

## WHAT'S HAPPENING IN ST. LUCIA CALENDAR OF EVENTS 2008

### DATE

### EVENT/PUBLIC HOLIDAY

#### JANUARY

January 1  
January 2  
January 20-28

**New Year's Day Celebrations**  
**New Year's Day Holiday Celebrations**  
Nobel Laureate Week

#### FEBRUARY

**February 22**  
February 18  
February 28-March 15  
February 29

**Independence Day (29<sup>th</sup> Anniversary)**  
International Food Fair – Vieux Fort  
International Senior Over 50 Cricket Festival  
St. Lucia Music Awards

#### MARCH

March 13  
**March 21**  
**March 24**

Rhythm 'n Culture Night  
**Good Friday**  
**Easter Monday**

#### APRIL

April 15  
April 16

Vivien Richards Golf Tournament  
Cricket – *West Indies vs Sri Lanka (Day and night)*  
*3<sup>rd</sup> (ODI) zone day International*

#### MAY

**May 1**  
May 2-11  
**May 12**  
**May 22**

**Labour Day**  
St. Lucia Jazz Festival  
**Whit Monday**  
**Corpus Christi**

#### JUNE

June 8  
June 29

Launching of Carnival (Mindoo Phillip Park)  
Dennery Fish Festival

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## JULY

July 21-& 22 July

Parade of Carnival Bands

## AUGUST

### **August 1**

August

August 20

August 31

### **Emancipation Day**

School Boys Cricket Festival

Vendors Feast

Feast of St. Rose De Lima (La Rose)

## SEPTEMBER

St. Lucia International Bill Fish Tournament (TBA)

## OCTOBER

Creole Heritage Month

### **October 1**

October 17

October 26

October

October

October 30 – November 2

### **Thanks Giving Day**

Feast of La Marguerite -

Jounen Kweyol Entenasyonnal - *Int'l Creole Day celebrations*

Sandals to Sandals 10k Race (TBA)

Helen of the West Netball Festival (TBA)

Food & Rum Festival

## NOVEMBER

November 1

November 2

November

November

November 22

November - December

All Saints Day

All Souls Day

Showtime Boxing (TBC)

Festival Des Sens La St. Lucie

St. Cecilia's Day- Feast of Musicians

ARC (Atlantic Rally for Cruisers)

## DECEMBER

December

December 10

December 12

**December 13**

**December 25**

**December 26**

Kalalu Festival (TBA)

Market Feast

Festival of Lights Celebrations

**National day – Festival of Lights & Renewal**

**Christmas Day**

**Boxing Day**

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