

2009 Calendar of Downtown Events

Dates confirmed as of February 20, 2009



January

New Year's Eve	12/31 & 1/1	DBA posts to website & sends to media contacts a list of activities	www.downtownboise.org
First Thursday- NO	1/1/09	DBA produces brochure of events and posts to website and sends to media. DBA manages media ad campaign.	www.downtownboise.org
A Bridal Extravaganza	1/03 & 1/04/2009	Wedding trade show open to the public, held at Boise Centre on the Grove.	www.abridalextravaganza.com/
The Wedding Party Show	1/10 & 1/11/2009	Wedding trade show open to the public, held at Boise Centre on the Grove.	www.weddingparty-boise.com/
Martin Luther King Day	1/19/09	Holiday	

February

First Thursday	2/05/09	DBA produces brochure of events and posts to website and sends to media. DBA manages media ad campaign.	www.downtownboise.org
Valentine's Day	2/14/09	DBA posts to website & sends to media contacts a list of activities	www.downtownboise.org
Mardi Gras	2/24/09	DBA posts to website & sends to media contacts a list of activities	www.downtownboise.org

March

First Thursday	3/05/09	DBA produces brochure of events and posts to website and sends to media. DBA manages media ad campaign.	www.downtownboise.org
St. Patrick's Day	3/17/09	DBA posts to website & sends to media contacts a list of activities	www.downtownboise.org
Mad Hatter Run	3/21/09	Annual event starts at Julia Davis Park, ends at Ann Morrison Park	www.spondoro.com/
US Bank Flower & Garden Show	3/20 – 3/22/2009	Annual garden show held at the Boise Centre on the Grove, open to the public.	www.gardenshowboise.com/

April

First Thursday	4/02/09	DBA produces brochure of events and posts to website and sends to media. DBA manages media ad campaign.	www.downtownboise.org
Gene Harris Jazz Festival- Jazz Bash	4/03 – 4/04/08	Jordan Ballroom, Boise State University. 8am- 9pm	www.geneharris.org
DBA Annual Meeting	4/22/09	Annual 'State of Downtown' Meeting	www.downtownboise.org
Saturday Market	4/18/08	Capital City Public Market starts late April, runs from 9:30am- 1:30pm on 8 th Street	www.capitalcitypublicmarket.com
Prom	weekends	Area schools hold proms at downtown venues.	

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May

Boise Music Week	5/1-5/9	Celebration of music at various locations.	www.boisemusicweek.org
First Thursday	5/07/09	DBA produces brochure of events and posts to website and sends to media. DBA manages media ad campaign.	www.downtownboise.org
Martini Mix-Off	Month of May	Various downtown establishments host martini-mixing competitions on various evenings.	www.downtownboise.org
Saturday Market	Saturdays	Capital City Public Market runs from 9:30am-1:30pm on 8 th Street	www.capitalcitypublicmarket.com
Cinco De Mayo	5/05/09	Annual Block party in BoDo	www.cafeole.com
Komen Boise Race for the Cure	5/9/09	Race to benefit breast cancer research.	http://race.komenboise.org/
Mother's Day	5/10/09	DBA Coordinates list of activities for members and posts to website	www.downtownboise.org
May in Motion	5/16/08	May In Motion (Alternative Transportation), national Bike To Work day. Street Closure from 6am-2pm.	
Memorial Day	5/25/09	Holiday	

June

First Thursday	6/04/09	DBA produces brochure of events and posts to website and sends to media. DBA manages media ad campaign.	www.downtownboise.org
Kid for a Night	6/5/09	St Luke's Foundation Annual Fundraiser at the Boise Centre on the Grove	www.stlukesonline.org
St. Al's Capitol Classic Race	6/06/2009	Children's race. Starts at Depot, ends at Statehouse.	www.saintalphonsus.org
Saturday Market	Saturdays	Capital City Public Market runs from 9:30am-1:30pm on 8 th Street	www.capitalcitypublicmarket.com
Alive After Five	Wednesdays	DBA Event runs every Wednesday, June – September, from 5-8pm on the Grove Plaza.	www.downtownboise.org
Graduation Ceremonies	Various dates	Graduation ceremonies are celebrated at various locations throughout the month.	
Ironman 70.3-Boise	06/13/09	Nationally-known race, events to be confirmed at Boise Centre on the Grove	http://www.ironmanlive.com/events/ironman70.3/boise70.3
1 st Annual See Jane Run ½ Marathon & 5K	06/20/09	It's the See Jane Run Half Marathon and 5K! It's got a beautiful course and a finish-line celebration with champagne and chocolate. And don't forget the kids' race. 8am, Julia Davis Park	http://www.seejanerun.com/t-See-Jane-Run-Half-Marathon-and-5K.aspx
Father's Day	6/21/09	DBA Coordinates list of activities for members and posts to website	www.downtownboise.org
Father's Day Car Show	6/21/09	Kenny's Rod Shop Show-n-shine car show downtown, on 8 th St.	http://www.rpmprod.com/
Gene Harris Jazz Festival- "Jazz in June"	6/19/08-6/21/08	Club night, June 19, will feature jazz at various venues in Downtown Boise and a New Talent Contest.	www.geneharris.org

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A Mile for Men's Health	6/27/08	Main Street Mile's family fun run to promote prostate cancer awareness.	www.mainstreetmile.org/
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Add your event to our online calendar at www.downtownboise.org and select the EVENTS tab!

Check for updates all year long for the following venues:

- Qwest Arena** www.qwestarenaidaho.com
- Morrison Center** <http://mc.boisestate.edu>
- Knitting Factory Concert House** www.knittingfactory.com
- Egyptian Theater** www.egyptiantheatre.net
- Boise Centre on the Grove** www.boisecentre.com