

GREATER AUSTIN

Things to Do

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2025

Labor Day

Get outside and celebrate with family and friends. Send summer out with a bang this year. Try one of these recipes at your Labor Day gathering.

foodnetwork.com/holidays-and-parties

Get Into Healthy Habits

The kids are back at school. It's time to get back into a routine. The family can begin cooking and incorporating healthy habits into their daily schedule.

Get a Head Start on Holiday Shopping

Labor Day deals are a real thing. Stash some of your holiday sale finds to lighten your shopping load in the fall.

Zilker Relays

The Zilker Relays is a 10-mile team race where each runner tackles a 2.5-mile loop, starting and finishing at a central festival/transition area. While team relays aren't new, the Zilker Relays stands out with its festive atmosphere, complete with drinks and music, making it a beloved event for runners of all levels and ages.

austinrunners.org/zilker-relays

Fall Pecan Street Festival

The Pecan Street Festival is a free, bi-annual juried event showcasing music, arts, and crafts. Attendees can enjoy a vibrant street fair featuring vendors, artists, musicians, food, drinks, and more.

pecanstreetfestival.org

Bat Fest

Experience the excitement of the world's largest urban bat colony, consisting of 1.5 million Mexican Free-Tailed Bats that roost beneath the Ann Richards Congress Avenue Bridge. Watch as they take to the skies for their nightly flight and enjoy live music, children's activities, a costume contest, and more.

roadwayevents.com/event/bat-fest

Market Day on Main Street

Head out for Market Day on Main Street, which features 100+ vendors, artists, food, music, and more. Hosted by the Highland Lakes Kiwanis Club, this event funds local youth programs like the Marble Falls Education Foundation and Boys & Girls Club.

marketdayonmain.com

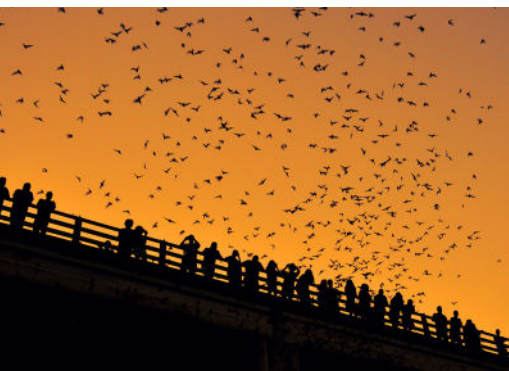


Football is Back!

Kickoff for both NFL and College Football will be in early September. It's time to tailgate, have watch parties, and cheer on your favorite teams!

NCAA: espn.com/college-football/schedule

NFL: espn.com/nfl/schedule



FIA World Endurance Championship

Don't miss the Lone Star Le Mans when it returns September 5-7, 2025 for the sixth and only North American race in the official World Endurance Championship season. Witness the greatest lineup of horsepower featuring world-class brands including Ferrari, Porsche, McLaren, and many more. circuitoftheamericas.com

Austin Museum Day

Austin Museum Day returns on September 28, offering free admission to over 20 local museums. This annual event celebrates art, culture, history, music, nature, and science with special programming, including guided and self-guided tours, hands-on activities, and more for all ages.

austinmuseums.org/about-austin-museum-day



Wimberley Arts & Soul Soiree

WimberleyArts presents Texas Black Tie—an evening of cocktails, dinner, entertainment, dancing, and an auction. Held at the beautiful Videre Estate, the gala celebrates 10 years of WimberleyArts and its leadership in the Wimberley Valley Cultural District.

wimberleyarts.org

Oatmeal Festival in Downtown Bertram

The Oatmeal Festival in Bertram, Texas, is a quirky and fun annual celebration held over Labor Day weekend. Known for its lighthearted spirit, the festival features a parade, live music, games, a fun run, and plenty of oatmeal-themed activities—all honoring the tiny nearby community of Oatmeal and promoting healthy living and hometown pride.

oatmealfestival.org

