielle Sypher Haley. For more information, info@catfishrowmuseum.org.
- **Jun. 7: Klondyke's Crawfish Bash.** This event will begin at 7:30 pm at Klondyke's, 100 Washington St. \$10 entry fee. Enjoy live music, crawfish, hamburgers, and more.
- **Jun. 8-13: Junior Summer Camp at Tara Wildlife.** This camp begins at 4:00 pm Tara Wildlife, 6791 Eagle Lake Shore Rd. This camp is for 8- and 9-year-olds and introduces them to the great outdoors. Campers learn how to canoe, fish, woodsmanship and more. For more information or to register, call 601-279-4261.
- **Jun. 9-13: Vacation Bible School.** This event begins at 8:30 am at Woodlawn Baptist Church, 2310 Culkin Rd. This camp is available for children in kindergarten through 6th grade. Come join for crafts, games, snacks, and learning about God's love. For more information call 601-636-5320.

Recurring Events:

Trivia Night at Ameristar: June 5, 12, 19, 26

Line Dance Practice at SCHF: June 2, 9, 16, 23, 30

Toddler Tuesday Storytime at the Public Library: June 3, 10, 17, 24

Trivia Night at Key City Brewery: June 3, 10, 17, 24

Stitching Event at the Library: June 3, 10, 17, 24

Salsa and Bachata at the SCHF: June 4, 11, 18, 25

Children's Storytime at the Public Library: June 4, 11, 18, 25 **Jun. 9: Miss Mississippi Parade.** The Miss Mississippi Parade, sponsored by the Vicksburg Main Street Program, will be at 7:00 pm in the historic downtown. The parade runs along Washington Street, featuring the local contestants and their princes or princesses, production members, and other special guests of the Pageant. For more information, call 601-634-4527 or visit www.downtownvicksburg.org.

Jun. 9: Miss Mississippi Autograph Party. The event will be following the parade at The Mulberry, 1311 Mulberry Street. Come meet and get an autograph from the Miss Mississippi Contestants. For more information, call 601-301-2500.

Jun. 9-13: Softball Camp. This camp will be from 9:00 am until 12:00 pm, at the St. Aloysius Softball Field, Bazinsky Rd. The cost is \$100 per child and available for kids K-6th grade. For more information, call 601-636-2256.

Jun. 10: Princess Camp. This event will be from 9:00 am until 12:00 pm at River Haven, 1208 Washington St. Enjoy crafts and snacks. Bring a lunch and wear your princess attire. The cost is \$30 per child. For more information, call 601-456-0462.

Jun. 11: Miss Mississippi Autograph Party. This event will begin at 10:00 am at Kirk Chevrolet, 2339 N Frontage Rd. For more information call 601-638-6746.

Jun. 11: Family Bowling Night. This event will begin at 6:00 pm at Fun Lanes Bowling Center, 3505 Pemberton Square Blvd. The cost is \$15, and food and drinks are included. For more information, call Bovina Baptist Church Children's Department at 601-636-0682.

Jun. 11-13: Miss Mississippi Preliminary Competition. The competition will begin at 7:00 pm at the Vicksburg Convention Center, 1600 Dr. Briggs Hopson Blvd. Tickets for all nights are \$155. For more information and to purchase tickets to the pageant, visit www.miss-mississippi.com or call 601-638-6746.

Jun. 12: Miss Mississippi Autograph Party. The event is at 10:00 am at the shops of Downtown Vicksburg, Washington St. For more information call 601-301-2500.

Jun. 14: Vicksburg Farmers Market. This event will be from 8:00 am until 12:00 pm at the Farmers' Market Lot on the corner of Jackson and Washington Street. Music will be by Silk & Steel and the theme will celebrate 250th birthday of the U.S. Army. This is a Mississippi Certified Farmers' Market. For more information, call 601-634-4527 or visit www.vicksburgfarmersmarket.org.

Jun. 14: Juneteenth Freedom Festival. This event will begin at 10:00 am at 130 Halls Ferry Park. Come join to celebrate the day of freedom of African Americans. Bring lawn chairs and stay hydrated. For more information, call 662-719-2087.

Jun 14: Self Care Saturday. This event will begin at 12:00 pm at Glowe Apothecary, 1314 Washington St. Come shop homemade soaps, lotions, candles and more. For more information, call 601-435-6645.

LIVE MUSIC

Thursday, June 5:

The Watermark: 6:00 pm. Key City: Jam Session 7:00 pm.

Friday, June 6:

Beechwood: TBD. 6:00 pm.
Key City: Zach Hatton. 7:00 pm.
The Watermark: Howl & The
Big Bad Wolves. 7:00 pm.
Ameristar Casino: The Dirt
Deacons. 8:00 pm.
Waterview Casino. Ted &
Danny. 8:00 pm

Saturday, June 7:

Beechwood: TBD. 6:00 pm Key City: Saltines 7:00 pm Ameristar Casino: The Chill. 8:00 pm.

Waterview Casino. Ted & Danny. 8:00 pm

Thursday, June 12:

Key City: Karley Nichols. 7:00 pm.

Friday, June 13:

Beechwood: TBD. 6:00 pm. **Key City:** Makeshift Tapedeck. 7:00 pm.

Waterview Casino: DJ Too Tall. 8:00 pm.

Saturday, June 14:

Beechwood: TBD. 6:00 pm. Key City: Brint Anderson. 7:00

Waterview Casino: DJ Too

Tall. 8:00 pm.

Ameristar: Jason Miller Band. 8:00 pm.

Thursday, June 19:

Key City: Jam Session. 7:00 pm.

Friday, June 20:

Beechwood: TBD. 6:00 pm. **Key City:** Trey Gallman. 7:00

The Watermark: Snazz. 7:00 pm.

Waterview Casino: DJ Boss Lady. 8:00 pm.

Ameristar Casino: 3HG. 8:00 pm.

Saturday, June 21:

Beechwood: TBD. 6:00 pm. Key City: Simpatico. 7:00 pm. Waterview Casino: J'Wonn Live. & DJ Boss Lady. 8:00 pm. Ameristar: Hairicane. 8:00 pm.

Thursday, June 26:

Key City: Naked Sunday. 7:00 pm.

Jun. 14: Second Saturday. This event will begin at 1:00 pm in downtown Vicksburg. Enjoy local musicians, merchants, vendors and entertainment. For more information, call 601-636-1012.

Jun. 14: Greek Line Dance Party. The event is from 6:00 pm – 9:00 pm at the Southern Cultural Heritage Center Auditorium, 1302 Adams Street. For more information call 601-631-2997.

Jun. 14: Miss Mississippi Pageant. The competition will begin at 8:00 pm at the Vicksburg Convention Center, 1600 Dr. Briggs Hopson Blvd. Come see who will be crowned Miss Mississippi 2025. For more information and to purchase tickets to the pageant, visit www.miss-mississippi.com or call 601-638-6746.

Jun. 15: Sunday Brunch at the Watermark. This event will begin at 11:00 am at the Watermark Vicksburg, 1415 Washington St. For more information, call 601-317-0243.

June 15-20: Advanced & Archery Camp. This camp is at Tara Wildlife, 6791 Eagle Lake Shore Rd. For more information or to register, call 601-279-4261.

Jun. 16-19: Art Camp at VCS. This camp will be from 9:00 am until 12:00 pm at St. Francis, 1200 Hayes St. in the SFXE Art Room. The camp is for grades K-6th. There are 20 spots available, and the cost is \$125 per child. For more information, call 601-636-4824.

Jun. 16-19: Volleyball Camp. This event will be from 9:00 am until 11:00 am at St. Aloysius Gym, 1900 Grove St. The cost is \$100 per person and for kids 1st through 6th grade. For more information, call 601-636-2256.

Jun. 16-19: Football Camp. This event will be from 9:00 am until 11:00 am at Farrell Stadium, 1900 Grove St. The cost is \$100 per person and available for kids' 1st through 6th grade. For more information, call 601-636-2256.

Jun. 18: Bon Appetit Wine Dinner. This event will begin at 6:00 pm at the Inn at Cedar Grove, 2200 Oak Street. Come and join for a French inspired wine dinner. For more information and to make a reservation, call 601-636-1000.

Jun. 19: Juneteenth: Faith and Freedom. This event begins at 12:00 pm and 6:00 pm at the Strand Theatre, 717 Clay Street. Celebrate Juneteenth by attending a free screening of this film showcasing the spiritual roots of this holiday. For more information, call 601-529-7252.

Jun. 21: Vicksburg Farmers Market. This event will be from 8:00 am until 12:00 pm at the Farmers' Market Lot on the corner of Jackson and Washington Street. Music will be by Shelby Anderson and the theme will celebrate pollinator week. This is a Mississippi Certified Farmers' Market. For more information, call 601-634-4527 or visit www.vicksburgfarmersmarket.org.

Jun. 21: Vibe & Dine by the River. This event will be from 4:00 pm until 9:00 pm at Washington Street Park, 1007 Washington St. Enjoy food, music, vibes, and community. For more information, call 601-618-8870.

Friday, June 27:

Beechwood: TBD. 6:00 pm. **Key City:** Clayton Maza. 7:00

The Watermark: Patchwork.

7:00 pm.

Waterview Casino: Anissa "BIG SEXXY" Hampton. 8:00 pm.

Ameristar Casino: Mike Rob & the 601 Band. 8:00 pm.

Saturday, June 28:

Beechwood: TBD. 6:00 pm. **Key City:** Maggie Brown. 7:00 pm.

Waterview Casino: Anissa "BIG SEXXY" Hampton. 8:00 pm.

Ameristar Casino: ZZKZ: A ZZ top tribute. 8:00 pm.

Listen to the Team Vicksburg calendar of events Radio SHOW AT 8:00 AM on WEDNESDAYS

The show is replayed at 9:00 am on Newstalk 1490 AM & FM 107.7 or at newstalk 1490.net

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Jun. 21: Star-Spangled Night Run. This event will begin at 8:00 pm. The 5K Run/Walk starts and finishes at the Southern Cultural Heritage Center on Crawford Street in front of the auditorium. Block party starts at 6:00 pm, and the race begins at 8:00 pm. No headphones, rollerblades, bicycles or animals allowed on the course. Register online at www.raceroster.com. For more information, call 601-631-2997.

Jun. 22-28: Tara Wildlife Camp II. This camp is at Tara Wildlife, 6791 Eagle Lake Shore Rd. For more information or to register, call 601-279-4261.

Jun. 23-25: Baseball Camp. The time for this camp is 9:00 am, and is located at the St. Aloysius Baseball Field, Bazinsky Rd. The cost is \$100 per child and is available for 1st through 6th grade. For more information, call 601-636-2256.

Jun. 25: Chamber Monthly Luncheon. This event will begin at 12:00 pm at the Vicksburg Convention Center, 1600 Briggs Hopson Blvd. The keynote speaker will be the newly crowned Miss Mississippi. For more information and to register, call 601-636-1012.

Jun. 26-28: BLUEY Mini Camp. The Camp starting time is at Warner-Tully. For information and reservations, email melanie@vicksburgymca.com or call 601-638-1071.

Jun. 28: Vicksburg Farmers Market. This event will be from 8:00 am until 12:00 pm at the Farmers' Market Lot on the corner of Jackson and Washington Street. Music will be by Ralph Miller and the theme will be the zucchini 500 race. This is a Mississippi Certified Farmers' Market. For more information, call 601-634-4527 or visit www.vicksburgfarmersmarket.org.

Jun. 28: Paroled at Vicksburg Reenactment. This event will begin at 8:30 am at The Old Court House Museum, 1008 Cherry St. Join for the 160th anniversary of the end of the struggle for Southern Independence with an immersive reenactment experience. For more information, call 601-636-0741.

Jun. 29-Jul. 5: America Themed Camp. The Camp starting time is 8:00 am at Warner-Tully. For information and reservations, email melanie@vicksburgymca.com or call 601-638-1071.

Jun. 30- Jul. 3: Southern Exposure Summer Camp. This camp will be from 8:00 am until 5:00 pm at the Southern Cultural Heritage Foundation, 1302 Adams St. This camp is available for children aged 4-11. The registration fee for each week is \$125 per child or \$115 for two or more children. This price includes all materials needed and daily snack. Children are asked to bring their own lunch. Kids will experience music, art, gardening, games, and more. For more information and to register, call 601-631-2997.