

# 2023 | MSETG SPECIAL EVENTS CALENDAR

## JANUARY

- SUN 01/01      2023 9<sup>th</sup> Annual FitDC Fresh Start 5K**  
Time:            11:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.  
Location:        Freedom Plaza; Pennsylvania Avenue NW, between 13<sup>th</sup> and 14<sup>th</sup> Streets; Head east on Pennsylvania Avenue to 3<sup>rd</sup> Street NW; south on 3<sup>rd</sup> Street to Independence Avenue NW; west on Independence Avenue to 7<sup>th</sup> Street NW; U-turn just prior to 7<sup>th</sup> Street heading east on Independence Avenue to 4<sup>th</sup> Street SW; south on 4<sup>th</sup> Street to D Street SW; east on D Street to 3<sup>rd</sup> Street SW; north on 3<sup>rd</sup> Street to Constitution Avenue; west on Constitution Avenue to Pennsylvania Avenue NW; west on Pennsylvania Avenue to finish line between 12<sup>th</sup> and 13<sup>th</sup> Streets NW  
Contact:         Executive Office of the Mayor; <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/mayor-muriel-bowers-9th-annual-fitdc-fresh-start-5k-tickets-465966417097>
- MON 01/16      Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Holiday DC Parade**  
Time:            11:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.  
Location:        Start at R.I.S.E. Center (St. Elizabeth’s Campus) and end at Anacostia Park; assemble on Sycamore Street SE and proceed onto St. Elizabeth’s Drive SE; turn right onto Martin Luther King Jr. Avenue SE; proceed north on Martin Luther King Jr. Avenue to Good Hope Road SE; turn left onto Good Hope Road SE and end at Anacostia Drive SE  
Contact:         Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Holiday Peace Walk and Parade Committee (202) 561-4100 x120; <http://www.mlkholidaydc.org>
- SUN 01/22      Chinese New Year Celebration**  
Time:            1:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.  
Location:        Starts at 6<sup>th</sup> and I Streets NW; proceeding west on I Street to 8<sup>th</sup> Street NW; south on 8<sup>th</sup> Street to G Street NW; east on G Street to 7<sup>th</sup> Street NW; north on 7<sup>th</sup> Street to H Street NW; east on H Street ending between 6<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> Streets  
Contact:         Chinese Consolidated Benevolent Association of DC (202) 638-1041

## FEBRUARY

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## MARCH

- SAT 03/04 #FITDC HerStory 5K Run / Walk**  
Time: 8:30am - 12:00pm  
Location: Start/Finish at Freedom Plaza; Pennsylvania Avenue NW, between 12th and 14th Streets; proceed east on Pennsylvania Avenue to 3rd Street NW; south on 3rd Street to Independence Avenue NW; west on Independence Avenue to 7th Street NW; U-turn at 7th Street heading east on Independence Avenue to 4th Street SW; south on 4th Street to D Street SW; east on D Street to 3rd Street SW; north on 3rd Street to Constitution Avenue NW; east on Constitution Avenue to Pennsylvania Avenue NW; west on Pennsylvania Avenue to finish line between 12th and 13th Streets  
Contact: Department of Parks and Recreation; <https://myfitdc.splashthat.com/>; <https://herstory5k.splashthat.com/>
- SAT 03/18 Rock n Roll DC Half Marathon and 5K**  
Time: 5K: 7:45 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.  
Half Marathon: 8:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.  
Location: Half Marathon: Start on Constitution Avenue NW, east of 14th Street NW; ending on 3rd Street SW/NW, between Pennsylvania Avenue NW and Independence Avenue SW  
5K: Start/finish on Pennsylvania Avenue NW, between Constitution Avenue and 4th Street NW  
Contact: Ironman; <http://www.runrockroll.com/dc/>
- SUN 03/26 Scope It Out 5K**  
Time: 8:00am - 12:00pm  
Location: Start/Finish at Freedom Plaza; Pennsylvania Avenue NW, between 12<sup>th</sup> and 13<sup>th</sup> Streets; proceed east on Pennsylvania Avenue to 3<sup>rd</sup> Street NW; south on 3<sup>rd</sup> Street to Independence Avenue NW; west on Independence Avenue to 7<sup>th</sup> Street NW; U-turn at 7<sup>th</sup> Street heading east on Independence Avenue to 4<sup>th</sup> Street SW; south on 4<sup>th</sup> Street to D Street SW; east on D Street to 3<sup>rd</sup> Street SW; north on 3<sup>rd</sup> Street to Maryland Avenue NW; east on Maryland Avenue to 1<sup>st</sup> Street NW; north on 1<sup>st</sup> Street to Pennsylvania Avenue NW; west on Pennsylvania Avenue to finish line between 12<sup>th</sup> and 13<sup>th</sup> Streets  
Contact: Colon Cancer Alliance; [www.ccalliance.org](http://www.ccalliance.org)

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## APRIL

- SAT 04/01 Credit Union Cherry Blossom Kid's Run**  
Time: 8:00am – 11:30am  
Location: National Building Museum; start and finish on 5th Street NW, between G Street and F Street; north on 5th Street to H Street; U-turn just prior to H Street heading south on 5th Street to G Street NW; east on G Street to 4th Street NW; U turn just before 4th Street heading back towards G Street NW; south on 5th street to the finish line.  
Contact: Credit Union Cherry Blossom Kid Run; [www.cherryblossom.org](http://www.cherryblossom.org)
- SAT 04/01 Credit Union Cherry Blossom 5K Run/Walk**  
Time: 8:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.  
Location: Freedom Plaza; Pennsylvania Avenue NW, between 13<sup>th</sup> and 14<sup>th</sup> Streets; Head east on Pennsylvania Avenue to 3<sup>rd</sup> Street NW; south on 3<sup>rd</sup> Street to Independence Avenue NW; west on Independence Avenue to 7<sup>th</sup> Street NW; U-turn just prior to 7<sup>th</sup> Street heading east on Independence Avenue to 4<sup>th</sup> Street SW; south on 4<sup>th</sup> Street to D Street SW; east on D Street to 3<sup>rd</sup> Street SW; north on 3<sup>rd</sup> Street to just prior to C Street making a U-turn and continue to Constitution Avenue; west on Constitution Avenue to Pennsylvania Avenue NW; west on Pennsylvania Avenue to finish line between 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> Streets NW  
Contact: Credit Union Cherry Blossom 5K Run/Walk; [www.cherryblossom.org](http://www.cherryblossom.org)
- SAT 04/08 National Cherry Blossom Festival PetalPalooza**  
Time: 1:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.  
Location: Capitol Riverfront/The Yards; Water Street SE, between 3rd and 4th Streets  
Contact: National Cherry Blossom Festival (877) 44-BLOOM;  
<https://nationalcherryblossomfestival.org/>
- SAT 04/15 National Cherry Blossom Festival Parade**  
Time: 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.  
Location: Starting at 7<sup>th</sup> Street and Constitution Avenue NW; proceeding west on Constitution Avenue to 17<sup>th</sup> Street; dispersing between 17<sup>th</sup> and 23<sup>rd</sup> Streets  
Contact: National Cherry Blossom Festival Parade (877) 44-BLOOM;  
<https://nationalcherryblossomfestival.org/>

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- SAT 04/15 **Sakura Matsuri – Japanese Street Festival**  
to  
SUN 04/16
- Time: Saturday: 10:30 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.  
Sunday: 10:30 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.
- Location: Pennsylvania and Constitution Avenues NW, between 3rd and 7th Streets; 6th Street NW, between C Street and Constitution Avenue; 4th Street NW, between Pennsylvania Avenue and Madison Drive
- Contact: The Japan-American Society of DC; (202) 833-2210  
[www.sakuramatsuri.org](http://www.sakuramatsuri.org); [www.jaswdc.org](http://www.jaswdc.org)
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- SAT 04/15 **Emancipation Day Celebration**
- Time: 2:00 p.m. – 8:45 p.m.
- Location: **Parade:** Pennsylvania Avenue NW, between 10<sup>th</sup> and 14<sup>th</sup> Street NW  
**Concert:** Freedom Plaza; Pennsylvania Avenue NW, between 12<sup>th</sup> and 14<sup>th</sup> Streets; 13<sup>th</sup> Street NW, between E Street and Pennsylvania Avenue; E Street NW, between 13<sup>th</sup> and 14<sup>th</sup> Streets
- Contact: Executive Office of Mayor Muriel Bowser; (202) 671-0066;  
[www.dcemancipationday.com/](http://www.dcemancipationday.com/)
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- SUN 04/23 **March of Dimes March for Babies (SITUATIONAL AWARENESS)**
- Time: 9:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.
- Location: Start and finish at Nationals Park; Exiting Nationals Park on N Street heading west to South Capitol Street SE; south on South Capitol Street to Potomac Avenue SE; east on Potomac Avenue to the Anacostia Riverwalk Trail; east on Anacostia Riverwalk Trail through Yards Park to Navy Yard; U-turn on Anacostia Riverwalk Trail heading west to Yards Park; north through Yards Park to 4<sup>th</sup> Street SE; north on 4<sup>th</sup> Street to Transportation Walkway; west via Transportation Walk to New Jersey Avenue SE; north on New Jersey Avenue to M Street SE; west on M Street to 1<sup>st</sup> Street SE; south on 1<sup>st</sup> Street to Potomac Avenue; U-turn at Potomac Avenue heading north on 1<sup>st</sup> Street to N Street SE; west on N Street to east gate entrance of Nationals Park; finish at Nationals Park
- Contact: March of Dimes Greater Washington DC; (571) 257-2310;  
<http://marchforbabies.org/event/greaterdc>

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SAT 04/29 **PurpleStride Washington DC 5K Run/Walk**  
Time: 9:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.  
Location: Pennsylvania Avenue NW, between 12<sup>th</sup> and 14<sup>th</sup> Streets; 13<sup>th</sup> Street NW, between E Street and Pennsylvania Avenue; proceeding east on Pennsylvania Avenue to 3<sup>rd</sup> Street NW; south on 3<sup>rd</sup> Street to Independence Avenue NW; west on Independence Avenue to 7<sup>th</sup> Street NW; U-turn at 7<sup>th</sup> Street heading east on Independence Avenue to 4<sup>th</sup> Street SW; south on 4<sup>th</sup> Street to D Street SW; east on D Street to 3<sup>rd</sup> Street SW; north on 3<sup>rd</sup> Street to Constitution Avenue NW; west on Constitution Avenue to Pennsylvania Avenue NW; west on Pennsylvania Avenue to finish line between 12<sup>th</sup> and 13<sup>th</sup> Streets  
Contact: Pancreatic Cancer Action Network (202) 772-1875;  
<http://www.purplestride.org/dc>

## MAY

SAT 05/06 **Acton Children's Business Fair**  
Time: 10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.  
Location: 20<sup>th</sup> Street NW, between Massachusetts Avenue and Q Street  
Contact: Acton Academy DC Foundation; (202) 495-0507;  
<https://dcchildrensbusinessfair.org/>

SUN 05/07 **Race for Hope DC 5K Run/Walk**  
Time: 9:00 a.m. – 10:25 a.m.  
Location: Freedom Plaza; Start and finish on Pennsylvania Avenue NW, between 12<sup>th</sup> and 14<sup>th</sup> Streets; proceed east on Pennsylvania Avenue to 3<sup>rd</sup> Street NW; south on 3<sup>rd</sup> Street NW to Independence Avenue NW; west on Independence Avenue to 7<sup>th</sup> Street NW; U-turn just before 7<sup>th</sup> Street heading east on Independence Avenue to 4<sup>th</sup> Street SW; south on 4<sup>th</sup> Street to D Street SW; east on D Street to 3<sup>rd</sup> Street SW; north on 3<sup>rd</sup> Street to Maryland Avenue NW; east on Maryland Avenue to 1<sup>st</sup> Street NW; north on 1<sup>st</sup> Street to Pennsylvania Avenue NW; west on Pennsylvania Avenue to finish line between 12<sup>th</sup> and 13<sup>th</sup> Streets  
Contact: National Brain Tumor Society; <http://www.curebraintumors.org>

SAT 05/13 **National Law Enforcement Candlelight Vigil (SITUATIONAL AWARENESS)**  
Time: 8:00 p.m. – 10:30 p.m.  
Location: The National Mall; between 3<sup>rd</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> Street NW; 4<sup>th</sup> Street NW, between Madison and Jefferson Drives  
Contact: National Law Enforcement Officers Memorial Fund and Museum; (202) 737-3400; <https://nleomf.org/memorial/programs/national-police-week-2022/candlelight-vigil/>

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- SAT 05/20      **National Asian Heritage Festival**  
Time:            11:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m.  
Location:        Pennsylvania and Constitution Avenues NW, between 3rd and 6th  
                      Streets; 4th Street NW, between Pennsylvania Avenue and Madison  
                      Drive  
Contact:         Asia Heritage Foundation; [www.fiestasia.org](http://www.fiestasia.org)
- SAT 05/20      **Flower Power at the Anacostia River Festival**  
Time:            1:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.  
Location:        Good Hope Road SE, between Martin Luther King Jr. Avenue and  
                      Anacostia Drive  
Contact:         Anacostia Business Improvement District (202) 897-5060;  
                      [anacostiabid.org](http://anacostiabid.org)
- SUN 05/21      **Capitol Hill Classic 10K/3K/Kids Dash**  
Time:            8:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.  
Location:        Beginning and ending at Peabody School; heading west on C Street NE  
                      to Maryland Avenue NE; southwest on Maryland Avenue to 3<sup>rd</sup> Street  
                      NE; west on 3<sup>rd</sup> Street to Constitution Avenue NW; west on Constitution  
                      Avenue to 1<sup>st</sup> Street NE; south on 1<sup>st</sup> Street to Independence Avenue  
                      SE; east on Independence Avenue to 3<sup>rd</sup> Street SE; north on 3<sup>rd</sup> Street to  
                      East Capitol Street NE; east on East Capitol Street to 22<sup>nd</sup> Street NE;  
                      north on 22<sup>nd</sup> Street to RFK Lot 6 entrance; through Lot 6 to Lot 7  
                      looping around Lot 7 counterclockwise heading back to 22<sup>nd</sup> Street NE  
                      via the RFK tunnel under C Street NE; south on 22<sup>nd</sup> Street to East  
                      Capitol Street NE; west on East Capitol Street to 3<sup>rd</sup> Street NE; north on  
                      3<sup>rd</sup> Street to Maryland Avenue NE; northeast on Maryland Avenue to C  
                      Street NE; east on C Street finish line at Peabody School  
Contact:         Capitol Hill Cluster School (301) 840-2204; [www.capitolhillclassic.com](http://www.capitolhillclassic.com)
- SAT 05/27      **Thunder Alley**  
to  
MON 05/29      Time:            Saturday-Sunday:        9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.  
                      Monday:                9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.  
Location:        22<sup>nd</sup> Street NW, between Constitution Avenue and C Street  
Contact:         Rolling Thunder Washington, DC Inc.; [www.RollingThunderRun.com](http://www.RollingThunderRun.com)

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**MON 05/29 National Memorial Day Parade**  
Time: Pre-show: 1:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.  
Parade: 2:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.  
Location: Start on 7<sup>th</sup> Street and Constitution Avenue; west on Constitution Avenue to Virginia Avenue NW; disband at Virginia Avenue and Constitution Avenue NW to areas in the Virginia Avenue corridor including 18<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup> Streets NW between Constitution Avenue and E Street  
Contact: National Memorial Day Parade; [www.nationalmemorialdayparade.com](http://www.nationalmemorialdayparade.com)

## JUNE

**SAT 06/03 Children's Pride Parade**  
Time: 11:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.  
Location: R Street NW, between Wisconsin Avenue and Avon Place NW  
Contact: Georgetown Neighborhood Library (202) 727-0219; [www.dclibrary.org/georgetown](http://www.dclibrary.org/georgetown); Palisades Neighborhood Library; [www.dclibrary.org/palisades](http://www.dclibrary.org/palisades); Tenley-Friendship Neighborhood Library; [www.dclibrary.org/tenley](http://www.dclibrary.org/tenley)

**SAT 06/03 Out of the Darkness Overnight Walk (SITUATIONAL AWARENESS)**  
Time: 7:00 p.m. (Saturday) – 5:30 a.m. (Sunday)  
Location: Start/Finish at Lincoln Memorial Plaza; walk route contained to the sidewalks  
Contact: American Foundation for Suicide Prevention; [www.asfp.org](http://www.asfp.org) ; [www.theovernight.org](http://www.theovernight.org)

**SUN 06/04 Wonderland Ballroom Sundress Fest**  
Time: 11:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m.  
Location: 11<sup>th</sup> Street NW, between Kenyon and Lamont Streets  
Contact: The Wonderland Ballroom; <https://www.thewonderlandballroom.com/>

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- SAT 06/10  
to  
SUN 06/11
- Capital Pride Celebration**  
Time: Block Party: 12:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m. (Saturday)  
Parade 3:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. (Saturday)  
Festival: 12:00 p.m. – 10:30 p.m. (Sunday)  
Location: **Block Party:** 17<sup>th</sup> Street NW, between P and R Streets  
**Parade:** Start south on 14<sup>th</sup> Street at T Street NW; west on Rhode Island Avenue NW; west on Massachusetts Avenue NW; north on 17<sup>th</sup> Street NW; west on P Street NW; southwest on Dupont Circle NW; west on P Street NW; disband west, north, and south on P Street between 21<sup>st</sup> and 23<sup>rd</sup> Streets NW  
**Festival:** Pennsylvania Avenue NW, between 3<sup>rd</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> Streets; Constitution Avenue NW, between 3<sup>rd</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> Streets; 3<sup>rd</sup> Street NW, between Constitution Avenue and Madison Drive; 4<sup>th</sup> Street NW, between Madison Drive and Pennsylvania Avenue; 6<sup>th</sup> Street NW, between Constitution Avenue and C Street.  
Contact: Capital Pride Alliance (202) 719-5304; [www.capitalpride.org](http://www.capitalpride.org)
- SUN 06/11
- CHCI 5K Walk/Run (SITUATIONAL AWARENESS)**  
Time: 9:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.  
Location: Start/finish inside Nationals Park  
Contact: Congressional Hispanic Caucus Institute (CHCI) (202) 543-1771; [chci.org](http://chci.org)
- SUN 06/11
- Ford's Theatre Annual Gala**  
Time: 5:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.  
Location: 10<sup>th</sup> Street NW, between E and F Streets NW  
Contact: Ford's Theatre Society (202) 638-2941; <http://www.fords.org/>
- SAT 06/17
- Juneteenth for the City**  
Time: 12:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.  
Location: 17<sup>th</sup> Street SE, between T Street and Good Hope Road  
Contact: Bread for the City (202) 386-7609;  
[breadforthecity.org/juneteenthforthecity](http://breadforthecity.org/juneteenthforthecity)
- MON 06/19
- DCBHCC Juneteenth Music Festival**  
Time: 12:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.  
Location: Vermont Avenue NW, between T Street and U Street NW  
Contact: D.C. Black History Celebration Committee (DCBHCC); (202) 240-1182;  
<https://dcblackhistory.org/>



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SAT 06/24 **National Capital BBQ Battle**  
to  
SUN 06/25

Time: Saturday: 11:00 a.m. – 10:00 p.m.  
Sunday: 11:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m.

Location: Pennsylvania Avenue NW, between 3<sup>rd</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> Streets; 3<sup>rd</sup> Street NW, between Constitution Avenue and Madison Drive; 4<sup>th</sup> Street NW, between Pennsylvania Avenue and Madison Drive; 6<sup>th</sup> Street NW, between Constitution Avenue and C Street; Constitution Avenue NW, between 3<sup>rd</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> Streets

Contact: Giant National Barbecue Battle; [www.BBQinDC.com](http://www.BBQinDC.com)

## JULY

TUE 07/04 **National Archives July 4th Celebration**  
Time: 10:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.  
Location: Constitution Avenue NW, between 7th and 9th Streets  
Contact: National Archives Foundation (202) 357-5946; [www.archives.org](http://www.archives.org)

TUE 07/04 **Capitol Hill July 4<sup>th</sup> Parade on Barracks Row**  
Time: 10:00 a.m.—12:00 p.m.  
Location: 8<sup>th</sup> Street SE, between Virginia and Pennsylvania Avenues SE  
Contact: Capitol Hill Association of Merchants and Professionals (CHAMPS); [capitolhill.org](http://capitolhill.org)

TUE 07/04 **Palisades Fourth of July Parade**  
Time: 11:00 a.m.—12:30 p.m.  
Location: Starting at Whitehaven Parkway and MacArthur Blvd NW; proceed northwest on MacArthur Blvd; left on Edmunds Place NW; left on Sherier Place NW end at Palisades Recreation Center  
Contact: The Palisades Citizens Association (202) 363-7441; [www.palisadesdc.org](http://www.palisadesdc.org)

TUE 07/04 **America’s Independence Day Parade**  
Time Pre-show: 11:45 a.m. – 12:15 p.m.  
Parade: 11:45 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.  
Location: Start at 7<sup>th</sup> Street and Madison Drive NW; north on 7<sup>th</sup> Street NW to Constitution Avenue NW; west on Constitution Avenue NW to Virginia Avenue NW; disband at Virginia Avenue and Constitution Avenue NW to areas in the Virginia Avenue corridor including 18<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup> Streets NW between Constitution Avenue and E Street  
Contact: America’s Independence Day Parade; [www.july4thparade.com](http://www.july4thparade.com)

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- TUE 07/04**      **2023 CNN Fourth in America Special**  
Time:            7:00 p.m. – 11:00 p.m.  
Location:        Pennsylvania Avenue NW, between 12<sup>th</sup> and 14<sup>th</sup> Streets; 13<sup>th</sup> Street NW, between E Street and Pennsylvania Avenue  
Contact:         CNN; <https://cnnpressroom.blogs.cnn.com/2023/06/21/cnns-the-fourth-in-america-special-returns-with-an-all-star-lineup/>
- SAT 07/08**      **Cathedral Commons Summer Block Party**  
Time:            2:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.  
Location:        Newark Street NW, between Wisconsin and Idaho Avenues  
Contact:         Cathedral Commons Property Office (202) 969-4120;  
[cathedralcommons@buzzuto.com](mailto:cathedralcommons@buzzuto.com); [www.cathedralcommons.com](http://www.cathedralcommons.com)
- FRI 07/28**      **DowntownDC BID Kids World (STREET CLOSURE REQUEST CANCELLED BY ORGANIZER)**  
to  
**SUN 07/30**      Time:            12:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. (Daily)  
Location:        Franklin Park  
Contact:         DowntownDC Business Improvement District;  
<https://www.downtowndc.org/events/>
- SAT 07/29**      **Adams Morgan Summer Food Festival**  
Time:            1:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.  
Location:        18th Street NW, between Columbia and Kalorama Roads  
Contact:         Adams Morgan Partnership Business Improvement District (BID) (202) 997-0783; [www.admodc.org](http://www.admodc.org)

## AUGUST

- SAT 08/12**      **50th Anniversary of Hip Hop (SITUATIONAL AWARENESS/POSTPONED)**  
Time:            11:00 a.m. – 11:00 p.m.  
Location:        National Mall between 7<sup>th</sup> and 14<sup>th</sup> Streets  
Contact:         Chasing Live; <https://the50thanniversaryofhip-hop.com/about-us/>
- SAT 08/12**      **Kappa En Blanc (POSTPONED)**  
Time:            3:00 a.m. – 10:00 p.m.  
Location:        17<sup>th</sup> Street NW between S Street and Swann Street/New Hampshire Avenue NW; S Street NW between New Hampshire Avenue and 17<sup>th</sup> Street NW  
Contact:         Washington (DC) Alumni Chapter of Kappa Alpha Psi;  
[wacdckappacentennial@gmail.com](mailto:wacdckappacentennial@gmail.com)

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THU 08/17     **Capitol View Library Community Day**  
Time:            2:00pm – 7:00pm  
Location:        Capital View Library; 50th Street SE, between Central Avenue and Ayers Place  
Contact:         DC Public Library—Capital View (202) 645-0755;  
[www.dclibrary.org/capitolview](http://www.dclibrary.org/capitolview)

SAT 08/19     **DC Funk Festival: One District Under a Groove (CANCELLED)**  
Time:            2:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.  
Location:        Vermont Avenue NW, between T and U Streets  
Contact:         The MusicanShip (855) 855-6874; [funk@themusicianship.org](mailto:funk@themusicianship.org);  
[www.funkparade.com](http://www.funkparade.com)

## SEPTEMBER

SAT 09/02     **Chinese Culture Festival**  
Time:            10:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.  
Location:        Pennsylvania and Constitution Avenues NW, between 3rd and 4th Streets  
Contact:         Greater Washington Chinese American Community, Inc, (202) 709-8346;  
[www.gwcac.org](http://www.gwcac.org); [ccf-info@gwcac.org](mailto:ccf-info@gwcac.org)

SAT 09/09     **DC Bike Ride**  
Time:            8:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.  
Location:        Start at West Potomac Park on Ohio Drive SW; finish on Pennsylvania Avenue NW, between 3rd Street and 7th Street NW  
Contact:         DC Bike Ride; (703) 789-9540; [www.dcbikeride.com](http://www.dcbikeride.com)

SUN 09/10     **More Than Pink Walk**  
Time:            7:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.  
Location:        Start/Finish at Freedom Plaza; Pennsylvania Avenue NW, between 12<sup>th</sup> and 14<sup>th</sup> Streets; proceed east on Pennsylvania Avenue to 3<sup>rd</sup> Street NW; south on 3<sup>rd</sup> Street to Independence Avenue NW; west on Independence Avenue to 7<sup>th</sup> Street NW; U-turn at 7<sup>th</sup> Street heading east on Independence Avenue to 3<sup>rd</sup> Street NW; north on 3<sup>rd</sup> Street to Pennsylvania Avenue NW; west on Pennsylvania Avenue to finish line between 12<sup>th</sup> and 13<sup>th</sup> Streets NW.  
Contact:         Susan G. Komen DMV Tri-State More Than Pink Walk; (202) 827-9013;  
[info@komendcwalk.org](mailto:info@komendcwalk.org)

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- SUN 09/10      **Capital Jewish Food Festival**  
Time:            11:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.  
Location:        F Street NW, between 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Streets  
Contact:         Capital Jewish Museum (202) 789-0525;  
                      <https://capitaljewishmuseum.org/>
- SUN 09/10      **Adams Morgan Day**  
Time:            12:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.  
Location:        18th Street NW, between Columbia and Kalorama Roads  
Contact:         Adams Morgan Partnership Business Improvement District (BID) (202) 997-0783; [www.admodc.org](http://www.admodc.org)
- SAT 09/16      **H Street Festival**  
Time:            12:00 p.m.—7:00 p.m.  
Location:        H Street NE, between 3<sup>rd</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup> Streets NE  
Contact:         H Street Main Street (202) 543-0161; <https://hstreetfestival.org/>
- SUN 09/17      **DowntownDC Lotus Festival**  
Time:            11:00 a.m. – 10:00 p.m.  
Location:        I Street NW, between 5th and 6th Streets NW  
Contact:         DowntownDC BID (202) 638-3232; [www.downtowndc.org](http://www.downtowndc.org)
- SUN 09/17      **NCL Washington (CANCELLED)**  
Time:            12:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.  
Location:        Pennsylvania and Constitution Avenues NW, between 3<sup>rd</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> Streets; 3<sup>rd</sup> Street NW, between Constitution Avenue NW and Maryland Avenue SW  
Contact:         National Cycling League; [NCLRacing.com](http://NCLRacing.com) ; [www.theovernight.org](http://www.theovernight.org)
- SAT 09/23      **Celebrate Petworth**  
Time:            11:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.  
Location:        Upshur Street NW, between 8<sup>th</sup> Street and Georgia Avenue; 9<sup>th</sup> Street NW, between Kansas Avenue and Upshur Street  
Contact:         Uptown Community Initiative (202) 270-1461;  
                      [celebratepetworth@gmail.com](mailto:celebratepetworth@gmail.com); [www.celebratepetworth.com](http://www.celebratepetworth.com)
- SAT 09/23      **Fiesta DC Festival**  
to  
SUN 09/24      Time:            Saturday:        11:00a.m. – 7:00 p.m.  
                      Sunday:         11:00a.m. – 7:00 p.m.  
Location:        Pennsylvania Avenue NW, between 3<sup>rd</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> Streets  
Contact:         Fiesta DC Inc. (202) 390-2335; <http://www.fiestadc.org>

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- SUN 09/24      Fiesta DC Parade**  
Time:            11:00 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.  
Location:        Start at Constitution Avenue NW and 7th Street NW; proceed west on Constitution Avenue to 14th street NW, dismantling between 12th and 14th Streets  
Contact:         Fiesta DC Inc. (202) 390-2335; <http://www.fiestadc.org>
- FRI 09/29      Penn Ave East Art All Night**  
Time:            6:00 p.m. – 11:00 p.m.  
Location:        DC Dream Center; Q Street SE between 28th and 29th Streets  
Contact:         The Pennsylvania Avenue East Main Street; [paemsartallnight.org](http://paemsartallnight.org)
- FRI 09/29      World Culture Festival**  
to  
SUN 10/01      Time:            Friday:            12:00 p.m. –10:00 p.m.  
                         Saturday:        10:00 a.m. –10:00 p.m.  
                         Sunday:         10:00 a.m. –12:00 p.m.  
Location:        4<sup>th</sup> Street NW, between Pennsylvania and Independence Avenue  
National Mall between 3<sup>rd</sup> and 14<sup>th</sup> Streets; Washington Monument  
Grounds; Lincoln Memorial  
Contact:         The Art of Living Foundation; [www.worldculturefest.org](http://www.worldculturefest.org)
- SAT 09/30      Congress Heights Day Parade**  
Time:            2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.  
Location:        Martin Luther King Jr. Avenue SE, between 5th and Cypress Streets  
Contact:         Congress Heights Community Training and Development Corp (202) 563-5200; [www.chctdc.org](http://www.chctdc.org)
- SAT 09/30      Congress Heights Art All Night**  
Time:            6:00 p.m. – 2:00 a.m.  
Location:        Martin Luther King Jr. Avenue SE, between 5<sup>th</sup> and Raleigh Streets  
Contact:         Congress Heights Community Training and Development Corp (202) 563-5200; [www.chctdc.org](http://www.chctdc.org)
- SAT 09/30      Shaw Art All Night**  
Time:            7:00 p.m. – 12:00 a.m.  
Location:        T Street NW, between Florida Avenue and 7th Street  
Contact:         Shaw Main Street; (202) 265-7429;  
<https://www.artallnightdcshaw.com/>

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SAT 09/30 **MLK Library Art All Night**  
Time: 6:00 p.m. – 1:00 a.m.  
Location: G Street NW, between 9th and 10th Streets  
Contact: Martin Luther King Jr. Memorial Library; (202) 727-1186;  
<https://www.dclibrary.org/artallnight>  
<https://www.dclibrary.org/mlk>

## OCTOBER

SUN 10/08 **Army-Ten Miler**  
Time: 7:50 a.m.—11:30 p.m.  
Location: Start/finish in VA; Entering the District via the Key Bridge to the Whitehurst Freeway NW; east on Whitehurst Freeway to Potomac Parkway NW; south on Potomac Parkway to Ohio Drive SW; south on Ohio Drive to Independence Avenue NW; east on Independence Avenue to 7th Street SW; south on 7th Street to C Street SW; west on C Street to 9th Street SW; north on 9th Street to Independence Avenue SW; west on Independence Avenue to 14th Street SW; south on 14th Street to the 14th Street Bridge reentering Virginia via the HOV lanes  
Contact: United States Army; <http://www.armytenmiler.com>

SUN 10/08 **Special Love 5K Walk/Run (SITUATIONAL AWARENESS)**  
Time: 8:20 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.  
Location: Start/finish inside Nationals Park  
Contact: Special Love Inc. (888) 930-2707; <https://speciallove.org/>

SUN 10/08 **PorchFest DC Southeast Edition**  
Time: 10:00am – 7:00pm  
Location: Bangor Street SE, between 34th Street and 36th Street SE; 34th Street SE, between Bangor Street and Highview Terrace Street SE; Highview Terrace Street SE, between 34th Street and Denver Street SE  
Contact: PorchFest DC (202) 495-1874; [www.porchfestdc.com](http://www.porchfestdc.com)

FRI 10/13 **Washington Capitals Opening Night Red Carpet**  
Time: 3:00 p.m.—6:00 p.m.  
Location: F Street NW, between 6<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> Street NW  
Contact: Washington Capitals (202) 266-2277; [WashingtonCaps.com](http://WashingtonCaps.com)

SAT 10/14 **La Clinica Fiesta**  
Time: 11:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.  
Location: Mt. Pleasant Street NW, between Kilbourne Place and Kenyon Street  
Contact: La Clinica del Pueblo (202) 462-4788; [www.lcdp.org](http://www.lcdp.org)

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- SAT 10/14 Snallygaster**  
Time: 12:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.  
Location: Pennsylvania and Constitution Avenues NW, between 3rd and 7th Streets; 6th Street NW, between C Street and Constitution Avenue; 4th Street NW, between Madison Drive and Pennsylvania Avenue NW  
Contact: The Neighborhood Restaurant Group; <http://snallygasterdc.com>
- SUN 10/15 Turkish Festival**  
Time: 11:00 a.m. – 6:30 p.m.  
Location: Pennsylvania and Constitution Avenues NW, between 3<sup>rd</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> Streets NW; 4<sup>th</sup> Street NW, between Pennsylvania Avenue NW and Madison Drive  
Contact: American Turkish Association of Washington DC (ATA-DC) (888) 282-3236; [www.atadc.org](http://www.atadc.org); [www.turkishfestival.org](http://www.turkishfestival.org)
- SAT 10/14 Adams Morgan Porchfest**  
Time: 2:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.  
Location: 18th Street NW, between Columbia and Kalorama Roads  
Contact: Adams Morgan Partnership Business Improvement District (BID) (202) 997-0783; [www.admodc.org](http://www.admodc.org)
- FRI 10/20 to SAT 10/21 Howard University Homecoming 2023**  
Time: International Yardfest: 12:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. (Friday and Saturday)  
Parade: 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. (Saturday)  
Alumni Tailgate: 10:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m. (Saturday)  
Football Game: 1:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. (Saturday)  
Location: **International Yardfest:** Howard Place NW, between Georgia Avenue and 6th Street; 6th Street NW, between Howard Place and Girard Street; Fairmont Street NW, between 6th Street and Georgia Avenue; Girard Street NW, between Georgia Avenue and 6th Street  
**Parade:** Start on 6th Street NW, between Howard Place and Fairmont Street; North on 6th Street to Fairmont Street NW; West on Fairmont Street to Georgia Avenue NW; South on Georgia Avenue to Florida Avenue NW; East on Florida Avenue to 5th Street NW; North on 5th Street to T Street NW; East on T Street to 4th Street NW; North on 4th Street to College Street NW; Ending on 4th Street NW, between College Street and Howard Place  
**Alumni Tailgate and Fest:** The Howard Center Parking Lot- Main Campus at 8<sup>th</sup> Street NW, between Barry Place and V Street NW  
**Football Game:** Girard Street NW, between Georgia Avenue and 6th Street NW; 6th Street NW, between Girard Street and Howard Place; Fairmont Street NW, between Georgia Avenue and 6th Street  
Contact: Howard University (202) 806-6100; <http://howard.edu/>

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- SAT 10/21      **BellRinger**  
Time:            7:30am - 8:30am  
Location:        Start on Georgetown University Campus; left on West Road NW; right toward Canal Road NW; the ride will proceed out of the District using Chain Bridge and Clara Barton Parkway; finish at venues located in Maryland  
Contact:         Georgetown University; (202) 525-6401; [www.BellRinger.org](http://www.BellRinger.org)
- SAT 10/21      **Race for Every Child**  
Time:            8:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.  
Location:        Freedom Plaza; Pennsylvania Avenue NW, between 12<sup>th</sup> and 14<sup>th</sup> Streets; proceeding east on Pennsylvania Avenue to 3<sup>rd</sup> Street NW; south on 3<sup>rd</sup> Street to Independence Avenue NW; west on Independence Avenue to 7<sup>th</sup> Street NW; U-turn at 7<sup>th</sup> Street heading east on Independence Avenue to 4<sup>th</sup> Street SW; south on 4<sup>th</sup> Street to D Street SW; east on D Street to 3<sup>rd</sup> Street SW; north on 3<sup>rd</sup> Street to C Street NW, U-turn just prior to C Street heading south to Constitution Avenue NW; west on Constitution Avenue to Pennsylvania Avenue NW; west on Pennsylvania Avenue to finish line between 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> Streets  
Contact:         Children’s National Medical Center of Washington, DC; <http://www.raceforeverychild.org>
- SUN 10/22      **Mid-Atlantic Grain Fair at Peirce Mill**  
Time:            10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.  
Location:        Shoemaker Street NW, between Tilden Street and Spring of Freedom Lane NW  
Contact:         Friends of Peirce Mill (FOPM) (202) 462-4788; [www.lcdp.org](http://www.lcdp.org)
- SUN 10/22      **Cathedral Commons Fall Festival**  
Time:            2:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.  
Location:        Newark Street NW, between Wisconsin and Idaho Avenues  
Contact:         Cathedral Commons (202) 969-4120; [www.cathedralcommons.com](http://www.cathedralcommons.com)
- FRI 10/27      **Hilloween**  
Time:            5:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.  
Location:        Eastern Market; 7<sup>th</sup> Street SE, between North Carolina Avenue and C Street  
Contact:         Hilloween DC; [hilloweendc@gmail.com](mailto:hilloweendc@gmail.com); [www.hilloweendc.com](http://www.hilloweendc.com)



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SUN 10/29     **Marine Corps Marathon**  
Time:            7:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.  
Location:        Start in Virginia (entering District via Key Bridge); Finish in Virginia (exiting District via 14th Street Bridge)  
Contact:         United States Marine Corps (800) 786-8762; [mcm.info@usmc.mil](mailto:mcm.info@usmc.mil); [www.MarineMarathon.com](http://www.MarineMarathon.com)

## NOVEMBER

SAT 11/04     **Remarkable Indonesia Festival**  
Time:            12:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.  
Location:        Pennsylvania Avenue NW, between Constitution Avenue and 7th Street  
Contact:         Kerein Production (240) 224-1333; [kerein9801@gmail.com](mailto:kerein9801@gmail.com)

SAT 11/04     **The St. John's Cadet Corps Marching Band Parade**  
Time:            1:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.  
Location:        North Capitol Street NW/NE, between K and H Streets  
Contact:         St. John's College High School (202) 363-2316; [www.stjohnschs.org](http://www.stjohnschs.org)

SUN 11/13     **National Veterans Day Parade**  
Time:            12:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.  
Location:        Start at Constitution Avenue and 7th Street NW; proceed west on Constitution Avenue to 14th Street NW, dismantling between 12th and 14th Streets  
Contact:         Global Events Management Associates, LLC (EMA) (724) 996-3597  
[www.globalema.com](http://www.globalema.com)

SAT 11/18     **Janney 5K and Fun Run**  
Time:            9:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.  
Location:        Start/finish: Janney Elementary School; proceed west on Albemarle Street to 42nd Street NW; south on 42nd Street to Van Ness Street NW; west on Van Ness Street to 46th Street NW; north on 46th Street to Albemarle Street NW; west on Albemarle Street to Massachusetts Avenue NW, turning around at 4924 Albemarle Street heading east on Albemarle Street to 46th Street NW; south on 46th Street to Van Ness Street NW; east on Van Ness Street to 42nd Street NW; north on 42nd Street to Yuma Street NW; east on Yuma Street  
Contact:         Janney Elementary School; <https://www.janney5k.org>

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THU 11/23     **SOME America's Trot for Hunger 5K**  
Time:            8:30 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.  
Location:        Freedom Plaza; Pennsylvania Avenue NW, between 3rd and 14th Streets NW; 3rd Street NW, between Constitution Avenue and D Street SW; Independence Avenue SW, between 3rd and 7th Streets SW; 4th Street NW, between Independence Avenue and D Street NW; D Street SW, between 3rd and 4th Streets SW; Constitution Avenue NW, between 3rd and 4th Streets NW; 13th Street NW, between Pennsylvania Avenue NW and E Street NW  
Contact:         Trot for Hunger; [www.some.org](http://www.some.org)

## DECEMBER

FRI 12/02     **Cathedral Commons Holiday Tree Lighting**  
Time:            6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.  
Location:        Newark Street NW, between Wisconsin and Idaho Avenues  
Contact:         Cathedral Commons (202) 969-4120; [www.cathedralcommons.com](http://www.cathedralcommons.com)