

## Calendar of Events

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May 5, 2026  
- May 6, 2026

### **Lee County Water Festival for School Children, Opelika, AL**

**Opelika Sportsplex and Aquatic Center**  
**1001 SportsPlex Parkway**  
**Opelika, AL 36801**

07:30 AM - 02:00 PM CST

Susan McCrispin, 2565034911  
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*Join us in volunteering for a great educational service project for children! The experience is interactive as well as educational, and provides hands-on activities that teach them the importance of surface and groundwater, its role in the environment and its affect on human, animal and plant life.*

*For more information and volunteer registration, please use this link: [Lee County Water Festival - Volunteer Registration](#) and the parking map is below.*

May 6, 2026

### **Operator Certification "Crash Course" - Now's your time to ask questions of the pro!**

**Shades Valley Training Facility**  
**1331 Oak Grove Road**  
**Birmingham, AL 35254**

09:00 AM - 03:00 PM CST

Jeremy Creel,  
creelj@jccal.org

*Now's your time to ask questions of Jeremy Creel, Certified Grade IV Operator and Instructor!*

May 20, 2026

### **Cahaba Brewing Bingo and Social for Public Works Week**

**Cahaba Brewing Company**  
**4500 5th Ave S**  
**Birmingham, AL 35222**

07:00 PM - 09:00 PM CST

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*Join us at Cahaba Brewing Company for a night of socializing and bingo to celebrate Public Works Week!*

*Wednesday, May 20, 2026 at 7:00 pm - 9:00 pm*

*We will have 6 rounds of bingo with some fun prizes so join the fun or relax and enjoy the great atmosphere!*

*Cahaba Brewing is generously donating a portion of the beer sales to AWEA!*

*So, come out to show your appreciation for public works personnel while supporting AWEA's mission*

*to serve Alabama's water professionals and protect Alabama's clean water environment!*

September 16, 2026

### **Weather and Wastewater Day with James Spann!**

09:00 AM - 03:00 PM CST

Jeremy Creel,  
creelj@jccal.org

*Details coming soon!*

October 16, 2026

**Clay Shoot and Chili Cook-Off!**

09:00 AM - 05:00 PM CST

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*Form your teams and join us!*

*Shoot & Cook, Compete & Eat!*

*Details coming soon!*