

Coral Gables Farmers Market Event Schedule Saturday Mornings January 12 through March 23, 2013

Each week, in addition to live music, just-picked produce, baked goods and plants, the Coral Gables Farmers Market, located in front of City Hall at 405 Biltmore Way, offers free activities for the Market shoppers.

At 8:00 a.m., a free class in Tai Chi is offered in Merrick Park

At 9:00 a.m., a free gardening workshop is conducted by local experts. In case of rain, the workshop will be held inside City Hall.

At 10:00 a.m., a master chef creates a dish for shoppers to sample.

At 11:00 a.m., there are wonderful children's activities for our younger Market shoppers.

January 12

9:00 a.m. Gardening Workshop – “An Edible Garden” presented by Cindy David

10:00 a.m. Cooking Demonstration by Seasons 52

11:00 a.m. Children's Activity - Hosted by the Parks & Recreation Division. Make an Airplane craft project to take home.

January 19

9:00 a.m. Gardening Workshop - “Creating an outdoor eating, entertaining area with edibles and ornamental plant material” presented by Wendy Saltzburg

10:00 a.m. Cooking Demonstration by Diane's Kitchen

11:00 a.m. Children's Activity – Hosted by Anthony Rouzier “Henry Gets Moving” and a Relay Challenge with Henry.

January 26

9:00 a.m. Gardening Workshop - “Bromeliad” presented by Peter Kouchalakos

10:00 a.m. Cooking Demonstration by Red Koi

11:00 a.m. Children's Activity – Create a Life-sized Superhero with Socrates Alvarez.

February 2 – Green Market Day

9:00 a.m. Gardening Workshop – “Water Conservation-Rain Barrel Workshop” – Miami-Dade Consumer Service Dept. presented by Barbara Mc. Adam

10:00 a.m. Cooking Demonstration by Aromas Del Peru

11:00 a.m. Children's Activity - Hosted by Jungle Island, presenting exotic animals from the rainforest for all to enjoy.

February 9

9:00 a.m. Gardening Workshop – “Conservation in a Botanic Garden: What we do at Montgomery Botanical Center,” presented by Tracy Magellan of the Montgomery Botanical Center

10:00 a.m. Cooking Demonstration by TBA

11:00 a.m. Children's Activity - Hosted by the Parks & Recreation Division. Make a Valentine's Day project to take home.

February 16

9:00 a.m. Gardening Workshop – “Raised Bed” presented by Andres Mejides

10:00 a.m. Cooking Demonstration by Fritz & Franz Bierhauz

11:00 a.m. Children's Activity - Hosted by Fairytale Wish “Snow White.” Make a Princess and Prince Charming crown craft project to take home.

February 23

9:00 a.m. Gardening Workshop – “Orchids” presented by Peter Kouchalakos

10:00 a.m. Cooking Demonstration by TBA

11:00 a.m. Children's Activity - Hosted by the Parks & Recreation Division. Make your own Owl Mask project to take home.

March 2 – George Merrick Day at the Market

9:00 a.m. Gardening Workshop – “Propagation Techniques” presented by Karim Fernandez

10:00 a.m. Cooking Demonstration by Lori Hollander-Moldovan. Ms. Hollander-Moldovan will prepare a dish from historic times.

11:00 a.m. Children's Activity - Hosted by Books & Books – celebrating Dr. Seuss's birthday. Make a Dr. Seuss's birthday project to take home.

March 9

9:00 a.m. Gardening Workshop – “North exposure landscape designs” presented by Wendy Saltzburg

10:00 a.m. Cooking Demonstration by TBA

11:00 a.m. Children's Activity - Hosted by the Parks & Recreation Division. Make a cute Flower Pot Whale project to take home.

March 16

9:00 a.m. Gardening Workshop – “Organic Pest and Disease Control” presented by Andres Mejides

10:00 a.m. Cooking Demonstration by Caffè Abbracci

11:00 a.m. Children's Activity - Hosted by Fairytale Wish “Cinderella.” Make a Princess and Prince Charming crown craft project to take home.

March 23

9:00 a.m. Gardening Workshop – “Attracting Hummingbirds and Butterflies to your garden” presented by Cindy David

10:00 a.m. Cooking Demonstration - TBA

11:00 a.m. Children's Activity - Hosted by The Little Farm, featuring farm animals for all to enjoy.

In the 1920s, before City founder George Merrick began developing the City Beautiful, this was a thriving guava and avocado grove owned and operated by his family. Every winter, the agricultural roots of the City return to the town center in a three-month celebration of South Florida's agricultural riches, amidst the ambiance and architecture of downtown Coral Gables.

The Coral Gables Farmers Market, now in its 22nd season, is designed as a small outdoor European-style green market, with historic Coral Gables City Hall as a backdrop. The market is located at 405 Biltmore Way, in front of Coral Gables City Hall at the intersection of LeJeune Road and Biltmore Way, next to Miracle Mile. South Florida produce available at the 2013 Market includes mangos, bananas, chilies, citrus, corn, cucumbers, eggplants, spices, herbs, honey, lettuce, miniature vegetables, onions, peppers, potatoes, squash, strawberries, tomatoes, and a wide variety of plants and trees to purchase. Bake goods and gourmet specialty foods are also available.

The 22nd annual Coral Gables Farmers Markets opens Saturday, January 12, 2013, in front of City Hall in Coral Gables and runs every Saturday through March 23, 2013. Hours of the Market are from 8:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. Free gardening workshops, cooking demonstrations from fine Gables' restaurants, and children activities enhance the market experience.

The Farmers Market is organized by the City of Coral Gables. For more information, please contact the Parks & Recreation Division at 305-460-5600, email market@coralgables.com or visit our website at www.gablesrecreation.com



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