

# SENECA

# SPOTLIGHT

## PICNIC IN THE PARK: Having fun in the Park in celebration of 150 Years!

Rain moved out just in time to gather at Norton Thompson Park for an old fashioned picnic with yard games for the kids, music for all, and a laid back celebration of Seneca's 150th birthday. There were hula hoop contests, balloon creations, sidewalk chalk art for anyone who cared to try their hand at creating a masterpiece, corn hole games, badminton, and a costume contest. Music set the stage for a great way to spend a Saturday morning!



Mrs. Betty Johnson of Seneca was our first place winner in the costume contest!

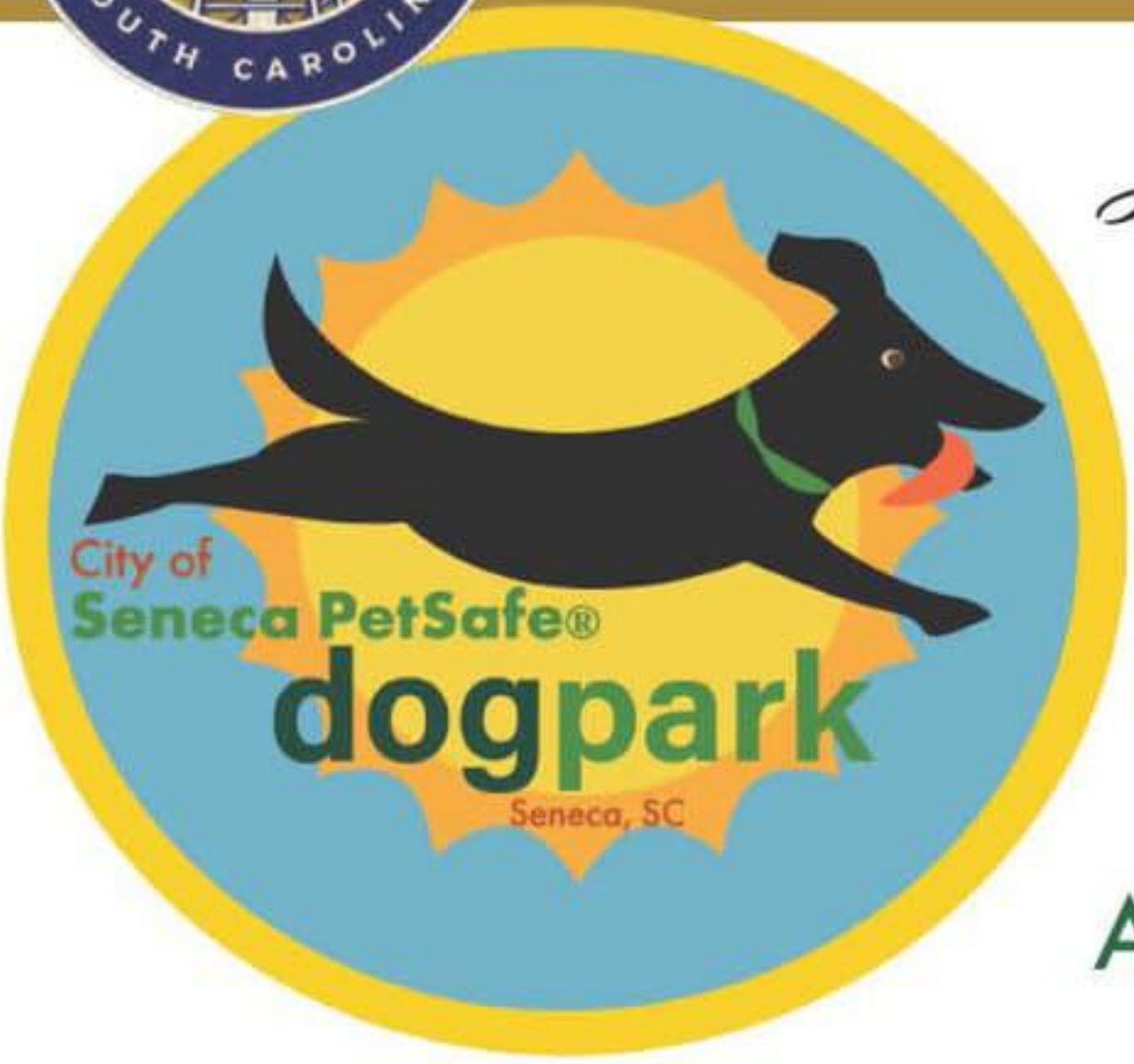


**More Sesquicentennial Events Coming up**

- Sesquicentennial/Memorial Day Laser Show  
May 25, immediately after Jazz on the Alley
- Celebrate Our Nation's Birthday & Seneca's 150th Birthday - July 4th Gignilliat Field
- Our Huge Sesquicentennial Festival  
August 12th, Norton Thompson Park



*Coming up this summer!!*



# Legacy Brick Program

to benefit the City of Seneca Dog Park

Memorialize/honor your pet,  
your family member, or a business!

At the same time, you will be supporting  
the new City of Seneca  
PetSafe Dog Park!

A program of  
City of Seneca  
221 E N First Street  
Seneca, SC 29678  
(864) 888-0880

\$100 per Brick! Purchase online @  
[www.seneca.sc.us](http://www.seneca.sc.us)

*(or download form if you wish to pay by check)*

## Dog Park Opening Late Summer 2023

**Mark your calendars**  
August 12th for  
**Seneca's Sesquicentennial**  
**Festival**  
in Downtown Seneca!

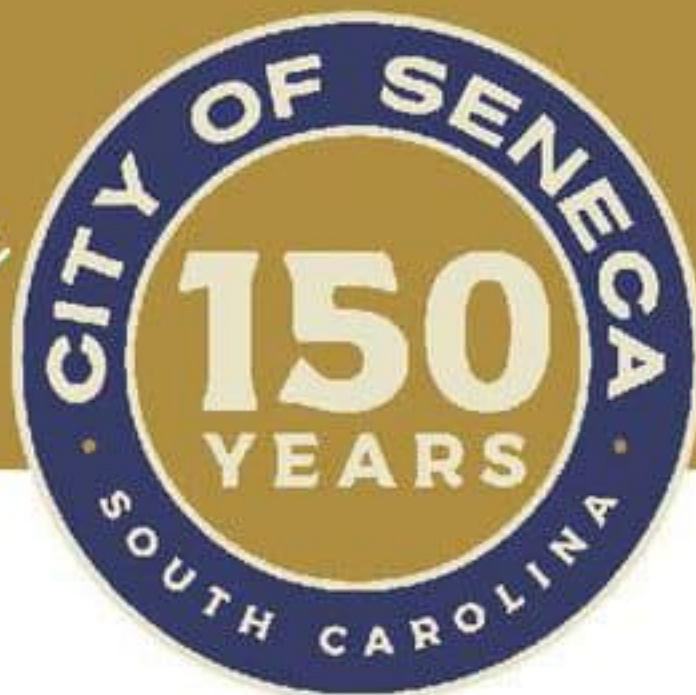
Also available mid August:  
The City's  
**Sesquicentennial**  
**Commemorative**  
**Magazine**  
*A Keepsake for Years*  
*to Come!*

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**SENECA, SC**  
*Available at City Hall Front Desk*  
**SESQUICENTENNIAL "FOREVER"**  
**FIRST CLASS ENVELOPES**

**\$1 EACH**



News from Jazz on the Alley



# Happy Hour

SHOWCASE



It's new! It's fun!

## Happy Hour Showcase on the Alley!

A showcase of emerging music professionals  
eager to share their music with you!  
Country - blue grass - classical - jazz

Every Thursday night before  
Jazz - 5:30 to 6:30 pm.

Call Riley Johnson to discuss  
your possible appearance!

864-723-3910

### jazz ON THE ALLEY

EVERY THURSDAY  
THROUGH OCTOBER  
7-9 PM • RAM CAT ALLEY

Featuring: Americas Touring Musicians



May 4  
Nathan Angelo



May 11  
Xperience Soul



May 18  
Leisha J.



May 25  
Keysa & The All-Stars

LASER  
SHOW  
following  
Jazz!

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### CITY OF SENECA PRESENTS LASER SHOW extravaganza

Thursday, May 25 at Dusk  
Norton-Thompson Park



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Jazz On  
The Alley



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CITY OF SENECA

# INDEPENDENCE DAY CELEBRATION

TUESDAY, JULY 4 / GIGNILLIAT FIELD

LIVE ON STAGE!

**DEPARTURE**  
The JOURNEY Tribute Band  
8PM



Special Guest  
**US COAST GUARD CHOIR**  
Singing National Anthem • 8pm

FESTIVITIES START @ 2PM ON TUESDAY, JULY 4

AWARD-WINNING FIREWORKS AT DUSK!

**FREE FAMILY FUN!**  
**WATERSLIDES!**  
**FOOD & DRINK VENDORS!**

BRING YOUR CHAIRS & BLANKETS  
STAY ALL DAY!

## LIVE MUSIC SCHEDULE



2:00 PM  
Split Shot



4:00 PM  
Stone Echo



6:00 PM  
Alamo

With Special Guest Britt Moore

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## NATIONAL TRANSPORTATION WEEK

May 16 - 22

Join us May 18th  
at Jazz on the Alley  
for CATbus tours  
& a special STORY TIME  
on the bus for children!



**HOT WEATHER BRINGS OUTDOOR ACTIVITIES ... AND MOSQUITOES!**



**Upcoming 2023 Spray Dates**  
May 5, May 19, June 2, June 16,  
June 30, July 14, July 28,  
August 11, August 25,  
September 8, September 22

Spraying occurs in the evenings  
beginning around 8:30 pm.  
We don't spray if it's raining!  
If people are close to the area we  
are spraying, we are required  
to turn the machine off until  
we have moved past them.

**IF YOU HAVE BEES WITHIN CITY LIMITS:**

Call Public Works at  
864-885-2750 or email  
[publicworks@seneca.sc.us](mailto:publicworks@seneca.sc.us)

# Farmer's Market

Sponsored by  
City of Seneca

**Norton Thompson Park**  
Tuesdays, Thursdays, & Saturdays  
From 6 a.m. to 12 p.m.  
Beginning 5/30/23 through 10/28/23

Featuring locally grown produce



# SENECA BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT SUPPORT CENTER

*Welcome, New Member!*

## AE BOUNCE & PARTY RENTALS

Scenes from  
**SENECA OFF THE CLOCK**  
hosted by  
**Cherry Street Marketplace/The Clay Market**  
April 18, 2023



*Business Driving Business!*

# Recent Happenings in



## Consulate General of Mexico/Raleigh visits Oconee County



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CONSULATE GENERAL OF  
MÉXICO IN RALEIGH



*The City of Seneca was host Thursday, April 27th, to an alliance of organizations and individuals in Oconee County who facilitated the recent visit of the Consulate General of Mexico/Raleigh. The consulate members were here to assist Hispanic residents of Oconee County with various services and paperwork.*

