Schedule of Events

March 17 - April 2

Marble Scavenger Hunt

April 1 Sculptors Arrive—Registration at B. B. Comer Library

<u>April 1-12</u> Sculptors will sculpt daily at Central Park (Central Park across from Blue Bell Creameries)*

<u>April 2-11</u>

Group Library Tours for adults and children available upon request. Check for dates and times with library staff at (256)249-0961

<u>April 2-12</u>

Marble Sculptures for Sale & Marble Product Displays Monday-Friday 9:00a.m. to 4:30p.m. Saturday 9:00a.m. to 2:30p.m. Sunday 12:00p.m. to 4:00p.m.

<u>April 2</u>

"Conversations from Gantt's Quarry" with Martha Waldrip, Shirley Williams & Glenda Gaines Harry I. Brown Auditorium, B. B. Comer Library 10:00a.m.

<u>April 3</u>

Sculptor Symposium with a Master Italian Sculptor (Closed to the public) Harry I. Brown Auditorium, B. B. Comer Library 10:00a.m.

<u>April 5</u>

"Conversations from Gantt's Quarry" with Martha Waldrip, Shirley Williams & Glenda Gaines Harry I. Brown Auditorium, B. B. Comer Library 10:00a.m.

<u>April 7</u>

"Conversations from Gantt's Quarry" with Martha Waldrip, Shirley Williams & Glenda Gaines Harry I. Brown Auditorium, B. B. Comer Library 10:00a.m.

<u>April 8</u>

American Sculptor Lecture - Pamela Paine (Open to the public with limited seating) Harry I. Brown Auditorium, B. B. Comer Library 10:00a.m.

<u>April 10</u>

"Conversations from Gantt's Quarry" with Martha Waldrip, Shirley Williams & Glenda Gaines Harry I. Brown Auditorium, B. B. Comer Library 10:00a.m.

<u>April 12</u>

Scavenger Hunt Awards Ceremony with Miss Sylacauga Harry I. Brown Auditorium, B. B. Comer Library 10:00a.m.

<u>April 12</u>

FESTIVAL ENDS 12:00 Noon

*Schedule May Change Due to Inclement Weather and Availability of Sculptors

Marble Festival Sponsors

Alabama Municipal Electric Authority Alabama Power Foundation, Inc. Alabama State Council on the Arts Alabama Tourism Department AM3 Stone Architectural Stone Imports B. B. Comer Memorial Library **Blue Bell Creameries** Blue Horizon Travel City of Pietrasanta, Italy City of Sylacauga **Conn Equipment** Coosa Valley Medical Center Curtis and Son Funeral Home Drs. Jonathan and Tara Douglas, Broadway Spinal Care First Bank of Alabama Heritage South Credit Union Imervs Isabel Anderson Comer Museum and Arts Center JLT Events, Jaclynn Long Traffanstedt Miller Lumber Company Morris Custom Marble & Granite Nemak Omya, Inc. Pizza & Pint Shoot First Video SWFN Sylacauga Arts Council Sylacauga Chamber of Commerce Sylacauga Parks & Recreation Towne Inn

Contact Information

Ted Spears—Marble Festival Chairman email: tedspears4316@gmail.com B. B. Comer Memorial Library (256) 249-0961 www.magicofmarblefestival.com

The mission of the Sylacauga Marble Festival is to recreate the magic of marble through its artistic, commercial and industrial applications.

Sylacauga Magic of Marble Festival

Sponsored by Alabama State Council on the Arts & Sylacauga Arts Council



IMERYS Quarry Tours

April 1st, 2nd & 3rd A drive through tour of the original quarry. Transportation furnished, registration is required. Please register at B. B. Comer Memorial Library. (256)249-0961 (Seating is limited. Must be 16+) 9:30a.m. to 10:30a.m.

OMYA Quarry Tours

April 8th, 9th & 10th

A lecture and viewing of the operational components of the quarry. Transportation is furnished, registration is required. Please register at B. B. Comer Memorial Library. (256)249-0961 (Seating is limited. Must be 16+) 9:30a.m. to 10:30a.m.

Scavenger Hunt

Get ready for the Marble Festival by participating in the Marble Scavenger Hunt! Applications may be picked up at B. B. Comer Memorial Library, The Sylacauga Chamber of Commerce, or Comer Museum and Art Center. The Hunt begins Monday, March 17th and ends Wednesday, April 2nd at 5:00p.m. Completed contest forms may be turned in at any of the pickup locations listed.



















The Marble Festival is located in Sylacauga, AL on North Norton Avenue at Central Park across from Blue Bell Creameries.



For more information about lodging, dining, and shopping in Sylacauga please visit the Sylacauga Chamber of Commerce website at www.sylacaugachamber.com.

Visit us on FaceBook facebook.com/marblefestival or magicofmarblefestival.com

Sculptor Frank Murphy will instruct and supervise at the sculpting site during the 2025 Festival.