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- Petfest ... and more!

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## Upcoming Events

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### Holiday Block Party in Historic Downtown Anniston!

Sponsored by The Anniston Water Board and Solutia, Inc.



**Get the kids and kick off the Holidays at the Biggest Block Party!**

**Saturday, Nov. 5, 2-6 pm - 1000 Block of Noble St**

- Ice carvings on the hour
- Free face painting by the library
- Zumba & Yoga demonstrations
- Sidewalk Sales
- Music & Food
- Santa photos by Jim Johnson (Santa's beard is real)

### The Rabbit Hutch Gift Shop

**29<sup>th</sup> Annual Christmas Open House**



**November 6<sup>th</sup>, 1pm-5pm.**

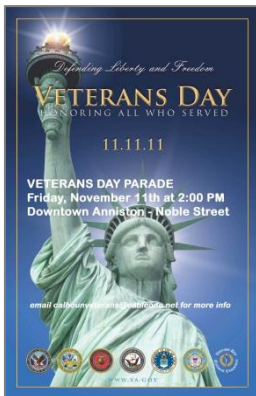
Christmas will be here soon! Kick off the holiday season by attending the 29<sup>th</sup> Annual Christmas Open House Sunday, November 6<sup>th</sup>, 1pm-5pm.

- Specials
- Refreshments
- Gourmet sampling
- Door prizes

We will be closed November 3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup>, and 5<sup>th</sup> so the elves can get everything done! 1026 Noble St. (256) 236-5541, [www.rabbithutchgiftshop.com](http://www.rabbithutchgiftshop.com).

### Veterans Day Parade

Sponsored by the Calhoun County Veterans Organization, Inc., CCVO.



**Come out and show your support and appreciation to honor our local veterans.**

**Friday, November 11th at 2:00 pm**

The City of Anniston will close a mile of Noble Street between 8<sup>th</sup> and 16<sup>th</sup> streets beginning at 11:00 am. The parade route begins at 15<sup>th</sup> & Noble St and ends at 8<sup>th</sup> and Noble St.

Contact Michael B. Abrams (256) 435-1910 or (256) 453-3840, [annistonvetdayparade@cablone.net](mailto:annistonvetdayparade@cablone.net), or Linda Pegg, Chairperson-CCVO, at 515 East 18<sup>th</sup> Street Anniston, AL 36207-3964, (256) 591-3093, [linda.ccvo@gmail.com](mailto:linda.ccvo@gmail.com).

## Live Music

Chris Carpenter



Friday, October 28<sup>th</sup> 4:00pm & 8:30pm-11:30pm

Chris Carpenter, Nashville singer and songwriter, will be performing at CD Cellar Friday, October 28th at 4pm. He will be performing again later that evening at The Peerless Saloon from 8:30pm-11:30pm.

## Anthony's Brick Oven & Brew Pub

2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Zombie Walk and Pub Crawl



Friday, Oct. 28<sup>th</sup> 5pm-...

We will be having our 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Noble Street Zombie Walk and Pub Crawl. The festivities begin at Anthony's, where we will crown Mr. and Mrs. Noble Zombie 2011, and then will proceed to other venues on Noble St., ending at The Smoking Moose Saloon.

## Animal Medical Center

5th Annual Petfest 2011



Saturday, October 29<sup>th</sup>, 10am-2pm in Zinn Park

- Live music
- Contests, prizes, and giveaways
- Trick-or-treating for humans and pets
- Food
- Costume contests for the whole family
- Working dog demonstration

All proceeds benefit local animal rescues and shelters. For more information or to inquire on booths or donations, please e-mail [shannonmedhuslvt@amcvets.com](mailto:shannonmedhuslvt@amcvets.com) or [susanbryantlvt@amcvets.com](mailto:susanbryantlvt@amcvets.com).

## Merchant News – New Business Openings

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### Len Jae's Accessory City



Len Jae's Accessory City is coming to 1103 Noble St. (formerly On Time Fashions).

Owner Syvana Dorman says she will carry clothes, handbags, belts, shoes, and jewelry. (256)238-9932.

## Anniston Yoga Center



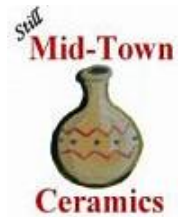
### Open House Friday, November 11<sup>th</sup> from 10am-5pm

Anniston Yoga Center has found a home at 907 Noble St. Mariya Bullock, formerly a physical therapist in the Ukraine, has classes for all levels, beginning to advanced. They offer a variety of morning and evening classes to suit everyone.

For more information, call Mariya Bullock at 256.403.3328, or visit <http://www.yogaannistonAlabama.com>.

## Still Mid-Town Ceramics

50% off all Halloween bisque



Tuesday, Oct. 25<sup>th</sup>-Halloween

Applies only to bisque already on shelf

1230 Noble St. (256) 236-3136

<http://www.stillmtc.com>

## ABC Store

A new ABC store is now conveniently open at 12<sup>th</sup> & Wilmer.

## Habitat for Humanity's ReStore

Habitat for Humanity's ReStore has opened at 125 W. 10<sup>th</sup> St. with hours Wednesday-Saturday, 9am-2pm.

## Mama Mia's Italian Restaurant

Mama Mia's Italian Restaurant is scheduled to open in November at 1307 Noble St.

## Property News

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### 1012 Noble St.



The new owner of 1012 Noble St. is renovating the entire building into offices and a loft apartment.

Most exciting is that he has torn off the ugly façade to expose the original.

## **The Kitchens Building**

The Kitchens building on Hwy. 202 has been purchased by a Mississippi investor who plans to subdivide it into multiple, smaller retail spaces.

## **Former Fred's Building**

The former Fred's location has been purchased by Calhoun County.

## **1219 & 1221 Noble St.**

The previous Alagasco buildings at 1219 & 1221 Noble are on the market through ERA-King. Check their website for details.

## **Spirit News**

### **Besty Bean, Executive Director**

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### **Spirit Booth**



Leigh Ann Wilder, owner of one of the newest businesses downtown, participated in the Spirit booth at the Chamber Expo on Oct. 18, along with GEM Shoes, Nunnally's Custom Framing, The Peerless Grille, Lance Johnson Studios, Noble St. Properties (Watermark Tower), and Rabbit Hutch.

Leigh Ann teaches Zumba, tumbling and dance.

### **New Members**

The Spirit Board of Directors welcomes several new members including Johnny Byrd, Pete Conroy, Lewis Downing, Marc Jones, Gayle Macolly, Alberta McCrory, Sherlynn McWhorter, Tony Orłowski, and Rev. Lee Shafer. They join Ray Bryan, Georgia Calhoun, Willie Duncan, Jim Friend, David George, Peggy Grubbs, Julie Hansek, Maudine Holloway, Tom McNaron, Sam Phillips, John Rogers, Julie Tyson, and Terry Womack.