

GREATER AUSTIN

Things to Do

NOVEMBER
2025

Vote

Election Day is Tuesday, November 4! If you didn't vote early, cast your ballot on Election Day. Every vote counts in shaping the future. vote.org

Wurstfest

From November 7-6, head to New Braunfels for Wurstfest, a celebration of German culture, food, and sausage! Enjoy ten days of live music, dancing, rides, and plenty of German beer and bratwurst. It's the best ten days in sausage history! wurstfest.com

Friendsgiving

Celebrate your chosen family by hosting a Friendsgiving this November. Make it a potluck, where everyone brings a dish and enjoys good food and even better company.

Texas Humane Heroes Chili Cook-Off

Spice things up at our 16th Annual Chili Cook-Off! Enjoy chili, live music, drinks, games, and more. Every ticket supports animals in need. Bring your appetite and join the fun! humaneheroes.org

Austin Celtic Festival

Celebrate Celtic culture at the Austin Celtic Festival this November at Pioneer Farms. In addition to live music and dance, the festival will host the 2025 Scottish Highland Games World Championships. austincelticfestival.com

Panda Fest Austin

PANDA FEST is one of the largest U.S. outdoor Asian food festivals, featuring tastings, activities, and markets celebrating Asia's food, art, and culture. pandafests.com

Annual Veterans Day Hangar Dinner Dance

Pay tribute to our veterans on November 8 at the Commemorative Air Force Central Texas Wing. Enjoy a '40s swing band, dancing, and a tribute to veterans, all set among historic WWII aircraft for a unique and memorable evening. centraltexaswing.org

Austin Food + Wine Festival

Indulge in culinary delights at the Austin Food + Wine Festival, running November 7-9. This three-day event features top chefs, winemakers, and sommeliers, offering tastings, live music, and unique food experiences that make Austin a premier culinary destination. austinfoodandwinefestival.com



A Christmas Affair

November 19th - 23rd

Shop, celebrate, and give back at A Christmas Affair® 2025: Golden Year, hosted by The Junior League of Austin at Palmer Events Center. With over 200 vendors, this holiday market supports JLA's community programs and attracts thousands of shoppers each year.

jlaustin.org

Fossil Fest

Bring the family to Fossil Fest, where kids and adults can discover fossils, meet scientists, and explore global specimens. This annual event is packed with educational workshops and hands-on fossil-digging fun! austinpaleo.org

Texas Monthly BBQ Fest

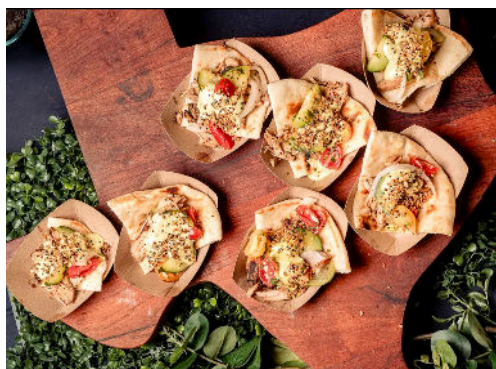
From November 1-2, enjoy the best BBQ Texas has to offer at the Texas Monthly BBQ Festival in Lockhart. This two-day event features live music, an artisan market, cooking demonstrations, and a mouth-watering BBQ from top pitmasters across the state. texasmonthly.com

Texas Book Festival

The Texas Book Festival, taking place from November 8 to 9, is a literary celebration featuring around 250 authors each year. Enjoy readings, signings, panel discussions, and more, along with family-friendly activities and local food vendors. texasbookfestival.org

ThunderCloud Subs Turkey Trot

Kick off Thanksgiving Day with ThunderCloud Subs' annual Turkey Trot in Austin. This 5-mile run or 1-mile walk is a fun way to build up your appetite and raise money for local charities. thundercloud.com



7th Annual Lampasas Go Texan BBQ Cookoff

Gather your team and head to the Lampasas 580 Complex for the 7th Annual BBQ Cook-Off!

This is a sanctioned event of the Lone Star BBQ Society. business.lampasaschamber.org

Texas Craft Brewers Festival

The Texas Craft Brewers Festival showcases small, independent breweries from across the state at Fiesta Gardens on Lady Bird Lake. Enjoy tastings from 70+ breweries and a variety of local food vendors. texascraftbrewersfestival.org

