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## "I Cannot Tell a Lie..."

By: Christopher Lane

Most of you can guess who supposedly spoke that line. According to the popular legend initiated by early biographer Mason Locke Weems and later popularized by William Holmes McGuffey, it was young George Washington who made that famous confession to his father Augustine Washington. As the story goes, George had received a hatchet from his father for his sixth birthday and decided to test out its sharp blade on one of their fledgling cherry trees. When Dad confronted his son about the damaged tree, the lad uttered the now-famous quote and confessed to his misdeed. The enduring story ends with his father embracing the boy, rejoicing that his son's honesty was worth a thousand such trees.

It is with that lead-in that we talk a bit about Washington's Birthday, a federal holiday that is celebrated annually on the third Monday of February, this year falling on February 17. It is also informally known as Presidents Day. There was an attempt during the 1950s and '60s to officially rename the federal holiday as Presidents' Day, giving a nod to both Abraham Lincoln's birthday on February 12 and Washington's birthday on February 22, along with also recognizing the office of the presidency. Despite several attempts over the years, this change never happened and the issue was finally resolved on June 28, 1968 when the federal holiday's official name of Washington's Birthday was signed into law.

I cannot tell a lie...it gets more complicated. The holiday is also celebrated as a state holiday by over half of our country's states, with many of them using different names. Since federal holidays are applicable only to our federal government and the District of Columbia, Congress has never made a

national holiday binding to all states. Each state may choose its own particular legal holidays. Many of them have named this holiday for Washington or both Washington and Lincoln or even Washington and someone else. Others opt for a variation of the word President, e.g. President's, Presidents' or Presidents (Day). Yep, it's complicated!

Another interesting fact about George Washington's birthday is that it differs depending on which calendar is used. According to the old Julian calendar commonly used during his birth, George Washington was born in Virginia on February 11, 1731. However, Britain and all its colonies adopted our current Gregorian calendar in 1752, which resulted in moving Washington's birthday a year and 11 days to the now recognized date of February 22, 1732.

The federal holiday honoring Washington's Birthday began as an Act of Congress in 1879 for all government offices located in Washington, D.C. In 1885, it was expanded to include all federal offices in the country and to be celebrated on Washington's birth date of February 22. However, the federal holiday was changed on January 1, 1971 to the current third Monday in February observation by the Uniform Holiday Monday Act, which makes the holiday always occurring between February 15 and 21...and never falling on Washington's actual birthday of February 22! (*Side note: The reason behind the Uniform Holiday Monday Act: It was created to increase the number of three-day weekends for federal employees.*)

There you have it...almost everything you may (or may not) have ever wanted to know about Washington's Birthday. Eat some cherry pie on that day...it's the food traditionally associated with the holiday. Most of our advertisers will probably be open...drop by to say hello and let them know you saw their message in the *Community Connector*! And as always, thank you for being a loyal reader!



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February & March 2020

**February 1<sup>st</sup>: Sweetheart Charity Ball:** Join us for this 25<sup>th</sup> annual evening of fine food and drinks, both silent and live auctions, and live entertainment to support the home-bound in Greenville County. Over the years Meals on Wheels had the honor of host-

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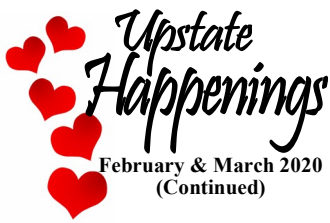
**February 1<sup>st</sup>: Wedding Festival:** 10:00 AM – 3:00 PM: Located at the TD Convention Center, 1 Exposition Dr, Greenville. Come enjoy a day filled of wedding fun! There will be tons of prizes, bride sashes, exhibitors, runway wedding fashion, expert advice from wedding professionals,

workshops, the latest trends and lots of coupons and discounts! For tickets and more visit: [weddingfestivals.com](http://weddingfestivals.com)

**February 1<sup>st</sup>: 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Onesie Bar Crawl:** 2:00 PM – 10:00 PM: Located in Downtown Greenville. Check in is from 2-4 at Gringos, 11 Falls Park Dr, Greenville. Friends can also check you in if you can't make it, just need your ticket. We are back again for the biggest and best Onesie Bar Crawl. Join hundreds of crawlers dressed up in their best On-

sies, PJ's, Sweatpants, or Snuggie! After party is at Ink N Ivy. [eventbrite.com/e/3rd-annual-onesie-bar-crawl-greenville-tickets-55521053967](http://eventbrite.com/e/3rd-annual-onesie-bar-crawl-greenville-tickets-55521053967)

**February 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup>: Chautauqua History Comes Alive:** Teddy Roosevelt: 2:00 PM – 3:30 PM: Located at Wade Hampton HS Auditorium, 100 Pine Knoll Dr, Greenville. The former President mounts his Bully Pulpit to share stories that reinvented American politics. This is a free event. [historycomesalive.org/](http://historycomesalive.org/)



**February 4<sup>th</sup>: Sweat & Cervezas:** 7:00 PM: Located at El Thrifty, 25 Delano Dr, Greenville. Every Tuesday sweat on our lawn with Soul Yoga and relax with a cerveza after class! Information: 864-232-2053.

**February 7<sup>th</sup>: First Fridays:** 6:00 PM – 9:00 PM: Located at 16 Augusta St, Greenville. The first Friday of each month 25 art galleries and venues will be offering local, regional and national talents. A wide range of media will be represented: oils, acrylics, pottery, jewelry, glass-works, woodworks, photography, and mixed media. Step out and support our thriving arts community. 864-467-3132.

**February 7<sup>th</sup>: Masquerade Dance Party:** 7:30 PM – 11:45 PM: Located at Zen, 924 S Main St, Greenville. We are excited to invite you to our 4th

annual Masquerade Dance Party. Joins us for this magnificent event, last year more than 675 people attended, and all had a blast, tickets sold out one week prior to the event. We will be dancing the night away with 2 DJs enjoying delicious appetizers, desserts and tasty cocktails. Tickets start at \$20. Details at: 864-757-2076

**February 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup>: Monster Jam:** Fri – 7:00 PM, Sat – 1:00 PM & 7:00 PM: Located at Bon Secours Wellness Arena, 650 N Academy St, Greenville. Come enjoy an awesome show with the biggest and coolest monster trucks! Featuring the Grave Digger, Max – D, Zombie and many more! On Saturday from 10:30 AM - 12:00 PM there will be the Monster Jam Pit Party, you can see the massive trucks up close, meet your favorite drivers and crews, get autographs, take pictures and much more! monsterjam.com

**February 8<sup>th</sup>: Green Valley Road Race:** 8:00 AM – 10:45 AM: Located at the Trailblazer Park, 125 Trailblazer Rd, Travelers Rest. This is the 43<sup>rd</sup> road



race! We have a 5-mile race and a 10-mile race. For more info: greenvilletrackclub.com/

**February 8<sup>th</sup>: WinterSkunk Music Fest:** 2:00 PM – 11:30 PM: Located at the Spinning Jenny, 107 Cannon St, Greer. One day, indoor concert, with vendors and food trucks. Tickets are \$40 in advance or \$45 at the door. There will be limited seating, so you are welcome to bring your foldable bag chairs. Food trucks will be on-site, and we're planning on having another Upstate Brewery Tap Takeover. We do not recommend

bringing children to this event. For more info: facebook.com/events/2243768332400821

**February 9<sup>th</sup>: Greenville Venue Crawl:** 1:00 PM – 6:00 PM: Located in Downtown Greenville. This crawl will take you on a tour throughout Greenville's most sought-after event venues. Whether you are planning a wedding, social, or corporate event, this unique approach to event planning will inspire you. Stop at one venue or all, you have the flexibility to create your own crawl experience. greenvillevenuecrawl.com

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**February 12<sup>th</sup>: FREE Seminar on Home Renovations – LUNCH & LEARN:** 12:00 PM – 2:00 PM. Located at Mauldin's A Family Kitchen, 447 West Butler Rd, Mauldin. Join this panel of local professionals for lunch to find out how to get your home updated and renovated. The panel will include Contractor Views, Financing Options and Real Estate Market Analysis of Improvements for Appraised Values. They will discuss the process and steps involved in getting your home updated and renovated and the impact it may have to improve the home's value as well. Call 864-915-7777 for more information and to reserve your seat.

**February 12<sup>th</sup>: Paint Night at Topgolf:** 6:30 PM. Located at 201 Clifton Ct, Greenville. Enjoy some local brews & food while the artists teach you step by step how to recreate this awesome painting! Knock out a round of golf before or after! Arrive 30 minutes early to order drinks! Wine & Design will have everything ready for you to create your very own masterpiece. Tickets are \$35. [greenvillesc@wineanddesign.com](mailto:greenvillesc@wineanddesign.com)

**February 15<sup>th</sup> & 16<sup>th</sup>: SC Arms Collectors Association – Gun & Knife Show:** Sat: 9:00 AM – 5:00 PM & Sun: 10:00 AM – 4:00 PM. Located at the TD Convention Center, 1 Exposition Dr, Greenville. Tickets are \$8 for adults, \$6 for Mili-

tary and 12 years and under are free. [scgunshows.com](http://scgunshows.com)

**February 20<sup>th</sup>: FREE Estate Planning and Elder Care Planning Seminar - LUNCH & LEARN:** 12:00 PM. Located at 300 E Coffee St, Greenville. The law office of Burroughs Elijah would like for you to join them to learn legal strategies to protect your family and your estate. They will be discussing Wills & Trusts, Estate Planning, Probate Avoidance, Power of Attorney & Health Care Power of Attorney, Medicaid & VA Benefits Planning and Special Needs Planning. Call 864-501-3205 to reserve your seat.

**February 21<sup>st</sup>: Fetch Fridays:** 4:00 PM – 6:00 PM. Located at El Thrifty, 25 Delano Dr, Greenville. Every Friday bring your dog to El T's lawn and enjoy happy hour! Happy hour menu includes \$3 tacos, \$5 margaritas & \$3 Mexican beer. For more info: 864-232-2053.

**February 21<sup>st</sup> – 23<sup>rd</sup>: Switch A Roos Consignment Sale:** Fri: 9:00 AM – 7:00 PM, Sat: 9:00 AM – 6:00 PM & Sun 9:00 AM – 5:00 PM. Located at the TD Convention Center, 1 Exposition Dr, Greenville. This event provides an excellent way for you to sell your new and gently used children's items while shopping from only the best in name brand and specialty shop items at great prices. There will be children's clothing, shoes, accessories, baby equipment, toys, indoor/outdoor play toys, maternity clothes & much more [greenville@switcharoosconsignment.com](mailto:greenville@switcharoosconsignment.com)

**February 28<sup>th</sup>: Bowl & Brew:** 6:00 PM – 8:00 PM. Located at Bowlero, 740 South Pleasant-

burg Dr, Greenville. Join us at the Bowl and Brew to benefit the Center for Developmental Services. Individual tickets are \$30 each and includes two hours of bowling and shoe rental. A family package is available for \$100 and includes four tickets. All proceeds will help support more than 8,000 children with developmental delays and disabilities in the Upstate. 864-331-1314

**February 29<sup>th</sup>: Good News Spectacular:** 10:00 AM – 3:00 PM. Located at the TD Convention Center, 1 Exposition Dr, Greenville. This is a FREE event for children and their families. This event includes, Inflatables, stage acts, popcorn and snow cones, community partners, city trucks and much more. Something for the whole family. 864-292-5842.

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**March 2<sup>nd</sup>: Monday Night Cigars at 13 Stripes Brewery:** 7:00 PM -10:00 PM: Located at 250 Mill St, Taylors. Every Monday join 13 Stripes Brewery as they host Cigar Night with Cameroon's Cigar Lounge of Greer. Free to attend. For more detail call 864-349-1430.

**March 6<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup>: Southern Home and Garden Show:** Fri & Sat: 10:00 AM – 7:00 PM & Sun: 12:00 PM – 5:00 PM. Located at the TD Convention Center, 1 Exposition Dr, Greenville. Whether you are building a new home, considering a kitchen remodel or installing your dream outdoor living space, the Southern Home & Garden Show is the ideal venue for inspiration with thousands of square feet of exhibits, featuring landscape design, lawn and garden equipment, interior design, windows and window treatments, flooring, decking, outdoor living, home entertainment and automation, and much more. southernhomeandgardenshow.com/

**March 7<sup>th</sup>: Auction for a Kaws:** 6:00 PM – 10:30 PM:

Located at Embassy Suites, 670 Verdae Blvd, Greenville. Join us for Auction for a Kaws 2020! Delicious food, hundreds of silent auction items, bachelors and bachelorettes, Best and Brightest! For more info or tickets call 864-234-8826.

**March 10<sup>th</sup>: Pottery Creating Class:** 7:00 PM: Located at the Organic Cat Café, 928 S Main St, Greenville. Come and learn how to make a ceramic cat bowl and take your first self-made piece home! All clay creations will be glazed and fired and can be picked up approx. 2 weeks after the class. The pottery class including supplies, unlimited cat cuddle time and a free drink of your choice costs \$25/person. www.organiccatcafe.com/art-classes

**March 11<sup>th</sup>: FREE Seminar on Home Renovations – LUNCH & LEARN:** 12:00 PM – 2:00 PM. Located at Pebble Creek Grill 101 Pebble Creek Clubhouse Drive, Taylors. Join this panel of local professionals for lunch to find out how to get your home updated and renovated. The panel

will include Contractor Views, Financing Options and Real Estate Market Analysis of Improvements for Appraised Values. They will discuss the process and steps involved in getting your home updated and renovated and the impact it may have to improve the home's value as well. Call 864-915-7777 for more information and to reserve your seat.

**March 14<sup>th</sup>: St. Patrick's Day Parade and Festival:** 11:00 AM – 8:00 PM: Located in Downtown Greenville, 220 N Main St, Greenville. St. Patrick's Day Parade and Festival. The Parade will be held on Main Street and the festival will follow featuring Irish Music, cultural displays at NOMA Square. 864-370-7259.

**March 14<sup>th</sup>: 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual 13 Stripes Brewery St. Patrick's Day Party:** 6:30 PM – 12:00 AM: Located at 250 Mill St, Taylors. Tickets to the party are just \$5 and the first 250 tickets receive the commemorative 2020 St. Patrick's Day glass FREE! 21 and older. For more detail call 864-349-1430.

**March 14<sup>th</sup>: Upstate Heart Ball:** 6:00 PM: Located at the TD Convention, 1 Exposition Dr, Greenville. The 2020 Upstate Heart Ball marks the 20th anniversary of the highly anticipated annual gala. Over the last two decades, the Upstate community has contributed over \$7 million to support the mission of the American Heart Association. This is an evening of celebration with dinner, dancing, and live and silent auctions. For more information and tickets call 864-448-3786.

**March 19<sup>th</sup>: FREE Estate Planning and Elder Care Planning Seminar - LUNCH & LEARN:** 12:00 PM: Located at 300 E Coffee St, Greenville. The law office of Burroughs Elijah would like for you to join them to learn legal strategies to protect your family and your estate. They will be discussing Wills & Trusts, Estate Planning, Probate Avoidance, Power of Attorney & Health Care Power of Attorney, Medicaid & VA Benefits Planning and Special Needs Planning. Call 864-501-3205 to reserve your seat.

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# Famous Birthdays

By Chris Lane

Does your birthday happen in **February or March**? Take a look to see what famous person shares a birthday on the same day as you! *(Sourced from the Wikipedia website)*



## FEBRUARY:

- 1 **Clark Gable**, American actor (1901)
- 2 **Graham Nash**, English-American singer-songwriter and guitarist (1942)
- 3 **Gertrude Stein**, American novelist, poet, playwright (1874)
- 4 **Johann Ludwig Bach**, German violinist and composer (1677)
- 5 **Stephen J. Cannell**, American actor, producer, and screenwriter (1941)
- 6 **Anne, Queen of Great Britain** (1665)
- 7 **Miguel Ferrer**, American actor and director (1955)
- 8 **Jules Verne**, French author, poet, and playwright (1828)
- 9 **Carole King**, American singer-songwriter and pianist (1942)
- 10 **Lon Chaney Jr.**, American actor (1906)
- 11 **Jennifer Aniston**, American actress and producer (1969)
- 12 **Charles Darwin**, English geologist and theorist (1809)
- 13 **Peter Gabriel**, English singer-songwriter and musician (1950)
- 14 **Woody Hayes**, American football player and coach (1913)
- 15 **Susan B. Anthony**, American suffragist and activist (1820)
- 16 **Sonny Bono**, American actor, singer, and politician (1935)
- 17 **Michael Jordan**, American basketball player and actor (1963)
- 18 **Jack Palance**, American boxer and actor (1919)
- 19 **Lee Marvin**, American actor (1924)
- 20 **Bob Richards**, American Olympic track and field athlete (1926)
- 21 **Erma Bombeck**, American journalist

and author (1927)

- 22 **Robert Young**, American actor (1907)
- 23 **Balthazar Gerbier**, Dutch painter (1592)
- 24 **Abe Vigoda**, American actor (1921)
- 25 **George Harrison**, English singer-songwriter, guitarist, producer (1943)
- 26 **Victor Hugo**, French author, poet, and playwright (1802)
- 27 **Constantine the Great**, Roman emperor (272)
- 28 **Charles Durning**, American soldier and actor (1923)

## MARCH:

- 1 **Glenn Miller**, American trombonist, composer, and bandleader (1904)
- 2 **Desi Arnaz**, Cuban-American actor, singer, and producer (1917)
- 3 **Perry Ellis**, American fashion designer, founded Perry Ellis (1940)
- 4 **Antonio Vivaldi**, Italian violinist and composer (1678)
- 5 **Rex Harrison**, English actor (1908)
- 6 **Michelangelo**, Italian painter and sculptor (1475)
- 7 **G. I. Taylor**, English mathematician and physicist (1986)
- 8 **John of God**, Portuguese friar and saint (1495)
- 9 **Bobby Fischer**, American chess player and author (1943)
- 10 **Ferdinand I**, Holy Roman Emperor (1503)
- 11 **Sam Donaldson**, American journalist (1934)
- 12 **Jack Kerouac**, American author and poet (1809)
- 13 **Charo**, Spanish-American singer, gui-

tarist, and actress (1951)

- 14 **Quincy Jones**, American songwriter, trumpet player, and producer (1933)
- 15 **Bobby Bonds**, American baseball player and coach (1946)
- 16 **Jerry Lewis**, American actor and comedian (1926)
- 17 **Walter Rudolf Hess**, Swiss physiologist, academic, Nobel Prize laureate (1881)
- 18 **Charley Pride**, American country music singer and musician (1934)
- 19 **Glenn Close**, American actress, singer, and producer (1947)
- 20 **Spike Lee**, American actor, director, producer, and screenwriter (1957)
- 21 **John D. Rockefeller III**, American philanthropist (1906)
- 22 **Louis L'Amour**, American novelist and short story writer (1908)
- 23 **Erich Fromm**, German psychologist and sociologist (1900)
- 24 **Peyton Manning**, American football player and entrepreneur (1976)
- 25 **Howard Cosell**, American soldier, journalist, and author (1918)
- 26 **Guccio Gucci**, Italian fashion designer, founded Gucci (1881)
- 27 **Cale Yarborough**, American race car driver and businessman (1939)
- 28 **Raphael**, Italian painter and architect (1483)
- 29 **Jennifer Capriati**, American tennis player (1976)
- 30 **Vincent van Gogh**, Dutch-French painter and illustrator (1853)
- 31 **Shirley Jones**, American actress and singer (1934)

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# These Months in History

By Chris Lane

We've been running this for both reader entertainment and as a possible teaching and discussion tool for children. Most information is sourced from the website Wikipedia. Here are some historical events that happened during Feb. & March.

## February

- 1 Abraham Lincoln signed the 13th Amendment to the U.S. Constitution. (1865)
- 2 In Punxsutawney, Pennsylvania, the first Groundhog Day was observed. (1887)
- 3 The colony of Massachusetts issued the first paper money in the Americas. (1690)
- 4 George Washington was unanimously elected as the first President of the United States by the U.S. Electoral College. (1789)
- 5 South Carolina was the second state to ratify the Articles of Confederation. (1778)
- 6 The earliest date for which the day of the week is known. A graffito in Pompeii identified this day as a *dies Solis* (Sunday). In modern reckoning, this date would have been a Wednesday. (AD 60)
- 7 The United States banned all Cuban imports and exports. (1962)
- 8 Travel, financial and commercial transactions by U.S. citizens to Cuba were made illegal by the John F. Kennedy administration. (1963)
- 9 Halley's Comet last appeared in the inner Solar System. (1986)
- 10 The YWCA was founded in New York City. (1870)
- 11 The first release of American prisoners of war from Vietnam took place. (1973)
- 12 In Washington, D.C., the first stone of the Lincoln Memorial was set. (1915)
- 13 Israel obtained four of the seven Dead Sea Scrolls. (1955)
- 14 The League of Women Voters was founded in Chicago. (1920)
- 15 The first draft of the complete human genome was published in *Nature*. (2001)
- 16 The first computer bulletin board system was created (CBBS in Chicago). (1978)
- 17 *Madama Butterfly* received its première at La Scala in Milan. (1904)
- 18 During the American Civil War, Union forces under General William T. Sherman set the South Carolina State House on fire during the burning of Columbia. (1865)
- 19 Thomas Edison patented the phonograph. (1878)
- 20 Caroline Mikkelsen became the first woman to set foot in Antarctica. (1935)
- 21 The newly completed Washington Monument was dedicated. (1885)
- 22 Lee Petty won the first Daytona 500. (1959)
- 23 Plutonium was first produced and isolated by Dr. Glenn T. Seaborg. (1941)
- 24 The United States Olympic hockey team completed its Miracle on Ice by defeating Finland 4-2 to win the gold medal. (1980)
- 25 J. P. Morgan incorporated the United States Steel Corporation. (1901)
- 26 President Woodrow Wilson signed an act of Congress establishing the Grand Canyon National Park (1919) and President Calvin Coolidge signed an executive order establishing Grand Teton National Park in Wyoming. (1929)
- 27 The Twenty-second Amendment to the United States Constitution, limiting Presidents to two terms, was ratified. (1951)
- 28 The first Gulf War ended. (1991)

## March

- 1 *Titanic* became the first film to gross over \$1 billion worldwide. (1998)
- 2 The film *King Kong* opened at New York's Radio City Music Hall. (1887)
- 3 The U.S. adopted *The Star-Spangled Banner* as its national anthem. (1931)
- 4 The United States Department of Labor was formed. (1913)
- 5 Samuel Colt patented the first production-model revolver, the .34-caliber. (1836)
- 6 The Michelangelo computer virus began to affect computers. (1992)
- 7 Alexander Graham Bell was granted a patent for the "telephone". (1876)
- 8 The New York Stock Exchange was founded. (1817)
- 9 Space Shuttle *Discovery* made its final landing after 39 flights. (2011)
- 10 Emperor Napoleon I was defeated at the Battle of Laon in France. (1814)
- 11 The U.S. Department of war created the Bureau of Indian Affairs. (1824)
- 12 The Church of England ordained its first female priests. (1994)
- 13 Harvard College was named after clergyman John Harvard. (1639)
- 14 Eli Whitney was granted a patent for the cotton gin. (1794)
- 15 Rolls-Royce Limited was incorporated. (1906)
- 16 History of Rocketry: Robert Goddard launches the first liquid-fueled rocket, at Auburn, Massachusetts. (1926)
- 17 Golda Meir became the first female Prime Minister of Israel. (1969)
- 18 American Express was founded by Henry Wells and William Fargo. (1850)
- 19 Gambling was legalized in Nevada. (1931)
- 20 Harriet Beecher Stowe's *Uncle Tom's Cabin* was published. (1852)
- 21 The social media site Twitter was founded. (2006)
- 22 The first playoff game for the Stanley Cup started. (1894)
- 23 After traveling through the Louisiana Purchase and reaching the Pacific Ocean, explorers Lewis and Clark and their "Corps of Discovery" began their arduous journey home. (1806)
- 24 James VI of Scotland was proclaimed King James I of England and Ireland, upon the death of Elizabeth I. (1603)
- 25 Robert the Bruce became King of Scots (Scotland). (1306)
- 26 The Book of Mormon was published in Palmyra, New York. (1830)
- 27 President Andrew Johnson vetoed the Civil Rights Act of 1866. His veto was overridden by Congress and the bill passed into law on April 9. (1866)
- 28 A coolant leak at the Three Mile Island's nuclear reactor outside Harrisburg, Pennsylvania led to the core overheating and a partial meltdown. (1979)
- 29 The Knights of Columbus was established. (1882)
- 30 Ether anesthesia was used for the first time, in an operation by the American surgeon Dr. Crawford Long. (1842)
- 31 The Eiffel Tower was officially opened. (1889)

# Greenville **Live** Entertainment

February & March 2020

## **Peace Center** 864-467-3000

300 S Main St, Greenville  
www.peacecenter.org

**February 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup>: My Fair Lady:** Tickets start off at \$35. From Lincoln Center Theater that brought you The King & I and South Pacific, comes "a sumptuous new production of the most perfect musical of all time" says Entertainment Weekly.

**February 8<sup>th</sup>: Past and Present:** 2:00 PM & 7:00 PM: Tickets start at \$17. Presented by the Greenville Symphony Orchestra. The evolution of music from classical to contemporary is on full display for our final Spotlight concert of the season.

**February 12<sup>th</sup> - 22<sup>nd</sup>: Disney's Aladdin:** Tickets start at \$40. Discover a whole new world at Disney's Aladdin, the hit Broadway musical. This is a thrilling new production filled with unforgettable beauty, magic, comedy, and breathtaking spectacle.

**February 18<sup>th</sup>: Che Malambo:** 7:00 PM: Tickets start at \$45. Presenting a thrilling, percussive dance and music spectacle, this Argentinian company excites audiences through precise footwork, rhythmic stomping, drumming bombos, and whirling boleadoras.

**March 3<sup>rd</sup> - 8<sup>th</sup>: Les Misérables:** Tickets start at \$45. Set against the backdrop of 19th-century France, Les Misérables tells an enthralling story of broken dreams and unrequited love, passion, sacrifice, and redemption - a timeless testament to the survival of the human spirit. Les Misérables is still the world's most popular musical, breaking box office records everywhere in its 33rd year.

**March 6<sup>th</sup> & 7<sup>th</sup>: The Jungle Book Ballet Returns:** Tickets start at \$35. This storybook ballet is based on the collection of short stories, written by Rudyard Kipling while drawing influence from many of the famed Jungle Book movies.

## **Centre Stage** 864-233-6733

501 River St, Greenville  
www.centerstage.org

**February 1<sup>st</sup> - 16<sup>th</sup>: I Feel Good: A Trip to Motown:** Times and Dates Vary: Tickets start at \$25.50. Put on your dancing shoes and kick off the new year with Centre Stage's hit annual rock show! The music and success of Berry Gordy and his iconic Motown record label, this concert-style show features hits from Diana Ross, James Brown, Marvin Gaye, Smokey Robinson and MANY more.

**February 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup>: Starbright:** 7:00 PM: Tickets start at \$18.50. Grace, an astronomer, has lost her young daughter Abby nearly a year ago. Her life spins out of control when Abby appears and starts making predictions about the stars and the cosmos. Is this real and proof that there's more to the universe or is this a sign that Grace's sanity is in question?

**March 19<sup>th</sup> - April 5<sup>th</sup>: 9 to 5 the Musical:** Times and Dates Vary: Tickets start at \$25.50. Based on the beloved movie of the same name, 9 to 5: The Musical, follows Judy, Doralee, and Violet, three downtrodden working women at the mercy of manipulative misogynist boss Franklin Hart Jr., who is better at sexually harassing his secretary than running a business. Seeking revenge, they concoct a plan to kidnap him and hold him hostage uniting them and discovering the beauty of friendship!

**March 24<sup>th</sup>, 25<sup>th</sup> & 31<sup>st</sup>: Nightmother:** 7:00 PM: Tickets are \$18.50. Jessie's father is dead, her divorce is final, her son is a petty thief and her last job didn't go as expected and if that wasn't enough, she has moved back in with her mother. Her bucket list is almost finished as she begins to plan her end. Her mother refuses to believe these steps are desperate measures and that she just needs to go on with life like everybody else does. Does the moment happen?

## **Bon Secours Wellness Arena** 864-241-3800

650 N Academy St, Greenville  
www.bonsecoursarena.com

**February 18<sup>th</sup>: Dancing with the Stars - Live:** 8:00 PM: Tickets start at \$55. They tour North America this winter, with your favorite dancers from the hit ABC show. The all-new production continues its legacy of wowing live audiences performing fan-favorite routines. The show will feature the professional dancers in a brand-new production showcasing every type of dance style.

**February 27<sup>th</sup>: Lauren Daigle:** 7:30 PM: Tickets start at \$29.50. Two-time Grammy Award winner Lauren Daigle, who has sold out every one of her shows to date, will open 2020 with her first headlining arena tour, the "Lauren Daigle World Tour."

**March 4<sup>th</sup> - 8<sup>th</sup>: 2020 SEC Women's Basketball Tournament:** The women of the Southeastern Conference return to Greenville to battle on the court for the 2020 championship title! Reserved ticket books are \$120. A ticket book contains seven tickets, one for each session, which allows one person to attend all 13 games. All ticket prices

are subject to additional taxes and fees.

**March 17<sup>th</sup>: Adam Sandler:** 8:00 PM: Tickets range from \$45 - \$183. Adam Sandler needs no introduction. Over the past thirty years, he has enjoyed phenomenal success as a comedian, actor, writer, producer and musician. "100% Fresh" was released on Netflix last year and marked Sandler's first comedy special in twenty years - now he is bringing it to Greenville!

**March 20<sup>th</sup>: WinterJam 2020:** 7:00 PM: Tickets are \$15. This is Christian music's largest annual tour and one of the top first quarter tours in the world. Artists are Crowder, Hillsong Young & Free, Andy Mineo, Building 429, RED, Austin French, and NewSong! In addition, the Pre-Jam Party is slated to feature hip-hop recording artist Riley Clemmons, Ballenger, and Zaunttee. The tour will also include a Gospel presentation from Dare2Share speaker, Zane Black.

**March 21<sup>st</sup> & 22<sup>nd</sup>: Sesame Street Live:** Tickets start at \$20. Your favorite Sesame Street friends are back in Sesame Street Live!

## **Furman University:**

864-294-2125

3300 Poinsett Hwy, Greenville  
www.2.furman.edu

**February 12<sup>th</sup> - 23<sup>rd</sup>: The Bear & After play:** Times and Dates Vary: Tickets start at \$12. An adaptation and a re-imagining where Friel taps into his inner Chekhov. "A complete break with the past -- that would be such a release."

**March 31<sup>st</sup> - April 5<sup>th</sup>: The Wolves:** Tickets start at \$18. A portrait of life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness for nine American girls who just want to score some goals.

## **SC Children's Theatre**

864-235-2885

www.scchildrenstheatre.org

**February 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup>: The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe:** Tickets are \$28 for adults and \$19 for children. What begins as an innocent exploration of an old home, winds up taking siblings Lucy, Edmund, Susan and Peter far beyond their wildest imaginations. Enjoyed by children 5 and up. Located at the Gunter Theater, 300 S. Main St, Greenville.

**February 8<sup>th</sup> - 22<sup>nd</sup>: Knuffle Bunny:** Tickets are \$10.50. Based on the book Knuffle Bunny: A Cautionary Tale by Mo Willems, Trixie, her father, & her favorite stuffed bunny set off on a trip to the laundromat. Located at the Kroc Center, 424 Westfield St, Greenville.

**March 14<sup>th</sup> - 28<sup>th</sup>: Amazing Grace:** Tickets are \$10.50. Grace loves to act out stories and when she's in her play world, everything feels real! She can be a pirate with a peg leg or even Joan of Arc and although her mother hopes she will grow up to become a doctor, lawyer or some other type of professional, Grace knows there's more in store for her! Located at the Kroc Center, 424 Westfield St, Greenville.

## **Warehouse Theatre**

864-235-6948

37 Augusta Rd, Greenville  
www.warehousetheatre.com

**February 28<sup>th</sup> - March 22<sup>nd</sup>: Hedwig & The Angry Inch:** The story of "internationally ignored song stylist" Hedwig, a fourth wall smashing East German rock & roll goddess who also happens to be the victim of a botched sex-change operation. This outrageous and unexpectedly hilarious story is dazzlingly performed by Hedwig in the form of a concert gig/stand-up comedy routine backed by the hard-rocking band "The Angry Inch." Hedwig describes her life's search for "The Origin of Love" and her other half.

## **Greenville Theatre:**

864-233-6238

444 College St., Greenville  
www.GreenvilleTheatre.org

**February 14<sup>th</sup> - 16<sup>th</sup>: A John Denver Tribute:** Tickets are \$40. Hailed as one of the nation's most exciting tribute bands, the award-winning Chris Collins & Boulder Canyon present a tribute to the music and legacy of John Denver in this special concert event!

**March 6<sup>th</sup> - 22<sup>nd</sup>: A Gentleman's Guide to Love and Murder:** When Monty Navarro, the black sheep of the D'Ysquith family, finds out he is ninth in line to inherit a dukedom, he decides to eliminate the eight heirs standing in his way. With ten Tony nominations and four wins, this original comedy is filled with unforgettable music and non-stop laughs.

**March 12<sup>th</sup> - 14<sup>th</sup>: Miss Nelson Is Missing:** Tickets start at \$15. Miss Nelson can't control her crazy classroom because she's just too nice! But when she disappears, her replacement is the hard-as-nails, detention-loving, recess-cancelling, homework-overloading substitute teacher Viola Swamp! With the big test approaching, the kids realize how much they miss Miss Nelson, and they want her back! They even hire a private eye to solve the mystery of her disappearance and bring her back. Recommended for young audience.



**March 17<sup>th</sup>: Adam Sandler:** 8:00 PM: Located at the Bon Secours Wellness Arena, 650 N Academy St, Greenville. Tickets range from \$45 - \$183. For more detail call 864-241-3800.

**March 19<sup>th</sup> – 21<sup>st</sup>: Great Homeschool Conventions:** Located at the TD Convention Center, 1 Exposition Dr, Greenville. GHC truly is the Homeschooling Event of the Year! [greathomeschoolconventions.com/locations/south-carolina/](http://greathomeschoolconventions.com/locations/south-carolina/)

**March 20<sup>th</sup>: The Slugs & Bugs Show:** 5:30 PM: Located at the TD Convention Center, 1 Exposition Dr, Greenville. [www.slugsandbugs.com](http://www.slugsandbugs.com)

**March 20<sup>th</sup> – 22<sup>nd</sup>: Weecycled Wear Children's Consignment Sale:** Fri: 9:00 AM – 7:00 PM, Sat: 9:00 AM – 5:00 PM & Sun: 12:00 PM – 5:00 PM: Located at the TD Convention Center, 1 Exposition Dr, Greenville. This is a huge event for any Mom, Dad or Grandparent! Come shop or sell your gently used baby/kid items for a great price! For more info: [www.weecycledwear.com](http://www.weecycledwear.com)

**March 21<sup>st</sup>: The Cinderella Project:** 10:00 AM – 1:00 PM: Located at 7 Shannon Dr, Greenville. The program provides gently used and new prom dresses, shoes and accessories to students all over the state. [www.cinderellaprojectsc.com/](http://www.cinderellaprojectsc.com/)

**March 27<sup>th</sup>: Contra Dance:** 7:30 PM - 11:00 PM: Located at Landmark Hall, 156 Landmark Dr, Taylors. All dances have live music and a caller, and there is a lesson for new dancers from 7:30-8 before every dance. No need to bring a partner and dress comfortable. \$8 per person. [hmfspresident@google.com](mailto:hmfspresident@google.com)

**March 28<sup>th</sup>: Race the Helix-Upstate:** 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM: Located at the Lake Conestee Nature Park, 840 Mauldin Road, Greenville. Join us for the sixth annual Upstate race, inspired by one family's desire to raise awareness for genetic disorders and funding for genetic research! For more info: [runsignup.com/Race/SC/Greenville/RaceTheHelixUpstate](http://runsignup.com/Race/SC/Greenville/RaceTheHelixUpstate)

**March 28<sup>th</sup>: Greenville Brunch Festival:** 12:00 PM – 4:00 PM; Early Entry at 11 AM: Located at Flour Field, 945 S Main St, Greenville. Local restaurants serving up tasty brunch samples. Mimosas, Brunch Punch, Bloody Mary's, Beer & Wine. Live Music and DJ. Restaurants will be providing brunch samples for \$3 each, paid directly to each restaurant. [greenvillebrunchfestival.com](http://greenvillebrunchfestival.com)



With Valentine's Day approaching, our thoughts turn to love and various memories, expressions, and expectations associated with this holiday. Memories of a special Valentine's Day, being single and avoiding the dreaded "card aisle", counting the cards received in grade school, possible disappointment after high hopes, or maybe a time you gave or received a perfect gift. Sometimes all the "hype" can create unrealistic expectations and put pressure on us unless we pause to focus on love and what that means to our relationships and to ourselves. No matter our current romantic partner status, there's ample opportunity for meaningful, creative, affirming expressions of love in many ways for all sorts of relationships. Whether single, married or in a romantic relationship, a young child or an older adult, we all need unconditional love, respect, recognition, and affirmation. We feel even happier when we make a difference by showing love and gratitude for another person.

Greek culture identified four primary types of love: Agape or unconditional, spiritual love; Eros or romantic, physical love; Philia or affectionate love as with friends, and Philautia or self-love by having compassion, respect and acceptance for oneself. Valentine's Day gives all of us an opportunity to give and receive gestures of love in unique, significant ways.

Practicing self-love may be a good starting point this Valentine's Day. If we confidently take care of our own physical, spiritual, mental and emotional needs...yes even sometimes *first*...then the more we're able to love others. Fill *your* cup first and then it can overflow to others around you. The particularly unique ways we do this

depends on time demands and preferred ways to be replenished. Doing something physical daily and taking pauses for quiet time is good. Avoiding our devices at bedtime and first thing in the morning are also excellent ideas.

Once we've committed to taking care of ourselves, we're then free to be generous, creative, and joyous in our expressions of love on Valentine's Day. Choose your own creative ways to say, "I love you" and "I'm grateful for you".

In a couple's relationship, tailor your gesture to what your partner would truly like...a thoughtfully chosen gift, breakfast in bed, quality time together, words of affirmation in a love letter or special card. Perhaps place love notes around the house, make your own card, put a favorite photo of the two of you in a simple frame, plan a day of surprises, have a candlelight "picnic" at home or try a new restaurant. Your gesture may be tame, "out of the box", or extravagant. Just have fun!

If you're single, avoid that inner critic and any negative thoughts by doing something fun, nurturing yourself, planning special things to do by yourself or with a friend, and focus on recognizing others with whom you are close. Friends, family members, co-workers, and close friends all appreciate being recognized. Even choosing to simply focus on acts of kindness toward any person you meet and or those who feel "invisible" may be the most powerful way of expressing love.

"Accustom yourself to many acts of love, for they enkindle and melt the soul". (Teresa of Avila)

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# Upstate Kids

**February 1<sup>st</sup>: My First Drive-In Movie:** 10:30 AM – 11:15 AM: Located at the Augusta Road Library, 100 Lydia St, Greenville. Bring a box large enough to sit in and we will enjoy a short film. Ages 2-6. For details call 864-277-0161.

**February 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup>: The Lion, The Witch and The Wardrobe:** Times and Dates Vary: Located at the Gunter Theatre, 300 S Main St, Greenville. What begins as an innocent exploration of an old home, winds up taking siblings Lucy, Edmund, Susan and Peter far beyond their wildest imaginations, as they step through a huge wardrobe, into a land where an evil witch has taken control and misery reigns. Most enjoyed by children 7 years and up. For details please call: 864-235-2885.

**February 4<sup>th</sup>: Move with Me:** Reg Required: 10:00 AM – 10:30 AM: Located at the Five Forks Library, 104 Sunnydale Dr, Simpsonville. Led by Dance United's Tiffany DuPuy. Ages 18 months - 3 years with participating adult caregiver. Registration required. Details: 864-234-4904.

**February 5<sup>th</sup>: Free Music Class at Chick-fil-A Greer:** 10:00 AM: Located at 1379 West Wade Hampton Blvd, Greer. Free group music class including singing, movement, and instruments! Music class taught by NoteAbility Music School. 864-848-5222.

**February 8<sup>th</sup>: Parent & Child Create Night- Valentine's Day Craft (5-12 Years):** 6:30 PM -8:00 PM: Located at Kid-Creat, 2456 Hudson Rd, Greer. Celebrate Valentine's Day with your child! Prepare for an evening filled with love! You and your child will enjoy getting messy with clay! Air-dry clay and paint will be used to create a lovely heart-themed trinket box. Each parent and child will create their own craft. What a great keepsake! For Details call: 864-603-3621.

**February 8<sup>th</sup> – 22<sup>nd</sup>: Knuffle Bunny:** Times and Dates Vary: Located at the Kroc Center, 424 Westfield St, Greenville. Presented by South Carolina Children's Theater. Based on the book Knuffle Bunny. A Cautionary Musical is filled with adventure, song and dancing laundry and is an instant children's classic! Tickets are \$10.50. Children must be accompanied by a caregiver. For info: 864-603-3621.

**February 11<sup>th</sup>: Tell Me a Story - Pete the Cat and His Groovy Buttons by Eric Litwin:** 9:30 AM – 10:00 AM & 11:00 AM – 11:30 AM: Located at 1200 Pendleton St, Greenville. A chance for wee ones (Pre-K) to hear a favorite story read and acted out! The material may include audience participation segments or simple audience interaction. Perfect for young, wiggly patrons! \$1 per person at the door. Call us for more info: 864-235-2885.

**February 11<sup>th</sup>: Valentine Cards:** 3:30 PM – 4:30 PM: Located at the Greenville Library, 28 Heritage Green Place, Greenville. Guided craft for ages 6 & up. Supplies provided. 864-527-9248.

**February 14<sup>th</sup>: Stories, Songs & Stretches:** Reg Required: 10:00 AM – 10:30 AM: Located at the Five Forks Library, 104 Sunnydale Dr, Simpsonville. Led by Namaste and Play SC certified yoga instructor Jennifer Duda. Ages 3-6 with adult caregiver. Registration required. Call for information: 864-234-4904.

**February 14<sup>th</sup>: Elephant & Piggie Party:** 10:00 AM – 10:45 AM: Located at the Taylors Library, 316 West Main ST, Taylors. Stories, games, and crafts celebrating these favorite Mo Willems' characters. Ages 11 & under. Call for details at: 864-286-5955.

**February 14<sup>th</sup>: Kids Night Out:** 6:00 PM – 10:00 PM: Located at the Pavilion, 400

Scotwood Rd, Taylors. Drop your children off in a safe, structured environment while you enjoy a night on the town, catch a movie, grab a bite to eat, or just enjoy a nice evening of peace and quiet. Kids will enjoy playing at the bounce house, ice skating, themed crafts, a pizza dinner, and/or popcorn and a movie. Cost is \$20 per child. For children K5 – 5<sup>th</sup> grade. For Details call: 864-288-6470.

**February 25<sup>th</sup>: Tell Me a Story- Not Quite Narwhal by Jessie Sima:** 9:30 AM – 10:00 AM & 11:00 AM – 11:30 AM: Located at 1200 Pendleton St, Greenville. A chance for wee ones (Pre-K) to hear a favorite story read and acted out! The material may include audience participation segments or simple audience interaction. Perfect for young, wiggly patrons! \$1 per person at the door. 864-235-2885.

**February 28<sup>th</sup>: Pajama Party:** 10:00 AM – 10:45 AM: Located at the Taylors Library, 316 West Main St, Taylor. Wear your pajamas, listen to bedtime stories, and make a simple craft. Preschoolers. Details at: 864-268-5955.

**February 29<sup>th</sup>: Cardboard Regatta:** 2:00 PM – 5:00 PM: Located at Greenville County Aquatic Complex, 2700 W Blue Ridge Dr, Greenville. You might not be sailing the high seas, but there are troves of treasure to be won during this DIY boat race. www.





[greenvillerec.com/event/cardboard-regatta/](http://greenvillerec.com/event/cardboard-regatta/)

**March 4<sup>th</sup>: Wild for Reading:** 2:30 PM – 3:00 PM: Located at Greenville Zoo, 150 Cleveland Park Dr, Greenville. Head to the Farmland exhibit on Wednesdays for a story time and chance to meet an animal friend. For more detail call 864-467-4300.

**March 6<sup>th</sup> & 13<sup>th</sup>: Parents' Survival Night:** 6:00 PM - 10:00 PM: Located at The Little Gym, 1451 Woodruff Road, Greenville. It's like recess, for parents! Drop the kiddos off with us for a night and feel at ease knowing they are in a safe place with trained staff. Pizza, games, activities and Serious Fun are all included! For ages 3 – 12. Tickets are \$30 for non-members, \$25 for members and there is a \$5 sibling discount. Reservations are required, call or text us at 864-991-3577.

**March 7<sup>th</sup>: Character Breakfast 2020:** 8:30 AM – 10:00 AM & 11:00 AM – 12:30 PM: Located at Poinsett Club, 807 E Washington St, Greenville. Jaws dropping, cameras flashing, fairy tale celebrity sightings. What can it be and who can you see? It's the Character Breakfast! A magical morning for children and their families, the Annual Character Breakfast brings together some of the most beloved characters around. From princesses to Winnie the Pooh himself, you'll have the opportunity to get pictures with them all. Be sure to bring your appetite. For tickets call 864-235-2885.

**March 10<sup>th</sup>: Tell Me a Story-Amazing Grace:** 9:30 AM & 11:00 AM: Located at 1200 Pendleton St, Greenville. A chance for wee ones (Pre-K) to hear a favorite story read and acted out! The material may include audience participation segments or simple audience interaction. Perfect for young, wiggly patrons! \$1 per person at the door. 864-235-2885.

**March 12<sup>th</sup> – 14<sup>th</sup>: Miss Nelson Is Missing:** Times and Dates Vary: Located at the Greenville Theater, 444 College St, Greenville. Tickets start at \$15. This is a play recommend for young audience, great for the whole family! For more information visit: [www.greenvilletheatre.org](http://www.greenvilletheatre.org)

**March 15<sup>th</sup>: RC KIDS: Secret Mission Projects:** 4:00 PM – 6:00 PM: Located at Rocky Creek Baptist Church, 1801 Woodruff Rd, Greenville. Let's make a difference in the lives of others in our community. Your family will come to the church and will receive a secret package with an address and instructions complete with all the resources you will need to complete your projects. Your family, along with other families, will open your package and engage in your mission. <https://rockycreekonline.org/events/rc-kids-secret-mission-projects/>

**March 16<sup>th</sup>: Mommy's Time Off- Beach Party:** 9:00 AM – 12:00 PM: Located at Kidcreate, 2456 Hudson Rd, Greer. This drop off class is great for mommies, daddies or whoever

wants a little break! Kids - grab your sunglasses and your flip flops too! Come to class for a beach-themed art party! We're going to the beach - sort of! Your young artist will create a bunch of art projects with an ocean theme. For ages 3-9. For more info and ticket pricing call 864-603-3621.

**March 19<sup>th</sup>: Children's Storytime in Greenville:** 10:00 AM: Located at 1125 Woodruff Rd, Greenville. Join us for Barnes & Noble Children's Storytime! The fun begins at 10:00 am in the Hundred Acre Wood where we will read a story and have lots of fun doing a craft! We hope to see you there! 864-627-9197.

**March 21<sup>st</sup>: Mommy and Me Easter Bunnies:** 11:00 AM – 12:30 PM: Located at Pinots Palette, 541 Haywood Rd, Greenville. Come paint sweet Easter bunnies with Mommy! Two 8x10 canvases side-by-side, \$15 per person. For ages 7 and up. [pinotpalette.com/greenville/event/301026](http://pinotpalette.com/greenville/event/301026)

**March 21<sup>st</sup> & 22<sup>nd</sup>: Sesame Street Live:** Times Vary: Located at the Bon Secours Wellness Arena, 650 N Academy St, Greenville. Tickets start at \$20. Your favorite Sesame Street friends are back in Sesame Street Live! Make Your Magic! When magician extraordinaire Justin visits the neighborhood to put on a magic show, Elmo wants to join in. But there's one problem: Elmo doesn't know how to do magic, so he teams up with Justin, Abby, and friends to practice

his trick while discovering the magical moments in everyday life! [bonsecoursarena.com](http://bonsecoursarena.com)

**March 24<sup>th</sup>: Tell Me a Story-The Astonishing Secret of Awesome Man:** 9:30 AM & 11:00 AM: Located at 1200 Pendleton St, Greenville. A chance for wee ones (Pre-K) to hear a favorite story read and acted out! The material may include audience participation segments or simple audience interaction. Perfect for young, wiggly patrons! \$1 per person at the door. Call for further details: 864-235-2885.

**March 27<sup>th</sup>: Mommy's Time Off- April Fool's Day:** 9:00 AM – 12:00 PM: Located at Kidcreate, 2456 Hudson Rd, Greer. This drop off class is great for parents and caregivers that want a little break! We'll get simply silly as we celebrate April Fool's Day by creating some unbelievably hilarious craft pranks! For ages 3-9. For more info and ticket pricing call 864-603-3621.

**March 28<sup>th</sup>: Kids in the Kitchen - Family Dinner:** 10:00 AM – 12:00 PM: Located at Wild Abandon Kitchen, 1 Botnay Rd, Greenville. Recipes will include chicken enchiladas, fresh salsa, and zesty corn casserole. This hands-on class will teach basic techniques and skills that can be used with a variety of recipes and get your kids ready to help with family dinners. Class members will enjoy sampling all the delicious food. Best for ages 8 and up. [www.eventbrite.com/e/kids-in-the-kitchen-fa](http://www.eventbrite.com/e/kids-in-the-kitchen-fa)



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