>events calendar

JACKSON

December 4-21

New Stage Theatre presents Peter Pan. Details and tickets at newstagetheatre.com.

December 5-6

Belhaven Universitys **Singing Christmas** Tree. 7:30 p.m. both evenings in the Belhaven Soccer Bowl. For details, Belhaven.edu.



December 6

Lifeway book signing for Mississippi Christian Living favorite columnist Martin Willoughby! You can have Martin personalize copies of Intentional Faith from 1-4:00 p.m.

December 6

Jackson's Christmas Parade begins at noon in downtown Jackson.

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MS Museum of Natural Science invites you to the Gift Shop Holiday Open House. 10 a.m.–3 p.m. Shop for unique MS made gifts. Enjoy free gift-wrapping and Joe Mac Hudspeth. Jr. signs his book, My Southern Wild.

December 6-7

Chimneyville Crafts Festival at the Mississippi Trade Mart. A Jackson tradition! See craftsmensquildofms.org for times and details.



December 6-7

The Nutcracker at Thalia Mara Hall presented by Ballet Mississippi. balletms.com

December 20-21

Ballet Magnificat presents "Most **Incredible Christmas"** at

Thalia Mara Hall. Admission is free, but reserved tickets are required. 601.977.1001 or balletmagnificat.com.

December 20

Mississippi Children's Museum presents "The Santa Institute" from 10 a.m.–2 p.m. Get answers to all of your questions about Santa, his elves, and the reindeer. For details see mississippichildrensmuseum.com.

December 5, 12, and 13

Sounds of the Season in the Old Capitol Rotunda. Enjoy local choirs at noon on these days. For details and specific choir performances. 601.576.6920 or email info@oldcapitolmuseum.com.

BOLTON

December 13

Annual Christmas Parade begins at 10 a.m. For information or to enter your band or your group, call Ms. Alfenette Robinson at 601.866.4247.

HATTIESBURG

December 17-23

Zoo Lights from 6-8 p.m. each night! A great family event includes unlimited train

and carousel rides and much more. Hattiesburgzoo.com for details.

INVERNESS

December 6-7

Follow the Star: A Walk to the Manger. An original Christmas Story presented as a dramatic musical tour unfolding as you "walk" through each scene to the manger: 5:30-7:00 p.m. Tours begin every 15 minutes. Family-friendly and free! 662.207.0425 or 662.207.0743.

KOSCIUSKO

December 5

The Attala County Historical Society invites you to enjoy the Candlelight Tour of Historic Homes and Structures. 5–8 p.m. Enjoy caroling, refreshments, and the decorations of some of Kosciusko's most beautiful homes. 662.289.2981 for more details.

MADISON

December 4-7

The Madison Square Center for the Arts presents "Miracle on 34th Street." For details and tickets see madisoncenterplayers.org.

PEARL

December 6

The Jingle Bell Market takes place at Trustmark Park from 9 a.m.-4 p.m. Food, vendors, exhibits, music and more. pearlms.org.

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