





Photo: *Night Time Launch*, by Richard Vogel
 Indian River Lagoon National Scenic Byway

Move Over Month
 Move over for emergency vehicles

January 2019

SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
 FL SADD Awareness <i>Students Against Destructive Decisions</i>		 1 New Year's Day	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19 23
	FL SADD Awareness Begins 1/14 (Jacksonville)				Ends 1/18	
20	21 Martin Luther King Jr. Day	22	23	24	25	26
	FL SADD Awareness 1/24 - 25 (Ft. Myers), 1/26 (Miami)					
27	28 14	29	30	31	Follow us on Instagram: @fl.byways Use our hashtag #loveFLbyways	
	FL SADD Awareness 1/28 - 2/1 (Tampa, Sarasota, Bradenton)					



Drive Sober or Get Pulled Over
Drive Sober or Get Pulled Over focuses on law enforcement and their goal to stop impaired drivers. The campaign highlights a constant police presence searching for impaired drivers as a way of deterring people from driving under the influence.



- 23 **Tamiami Trail - Windows to the Gulf Coast Waters**
Designated 2003
- 14 **Martin Grade Scenic Highway**
Designated 2015



Photo: *Kayak Twins*, by Pamela Mistyhn
Indian River Lagoon National Scenic Byway

Hit and Run Awareness Month

February 2019

SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
Impaired Driving <i>Fans Don't Let Fans Drive Drunk</i> Super Bowl has become synonymous with drinking and celebrating, making roads on Super Bowl weekend dangerous. Using these materials, you can raise awareness in your community or with your officers to the heightened dangers of drunk driving on Super Bowl weekend.					1  Florida School Crossing Guard Appreciation	2
3  Super Bowl	4 FL SADD Awareness Begins 2/4 (Tallahassee)	5	6	7	8 Ends 2/8	9
10	11	12	13	14 Valentine's Day	15	16 24
17	18 President's Day	19	20 6	21 FL SADD Awareness 2/21 - 22 (Miami)	22	23
24	25 FL SADD Awareness Begins 2/25 (Miami)	26	27	28	Follow us on Instagram: @fl.byways Use our hashtag #loveFLbyways	

2019 Crossing Guard Appreciation Day (Feb. 1st)

Who are they? With stop paddle held high and often traffic whizzing by, they are out there. Despite the Florida heat, humidity and rain, they are out there. **They perform** a vital service protecting our precious children across the state. **They educate** our children how to cross safely. As professionals looked up to by students, they are vital members of your school community. They are our **Crossing Guards**. Next time you see your crossing guard, be sure to thank these special folks!

24 **The Ridge Scenic Highway**
Designated 2005

6 **Florida Black Bear**
National Scenic Byway
Designated 2008



Photo: *Riding on Green Mountain*, by Lynn Folts
Green Mountain Scenic Byway

Florida Bicycle Month

March 2019

SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT	
Impaired Driving <i>Drive Sober or Get Pulled Over</i>		 <i>Real Places. Real Stories...</i>		Follow us on Instagram: @fl.byways <i>Use our hashtag #loveFLbyways</i>		1	2
3	4	5	6 Ash Wednesday FL SADD Awareness 3/5 - 6 (Panhandle)	7	8 Ends 3/8	9	
10	11	12	13	14 FL SADD Awareness 3/14 (Chiles HS)	15	16	
17  St. Patrick's Day	18	19	20	21	22	23	
24 31	25	26	27	28	29	30	



St. Patrick's Day

Each year, St. Patrick's Day is celebrated with parades and plenty o' green alcoholic drinks. Unfortunately, it often ends with risky impaired drivers taking to the streets when the parties end. This St. Patrick's Day weekend, remember: **Drive Sober or Get Pulled Over**. If you plan to go out and enjoy the evening with alcohol, make sure you refrain from driving.

19 River of Lakes Heritage Corridor Designated 2009



Photo: *Carrabelle Lighthouse*, by Cheryl Gainer McCall
Big Bend Scenic Byway

Distracted Driving Awareness Month
 U Drive. U Text. U Pay.

April 2019

SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9 13 20	10	11	12	13
National Work Zone Awareness (NWZA) Week Begins 4/8				Go Orange Day		
14	15	16	17 3	18	19	20
NWZA Week Ends 4/15				Good Friday Passover Begins		
21 Easter	22 Earth Day	23	24 18	25	26	27
28	29	30 12	National Work Zone Awareness Week: <i>Save a life! Slow down in work zones.</i>			

DRIVE SAFE.

FLORIDA'S FUTURE DEPENDS ON IT.



#PUTITDOWN
EVERY TRIP, EVERY TIME.



13 **Lemon Bay / Myakka Trail Scenic Highway**
Designated 2008

20 **Scenic Highway 30A**
Designated 2008

3 **Bradenton Beach Scenic Highway**
Designated 2001

18 **Pensacola Scenic Bluffs Highway**
Designated 1998

12 **J.C. Penney Memorial Scenic Highway**
Designated 2010



Photo: *On the Road Again*, by Diana Suarez
Green Mountain Scenic Byway

Motorcycle Safety Month
Ride "SMART" and "Watch for Motorcycles"

May 2019

SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT	
Motorcycle Safety Awareness Month: <i>Motorists: Share the Road with Motorcyclists and Scooter Riders!</i> National Bicycle Safety Month: <i>Share the Road with Bicyclists!</i>			1	2	21	3	4
5 Cinco de Mayo	6	7	8 National Bike to School Day	9	10	11	
12 Mother's Day	13 National Click It or Ticket Enforcement Mobilization (NCITEM) Begins 5/13	14	15	16	17 National Bike to Work Day	18	
19	20	21	22	23	24	25	
26	27 Memorial Day National Tire Safety Week (NTSW) Begins 5/27	28	17	29	30	31	



Do You Ride **SMART**?

- S** Say no to drinking and riding
- M** Make yourself more visible to motorists
- A** Always wear your helmet when you ride
- R** Ride in control (within legal and personal limits)
- T** Train regularly and get endorsed

21 **Scenic Sumter Heritage Byway**
Designated 2013

5 **Courtney Campbell Scenic Highway**
Designated 2005

17 **Palma Sola Scenic Highway**
Designated 2004




Photo: *Bridge of Lions*, by Michelle Wilson
A1A Scenic & Historic Coastal Byway

National Safety Month
Week Four of this NSC campaign is Driving Safety!

June 2019

SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
National Secure Your Load Day <i>Cover and secure your load, it's the law!</i> Ride Your Motorcycle to Work Day <i>Share the Road with Motorcyclists and Scooter Riders</i>			 <i>Real Places. Real Stories...</i>		Follow us on Instagram: @fl.byways <i>Use our hashtag #loveFLbyways</i>	
2  NCITEM Ends 6/2 NTSW Ends 6/2	3	4	5	6  National Secure Your Load Day	7 15	8
9	10	11	12	13 10 1	14	15
<i>2019 Florida Teen Safe Driving Leadership Academy 6/9 - 6/11</i>						
16 Father's Day	17 Ride Your Motorcycle to Work Day	18	19	20	21	22 7
23 /	24 30	25	26	27	28	29

National Secure Your Load Day

 Have you ever had a rock hit your windshield? Then you know how quickly this can happen. Now imagine that object is a ladder or piece of furniture and the car behind that load is your family. Most states have a law on unsecured loads and you should know the law in your jurisdiction. A load must be securely fastened and is only secured when nothing can slide, fall or shift onto the road.

- 15** **Old Florida Heritage Highway**
Designated 2001
- 10** **Indian River Lagoon National Scenic Byway**
Designated 2000
- 1** **A1A Scenic & Historic Coastal Byway**
Designated 2002
- 7** **Florida Keys Scenic Highway All-American Road**
Designated 2001



Photo: *Evinston Sunrise*, by Terence Cake
 Alachua County Road 225, Old Florida Heritage Highway

Wrong Way Driving Awareness Month
 An alert driver can avoid a crash.

July 2019

SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
	1	2	3	4  ★ 4th of July Drive Sober ★	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30	31	National Heatstroke Prevention Day <i>Act fast. Save a life! Where's baby? Look before you lock!</i> Vehicle Theft Prevention Month		



4th of July Drive Sober

Celebrated across the country, Independence Day is often marked by great food, fireworks, and time making memories with family and friends. Don't let those good memories turn into nightmares by making the tragic decision to drive while under the influence. As you, your friends, and your family head out to the July Fourth festivities this summer, keep safety at the forefront. During the Fourth of July holiday weekend, make sure you plan for a safe week of festivities, keeping in mind this vital message: **Drive Sober or Get Pulled Over.**

- 16 Ormond Scenic Loop & Trail**
Designated 2007
- 8 Green Mountain Scenic Byway**
Designated 2004
- 4 Broward County A1A Scenic Highway**
Designated 2009
- 26 A1A Ocean Islands Trail**
Designated 2016



Photo: *Great Egret on Green Mountain*, by Lynn Folts
Green Mountain Scenic Byway

Child Safety Awareness Month
Car seats save kids.

August 2019

SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
<p>Back to School Safety Month</p>				1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
National Stop on Red Week Begins 8/4				National Stop on Red Week Ends 8/10		
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
			<p>National Impaired Driving Enforcement Wave Begins 8/14</p>			
18	22	19	20	21	22	23
25	26	27	28	29	30	31



National Stop on Red Week

The goal of the **Stop Red Light Running Program** is to help educate the public on the dangers of red-light running. Red-light running is a serious intersection safety issue across the nation. The **Insurance Institute for Highway Safety (IIHS)** reports that half of the people killed in red-light running crashes are not the signal violators. They are drivers and pedestrians hit by red-light runners.

22 Suncoast Scenic Parkway
Designated 2006



Photo: *Money Key*, by Elaine Weissborn
Florida Keys Scenic Highway All-American Road

September 2019

SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
1 Florida Drowsy Driving Prevention Week Begins 9/1 National Impaired Driving Enforcement Wave Ends 9/2	2 Labor Day	3	4	5	6	7
8 Florida Drowsy Driving Prevention Week Ends 9/9	9	10	11	12	13	14
15 Child Passenger Safety Week Begins 9/15	16	17	18	19	20	21 National Seat Check Saturday
22 National Rail Safety Week Begins 9/22	23	24	25	26	27	28 National Rail Safety Week Ends 9/28
29	30	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; display: flex; align-items: center;"> <div style="border: 1px solid red; padding: 2px; text-align: center; margin-right: 10px;"> <p>"FLORIDA" ARRIVE ALIVE - BUCKLE UP -</p> </div> <div> <p>Florida Drowsy Driving Prevention Week: <i>Don't drive drowsy, arrive alive!</i></p> <p>Child Passenger Safety Week: <i>Car seats save kids!</i></p> </div> </div>				



Child Passenger Safety Week

In Florida: **Children 5 years old or younger** must be properly restrained in a federally approved, crash tested, child restraint device. **Children 3 years old or younger** must be in a separate carrier or a vehicle manufacturer's integrated child seat. For **children 4 to 5 years old**, a separate carrier, an integrated child seat or a child booster seat may be used. **Children 6 to 18 years old** must be properly belted at all times regardless of location within the vehicle. In addition, FDOT follows the **American Academy of Pediatrics** recommendations that **children age 12 and under** should ride properly buckled in the back seat.



Photo: *A1A Bridge Road Banyans*, by John Masters
 Indian River Lagoon National Scenic Byway

October 2019

SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
National Teen Driver Safety Week		1	2 WALK BIKE TO SCHOOL National Walk to School Day	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15 National White Cane Safety Day	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
National Teen Driver Safety Week Begins 10/20			National School Bus Safety Week Begins 10/21		National School Bus Safety Week Ends 10/25	
				National Teen Driver Safety Week Ends 10/26		
27	28	29	30	31 DRIVE SOBER OR GET PULLED OVER Halloween	25 Follow us on Instagram: @fl.byways Use our hashtag #loveFLbyways	



**National School Bus Safety Week:
 Stop Don't Pass!**

TWO LANE: Vehicles traveling in both directions **MUST** stop.
MULTI-LANE: Vehicles traveling in both directions **MUST** stop.
DIVIDED HIGHWAY: Vehicles behind bus **MUST** stop.
 Vehicles traveling in the opposite direction must proceed with caution.

25 **William Bartram Scenic & Historic Highway**
 Designated 2005



Photo: *Castillo Pano*, by Frank Delargy
A1A Scenic & Historic Coastal Byway

November 2019

SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
Impaired Driving <i>Buzzed Driving is Drunk Driving</i>			Follow us on Instagram: @fl.byways <i>Use our hashtag #loveFLbyways</i>		1	2
3	4	5 Election Day	6	7	8	9
Drowsy Driving Prevention Week Begins 11/4		Drowsy Driving Prevention Week Ends 11/8				
10	11 Veterans Day	12	13	14 2	15	16
17	18	19 9	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27 Impaired Boycott Blackout Wednesday	28 Thanksgiving Day	29 National Impaired Driving Enforcement (NIDE) Wave Begins 11/28	30 Pre-Holiday Season Begins 11/29

Impaired Driving and Thanksgiving

This Thanksgiving holiday, NHTSA and its partners are doing even more to save lives on the road. A nationwide social media blitz—featuring hashtags **#BoycottBlackout** Wednesday and **#DitchDanksgiving**—will help deliver some new lifesaving messages into the public conversation and encourage positive actions that can help reduce danger on the roadways.

2 **Big Bend Scenic Byway**
Designated 2006

9 **Heritage Crossroads:**
Miles of History Scenic Highway
Designated 2008



Photo: *Highway 441 Micanopy*, by Keith Bailey
Old Florida Heritage Highway

Impaired Driving Prevention Month
 Drive Sober or Get Pulled Over

December 2019

SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
1 NIDE Wave Ends 12/1 Older Driver Safety Awareness Week Begins 12/1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11 Pre-Holiday Season Ends 12/10 Holiday Season Impaired Driving Begins 12/11	12	13	14 11
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25 Christmas Day	26	27	28
29	30	31 New Year's Eve	Impaired Driving Drug-Impaired Driving		Follow us on Instagram: @fl.byways Use our hashtag #loveFLbyways	

OLDER DRIVER
Safety Awareness Week

Living Life To Its Fullest
OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY



It is a fact of life that people grow older every day. With increasing age come changes in physical, mental and sensory abilities that can challenge a person's continued ability to drive safely. But there are a variety of safe travel options for people of all ages. The real need is a broader awareness of the solutions, rather than a narrow focus on the problem.

11 **Indian River Lagoon-Treasure Coast Scenic Highway Designated 2005**