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## WLOX News to Broadcast from Pascagoula Beach Park



*Celebrate South Mississippi: Pascagoula*

WLOX will be paying a visit to various aspects of life in Pascagoula. Arts, Pascagoula on September 14th to economic development, business and broadcast the 4 O'clock show, WLOX industry are a few of the topics that will News at 5 pm and WLOX News at 6 pm. be featured. Local school cheerleaders, a This event is part of a Celebrate South band, and dance team will be part of the Mississippi series. The idea is to show as well.

showcase some new and exciting things about Pascagoula.

Citizens are encouraged to bring their families to the park and show their

The news broadcast will take place at support of Pascagoula. This will also be a Beach Park. There will be several live great opportunity to see a live news interviews of local citizens discussing broadcast.

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## City of Pascagoula Fundraising Event



The City of Pascagoula, a Making Strides against Breast Cancer Pacesetter, is getting ready for its 2011 fundraising event in coordination with the American Cancer Society. This year's program is called a Round Up. A list of those who graciously agree to participate will be sent to the Pascagoula Court division. The court will then issue warrants for participants to be picked up. On September 15, the Pascagoula Police Department will arrest participants and transport them to the Senior Center. Cake, pastries, coffee, etc. will be served while the judge sets bond for each arrestee. Bond will be set between \$125 and \$200. If you would like to participate and make a tax deductible contribution, please contact Sargent Doug Adams with the Pascagoula Police Department at 938-6696 or Robin Wood at 938-6602.

If you haven't been in Historic Downtown Pascagoula lately, then you need to take a moment to visit the recently opened Arts On The Avenue. It is located next to Pascagoula Utilities on Delmas Avenue in the building formerly used by the Senior Center.

The Gallery portion features art available for purchase such as pottery, jewelry, paintings, and much more. You can also discover your inner artist by registering for one of the many classes offered by the center. These include painting, photography, pottery, etc. Classes for children are also offered. Karen Joplin, Gallery Director, will be glad to show you around and get you linked in to Arts on the Avenue.

Another exciting development downtown is the recent grand opening of Anchor Square. It is located on the west end of Delmas Avenue, one block from the river and across from the NOAA facility. At Anchor Square you will find a beautiful setting of cottages nestled together on a spacious boardwalk with a great view of the water. Awaiting your arrival are many types of shops and restaurants to entice you and meet your every need.

If you haven't been yet, I encourage you to check out this wonderful new marketplace. You will be amazed at what you might find.

With these two new venues in our great city, I encourage each and every one of you to do your best to shop all of Pascagoula's businesses. It helps all of us in the long run. Also, some of the upcoming events in the area are:

- ◆ September 11th – Singing River Chorale performs a memorial service for those who lost their lives during the 9/11 attacks on the twin towers. Service starts at 2:30p.m at First Baptist Church.
- ◆ September 27 – Pascagoula Main Street Gala at Grand Magnolia Ballroom
- ◆ September 29 – Book Signing at Library, author Betty Oswald & illustrator Sandy Ford will be signing their book.
- ◆ September 29 – PHS Homecoming Pep Rally, 7:00p.m. at the Library – Come out and support our PANTHERS!
- ◆ September 30 – PHS Homecoming Parade
- ◆ October 1 – ZONTA Festival in Downtown Pascagoula 8-5

## Pascagoula City Council

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# September 11th, 2011

## 10th Anniversary of the 9/11 Terrorist Attacks

The September 11th National Day of Service and Remembrance was established into law by the Edward M. Kennedy Serve America Act in 2009. Beginning in 2002, family members who lost loved ones in the September 11, 2001 terrorist attacks and support groups began to seek a forward-looking tribute to honor the sacrifice of those who were lost and pay tribute to those who rose in service in response to the tragedy.

By encouraging Americans to participate in service and remembrance activities on the 9/11 anniversary, family members wanted to provide a productive and respectful way to honor those who perished and rekindle the spirit of unity and compassion that swept our nation after 9/11 to help meet the challenges we face today.

Because of their efforts to build support for this idea, September 11 has been designated a National Day of Service and Remembrance. The September 11th National Day of Service and Remembrance is consistent with President Obama's overall call to service, United We Serve.

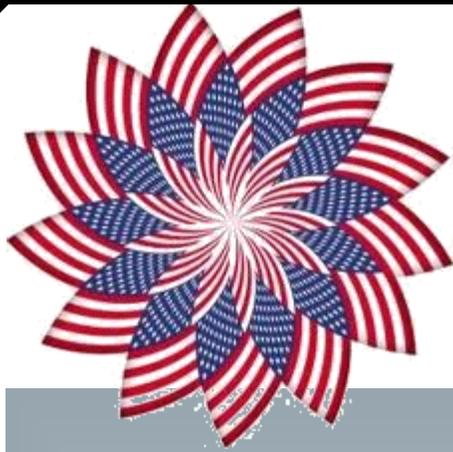
This year, more than 1 million Americans are expected to serve in their communities in honor of 9/11. Service projects will range from food drives and home repairs to neighborhood cleanups and disaster preparation activities.

In many areas, volunteers will honor veterans, soldiers, or first responders by collecting donations, assembling care packages, and writing thank you letters.

We encourage you to serve or support a cause on 9/11 as a way of paying tribute to the victims and heroes of 9/11, and remembering the remarkable way that so many rose up in unity and service following the attacks. Here are some ways to get started:

- Search for opportunities on [Serve.gov](http://Serve.gov).
- Organize your own service project using one of our toolkits.
- Use the "#911day" and "#IWill" hashtags on Twitter.
- Share your story of service on the [Serve.gov](http://Serve.gov) Facebook wall.
- Place a September 11th banner on your website or blog





# Labor Day

## History and Fun Facts

- ◆ Labor Day was first observed on September 5th, 1882.
- ◆ President Grover Cleveland declared Labor Day to be the first Monday of September.
- ◆ The first Labor Day was celebrated in New York City.
- ◆ 10,000 workers took an unpaid holiday to march in the first Labor Day parade.
- ◆ President Grover Cleveland who signed Labor Day into law was in fact a staunch opponent of organized labor groups. Nevertheless, he pushed Labor Day through Congress in lightning speed in order to stop literal riots that were breaking out across the United States.
- ◆ The amount of time the average American spends commuting to work each year is *more than 100 hours*. (This exceeds the typical two weeks of vacation time taken by many U.S. workers over the course of a year.)

## Trivia Quiz

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(Assembles employees into membership in a union)

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(To enlist workers and form into a labor pool)

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(To place persons in front of a facility in protest)

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(Working energetically and devotedly)

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(Federation of Unions, formed in 1955)

P \_ \_ \_ M \_ \_ \_ \_ \_

(credited with first proposing the Labor Day holiday)

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(raises tens of millions of dollars on this weekend, to fund research for a cure.)

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(host of said event)



## Summer Corn Salad

### Ingredients

- 6 ears corn, husked and cleaned
- 3 large tomatoes, diced
- 1 large onion, diced
- 1/4 cup chopped fresh basil
- 1/4 cup olive oil
- 2 tablespoons white vinegar
- salt and pepper to taste

### Directions

Bring a large pot of lightly salted water to a boil. Cook corn in boiling water for 7 to 10 minutes, or until desired tenderness. Drain, cool, and cut kernels off the cob with a sharp knife.

In a large bowl, toss together the corn, tomatoes, onion, basil, oil, vinegar, salt and pepper. Chill until served.



# City of Pascagoula Upcoming Events

- \* **CITY COUNCIL MEETING** September 6th and September 20th; 6 pm at City Hall. 762-1020
- \* **PLANNING BOARD MEETING** Wednesday, September 14th; 6 pm at City Hall. 762-1020
- \* **ZUMBA®** Fitness classes will be held at the Recreation Center on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays from 6 pm to 7 pm. Cost is \$5 per class. 938-2356
- \* **KIWANIS CLUB** 5k Run/ 1 Mile Fun Run Saturday, September 10th; 8 pm at Pascagoula Beach Park; 218-7377
- \* **SUPER SATURDAY INDUSTRY DAY** at Pascagoula School District Family Interactive Center Saturday, September 10th; 10 am-1 pm
- \* **FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**, Pascagoula—10 year memorial of terrorist attack Sunday, September 11th; 2:30 pm.
- \* **WLOX NEWS BROADCAST** at Pascagoula Beach Park Wednesday, September 14th; 4 O'clock show, WLOX News at 5 pm and WLOX News at 6 pm
- \* **PHS HOMECOMING PEP RALLY** at Pascagoula Library (in front) Thursday, September 29th; 7 pm
- \* **PHS HOMECOMING PARADE** Friday, September 30th
- \* **ZONTA** Festival downtown Saturday, October 1st; 8-5 pm
- \* **KREBS CEMETERY TOUR** Thursday, October 27th
- \* **CITY'S HALOWEEN OBSERVED** October 31st
- \* **TRUNCK-R-TREAT** Downtown, October 31st

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