

## Chico Area

**Mar. 28 - Joe Goode Performance Group,** 7:30 p.m., Laxson. 898-6333

**Mar. 28-Apr. 4 - Easter Bunny Visits & Photos,** Sears Court, Chico Mall. 343-0706

**Now - "Leaping Lemurs & Mysterious Crimes: On the Trail of Physical Anthropology"** exhibit at Valene L. Smith Museum of Anthropology. Call 898-5397

**Apr. 1 - "The Pink Floyd Experience"** 7:30 p.m., Laxson. 898-6333

**Apr. 3-May 23 - "Fresh Paint"** Sally Dimas Art Gallery. Call 345-3063

**Apr. 4 - Spring Jamboree (Egg Hunt)** Caper Acres, Bidwell Park. Call 895-4711

**Apr. 4-May 3 - "Big, the Musical"** at Chico Theater Company. Call 894-3282

**April 7 - Buddy Guy,** 7:30 p.m. Laxson Aud. 898-6333

**Apr. 8 - "Bach to Basie"** Harlen Adams Theatre, 7:30 p.m. 898-6333

**Apr. 11 - Walk 4 Water,** 8 a.m., One-Mile Rec Area. girl4watert@gmail.com 342-5746

**Apr. 11 - Arturo O'Farrill Octet,** 7:30 p.m., Laxson. 898-6333

**Apr. 11 - "Worthy to Be Praised"** Choral, 7:30 p.m., Harlen Adams. 898-6333

**Apr. 12 - Wildflower Show,** Noon-4 p.m., CARD Center. 588-2555

**Apr. 18 - California Nut Festival** Patrick Ranch on the Midway, 11-4 p.m. 519-1882

**Apr. 18 - "Sounds of the Night"—Jazz X-Press,** 7:30 p.m. Harlen Adams Theatre. 898-6333

**Apr. 19 - League of Women Voters Wine Tasting & Light Buffet** 4-7 p.m. at Manzanita Place (Elks Club), 1705 Manzanita Ave. Call 894-7696 or 895-8683 for info.

**Apr. 23 - Spring Business Crawl** 5-9 p.m. Info, 891-5556

**Apr. 25 - "Acclamations"—Symphonic Winds** Harlen Adams Theatre, 7:30 p.m. 898-6333

**Apr. 26 - Chico Velo Wildflower Century-Bike Ride.** Call 343-8356, ChicoVelo.org

**Apr. 29-May 3 - "Will Rogers Follies, A Life in Revue"—Spring Musical** 7:30 p.m. Wed-Sat. + 2pm Sun., Laxson. 898-6333

**May 2 - St. John's Spring Garden Tour** plus lunch & boutique. Call 893-8979

**May 2 - Endangered Species Faire** 10am-4pm Cedar Grove, Bidwell Park. 891-6424

**May 2 - Pioneer Day Parade,** 11 a.m. Downtown. Call 895-5315

**May 2 - Whiskey & Wine Tasting Fundraiser,** 6-9 p.m., Bidwell Park Gold Course. 343-6055

**Wed. - Chinese Temple Tea & Open House,** FREE, Noon-4 p.m. Call 533-8192

**Fri. - Kiddie Parade** (538-8603) & **FRRPD Bike Race** downtown, Call 538-8603

**Sat. - Feather Fiesta Days Parade** 10 a.m. downtown, 520-4742

**City of Gold Triathlon,** Call 370-2647

**Craft Faire & Flea Market** 8-4 p.m. Sank Park, Call 533-8192

**Art Show,** Montgomery/Oak, 534-7690

**Gold Rush Car Show** 7 a.m.-5 p.m. downtown Oro. Call 533-3530.

**Chili Cook-Off** 8 a.m. Ford lot, 1726 Montgomery St.

**Springfest** w/multiple games & food-St. Thomas the Apostle School, 1380 Bird St. Call 534-6969

**Sun. - Eagles Mother's Day Brunch**

**Mother's Day Ham Dinner.** El Medio Fire Dept.

**May 3 - "AAUW's Wine Adventure"** (Tech Trek Fundraiser), 2-5 p.m. @ the MacLeod Estate. Tickets (\$20) includes tastings of different wines & multiple gourmet appetizers. Call 589-4128 for tickets.

**May 17 - Republican Women's Home Tour & Tea,** 1-4:30 p.m. Call 877-7436

**May 22-31 - "An Evening w/Shakespeare"** Birdcage Theatre 7:30pm wkends. 533-2473

**May 24 - BCHS Oregon City BBQ,** 533-9418

**May 30 - Hooked on Fishing** at Bedrock Park. Call 538-8603

**June, 1st Sat. - Opening Day & Chili Cookoff,** Yuba-Feather Historical Museum & Gold Trader Flat, 675-1025

**June 12-21 - "A Piece of My Heart"** Birdcage Theatre, 7:30pm wkends. 533-2473

**June 14 - Flag Day Celebration** @ Liberty Pole, Montgomery & Huntoon. 533-9418

**June 20 - Olive Festival** 10-3 @ Ehmann Home. 533-9418

**June 20 - Peggy's Dancers,** 7 p.m. State Theatre. 538-2470

**June 27 - Barefoot Dance Co.,** 7 p.m. State Theatre. 538-2470

**July 3/4 - July 4th Community Band Concerts,** July 3-7:30 p.m, July 4-3:30 p.m, State Theater. 538-2470 or 538-2406

**July 4 - Fireworks** 9:30 p.m. at Lake Oroville. Info, 538-2542

**Aug., 1st Sat. - Forbestown Daze—Living History Day.** 9-4 pm, Yuba-Feather Historical Museum & Gold Trader Flat, 675-1025

## Paradise Area

**Now-Apr. 19 - "Peter & Alice"** 7:30 p.m. Th-Sat; some Sun. matinees. Theatre on the Ridge. Call 877-5760, www.totr.org

**Apr. 4 - Easter Egg Hunt** 9:30-11:30 a.m. at Aquatic Park. Call 872-6393

**May 2-3 - Chico's Artisan's Fair** 10-5 p.m. Downtown Park Plaza. 345-9652

**May 6 - Natalie MacMaster & Donnell Leahy, Visions from Cape Briton & Beyond: A Celtic Family Celebration** 7:30 p.m., Laxson. 898-6333

**May 6 - Chico State Guitar Ensemble** 7:30 p.m., Rowland-Taylor Recital Hall. 898-6333

**May 8-9 - ChiVAA Art at the Matador,** 1934 Esplanade. 318-2105, www.chivaa.org

**May 9 - Chico Antiques & Design Faire** 8-5 p.m. at Patrick Ranch. Info, 893-5534

**May 9 - Growing Healthy Children Walk-Run,** 8 a.m. Bidwell Park. Call 538-7201

**May 21-25 - Silver Dollar Fair** at Silver Dollar Fairgrounds. Call 895-4666

**May 29-July 3 - "Hanging Out"** Betty Benson's art, Sally Dimas Art Gallery. 345-3063

**May 31 - "Peter Pan, Jr."** 2 p.m., Laxson. Call 898-6333

**June -Aug. - Chico Creek Summer Camp** Chico Creek Nature Center. Call 891-4671

**June 6 - Soroptimist Brew Fest** 2-6 p.m. Manzanita Place Elks Lodge. 342-3768

**June 6-7 - Threshing Bee & Antique Equipment Show** 9-4p.m. at the Patrick Ranch. Call 342-4359

**June 6-28 - "Radio Gals"** at Chico Theater Company. Call 894-3282

**June 7 - Honey Run Covered Bridge Pancake Breakfast** 7-11 a.m. Call 895-0911

**June 7 - Centerville 49er Faire** 9 a.m.-4 p.m., Centerville Rd. Info, 893-9667

**June 11 - Chamber Honors 50 Yrs. of Italian Cottage** 5:30-11pm, Patrick Ranch. 891-5556

**July 4 - 4th of July Celebration** 7:30am.-3 p.m, Bidwell Park-1 Mile Area. 343-6055

**July 4 - Point Race & Fireworks** 6 p.m. Silver Dollar Speedway. Call 891-6535.

**July 11 - A Slice of Downtown Chico** Free watermelon and great sales. 345-6500

**July 11-Aug. 3 - "Discoveries"** Sally Dimas Art Gallery. 345-3063

**July 18-Aug. 9 - "Mid-Life, the Crisis Musical"** Chico Theater Co. 894-3282

**July 25 - Chico Pond Tour.** Call 342-4913

**Aug. 6-22 - "Some Like It Hot"** Sally Dimas Art Gallery. 345-3063

**Aug. 7 - Ice Cream Social,** at Stansbury House. Call 891-0585

## Gridley Area

**Apr. 4 - Easter Egg Hunt** Call 846-3142

**Apr. 17 - Kaleidoscope Golf Tournament** at Table Mtn. Golf Course. Info, 846-5851

**Apr. 4-5 - "Gem & Mineral Show"** 10am-4pm at Elk's Lodge. 877-7324

**Apr. 17-18 - "Paradise Dancers"** 7p.m. Fri. + 2pm on Sat., Performing Arts Center. www.paradisepperformingarts.com

**Apr. 18 - Kids Fishing Day** 6 a.m.-3 p.m. at Paradise Lake. Call 873-1040

**Gold Nugget Days Apr. 23-26**

**Thurs- Spaghetti Feed,** Sr. Center 5-7 & **Opening Ceremonies & Queen Crowning** at Performing Arts Center at 7pm.

**Friday- Dogtown Revue** 7pm, Perf. Arts Ctr

**Gold Nugget Ball** - 8pm-Midnight

**Sat. - Pancake Breakfast** at Veteran's Memorial Hall & **Biscuits & Gravy**

**Breakfast** at Eagles Lodge. 7-Noon.

**Donkey Derby** - 9am-10am

**Craft Faire & Carnival**- 9am-5pm

**Horse Festival**- 10-4, Call 872-3625

**Gold Nugget Parade** - Noon-2pm

**Gold Panning & Blacksmithing** 2-5

**Whiskerino/Costume Contest** 3pm

**Dogtown Revue** 7pm, Perf. Arts Cntr

**Sun. - Old Time Church Service** 8am at

Magalia Historic Chapel

**Eagles Biscuits/Gravy Breakfast**

**Dogtown Revue** 2pm, Perf. Arts Cntr

**Sunday Concert in the Park** 10-4pm

**Info on all Nugget events,** call 872-8722

**May 2 - Spring Fishing Derby** 9:30-11:30am. Aquatic Park. 872-6393

**May 2 - Kentucky Derby Day Wine & Micro-Brew Tasting** 12:30-4:30am. Paradise Lutheran Church. 877-3549

**May 2 - Dance Evolution,** Performing Arts Center, www.paradisepperformingarts.com

**May 3- Paradise Symphony** 7pm, Perform. Arts Cntr. www.paradisepperformingarts.com

**May 9 - Chocolate Fest** 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Terry Ashe Park. Call Debbie at 342-4896

**May 13 - Business Expo,** 5:30-7:30 pm., Lutheran Church. Call 877-9356

**May 22-23 - Sleeping Beauty Ballet** 7:15 p.m. Fri/Sat + 2:15 p.m. Sun., Performing Arts Center.

**May 31 - "Memorial Day Ceremony"** 10am at Paradise Cemetery. 877-4493

**June 4-28 - "Vanya & Sonia & Masha & Spike"** 7:30 p.m. Th-Sat; some Sun. matinees. Theatre on the Ridge. Call 877-5760

**June 6-7 - Garden Tour** (6 gardens+plant sale), Sat. 10-4, Sun. Noon-4. Paradise Garden Club. Call 877-4242

**June 13 - Unity in Diversity Festival,** Noon-5 at Community Park. Call 872-1333

**May 3 - Quota Salad Luncheon** 11:30 a.m., Butte Fairgrounds. Info, 370-8464

**May 9 - Kids Fishing Day at Gray Lodge,** ages 1-15, 7 a.m.-Noon. 846-3264

**May 14 - Ice Cream Social** at Orchard Hospital. Call 846-9000

**May 15 - Annual Guns vs. Hoses Softball Tournament.** Info, 846-3142

**May 15 - Unjustice Court,** Downtown. Info, 846-3142

**Red Suspenders' Day/Car Show**

**May 16 Parade at 11 a.m.** Pancake breakfast 7am, Arts/Crafts booths, music, bed races, fireman's games, children's area, Pinewood Derby, Trike Races for kids. 846-3142

**May 19-Aug. 25 - Farmers Market** every Tues. Daddow Park. Info, 846-3142

**May 25 - Memorial Day Ceremony,** Gridley/Biggs Cemetery.

**May 28-31- Nor Cal Cluster Dog Show** Gridley Fairgrounds. Call 846-3626

**July 4 - Biggs Breakfast** 6:30 a.m., **Parade** 10 a.m. **Fireworks** Dusk. biggsparade2015@yahoo.com

**Aug. 27-30 Butte County Fair** at the fairgrounds' 38 shady acres. Country music, derby, queen contest, + 4-H & FFA food, craft, & livestock exhibits. The grandstand seats 1900 people, & the facility includes a 130x 240 ft. horse show area. 846-3626

## Oroville Area

**Berry Creek:**

**Aug. 8 - Berry Festival,** 1477 Bald Rock Rd., the Berry Creek Grange. Info, 589-3807

**Oroville:**

**Apr. 4 - 3K Fun Run (8-9:30 am) & Wildflower Nature Festival,** 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Riverbend Park. Call FRRPD, 533-2011

**Apr. 11 - PAWS for Pasta,** 5-9 p.m., Table Mtn. Golf Club. Call 534-5713

**Apr. 14 - "A Night of Southern Gospel Music"** FREE, 7 p.m., State Theatre. 533-1636

**Apr. 18 - Community Chorus** 7 p.m., State Theatre. 538-2470

**Apr. 24-May 3 "Present Laughter",** 7:30 p.m. wknds at Birdcage Theatre. 533-2473

**Apr. 25-26 - North Sierra Wine Trail.** Call 679-0679 or northernSierrawinetrail.com

**Last wk. Apr. - Surplus City's Spring Mud Crawl,** 9 a.m.-6 p.m. Call 534-9956

**Apr. 26 - Mounted Posse Poker Ride,** 9-1 p.m. at Loafer Creek. 218-3752

**Feather Fiesta Days - May 2-9**

**May 2 - Bidwell Bar Day** 12-4 p.m. at tollhouse/bridge, Lake Oroville Rec Area, Bidwell Canyon. Pioneer crafts, games, music & food. Info, 538-2219

**May 2 - Native Sons of the Golden West Beerfest,** Rifles RV Park.

**- Pioneer Museum Open,** Noon-4p.m.

**June 20- "Cruisin' Classic Car Show"** 8-5 p.m. Performing Arts Center. 877-4438

**July 5 - Dogtown Faire** 9-3, Magalia Community Church, 13700 Skyway. 877-7963

**Aug. 29 - Concours de la Chapelle,** Classic European Car Show. concourschapelle.com

## Ongoing Events

**Chico Downtown Concerts in the Park** Free 7-8:30 p.m. Fridays, May 9 - early Sept. in Downtown Plaza. Call 345-6500

**Chico Certified Farmers' Markets** are held **Thursdays** April-Sept., 6-9 p.m. on Broadway between 2nd- 5th Streets with entertainment and shops open late; info, 345-6500.

**Saturdays** 7:30a.m.-1 p.m. year round, 2nd & Wall. Call 893-3276.

**Gridley Farmers Market** each Tues. Late May -Aug., 5-8 p.m. in Daddow Park

**Oroville Certified Farmers Market** each Sat. June through Sept., 8am-Noon, in parking lot at Montgomery & Myers.

**Oroville Concerts in the Parks** held Thursday evenings mid-June-August in different Oroville parks. Info, 533-2011.

**Paradise Farmers' Market** is 7:30am-Noon

**Tuesdays** June-Oct. at Paradise Alliance Church, 6491 Clark.