

GREATER DFW Things to Do

AUGUST 2026

Catch a Summer Concert

Summer isn't over yet! Tons of concerts are happening in August across the DFW area. Find one to enjoy!

do214.com

Prosper on Tap! Last Sip of Summer

Toast the end of summer at Prosper's Last Sip of Summer: Sip & Stroll on Aug. 29. Enjoy cocktails, wine, and seasonal drinks while exploring the shops of Downtown Prosper. Make plans to go.

sbghospitality.com/prosper-on-tap-event-series

Durango Fest

Durango Fest brings Alacranes Musical and Montez De Durango to Rodeo West Dallas on Aug. 21 for an unforgettable night of regional Mexican music. Don't miss it.

vivatumusica.com/eventin-event-2/artists/durango-fest

Go Bowling

When was the last time you got out and bowled with your friends or family? Have fun in the comfort of A/C and go bowling with a group.

independencetitle.com/wp-content/uploads/Bowling-DFW.pdf

Ice Cream

There are tons of fantastic ice cream shops in DFW. Get out of the house and grab a scoop or two from one of the many unique ice cream shops in town. Try one of the few that make adult ice cream, too!

dallas.eater.com/maps/best-ice-cream-dallas-2

Triston's Birthday Bash

Come out for an evening with Roger Creager at Tannahill's on August 2, from 1:00 to 7:00 pm. The event will feature live music, auctions, and raffles. tristonslegend.org/events



Texas Sales Tax Holiday! Back-to-school items August 7th-9th, 2026

During this weekend, you can purchase most clothing, footwear, school supplies, and backpacks tax-free, provided the items cost less than \$100 each. For a full list of eligible items, go to the Texas Comptroller Website.

comptroller.texas.gov/taxes/publications/98-490/



Celina Friday Night Market

Shop, dine, and enjoy live music at the Celina Friday Night Market on Aug. 7 from 6-9 PM, featuring 60+ local vendors, food trucks, fresh produce, and handcrafted goods in Downtown Celina. Come out and join the fun.

lifeincelina.tx.com/cfnm

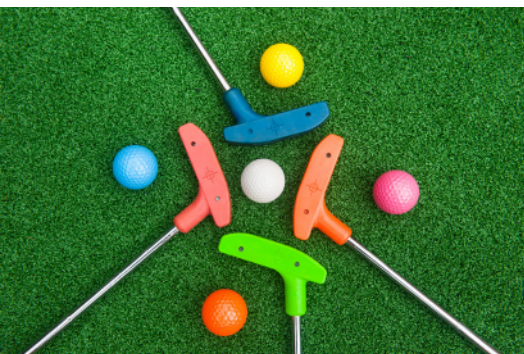
Clean Out Your Closet

Before adding new work or school pieces to your wardrobe, clean out what you no longer wear and donate or sell some of those amazing pieces. Start with what you no longer use.

nextlevelwardrobe.com/closet-clean-out-guide/

Get Organized on Paper

With the new school year beginning and the holiday season quickly approaching, take the time to organize your family dates. Get your planner or family calendar out and start putting dates down. Do it today.



Soccer: More Than a Game Exhibit at Perot Museum of Nature and Science

Kick, test, and explore the science behind the world's most popular sport at Soccer: More Than a Game at the Perot Museum. This interactive exhibition runs through Sept. 7, 2026, and features hands-on challenges, soccer technology, and World Cup-inspired experiences.

perotmuseum.org

Play Miniature Golf

If you want some good, old-fashioned fun, head to a mini golf course! There are a few in DFW, making it convenient to find one near you. Pick one and go play. dfwchild.com/mini-golf-dallas

Mesquite's Annual Doggie Splash Day

Join the City of Mesquite's annual Doggie Splash Day on Saturday, August 8, from 9 am to noon at Vanston Pool. Enjoy contests, prizes, and access to the dog pool.

cityofmesquite.com/DoggieSplashDay



Give Back to Your Local Animal Shelter

Make a paw-sitive impact on your community by donating your time and resources to local animal shelters. Lately, our shelters have had a higher intake and are in need of help. Reach out and help today.

hsnt.org

operationkindness.org

spca.org



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