

Event Promotion Timeline

As soon as event date is confirmed, submit event to <u>ParadiseChamber.com's online community calendar</u>. Select events will be published in the community calendar pages of the *Ridge Business Journal*.

8 WEEKS PRIOR:

- Design and create or purchase signage, flyers, posters, banners
- Send "Save the Date" email or mailer
- Contact <u>Paradise Recreation & Park District</u> to purchase space on electronic marquee
- Purchase newspaper, radio, billboard, etc. advertising

6 WEEKS PRIOR:

Publish newsletter article in your house publication

4 WEEKS PRIOR:

- Send printed invitations, if appropriate
- Email event info to contact list
- Issue press release
- Include event in all community announcements (use your contacts Town of Paradise, Upper Ridge Community Council, Paradise Rotary, Elks, Lions, churches) ongoing until event date

3 WEEKS PRIOR:

Create Facebook event and invite contacts/page followers

1 WEEK PRIOR:

- Email deadline reminder
- Create event reminder social media post

3 DAYS PRIOR:

Send media advisory to press contacts

IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING EVENT

- Issue press release recapping event, if appropriate
- Post social media promotion: photos, acknowledgements, Thank yous

For promotional support and advertising, signage, etc. Visit ParadiseChamber.com's <u>business directory</u> and <u>marketing page</u>