Butterfly Festival 2015

Directions from Highways 190 & 96 in Jasper: go north on 96, turn left (west) on Houston Street.



See courthouse; find parking — **you're at Fall Fest**; 9 am to 4 pm, arts & crafts, festival food, music & more.

What else? Go to the corner of Main & Lamar (northwest corner of courthouse) to see the Jasper County Museum.

Lamar Street is filled with food vendors. The Gazebo has all day entertainment. Pet adoptions are on the south side of the courthouse.

Catch the <u>FREE</u> Butterfly Express shuttle to Water St. (1 block south) for Butterfly Festival, books sale, plant sale & free kids activities.

Enjoy a great day!



FREE kids stuff & adults, too

Outdoor Learning Center

Jasper Arboretum Project 225 Water Street, Jasper TX 75951

All day, anytime activities—including puzzles, games & crafts!

FREE tours of the Butterfly House & pollinator gardens, enjoy the swings & picnic tables

FREE tours of the Arboretum and greenhouse

Explore the new trails on the wild side of Sandy Creek. Each year we're growing!

Butterfly releases & programs:

11 am Children's Butterfly release

12:30 Tagging Butterflies for science research by Martha Hamilton

12:45 pm Help with actual tagging

1 pm Children's Butterfly release

2:30 pm Monarch Migration talk by Gene Hamilton

Master Gardener plant sale all day at the greenhouse



At Fall Fest in Jasper, Oct. 3, 2015 Saturday, 9 am - 4 pm

Butterfly releases at 11 am & 1 pm

Learn how to tag a butterfly, raise butterflies & create butterfly gardens

Tour the butterfly house with live butterflies flying all around

Free kids activities & prizes

<u>FREE</u> Butterfly Express shuttle from courthouse to greenhouse

Library Book Sale at the Fire Hall!

Master Gardener plant sale



Ride the free Butterfly Express shuttle

from Fall Fest on the courthouse square to Butterfly Festival at the Arboretum, thanks to the City of Jasper



Donations & plant sales benefit Jasper Master Gardeners, a 501(c)3 organization, and the Butterfly House & gardens at Jasper Arboretum.



Butterfly Capital of Texas

Butterfly Festival, first Saturday in October, is hosted by Jasper Master Gardeners and Master

Naturalists with the help and support of Jasper County, the City of Jasper, Jasper Arboretum Project, the Chamber of Commerce and many local businesses and individuals.



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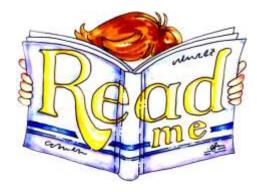
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More great stuff to do:

East Texas Photography Club's contest — vote for the *People's Choice Award in the courthouse*

LIBRARY BOOK SALE at the Fire Hall on Water St., bargains galore, plus you get to see a vintage fire truck.



Jasper County Historical Museum, Lamar & Main St., 9 am - 4 pm, so much to see! Model of the Alamo, antique weapons & memorabilia, antique China collection, glow-in-the-dark rocks, local history...

Jasper County Farmers Market will be closed this Saturday only, but you can find many of your favorite vendors on the courthouse square at Fall Fest. Regular market hours are Saturday mornings, 8 to noon in front of Tractor Supply at Hwy 190 & 96.

Holiday Market is the last market of 2015, Saturday Nov. 14, 8 am to 2 pm. Vendors: call Sybil at 409-384-3351.