

June 25th 10:00 a.m.– 12:00 noon

****Replant with Home Depot
12 & under - 273-4380**

June 25th 10:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

****Watermelon Slice Give Away
229-276-2612**

June 25th 11:15 a.m.

****Jr. Watermelon Eating Contest**

June 25th 1:00 p.m.

****Watermelon Chunking Contest
(Christie Guy) 229-432-0760**

June 25th 2:00 p.m.

****Big Melon & Adult Seed Spitting
229-268-8908**

June 25th 8:00 p.m.-12 Midnight

**Watermelon Dance, Cordele Lions Park
229-273-1668**

July 2nd 9:30 p.m.

**Fireworks on the Flint
GA Veterans State Park
Parking Fee \$5.00
229-276-2372**

**Official Watermelon Festival
T-Shirts Call: 229.276.2902**

Sponsors:

Ambassador Corp
Cordele Carnegie Library
Cordele Kiwanis Club
Cordele Evening Lions Club
Cordele Lions Club
Cordele Lioness Club
Crisp Area Arts Alliance
Crisp Area Visual Arts
Cordele Cruisers Car Club
Crisp Regional Health Services
Georgia Watermelon Association
Holmes Construction
Penia Baptist Church

Festival Sponsors

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Home Depot
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Colony Bank
Cordele Health & Rehabilitation
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Helena Industries*

BRONZE

*Mike Fraser's Auto Repair
Town of Arabi*

****All events, unless otherwise noted,
will be held at Crisp Regional Hospital
Park 3rd Avenue and 3th Street
Cordele, GA. 31015**

**62nd Annual
Watermelon Days Festival**

Cordele, Georgia

June 2011

(See inside for event dates)

"Watermelon Capital of the World"



"Going Green With Melons"

**For more information contact:
Cordele-Crisp Chamber
of Commerce
P O Box 158 Cordele, GA 31010
229.273.1668**

**www.cordelecrispga.com
info@cordele-crisp-chamber.com**

June 1st -17th

Watermelon Word Hunt
229-273-0885

June 3rd 10:00 a.m.

***Festival Ribbon Cutting*

June 3rd 9:00 a.m. – 12 noon

Watermelon Cooking School
South Ga. Technical College
Pre-Registration Required
229-271-4040

June 4th 7:00 p.m.

Watermelon Queen Pageant
Crisp Co. Middle School
229-273-0885

June 6th – June 30th

“How Sweet It Is” Photo Contest
Hurt & Associates
Deadline to enter: May 30
229-273-7832

June 10th 7:00 p.m.

Watermelon Road Race 5K & 10K
Impact Sports & Fitness
229-271-1900

June 11th 8:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.

Billy Williams Memorial Kiwanis Fishing Rodeo, Cordele Fish Hatchery 276-2408

June 13th 10:00 a.m. & 2:00 p.m.

Watermelon Days Puppet Show
Community Clubhouse

June 15th 10:00 a.m.

Watermelon Decorating Contest
Inside Flint River Pottery 273-1668

June 16th

Window Decorating Contest
(Countywide) - Judging June 16th
229-273-5671

June 16th 12:30 – 1:00 p.m.

WALB Noon Show –Flint River Pottery
229-273-1668

June 16th 7:00 p.m.

“This Is Your Life “
The Resort 229-273-1668

June 18th 7:00 p.m.

Watermelon Gospel Sing
Pleasant Grove Baptist Church
229-271-8096

June 18th 9:30 a.m.

Watermelon Horseshoe Tournament
Adult & Youth Divisions
Turner Park 229-273-3820

June 22nd 7:00 p.m.

Watermelon Worship Service
CCMS 229-805-2257

June 21st - 26th

Quilt Display
Sr. Citizens Ctr. 115 E. 24th Avenue
229-273-1183

June 22nd 10:00 a.m.

Downtown Taste of Melon
Community Clubhouse
229-276-2902

June 23rd 10:00 a.m.

Crisp County 4-H Dog Show
J.W. Mann Show Barn 276-2612
Pre-registration is required by June 17th

June 23rd 6:00 p.m.

The Wedding Game – CCMS
Couples Married 1– 5 years
229-273-0885

June 23rd 7:00 p.m.

Watermelon Idol- CCMS
229-273-6242

June 24th 7:30 a.m.

Watermelon Walk
Perry G. Busbee Walking Track
229-276-3212

June 24th 10:00 a.m.

Reading with the Queens
Cordele Carnegie Library 276-1300

June 25th

SAM Shortline Excursion Train
Ga. Vets Depot 229-276-0755

June 25th 9:00 a.m.

Watermelon Festival Parade
Line Up 8:30 a.m. Southgate
229-273-1668

June 25th 9:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

***Watermelon Days Car & Truck Display*
229-401-0182

June 25th 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

***Antique Tractor & Equipment Display*
229-273-3510

June 25th 9:00 – 5:00 p.m.

***Watermelon Days Arts & Crafts*
229-276-0140

***Watermelon Days Entertainment*
229-273-5609