

Calendar of Events

November 20, 2025
- December 19, 2025

2025 Shop Palmer
Downtown Palmer
832 S. Colony Way
Palmer, AK 99645

Open during Business Hours
Kelley Shoemake, 9077452880
director@palmerchamber.org

Get ready for the holiday season with the Shop Palmer program—the perfect way to support local businesses and win big!

Dates: November 20 – December 18, 2025

How it Works:

Businesses will return entry cards on November 28, December 5, December 12, and December 19. (December 18 is the last day to enter.)

Weekly prize drawings take place on Mondays: December 1, 8, 15, and 22.

Prizes:

Weekly winners can choose either two \$250 gift cards or one \$500 gift card to participating businesses.

The grand prize winner receives \$1,000 to spend at one location or split among up to four participating businesses (\$250 each).

How to Participate:

Shop at your favorite local businesses.

For every \$10 spent, earn a stamp on your entry card.

Collect 10 stamps and you could be one of our lucky winners!

Support local, shop small, and enjoy the excitement of winning with Shop Palmer 2025!

December 10, 2025

Chamber Luncheon
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11:30 AM - 01:00 PM ALA
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December 12, 2025
- December 14, 2025

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Celebrate the holiday season Palmer-style at Colony Christmas 2025! Bring your family, friends, and neighbors for a weekend full of festive cheer, community spirit, and holiday traditions that make Palmer so special. This event is a chance to connect, have fun, and experience the magic of the season together.

Throughout the weekend, enjoy a wide range of activities for all ages. Take a leisurely hayride through the town, watch or participate in the Gingerbread Contest, compete in the Cornhole Tournament, and show off your baking skills in the Cookie Contests. Be sure to catch the spectacular Parade of Lights and end the evening with fireworks that light up the Alaskan sky. Multiple craft fairs will also be featured, offering unique gifts, holiday decorations, and treats from local artisans and businesses.

Whether you're a long-time resident or visiting Palmer for the holidays, Colony Christmas 2025 promises something for everyone. Stay tuned—more details and schedules will be announced soon. Don't miss this opportunity to create lasting memories and celebrate the holiday season with your community!

December 16, 2025

Palmer City Council Meetings
Council Chambers
231 W. Evergreen Avenue.
Palmer, AK 99645
06:00 PM - 08:00 PM ALA
Regular City Council meetings are held on the second and fourth Tuesday of every month at 6:00 p.m.

January 14, 2026

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March 21, 2026

Annual Auction 2026
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Greater Palmer Chamber of Commerce Annual Auction – March 21, 2026

For those interested in donating items for the auction, please email info@palmerchamber.org. Your contributions help make this event a success and support the Chamber's mission to strengthen local businesses and foster community connections.

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May 15, 2026
- August 14, 2026

Friday Flings
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May 27, 2026

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Varies times all weekend

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June 26, 2026

2026 Best Ball Golf Tournament
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08:00 AM - 02:00 PM ALA

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Chamber Luncheon - Joint Luncheon

Alaska State Fair Grounds

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