

# <sup>\*</sup> 2024 - 2025 CALENDAR

## IGNC Abrazo Reception\*

Saturday, January 11, 2025 6:30 p.m. - 9:30 p.m.l Falcon Bank 3rd floor Community Room, 7718 McPherson Rd. | Invitation only | Cocktail attirelEst: 1961

### Commander's Reception Hosted by Falcon Bank

*Thursday, January 16, 2025 7:00 p.m. |Sames Auto Arena /* Invitation or Media credentials required / Casual attire Est: 1979 / In-kind Sponsors: Sames Auto Arena & Doctors Hospital

### Diocese of Laredo - St. Augustine High School Knights 97th Anniversary Gala\*

Friday, January 24, 2025 7:30 p.m. | The Laredo Country Club \$150 per person | \$1,500+ Table of 10 - For Information call 956-724-8131 Entertainment: E7 Band from San Antonio Cocktail Attire | Est: 2018

## WBCA Red, White and BBQ

Friday - Saturday, January 31 -February 1, 2025 Friday Set up | Saturday 8am- 6pm 1848 Event Center FREE Admission/ Casual attire| Est: 2023

## WBCA Membership BBQ

Sunday, February 2, 2025 5:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m. Location: 1848 Event Center Members: No Fee Non-Members: \$25 per person WBCA membership or Media credentials required. Casual attire | Est: 1989 / In-kind Sponsor: Fuddruckers

### H-E-B Fireworks Extravaganza

Sunday, February 2, 2025 2 p.m. - 10 p.m. Tailgate & LIVE Music 8:00 p.m. Fireworks Show Location: 1848 Event Center FREE Admission/ Casual attire| Est: 1898

### Laredo Association of Realtors Run George Run 5K Run, Walk & LMC Wellness Fair\*

Saturday, February 1, 2025 Location: TBD / Registration 6:30 a.m. Sports attire | Est: 1989 Sponsored by: Laredo Medical Center,

### Boys & Girls Clubs of Laredo C.Y. Benavides III Wine Tasting Gala\*

Saturday, February 1, 2025 6:00 p.m. - 2:00 a.m. | Laredo Country Club For tickets please call Kevin Lopez at (956)242-4912 or email: kevin@bgclaredo.com Entertainment: TBD | Formal Attire| Est: 1995

### WBCA George Washington Theatre Performance

Tuesday February 4, 2025 Evening show open to thepublic Wednesday, February 5 & 6, 2025 school performances TAMIU FPA Recital Hall Two shows per day - 10am | 1pm FREE Admission | Casual Attire | Sponsored by: Castellano & Carpenter Dental Associates PC

## **Comedy Jam For George**

Friday, February 7, 2025 Location: Laredo Little Theatre Details TBD Casual attire | Est: 2004

### WBCA Pipes & Stripes Car Show Sponsored by VitalMed Urgent Care

Saturday, February 8, 2025 12:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. FREE Spectator Admission | \$25 Per Car Entry |El Metro Park & Ride | Casual attire | Est: 2015

### WBCA Carnival Sponsored by McDonald's of Laredo

February 13 – 23, 2025 Thurs. Feb. 13th: GRAND OPENING Doors Open at 4PM - McDollar Day- Rides \$1 P-O-P Days: \$30 - Feb 14, 15, 21 McMonday February 17, 2025 Fri. Feb. 21 - Sun. 23 (Gates open at 12 Noon)/ Sames Auto Arena (Parking Lot) / \$2 Admission | \$8 Pre-sale discount ticket sheets (18 tickets) - Available online & at WBCA ticket kiosk at Mall Del Norte- Valid dates for discount tickets Feb. 17-20 ONLY | Est: 1966| For complete schedule & promotions, visit: wbcacarnival.org.

McMonday February 17, 2025

## Noche de Cabaret - LULAC Council #7\*

Higher Education Award Honoree: TBA Friday, February 14, 2025 | 7:00 p.m. - 12:00 a.m. | Casa Blanca Event Center - Ballroom | \$30 per person | Table of 8: \$240 |BYOB & Food Platter | Entertainment: Calle 8 (For ticket information, please contact: Joe Gonzalez 956-949-7685) | Cocktail attire | Est: 1996

## Princess Pocahontas Pageant and Ball\*

Saturday, February 15, 2025 Pageant: \$60 per person | Location: Laredo College Guadalupe and Lilia Martinez Fine Arts Center Theater begins promptly at 7:00 p.m. Ball: \$65 per person | Location: Paseo Real -2335 Endeavor Drive (immediately follows Pageant) Formal attire required | Est: 1980

### WBCA Stars & Stripes Air Show Spectacular Sponsored by Miller Lite

Sunday, February 16, 2025 | 11:00 a.m. Laredo International Airport (Maher entrance) \$20 General Admission • 12 yrs. & under FREE \*\*Afterburner Club Sponsored by Falcon Bank: Pre-Sale: (GA included) - \$100 per person (Any Age) | Table of 10 - \$1000 Regular Price: (GA Not Included) (Area includes Complimentary Food, Complimentary Non-Alcoholic Beverages, Complimentary Beer & Access to comfort stations.) \*\*Flight Line: Pre-Sale \$35 -GA Included \$35 at gate - GA NOT Included. (Area includes Complimentary Pizza; Complimentary Non-Alcoholic Beverages & Access to comfort stations.) Additional Sponsor: Falcon Bank; In-Kind Sponsors: Ron Hoover RV & Marine Centers of

Laredo, Reliant NRG and Dominos Pizza| thewbcaairshow.org Casual attire| Est: 1998

### WBCA Carnival Sponsored by McDonald's of Laredo : *McMonday*

February 17, 2025 (Gates open at 12 Noon) FREE Gate Entry w/ McDonald's Receipt | Sames Auto Arena (Parking Lot) |\$2 Admission (without McDonald's receipt)| P.O.P. Wristbands \$20 |Est: 1966| For complete schedule & promotions, visit wbcacarnival.org

127th Washington's Birthday Celebration - Celebrating 127 Years Events, Dates, Times, Prices, and Sponsors are subject to change. \*WBCA Affiliate Organization Event



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## IBC/Commerce Bank Youth Parade Under the Stars

Thursday, February 20, 2025 6:00 p.m. / South on San Bernardo FREE general seating | Casual attire | Est: 1972

### WBCA/La Posada Hotel Welcome Luncheon\*

Friday, February 21, 2025 12:00 p.m.! La Posada Hotel - San Agustin Ballroom / Invitation or Media credentials required / Business attire | Est: 1996

Sponsored by La Posada Hotel

### Juegos de Amistad by the Boys & Girls Clubs of Laredo and the Consulate General of Mexico

Friday, February 21, 2025 Time: 3:00 PM - 5:00 PM FREE Admission Location: Benavides Boys and Girls Club of Laredo (500 Moctezuma) Est: 2021

## Caballeros Cocktail Party\*

Friday, February 21, 2025 6:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. Location: Paseo Real \$50 Per Person Formal Attire| Est. 1961

### Society of Martha Washington Colonial Pageant & Ball\*

Friday, February 21, 2025 Location: Sames Auto Arena Pageant: begins promptly at 8:00 p.m. Ball: immediately follows the Pageant Pageant Only: \$50 Pageant & Ball: \$200 per person \*\*Limited Seating Formal attire | Est: 1939

### WBCA Jalapeño Festival Sponsored by La Costeña

Friday February 21, 2025
Location: Uni-Trade Stadium
General Entry: Single Day Pass \$40 | 2 Day pass \$60
Hot Spot \$100 | Club Level \$250
Friday: 6 p.m. - 1 a.m. | Entertainment: Duelo - Deparranda
Additional Sponsors: Bud Light, Miller Lite, South Texas
Ford Dealers, Whataburger, Reliant and Ron Hoover RV
& Marine Centers of Laredo | In-kind Sponsors: Z-93/Big
Buck 98.1, Taco Palenque & Dominos Pizza| jalapenofestival.org | Casual attire | Est. 1978

### WBCA/IGNC International Bridge Ceremony Sponsored by La Posada Hotel

Saturday, February 22, 2025 7:30 a.m. | Juarez-Lincoln Bridge Invitation or Media credentials required Business attire | Est: 1961

# Anheuser-Busch Washington's Birthday Parade

Saturday, February 22, 2025 | 9:00 a.m. South on San Bernardo| FREE general seating Casual attire | Est: 1898 Additional Sponsor: Person, Mohrer, Morales, Boddy, Garcia, Gutierrez, PLLC (PMBG).

# Mr. South Texas Luncheon Hosted by Texas Community Bank

Honoree: David Winfield Killam Saturday, February 22, 2025 | 12:00 p.m. Laredo Country Club|\$150 per person |\$1,500 table of 10| Business attire | Est: 1952

#### Noche Mexicana: A Presentation of Señor y Señora Internacional - LULAC Council #12\*

Saturday, February 22, 2025 6:30 p.m. | 1848 Webb County Fairgrounds Pavilion \$TBD. Black tie| Est: 1925

# WBCA Jalapeño Festival Sponsored by La Costeña

Saturday, February 22, 2025 Location: Uni-Trade Stadium General Entry: Single Day Pass \$40 | 2 Day pass \$60 Hot Spot \$100 | Club Level \$250 Saturday: 6 p.m. - 1 a.m. | Entertainment: Intocable Randy Rogers Band Additional Sponsors: Bud Light, Miller Lite, South Texas Ford Dealers, Whataburger, Reliant and Ron Hoover RV & Marine Centers of Laredo | In-kind Sponsors: Z-93/Big Buck 98.1, Taco Palenque & Dominos Pizza| jalapenofesti-

### Society of Martha Washington Cocktail Party\*

val.org | Casual attire | Est. 1978

Saturday, February 22, 2025 7:00 p.m. Laredo Country Club -- \$100 per person Cocktail attire | Est: 1939

### WBCA President's Cup Golf Tournament Sponsored by Vantage Bank

Friday, February 28, 2025 Laredo Country Club | 1415 Country Club Dr. Open to all ages | Casual attire | Est: 2019| Register at wbcalaredo.org | \$200 entry fee. Additonal Sponsors Include:

### Laredo College Family Fun Fest and Musicale\*

Saturday, March 1, 2025 12:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.|Laredo College campus |Entertainment: LC Musicale Free admission| Casual attire | Est: 1988

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