



MAY 2021

SUMMER IN THE CITY EVENT HIGHLIGHTS

BE WHERE ALL THE FUN IS THIS SUMMER... BE DOWNTOWN.
HERE IS JUST A SLICE OF WHAT'S HAPPENING IN YOUR CITY.

Visit our website for more details about these events and an online calendar featuring a regularly updated list of programs and events in downtown Dayton.

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WHERE

MAY-SEPTEMBER WEEKDAYS AT LUNCH THE SQUARE IS

WHERE - Enjoy summer fun weekdays from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. on Courthouse Square with free lunchtime entertainment,

including music, food vendors, and more. Presented by: Downtown Dayton Partnership and Montgomery County. DowntownDayton.org



EVERY WEEKEND OUT ON

5TH - Fifth Street in the Oregon District is closed to vehicular traffic on Fridays, Saturdays, and Sundays.

Enjoy a pedestrian mall, outdoor dining and drinking, shopping, entertainment, and more. theoregondistrict.org/outon5th

THRU MAY 9 NOW AND THEN - The Human Race Theatre Company, by Sean Grennan, filmed on location at Mudlick Tap House, \$25. livestream.broadwayondemand.com/human-race

THRU MAY 16 EXHIBIT: THE DARKER SOONER - Dana L. Wiley Gallery at Front Street, Artist Karen Fisher explores the impact of Alzheimer's and related dementias. danalwileygallery.com

THRU MAY 22 UNITE: SPRING JURIED SHOW - Dayton Society of Artists, reservations to attend. daytondsa.org

THRU MAY 29 AZAMAN: A MIXED-MEDIA ART EXHIBIT ABOUT TIME - K12 Gallery & TEJAS, Layering of concepts, scripts, images and colors reflecting on an aspect of time. k12tejasgallery.org

THRU JULY 11 EXHIBIT: LOOKING AT FAMILY: PHOTOGRAPHS FROM THE COLLECTION - Dayton Art Institute. Photography exhibit featuring artists who found inspiration close to home. daytonartinstitute.org

THRU JULY 17 INAUGURAL EXHIBITIONS -

The Contemporary, at the Co's new space in The Dayton Arcade, featuring works from Zachary Armstrong, Curtis Barnes, Sr., & Cauleen Smith. Cauleen Smith virtual screening, Q&A May 27. thecontemporarydayton.org

SAT, MAY 1 BEETHOVEN 1 AND THE FIREBIRD

- The Dayton Philharmonic Orchestra, in theatre at The Schuster Center. 6 p.m. and 8:30 p.m. Live stream also available thru June 30. daytonperformingarts.org

MAY 1 & 8 HEIRLOOM PLANT SALE -

Dayton Urban Grown, 9am-1pm at the 2nd Street Market, purchase a variety of heirloom vegetables and herbs. facebook.com/Daytonurbangrown

MAY 1, 8, 15, 22, & 29 OUTDOOR MARKET - 2nd Street Market, Shop at the Saturday market with up to 40 local vendors each week. facebook.com/2ndStreetMarket

SUN, MAY 2 DPYO SPRING CONCERT

- Program from the Dayton Philharmonic Youth Orchestra, Schuster Performing Arts Center, 3 p.m. daytonphilharmonicouthorchestra.org

MAY 4, 11, 18, & 25 TRIVIA WITH A TWIST - Dublin Pub, live trivia starting at 7 p.m. dubpub.com/events

MAY 4, 11, 18, & 25 OPEN MIC WITH BRANDON - Blind Bob's, open mic night starting at 7 p.m. blindbobs.com

MAY 4 & 22 INTRODUCING... SERIES - Virtual art workshops from the Dayton Society of Artists. "Teresa Olvarria & Iroshizuku Ink" on May 4, "Sam Kelly & Drawing" on May 22. daytondsa.org

THURS, MAY 6 BLACK FOUNDERS' NIGHT AT THE HUB - The Hub Powered by PNC Bank at The Arcade, Special night for black business owners, entrepreneurs, and creatives. bit.ly/3fUgij

MAY 6 & 13 WHEELS & REELS - Top of the Market, Drive-in theater experience from LiftOff Entertainment. "Back to the Future" on May 6, "Jurassic Park" May 13. eventbrite.com

MAY 6, 13, 20, & 27 NICK MITCHELL - Dublin Pub, live music starting at 7 p.m. dubpub.com/events



FRI, MAY 7 FIRST FRIDAY -

Throughout downtown Dayton, monthly art hop, entertainment, music, specials, and more. downtowndayton.org

FRI, MAY 7 LOVE YOU: A 90'S RnB NIGHT - Yellow Cab Tavern, 7:30 p.m., \$5-7. facebook.com/theoldyellowcab

FRI, MAY 7 CHERRY LEE & THE HOTROD HOUNDS - Blind Bob's, live music starting at 8 p.m. blindbobs.com

MAY 7, 15, & 22 EXHIBIT: TERRA FAMILIAR - EDU gallery at Front Street, Exhibition by Zachary Collopy. facebook.com/FirstFridayDayton

MAY 7-JULY 31 EXHIBIT: "WE'RE DOING IT ALL WRONG" - Edward A. Dixon Gallery, Artworks that shine light on some of the human issues that plague us, free, open weekends. eadgallery.com

MAY 8 & 15 E-SPORTS TOURNAMENTS - Connect e-Sports, online and in-person tournaments for Counter Strike (May 8) and League of Legends (May 15). connectesports.com

MAY 8, 15, 22 FITNESS IN THE PARK - RiverScape MetroPark, 10 a.m. Yoga or Zumba workouts under the pavilion, registration required, livestream available. metroparks.org

AND THAT'S NOT ALL! Find more downtown events for this month and all summer long on our online events calendar at DowntownDayton.org.

Flip for more events!

SAT, MAY 8 DOWNTOWN SIDEWALK SALE - Throughout downtown Dayton, 11am-4pm, outdoor shopping, free treats, entertainment, and activities. downtowndayton.org/sidewalksale

SAT, MAY 8 TRUNK ART SHOW - Front Street Galleries, 10am-4pm featuring more than 24 local artists. frontstreetart.com

SUN, MAY 9 PREACHER LAWSON - Day Air Ballpark, Comedian from America's Got Talent performs in the Dayton Dragons' stadium, \$30-50, 8pm. bit.ly/39w380E

MAY 11-16, 25-30 DAYTON DRAGONS HOMEGAMES - See the Dragons play baseball at Day Air Ballpark, daytondragons.com

FRI, MAY 14 TASTE OF THE JEWISH CULTURAL FESTIVAL - Temple Israel, Socially-distanced food, entertainment & more. tidayton.org/festival

MAY 14-23 PUFFS - Blair Hall Theatre, Sinclair College, Play about a certain school of magic. sinclair.edu/tickets

SAT, MAY 22 BLOODMOBILE AT THE MARKET - 2nd Street Market. The Community Blood Center's Bloodmobile will visit the Market from 9 a.m. to noon. facebook.com/2ndStreetMarket

MAY 22-SEPT 12 EXHIBIT: CHANGING TIMES: ART OF THE 1960S - Dayton Art Institute. A look at a transformative and often turbulent decade. daytonartinstitute.org

SAT, MAY 29 VELVET CRUSH UNPLUGGED - Dublin Pub, live music starting at 7 p.m. dubpub.com/events

SAT, MAY 29 AN EVENING WITH STRINGUS KHAN - Yellow Cab Tavern, 7:30 p.m., \$7-10. facebook.com/theoldyellowcab



ONGOING SUMMER EVENTS

BECAUSE THE OPTIONS ARE ENDLESS... BE DOWNTOWN.

In addition to special events, there are museums, galleries, markets, and other attractions offering fun all summer (or all year) long! Use our website at DowntownDayton.org to locate these attractions; look up their scheduled events; and find parking, shopping, and dining options nearby:

2ND STREET MARKET • 600 E. Second St., (937) 228-2088, metroparks.org/localfood

AMERICA'S PACKARD MUSEUM • 420 S. Ludlow St., (937) 226-1710, americaspackardmuseum.org

THE CONTEMPORARY DAYTON • 25 W. Fourth St., (937) 224-3822, thecontemporarydayton.org

THE DAYTON ART INSTITUTE • 456 Belmonte Park North, (937) 223-4278, daytonartinstitute.org

DAYTON DRAGONS BASEBALL • Day Air Ballpark, 220 N. Patterson Blvd., (937) 228-2287, daytondragons.com

DAYTON HISTORY • Old Courthouse, Third & Main streets, and Carillon Historical Park, 1000 Carillon Blvd., (937) 293-2841, daytonhistory.org

DAYTON INTERNATIONAL PEACE MUSEUM • 208 W. Monument Ave., (937) 227-3223, daytonpeacemuseum.org

DAYTON METRO LIBRARY • 215 E. Third St., (937) 463-BOOK, daytonmetrolibrary.org

DAYTON SOCIETY OF ARTISTS • 48 High St., (937) 228-4532, daytondsa.org

K12 GALLERY & TEJAS • 341 S. Jefferson St., (937) 461-5149, k12gallery.org

LEVITT PAVILION DAYTON • 134 S. Main St., levittdayton.org
Levitt Pavilion's will announce its 2021 season of concerts on the lawn on May 20, with the season kicking off June 12.

LINK: DAYTON BIKE SHARE • linkdayton.org, 27 stations throughout downtown

THE NEON MOVIE THEATER • 130 E. Fifth St., (937) 222-7469, neonmovies.com

RIVERSCAPE METROPARK • 111 E. Monument Ave., (937) 278-2607, metroparks.org/riverscape

RIVERSCAPE RIVER RUN • (937) 275-7275, metroparks.org/river-run
Take advantage of on-river floats, kayaking, and other fun river programming.

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