



## 2027 TENTATIVE CALENDAR

### IGNC Abrazo Reception\*

Saturday, January 9, 2027  
6:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. | Laredo Country Club  
1415 Country Club Dr. | Invitation only | Cocktail attire | Est: 1961

### Commander's Reception Hosted by Falcon Bank

Thursday, January 14, 2027  
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 99th Anniversary Gala\*

Friday, January 22, 2027  
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 of San Antonio  
Cocktail Attire | Est: 2018

### Boys & Girls Clubs of Laredo 29th Annual C.Y. Benavides III Wine Tasting Gala\*

Saturday, January 30, 2027  
6:00 p.m. - 2:00 a.m. | Laredo Country Club  
For tickets please call (956)242-4912 or email: info@bgclaredo.com  
Entertainment Theme: A Night at Studio 54 | Black Tie | Est: 1995

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

Higher Education Award Honoree: Mindy Casso KGNS News Anchor  
Saturday, January 30, 2027  
7:00 p.m. - 12:00 a.m. |  
Casa Blanca Event Center - Ballroom |  
\$40 per person | Table of 8: \$320 | BYOB & Food Platter |  
Entertainment: Calle 8  
(For ticket information, please contact:  
Joe Gonzalez: 956-949-7685) | Cocktail attire | Est: 1996

### WBCA Red, White and BBQ Sponsored by H-E-B

Friday & Saturday January 29-30, 2027  
Friday Set up | Saturday 8am- 6pm  
1848 Event Center (Off US HWY 59)  
FREE Admission/ Casual attire | Est: 2023

### WBCA Membership BBQ

Sunday, January 31, 2027  
5:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.  
Location: 1848 Event Center (Off US HWY 59)  
Members: No Fee Non-Members: \$35 per person  
WBCA membership or Media credentials required.  
Casual attire | Est: 1989 | In-kind Sponsor: Fuddruckers

### H-E-B Fireworks Extravaganza

Sunday, January 31, 2027  
2 p.m. - 10 p.m. Tailgate & LIVE Music  
8:00 p.m. Fireworks & Drone Show  
Drone Show Co-Sponsored by Laredo Federal Credit Union | Location: 1848 Event Center (Off US HWY 59)  
FREE Admission/ Casual attire | Est: 1898

### WBCA George Washington Theatre Performance

Wednesday - Thursday February 3 - 4, 2027  
TAMIU FPA Recital Hall  
Two shows per day - 10am | 1pm FREE Admission |  
Casual Attire | Sponsored by: Castellano & Carpenter Dental Associates PC

### A Night Cap With Martha & George Sponsored by Esperanza Homes

Wednesday February 3, 2027  
Location: Laredo Little Theatre - 4802 Thomas Ave.  
Doors Open at 7:00 p.m. Shows Start at 7:30 p.m.  
\$15 Per Person  
For Ticket Information visit [wbcalaredo.org](http://wbcalaredo.org) |  
Cocktail Attire | Sponsored by: Esperanza Homes  
Laredo. Additional Sponsor: Castellano & Carpenter Dental Associates PC

### WBCA Jalapeño Festival Sponsored by La Costeña

Friday February 5, 2027  
Location: Sames Auto Arena  
GA: Single Day Pass TBA | 2 Day pass TBA  
La Costeña Hot Spot \$TBA per person Tables of 8 TBA  
Lounge Private Area (Cocktail Table of 4) -  
TBA per table | Friday: 6 p.m. - 1 a.m.  
Entertainment: TBA  
Additional Sponsors: South Texas Ford Dealers, Whataburger, Trois Enterprises, Acme Employment, SitePro Rentals and Ron Hoover RV & Marine Centers of Laredo, & Modern Construction, Esperanza Homes & PNC Bank  
In-kind Sponsors: Z-93/Big Buck 98.1, & Dominos Pizzal [jalapenofestival.org](http://jalapenofestival.org)  
Casual attire | Est. 1978

### WBCA Jalapeño Festival Sponsored by La Costeña

Saturday, February 6, 2027  
Location: Sames Auto Arena  
GA: Single Day Pass TBA | 2 Day pass TBA  
La Costeña Hot Spot \$TBA per person Tables of 8 TBA Lounge Private Area (Cocktail Table of 4) -  
TBA per table | Saturday: 6 p.m. - 1 a.m.  
Entertainment: TBA  
Additional Sponsors: South Texas Ford Dealers, Whataburger, Trois Enterprises, Acme Employment, SitePro Rentals and Ron Hoover RV & Marine Centers of Laredo, & Modern Construction, Esperanza Homes & PNC Bank  
In-kind Sponsors: Z-93/Big Buck 98.1, & Dominos Pizzal [jalapenofestival.org](http://jalapenofestival.org)  
Casual attire | Est. 1978

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

Saturday, February 6, 2027  
Location: Laredo Medical Center, 1700 E. Saunders Street  
Registration 6:30 a.m.  
Sports attire | Est: 1989  
Sponsored by: Laredo Medical Center

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

February 11 - 22, 2027  
Thurs. Feb. 11th: GRAND OPENING  
Doors Open at 5PM - McDollar Day- Rides \$1  
P-O-P Days: \$30

### McMonday February 15, 2027: P-O-P Day \$20.

For complete schedule & promotions, visit: [wbcacarnival.org](http://wbcacarnival.org).  
Admission: \$2 | \$8 Pre-sale discount ticket sheets (18 tickets) -  
Available online & at WBCA ticket kiosk at Mall Del Norte- Valid dates for discount tickets Feb. 15-18 ONLY | Est: 1966 |

### Comedy Jam For George

Friday, February 12, 2027  
Location: Laredo Little Theatre - 4802 Thomas Ave.  
Time: 7:00 p.m. & 10:00 p.m. (2 Shows)  
Pre Sale \$40 and \$40 per person day of event.  
Casual attire | Est: 2004  
[laredolittletheatre.org](http://laredolittletheatre.org)

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

Saturday, February 13, 2027  
12:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.  
FREE Spectator Admission | \$25 Per Car Entry | El Metro Park & Ride | Casual attire | Est: 2015



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### **Princess Pocahontas Pageant and Ball\***

Saturday, February 13, 2027

Pageant: \$75 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: Altezza Events 5430  
Riverside Drive (immediately follows Pageant)

Formal attire required | Est: 1980

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

February 15, 2027 (Gates open at 2:00 p.m.)

FREE Gate Entry w/ McDonald's Receipt |

Sames Auto Arena (Parking Lot) | \$2 Admission (without

McDonald's receipt) | P.O.P. Wristbands \$20 2pm -6pm:

6pm- 10pm | Est: 1966 | For complete schedule &

promotions, visit wbcacarnival.org

### **IBC/Commerce Bank Youth Parade Under the Stars**

Thursday, February 18, 2027

6:00 p.m. | South on San Bernardo

Additional Sponsor: Medline

FREE general seating | Casual attire | Est: 1972

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

Honoree: TBA

Friday, February 19, 2027

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 Lar- edo and the Consulate General of Mexico**

Friday, February 19, 2027

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 19, 2027

6:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

Location: Paseo Real - 2335 Endeavor Drive

\$50 Per Person | Formal Attire | Est. 1961

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

Friday, February 19, 2027

Location: Sames Auto Arena

Pageant: begins promptly at 8:00 p.m.

Ball: immediately follows the Pageant

Pageant Only: \$50

Pageant & Ball: \$225 per person \*\*Limited Seating

Formal attire | Est: 1939

### **WBCA/IGNC International Bridge Ceremony Sponsored by Fasken Oil & Ranch**

Saturday, February 20, 2027

7:30 a.m. | Juarez-Lincoln Bridge

Invitation or Media credentials required

Business attire | Est: 1961

### **Budweiser Washington's Birthday Parade**

Saturday, February 20, 2027 | 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: TBA

Saturday, February 20, 2027 | 12:00 p.m.

Laredo Country Club | \$175 per person | \$1,750 table of 10 |

Business attire | Est: 1952

### **Noche Mexicana: A Presentation of Señoras Internacional - LULAC Council #12\***

Saturday, February 20, 2027

7:30 p.m. | Paseo Real

Honorees:

Señora Internacional USA: Anna Benavides Galo

Señora Internacional Mexico: Carmen Lilia

Canturosas Villarreal

\$1000 table of 10 | \$100 single ticket

Black tie Est: 1925

### **Iera Carrera Binacional Transfronteriza "Bernardo Reyes - Tomás Sánchez"**

Sunday, February 21, 2027

10K/5K Adults Race - 1K Children's Race

Start times are 8:00 a.m. for the 10K and 5K races, 9:30  
a.m. for the 1 km children's race.

Registration fees are \$15 for the 10K and 5K races, and  
\$10 for the children's race.

Est: 2026

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

Friday, February 26, 2027

Laredo Country Club | 1415 Country Club Dr.

Open to all ages | Casual attire | Est: 2019 |

Register at wbcalaredo.org | \$200 entry fee.

Additional Sponsors Include:

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

Saturday, February 27, 2027

12:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. | Laredo College campus -

West End Washington Street

Entertainment: LC Musicale

Free admission | Casual attire | Est: 1988

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

Sunday, February 28, 2027 | 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, Beer for sale & Access to

comfort stations.)

\*\*Flight Line Chalet

Pre-Sale \$40 -GA Included |

\$40 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, Esperanza Homes, Medline and Dominos Pizza |

thewbcaairshow.org Casual attire | Est: 1998