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Stampede of Speed @ Texas

Motorplex

October 3-12

Stampede of Speed is a ten-day festival of music, drag racing, and amazing fan experiences leading up to the NHRA Texas Fall Nationals. Hosted at the historic Texas Motorplex. Each day is packed with fun for the entire family.

The 5th annual Stars of Texas Music Festival kicks off with a night of country music and Lone Star energy. Full lineup drops Monday, May 12—get ready for a stage packed with Texas favorites and rising stars.

Saturday the 4th

Stars of Texas turns up the heat with bull riding, BBQ, and a stacked concert lineup including Chris Young, Ashley McBryde, Ned LeDoux, and Coffey Anderson. Plus: jet cars, match races, and a lantern release under the stars.

Sunday the 5th

Close out the Stars of Texas Festival with a day built for boots, horsepower, and heart. Sunday's lineup brings country legends Clint Black, Mark Chesnutt, Mark Wills, and Gary P. Nunn to the main stage for a night of unforgettable music under the Texas stars.

For ticket prices and more information visit:

<https://www.stampedeofspeed.com/>



The 2025 State Fair of Texas, “Texas Shines Bright”

Friday, September 26, through
Sunday, October 19

The countdown is on for the State Fair of Texas, which is 57 days away. The biggest fair in Texas announced their commemorative theme art for this year, “Texas Shines Bright.”

This year's theme is inspired by Big Tex's “larger than life persona,” according to a statement on the fair website. The 55-foot-tall cowboy reigns over the fair and its attendees every year, embodying Texas culture.

Big Tex has been the State Fair of Texas' ambassador since 1952. This year's commemorative art was captured by Texas native graphic designer and illustrator Silvia Skinner at The Matchbox Studio.

Dallas Concierge will have discount tickets available on our website for the State Fair

39th Annual GrapeFest in Grapevine, TX

September 11-14, 2025 on Historic Main Street in Grapevine

Get ready to raise a glass! The highly anticipated 39th Annual GrapeFest – A Texas Wine Experience presented by Bank of the West returns for four unforgettable days featuring exceptional wine encounters and exciting festivities as part of the Largest Wine Festival in the Southwest.

Grab your boas and pearls, because this year's theme is The Grape Gatsby - a nod to the Roaring Twenties and in celebration of the 100th anniversary of the publication of the Great American Novel by F. Scott Fitzgerald - The Great Gatsby.

GrapeFest has been named one of the Top 10 Wine Festivals in the U.S., earning the #7 spot in the USA TODAY 10Best Readers' Choice Awards.

*Adult Tickets - \$12

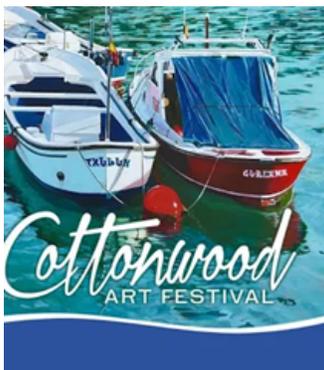
Senior (62+)/Child (6-12) - \$6 | Weekend Pass - \$25

<https://www.grapevintexasusa.com/grapefest/purchase-tickets/>

Cottonwood Arts Festival

@ Cottonwood Park

From its humble beginnings in 1969, the Cottonwood Art Festival has developed into one of the most prestigious fine art festivals in the United States. Local artists staged their first festival at the scenic Cottonwood Park in Richardson, Texas. It was all tie-dye, bell-bottoms and braids back then where the artists laid down blankets and set up easels with the hopes of selling a few pieces of art. Since that first weekend nearly five decades later, Cottonwood has established itself as signature art event, become a tradition in the community and the home to the finest artists in the country for the first weekend of May and October.



ADA Accommodations

<https://cottonwoodartfestival.com/information/>

Saturday, October 4

10:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m.

Sunday, October 5

10:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Location: 1321 W. Beltline Rd

Richardson, Tx.

FREE ADMISSION & PARKING

Plano Balloon Festival

September 18-21st

2025 marks 46 years of Ballooning in Plano and Collin County! Join in the Celebration at the H-E-B | Central Market Plano Balloon Festival, a spectacular four-day event beginning at 5:00pm Thursday, September 18th at Oak Point Park / Red Tail Pavilion, 2801 E. Spring Creek Parkway, Plano, TX 75074.



This weekend event offers something for everyone; entertainment on the Main Stage, special kid's activities, sky divers, an enormous variety of food to tempt your taste buds, merchandise and handmade products showcased, and of course the incredible hot air balloons. The balloons will be in the park Thursday at 7:00pm, Friday at 7:00pm, Saturday at 7:00am and 7:00pm, and Sunday at 7:00am (weather permitting).

Tickets are available for purchase onsite. No need to worry about selling out.

\$11.60- Adult Ticket

\$ 6.50- Kids 3-12 years old

\$ 6.50 - Seniors 65 and older

*Free for Kids 36 inches and under

*Free for all Military (including retired) with valid ID

*Free for First Responders (including Police Officers, Fire Fighters, Nurses, and Doctors) with valid ID

Valid for ID Holder Only. Limit 1 Ticket per ID.

*Not available for sale online. Must get at Onsite Ticket Booth
Going Cashless on Site

* To expedite your entry into the festival, we will be processing Parking, Admission Tickets, and Kids Fun Zone Ride Ticket Sales via a credit card, debit card, or Apple Pay instead of cash. Please come prepared to pay with a credit card, debit card or Apple Pay.



Join us for one of our favorite days of the year: our fourth annual celebration of Hispanic Heritage Month! Experience the food, dance, music, and cultures of Latin America brought together by the Hispanic communities of DFW and beyond! RSVP for FREE <https://attpac.org/event/latinidad-festival-2025>

September



Latin Culture in Full Bloom: Dallas Arboretum Hosts 8th Annual Hispanic Heritage Celebration

Weekend event features music, artisan markets, and family activities

The Dallas Arboretum and Botanical Garden invites the community to celebrate Hispanic heritage and culture during its **Hispanic Heritage Celebration**, returning Saturday and Sunday, **Sept. 13-14, 2025**. This colorful, family-friendly festival honors Latin traditions through music, food and community partnerships—all set within the Arboretum's nationally acclaimed garden setting.

Held the weekend before the opening of **¡Mundo México! at Autumn at the Arboretum**, this year's celebration kicks off a season-long exploration of Mexican art, history and innovation. Guests can enjoy live music from local bands, vibrant artisan markets and more, then return in the weeks ahead to experience large-scale installations and immersive garden displays inspired by Mexico's diverse regions.

"As the first woman and first Latina to lead the Arboretum's board, I'm thrilled to help shine a spotlight on the rich tapestry of Hispanic culture right here in our gardens," said Regina Montoya, chair of the board of the Dallas Arboretum and Botanical Garden. "This celebration isn't just about honoring tradition—it's about building bridges, sharing stories, and inviting every member of our community to feel at home among the flowers and the music."

"The Arboretum is proud to be a gathering place where cultures flourish side by side," said Sabina Carr, president and CEO of the Dallas Arboretum. "Hispanic Heritage Celebration is more than a weekend of beautiful performances—it's a way to honor the traditions that shape our community and to welcome guests of all backgrounds to experience the joy and artistry of Hispanic culture in the heart of our gardens."

Presented by Bank of America, the Hispanic Heritage Celebration features local Latin performers, artisan vendors, a quinceañera fashion show and hands-on activities for all ages. Guests can browse hand-painted pottery, traditional textiles and gourmet Latin treats from regional artisans.

New and returning musical talent: Expect high-energy sets, soulful piano and DJs throughout the weekend.

Schedule highlights

- **Quinceañera fashion show** — Saturday, 10 to 11 a.m., Rosine Hall
- **Mariachi band** — Saturday, 11 to 11:30 a.m., Entry Plaza
- **Live music all weekend** — debuts: Cayuga All Stars and Los Gran Reyes on Saturday; Javier Mendoza on Sunday. Returning acts: DJs Villa and Amaris; pianists Mauricio Campos on Saturday and Adri Rojas on Sunday
- **Sunday dance lesson** — salsa and Latin dance with Mudanza Movement, 10 a.m. to noon, Jeanne's Pavilion
- **Artisan vendor market** — both days, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., Entry Plaza
- **Animal Adventures with the Dallas Zoo** — Saturday, 10 to 10:45 a.m., Children's Adventure Garden

Full details and updates:

For the latest schedule and vendors, please visit:

dallasarboretum.org/hispanic-heritage-celebration.

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Arts District Happenings	www.thedallasartsdistrict.org/visit
Broadway Dallas @ Music Hall	Link on our website
Crayola	Link on our website
Dallas Arboretum	\$18 (call to order tickets will be emailed to you)
Dallas City Pass	www.citypass.com/dallas
Dallas Children's Theater	Section A & B (dynamic pricing depends on the show, call to place the order)
Dallas Museum of Art	First Free Sundays 11am - 5pm
Dallas Mavericks	link on Concierge website (tickets for regular season games only)
Dallas Stars	Regular season games contact concierge office for link
Dallas Symphony	www.dallasymphony.org 15% discount on Classical or POP performances (service fees waived, but a \$5 facility fee is applied to each ticket.)
Epic Waters	Concierge discount available on our website under attractions. (indoor waterpark open all year)
Fort Worth Zoo	Link on our website
Frisco Roughriders Baseball	\$27 Loaded Tickets – Includes best seats available and \$10 in concession credit \$19 Tickets – Includes best seats available \$20 Bullpen Loaded Tickets – Includes seats in our Bullpen Sections which will be down either the 3rd or 1st base lines. Also includes \$10 in concession credit. \$12 Bullpen Tickets – Includes seats in Bullpen Sections. (To order tickets call Tom at 972.334.1935)
Hawaiian Waters	link on website
Medieval Times	link on website under attractions
Perot Museum	\$15 Adult or Child (must choose day and time to attend)
Texas Rangers Tickets	link on website discount regular season games only

* Discounts, services and tickets are only available to clients of Dallas Concierge.

* Tickets are sometimes limited in quantity and may also have deadlines. Please make sure you place your order in plenty of time.

>> Toyota Music Factory:

www.toyotamusicfactory.com

Every Thursday night, head to Toyota Music Factory for the Texas Lottery Live FREE music series on the outdoor Texas Lottery Plaza. This is a completely FREE show! Free entry & free parking. RSVP now for a night of the best live and local music in DFW.

You can visit us at www.dallasconcierge.com
or email us at doris@dallasconcierge.com

September & October are great months for Festival's, the weather is usually cooler and makes visiting these events much more pleasant. We have listed 5 best Oktoberfest's in North Texas.

Oktoberfest Fort Worth

Sept. 25-27 @ Trinity Park

The event features German food, music, dancing, games, and more.

Music will be provided by Alex

Meixner Band, Walburg Boys, and more. You can get your tickets here: <https://fortworthoktoberfest.com/tickets/>



- Purchase online early for a guaranteed FREE commemorative 2025 stein.*
- Kids under 12 are free with a paying adult.

*All online tickets sold by 9/24 at 11:59pm – are guaranteed a FREE 2025 stein. A limited number of free steins will be available for those who buy tickets at the gate. While supplies last, extra steins may be purchased.

18th Annual Downtown McKinney Oktoberfest

Sept. 26-28

Head to historic downtown McKinney for the city's 18th annual Oktoberfest. Meet at the square for free admission to the festivities, which include local biers, a keg tapping, German food, an arts and crafts marketplace, and more.

Dallas Oktoberfest

Sept. 27 @ Flag Pole Hill

Flag Pole Hill at White Rock Lake is hosting its annual Oktoberfest event. There will be live music, bites and brews, and keg tapping and stein-holding contests. The music lineup includes Super Freak and Red — A Taylor Swift Tribute.

Frisco Oktoberfest

Oct. 4 @ The Star in Frisco

On October 4, from 11 am to 9 pm, Frisco is celebrating its 6th annual Oktoberfest at The Star with bier, brats, a stein hoisting competition, games, dancing, live music, and more. There will also be a Weiner dog race, brat-eating contest, keg rolling race, and more. More info is available:

<https://www.friscooktoberfest.com/>

Addison Oktoberfest

Sept. 18-21

Head to Addison Circle Park for the city's annual Oktoberfest celebration. The four-day event features family-friendly entertainment like German entertainers in authentic costumes performing traditional Bavarian folk dances, oompah music, sing-alongs, yodels, and more. You'll also find authentic German bites like sausage, schnitzel, sauerkraut, strudel, and giant pretzels, as well as a special "Oktoberfest" Paulaner Bier. There will also be interactive games, dachshund races, and children's entertainment. Costumes are encouraged.