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## After School Tennis Showcase



The public is invited to the After School Tennis Club Showcase on Tuesday, May 19th afternoon from 4-6 pm at the Ben Cook Tennis Center, 640 Woodland Drive in Kershaw. The tennis students will be playing matches with one another to showcase the tennis skills they have learned. It will be a big finale for the school year, with food, fun, prizes and Tennis! All are welcome to attend!

## Rescheduled to June 2 - Lancaster County Historical Commission Meeting

The Lancaster County Historical Commission regular meeting scheduled for Tuesday, May 12, 2026, at 4:00 p.m. has been rescheduled. The next Historical Commission regular meeting will be held on Tuesday, June 2, 2026, at 4:00 p.m. The next meeting will be held at the Lancaster County Historical Courthouse, located at 100 N. Main Street, Lancaster, SC 29720.

A copy of this notice can be found on the County's website calendar and in the lobby of the County Administration Building.

<https://lancastercosc.portal.civicclerk.com/event/914/files/agenda/2573>

## Buford Battlefield Memorial Program May 23

**Buford Battlefield Memorial Program**

Saturday May 23<sup>rd</sup> 10:30 am  
262 Rocky River Road Lancaster, SC

Friends of the Buford Massacre Battlefield

The Friends of the Buford Massacre Battlefield will host its annual Memorial Day Program at 11:30 am, immediately following the Sons of the American Revolution commemoration, which begins at 10:30 am.

Speakers include the Daughters of the American Revolution State Regent, State Representative Brandon Newton, and the Veterans of Foreign Wars State Commander.

Attendees are encouraged to bring lawn chairs, insect repellent, sunscreen and water for their comfort, as the program is outdoors.

www.friendsobufordmassacrebattlefield.com

SOUTH CAROLINA SOCIETY  
SONS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION

The annual Buford Battlefield Memorial Day celebration will be on Saturday, May 23 at 10:30 at the site, 262 Rocky River Road, Lancaster. The program begins with the Sons of the American Revolution commemoration, followed at 11:30 by the Friends of the Buford Massacre Battlefield Memorial Day program.

This Revolutionary War battlefield is the site of a very important battle, as it was the turning point for support of the revolution in the backcountry. Various knows as Buford's Defeat, the Battle of the Waxhaws, and Buford's Massacre, the slaughter of unarmed Patriots by the British caused the backcountry to rise against the British.

Attendees are encouraged to bring lawn chairs, insect repellent, sunscreen and water for their comfort, as the program is outdoors. Parking is available at the

site.

For more information, contact the Friends of the Buford Massacre Battlefield at friendsobufmb1780@gmail.com or www.friendsobufordmassacrebattlefield.com.

## Kershaw's Springathon Came to Life This Past Weekend



Gwynn Leaird Photo

The Annual Springathon did not disappoint with so many things to do for the whole family. A huge thank you to all of our amazing vendors, food trucks, sponsors, the Kershaw Chamber of Commerce, and the Town of Kershaw for helping make Spring-A-Thon such a wonderful success!

Your support, hard work, and community spirit helped create a fun-filled event for everyone to enjoy. From the delicious food and unique vendors to the entertainment and activities, none of it would have been possible without each of you. The Chamber could not get the carnival rides but we did get the four inflatable games, obstacle course, bounce house, and slides that the kids could enjoy free of charge to make it more family affordable.



Thank you for coming together to support our community and make Spring-A-Thon a memorable event for all!



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