Come join us to celebrate the 2nd annual Turtle Fest on April 30th in the Gulf Place Amphitheater from 1-6 pm, located at the corner of 30A and 393.

Once again the South Walton Community Council, Turtle Watch & the Merchants of Gulf Place will join together to host this fun filled day of entertaining & educational events for children of all ages. A community art contest was held in the Walton County elementary schools and all the artwork will be on display.

This unique community event marks the start of Turtle Nesting Season and provides an opportunity to not only learn about these beloved gentle creatures but also two of Walton County’s finest volunteer organizations the South Walton Community Council & Turtle Watch.

There will be something for everyone to enjoy. If you want your children to understand a little more about nature & sea turtles, you will not want to miss this day.

US Fish & Wildlife will be back to offer a hands on adventure, allowing the kids to experience the world through the eyes of a turtle. Author Paul Lowery will read from his book, “Do You Know Where the Sea Turtles go?”

This environmentally correct story of Myrtle the Loggerhead Turtle has captured the hearts of young & old.
While the children are enjoying their many activities the adults can relax to the sounds of the Forrest Williams Band or the Steel Drums of Chuck Lawson while exploring the wonderful shops the Gulf Place has to offer. You will not want to miss it!