

Gator By The Bay 2026

C Cajun

MAY 7 • THURSDAY

5:00pm – 9:00pm

C

Cajun Kickoff Party
Artists: Pine Leaf Boys

Sheraton's Lanai Lawn

- T** Alt/Country/Rockabilly **B** Blues **C** Cajun **O** Cooking Demo **1** Country **D** Dance Lesson
3 Gypsy Swing **H** Honky Tonk/Western Swing **R** Rockabilly **9** Swing Jazz **V** VIP Area Performance
W Western Swing **Z** Zydeco

MAY 8 • FRIDAY

4:30pm – 5:20pm	T	Bonneville 7 with Rip Carson <i>Artists: Bonneville 7 with Rip Carson</i>	Bourbon Street Stage
4:30pm – 5:20pm	9	Honey Bees <i>Artists: Honey Bees</i>	Bayou Grove Stage
4:30pm – 5:30pm	3	Zzymzzy Quintet <i>Artists: Zzymzzy Quintet</i>	Festival Stage
4:30pm – 5:30pm	H	TK & the Deadlist <i>Artists: TK & the Deadlist</i>	Mardi Gras Stage
5:00pm – 5:30pm	O	Jambalaya with Danielle Joseph <i>Artists: Louisiana Cajun</i>	Taste of Louisiana Cooking Stage
5:00pm – 5:45pm	D	Dance Lesson - Beginning Zydeco	Bon Temps Dance Pavilion
5:30pm – 6:00pm	V	Mitch Polzak <i>Artists: Mitch Polzak</i>	VIP Area
5:40pm – 6:40pm	W	The Beard and The Bird <i>Artists: The Beard and The Bird</i>	Bayou Grove Stage
5:40pm – 6:50pm	B	Lady Dottie and the Diamonds <i>Artists: Lady Dottie and the Diamonds</i>	Bourbon Street Stage
5:50pm – 6:50pm	Z	Zydeco Mudbugs <i>Artists: Zydeco Mudbugs</i>	Festival Stage
6:00pm – 6:30pm	O	Crawfish with Mitch Olivier <i>Artists: Crawfish Corner</i>	Taste of Louisiana Cooking Stage
6:00pm – 7:00pm	H	The Prairie Moons <i>Artists: The Prairie Moons</i>	Mardi Gras Stage
7:00pm – 7:30pm	O	Fish with Wing Lam <i>Artists: Wahoo's Fish Tacos</i>	Taste of Louisiana Cooking Stage
7:00pm – 8:00pm	B	Bill Magee <i>Artists: Bill Magee</i>	Bayou Grove Stage
7:10pm – 8:30pm	1	Farm Truck <i>Artists: Farm Truck</i>	Bourbon Street Stage
7:20pm – 8:20pm	Z	Chubby Carrier and the Bayou Swamp Band <i>Artists: Chubby Carrier</i>	Festival Stage
7:30pm – 8:30pm	W	Mitch Polzak <i>Artists: Mitch Polzak</i>	Mardi Gras Stage
8:20pm – 9:20pm	B	The Chris Fast Band <i>Artists: Chris Fast</i>	Bayou Grove Stage

8:50pm – 10:00pm	B	Casey Hensley with Anthony Cullins <i>Artists: Anthony Cullins, Casey Hensley</i>	Bourbon Street Stage
8:50pm – 10:00pm	C	Pine Leaf Boys <i>Artists: Pine Leaf Boys</i>	Festival Stage
9:00pm – 10:00pm	R	Deke Dickerson & The Bostonia Boys <i>Artists: Deke Dickerson</i>	Mardi Gras Stage

- A** Alt/Americana **M** Americana **B** Blues **C** Cajun **Y** Cajun/Zydeco **U** Cajun/Zydeco/Blues/Rock
O Cooking Demo **1** Country **2** Cumbia **D** Dance Lesson **G** Gulf Coast Sound **I** Irish Americana
K Kids' Activity **4** Latin/Cumbiabilly **5** Louisiana Cultural Presentation **N** New Orleans Brass
F New Orleans Funk **P** Parade **R** Rockabilly **6** Rockabilly/Roots Rock/Surf **S** School Music Program
8 Southern Rock — Swing/Jazz/Blues **V** VIP Area Performance **Z** Zydeco

MAY 9 • SATURDAY

TBA	M	Box Girl and the Beatniks <i>Artists: Box Girl and the Beatniks</i>	Bourbon Street Food Court
11:00am – 11:30am	U	The Bayou Brothers <i>Artists: The Bayou Brothers</i>	Bon Temps Dance Pavilion
11:00am – 8:00pm	K	The Rad Hatter Paper Hats <i>Artists: The Rad Hatter</i>	Lil Gator Kidz Zone
11:30am – 12:10pm	D	Dance Lesson - Zydeco Hips	Bon Temps Dance Pavilion
11:30am – 12:10pm	S	Crown Point Jr. Music Academy <i>Artists: Crown Point Jr. Music Academy</i>	Mardi Gras Stage
11:30am – 12:20pm	Y	Taco Gumbo <i>Artists: Taco Gumbo</i>	Festival Stage
11:30am – 12:20pm	2	Cosmic Amigo <i>Artists: Cosmic Amigo</i>	Bayou Grove Stage
11:30am – 12:20pm	6	Blame Betty <i>Artists: Blame Betty</i>	Bourbon Street Stage
12:00pm – 12:30pm	V	Robin Henkel <i>Artists: Robin Henkel</i>	VIP Area
12:00pm – 1:15pm	K	Giant Bubbles <i>Artists: Fancy Nancy</i>	Lil Gator Kidz Zone
12:10pm – 12:50pm	D	Dance Lesson - Cajun Waltz	Bon Temps Dance Pavilion
12:30pm – 1:30pm	R	Buzz Campbell <i>Artists: Buzz Campbell</i>	Mardi Gras Stage
12:40pm – 1:30pm	B	Robin Henkel <i>Artists: Robin Henkel</i>	Bayou Grove Stage
12:40pm – 1:40pm	G	Billy Lee and the Gulf Coasters <i>Artists: Billy Lee and the Gulf Coasters</i>	Bourbon Street Stage
12:40pm – 1:40pm	Z	Zydeco Mudbugs <i>Artists: Zydeco Mudbugs</i>	Festival Stage
12:50pm – 1:30pm	D	Dance Lesson - East Coast Swing	Bon Temps Dance Pavilion
1:00pm – 1:30pm	O	Jambalaya with Danielle Joseph <i>Artists: Louisiana Cajun</i>	Taste of Louisiana Cooking Stage

1:30pm – 2:00pm	K	Mardi Gras Parade <i>Artists: Stilt Walker Piper</i>	Lil Gator Kidz Zone
1:30pm – 2:00pm	P	Mardi Gras Parade <i>Artists: Chunky Hustle Brass Band</i>	Mardi Gras Stage
1:30pm – 2:00pm	V	John Németh & Johnny Vernazza	VIP Area
1:30pm – 2:10pm	D	Dance Lesson - Line Dance with LK	Bon Temps Dance Pavilion
1:50pm – 2:50pm	5	Geno Delafose with Herman Fuselier <i>Artists: Geno Delafose, Herman Fuselier</i>	Bayou Grove Stage
2:00pm – 2:30pm	O	Oysters with Adriana Guevara <i>Artists: Shellfish Affair</i>	Taste of Louisiana Cooking Stage
2:00pm – 3:00pm	B	Mercedes Moore <i>Artists: Mercedes Moore</i>	Bourbon Street Stage
2:00pm – 3:00pm	K	Face Painting <i>Artists: Hana Bananas</i>	Lil Gator Kidz Zone
2:00pm – 3:00pm	K	Games and Obstacle Course <i>Artists: Fancy Nancy</i>	Lil Gator Kidz Zone
2:00pm – 3:00pm	8	Ash Easton <i>Artists: Ash Easton</i>	Mardi Gras Stage
2:10pm – 2:50pm	D	Dance Lesson - Beginning Zydeco	Bon Temps Dance Pavilion
2:10pm – 3:10pm	Z	Okie Weiss and the Zydeco Playboys <i>Artists: Okie Weiss and the Zydeco Playboys</i>	Festival Stage
2:50pm – 3:30pm	D	Dance Lesson - New Style Zydeco: Get out of your Zyderut Part 1	Bon Temps Dance Pavilion
3:00pm – 3:30pm	O	Crawfish with Mitch Olivier <i>Artists: Crawfish Corner</i>	Taste of Louisiana Cooking Stage
3:00pm – 3:45pm	K	Be A Part of the Puppet Show <i>Artists: Fancy Nancy and Puppets</i>	Lil Gator Kidz Zone
3:10pm – 4:10pm	N	Chunky Hustle Brass Band <i>Artists: Chunky Hustle Brass Band</i>	Bayou Grove Stage
3:20pm – 4:20pm	I	Ass Pocket Whiskey Fellas <i>Artists: Ass Pocket Whiskey Fellas</i>	Bourbon Street Stage
3:30pm – 4:10pm	D	Dance Lesson - Women's Zydeco Styling	Bon Temps Dance Pavilion
3:30pm – 4:30pm	B	John Németh & Johnny Vernazza <i>Artists: John Németh, Johnny Vernazza</i>	Mardi Gras Stage
3:40pm – 4:50pm	Z	Chubby Carrier and the Bayou Swamp Band <i>Artists: Chubby Carrier</i>	Festival Stage
3:45pm – 4:30pm	K	Magic Show <i>Artists: Magician Jynx</i>	Lil Gator Kidz Zone
4:10pm – 4:50pm	D	Dance Lesson - Country 2 Step	Bon Temps Dance Pavilion
4:30pm – 5:30pm	K	Face Painting <i>Artists: Hana Bananas</i>	Lil Gator Kidz Zone
4:30pm – 5:30pm	5	Louisiana Cultural Presentation: Talk Like a Leauxcal	Bayou Grove Stage

4:40pm – 5:40pm	B	Salty Papa <i>Artists: Salty Papa</i>	Bourbon Street Stage
4:50pm – 5:30pm	D	Dance Lesson - Swingdeco	Bon Temps Dance Pavilion
5:00pm – 6:20pm	B	Sue Palmer & Her Motel Swing Orchestra <i>Artists: Sue Palmer</i>	Mardi Gras Stage
5:20pm – 6:40pm	Z	Geno Delafosse and French Rockin' Boogie <i>Artists: Geno Delafosse</i>	Festival Stage
5:50pm – 6:50pm	A	Gregory Page <i>Artists: Gregory Page</i>	Bayou Grove Stage
6:00pm – 7:10pm	B	The 44's with Kid Ramos <i>Artists: The 44s with Kid Ramos</i>	Bourbon Street Stage
6:50pm – 8:10pm	F	Jon Cleary and the Absolute Monster Gentlemen <i>Artists: Jon Cleary and the Absolute Monster Gentlemen</i>	Mardi Gras Stage
7:10pm – 8:10pm	1	Kimmi Bitter <i>Artists: Kimmi Bitter</i>	Bayou Grove Stage
7:10pm – 8:20pm	C	Pine Leaf Boys <i>Artists: Pine Leaf Boys</i>	Festival Stage
7:30pm – 8:30pm	B	Fuzzy Rankins <i>Artists: Farm Truck</i>	Bourbon Street Stage
8:30pm – 9:30pm		The Gypsy Swing Cats <i>Artists: The Gypsy Swing Cats</i>	Bayou Grove Stage
8:40pm – 10:00pm	F	Dumpstaphunk <i>Artists: Dumpstaphunk</i>	Mardi Gras Stage
8:50pm – 10:00pm	Y	Chubby Carrier hosts the Louisiana All Star Spectacular <i>Artists: Chubby Carrier</i>	Festival Stage
8:50pm – 10:00pm	4	The Sleepwalkers <i>Artists: The Sleepwalkers</i>	Bourbon Street Stage

- M** Americana **B** Blues **C** Cajun **Y** Cajun/Zydeco **U** Cajun/Zydeco/Blues/Rock **O** Cooking Demo
E Country Western Swing **D** Dance Lesson **J** Jump Blues & Rockabilly **K** Kids' Activity **L** Latin
5 Louisiana Cultural Presentation **N** New Orleans Brass **P** Parade **7** Roots Rock — Swing Rockabilly
V VIP Area Performance **Z** Zydeco

MAY 10 • SUNDAY

TBA	M	Box Girl and the Beatniks <i>Artists: Box Girl and the Beatniks</i>	Bourbon Street Food Court
11:00am – 11:30am		Bobby Sanchez Combo <i>Artists: Bobby Sanchez Combo</i>	Bon Temps Dance Pavilion
11:00am – 8:00pm	K	The Rad Hatter Paper Hats <i>Artists: The Rad Hatter</i>	Lil Gator Kidz Zone
11:30am – 12:10pm	E	Johnny High-Hat <i>Artists: Johnny High-Hat</i>	Mardi Gras Stage
11:30am – 12:10pm	D	Dance Lesson - Beginning Zydeco	Bon Temps Dance Pavilion
11:30am – 12:20pm	B	Harmonica John <i>Artists: Harmonica John</i>	Bayou Grove Stage
11:30am – 12:20pm	B	The Hep-Tights <i>Artists: The Hep-Tights</i>	Bourbon Street Stage
11:30am – 12:20pm	Y	Taco Gumbo <i>Artists: Taco Gumbo</i>	Festival Stage
12:00pm – 12:30pm	V	Vince Lee and Sophie Lord <i>Artists: Vince Lee and Sophie Lord</i>	VIP Area
12:00pm – 1:15pm	K	Face Painting <i>Artists: Hana Bananas</i>	Lil Gator Kidz Zone
12:00pm – 1:15pm	K	Giant Bubbles <i>Artists: Fancy Nancy</i>	Lil Gator Kidz Zone
12:10pm – 12:50pm	D	Dance Lesson - Creative Moves from Basic Swing, East Coast, and Salsa	Bon Temps Dance Pavilion
12:30pm – 1:30pm	B	Whitney Shay with Laura Chavez <i>Artists: Laura Chavez, Whitney Shay</i>	Mardi Gras Stage
12:40pm – 1:30pm	U	Bayou Brothers <i>Artists: The Bayou Brothers</i>	Bourbon Street Stage
12:40pm – 1:30pm	5	Wilson Savoy of the Pine Leaf Boys with Herman Fuselier <i>Artists: Pine Leaf Boys, Herman Fuselier</i>	Bayou Grove Stage
12:40pm – 1:40pm	Z	Okie Weiss and the Zydeco Playboys <i>Artists: Okie Weiss and the Zydeco Playboys</i>	Festival Stage
12:50pm – 1:30pm	D	Dance Lesson - Cha-Cha-Cha	Bon Temps Dance Pavilion

1:00pm – 1:30pm	O	Jambalaya with Danielle Joseph <i>Artists: Louisiana Cajun</i>	Taste of Louisiana Cooking Stage
1:30pm – 2:00pm	K	Mardi Gras Parade <i>Artists: Stilt Walker Piper</i>	Lil Gator Kidz Zone
1:30pm – 2:00pm	P	Mardi Gras Parade <i>Artists: Euphoria Brass Band</i>	Mardi Gras Stage
1:30pm – 2:00pm	V	Billy Watson and Nathan James <i>Artists: Billy Watson and Nathan James</i>	VIP Area
1:30pm – 2:10pm	D	Dance Lesson - Beginning Swing with Mercedes Moore	Bon Temps Dance Pavilion
1:50pm – 2:40pm	5	Louisiana Cultural Presentation: Talk Like a Leauxcal	Bayou Grove Stage
1:50pm – 2:50pm	B	Kirk Fletcher & Erika Baier <i>Artists: Erika Baier, Kirk Fletcher</i>	Bourbon Street Stage
2:00pm – 2:30pm	O	Oysters with Adriana Guevara <i>Artists: Shellfish Affair</i>	Taste of Louisiana Cooking Stage
2:00pm – 3:00pm	K	Face Painting <i>Artists: Hana Bananas</i>	Lil Gator Kidz Zone
2:00pm – 3:00pm	K	Sing & Dance Along <i>Artists: Fancy Nancy</i>	Lil Gator Kidz Zone
2:00pm – 3:20pm	L	Manny Cepeda Orchestra <i>Artists: Manny Cepeda Orchestra</i>	Mardi Gras Stage
2:10pm – 2:50pm	D	Dance Lesson - New Style Zydeco: Get out of your Zyderut Part 2	Bon Temps Dance Pavilion
2:20pm – 3:20pm	Z	Chubby Carrier and the Bayou Swamp Band <i>Artists: Chubby Carrier</i>	Festival Stage
2:50pm – 3:30pm	D	Dance Lesson - Men's Zydeco Styling	Bon Temps Dance Pavilion
3:00pm – 3:30pm	O	Crawfish with Mitch Olivier <i>Artists: Crawfish Corner</i>	Taste of Louisiana Cooking Stage
3:00pm – 3:45pm	K	Magic Show <i>Artists: Jack Murdock Magic</i>	Lil Gator Kidz Zone
3:00pm – 4:00pm	B	Billy Watson Band featuring Nathan James <i>Artists: Nathan James, Billy Watson</i>	Bayou Grove Stage
3:10pm – 4:10pm	N	Euphoria Brass Band <i>Artists: Euphoria Brass Band</i>	Bourbon Street Stage
3:30pm – 4:10pm	D	Dance Lesson - Beginning Country Swing	Bon Temps Dance Pavilion
3:45pm – 5:00pm	K	Balloon Animal Art <i>Artists: Carrot the Clown</i>	Lil Gator Kidz Zone
3:50pm – 5:10pm	B	Rick Estrin and the Nightcats <i>Artists: Rick Estrin and the Nightcats</i>	Mardi Gras Stage
3:50pm – 5:10pm	C	Pine Leaf Boys <i>Artists: Pine Leaf Boys</i>	Festival Stage
4:10pm – 4:50pm	D	Dance Lesson - Waltz	Bon Temps Dance Pavilion

4:20pm – 5:30pm	5	Chubby Carrier with Herman Fuselier <i>Artists: Chubby Carrier, Herman Fuselier</i>	Bayou Grove Stage
4:30pm – 5:40pm	7	The Farmers <i>Artists: The Farmers</i>	Bourbon Street Stage
4:50pm – 5:30pm	D	Dance Lesson - Line Dancing with Liza	Bon Temps Dance Pavilion
5:40pm – 6:40pm	J	The Amazing Wildcats <i>Artists: The Amazing Wildcats</i>	Mardi Gras Stage
5:40pm – 7:00pm	Z	Geno Delafose and French Rockin' Boogie <i>Artists: Geno Delafose</i>	Festival Stage
5:50pm – 7:00pm	B	Vince Lee and Sophie Lord <i>Artists: Vince Lee, Sophie Lord</i>	Bayou Grove Stage
6:00pm – 7:00pm	B	Zavala Sol <i>Artists: Zavala Sol</i>	Bourbon Street Stage