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August 10-16, 2023



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Join the Harn Museum of Art and Focus on Photography from Jerry Uelsmann at Museum Nights

**Thursday, August 10, 6 p.m. – 9 p.m. | Harn Museum of Art
3259 Hull Rd., Gainesville, FL 32608**

View the exhibit Jerry Uelsmann: A Celebration of His Life and Art in a new way with a museum experience inspired by his imagination and whimsy. Enjoy live music from the Ramblin' Mutts band, explore the gallery with an Art Blast Tour or scavenger hunt, experience UF composer Paul Richard's symphonic composition and ask-an-artist about photographic processes. Admission is free.



Show Off Your Dance Moves at a Party Half a Century in the Making at Hop GNV: Celebrating 50 Years of Hip Hop

**Thursday, August 10, 8 p.m. | High Dive
210 SW 2nd Ave., Gainesville, FL 32601**

During a 1973 back-to-school jam in the Bronx, DJ Kook Herc developed a new technique of playing two copies of the same record and looping percussion portions, extending instrumental "breakbeats" for longer periods of time. Hip-hop was born among a community of dancers, artists, musicians and poets. Music and culture would never be the same. Celebrate the anniversary at High Dive with a freestyle contest, breakdance contest and cash prizes.



Kickoff Your Weekend with a Fusion of Jazz and Funk with Dionysus at the Free Fridays Concert Series

**Friday, August 11, 7 p.m. – 9 p.m. | Bo Diddley Plaza
Downtown Gainesville**

The region's largest and longest-running free outdoor concert series features live music in downtown Gainesville through August 25. Enjoy food and drinks from nearby cafes and restaurants within walking distance. Admission is free.



Enjoy a Showcase of Local Artists at the Live and Local GNV Concert Series

**Saturday, August 12, 7 p.m. – 9 p.m. | Bo Diddley Plaza
Downtown Gainesville**

MusicGNV hosts an evening of emerging musicians on the outdoor stage. The outdoor music lineup includes Prizilla, Spirit Tramp, and Morghan Copeland. Admission is free.



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Dance to Motown Hits, Jazz and Swing with Raftus Brown and the Melrose Horns at Jazz on the Green

**Saturday, August 12, 7 p.m. – 9 p.m. | Celebration Pointe
4949 Celebration Point Ave., Gainesville, FL 32608**

Spread a blanket under the setting sun or pull up a chair and enjoy live music on the promenade. Enjoy food, drinks and sweet treats from nearby restaurants. Admission is free.



Go Behind the Scenes on a Historic Building Tour of the Hippodrome Theatre at Sip and Stroll

**Sunday, August 13, 11 a.m. | Hippodrome Theatre
25 SE 2nd Pl., Gainesville, FL 32601**

Explore the inner workings of the Hippodrome Theatre and learn about areas of the building typically off-limits to the public. The tour travels through the lower-level basement up to the little-known third floor. Admission includes a drink from the bar.



Cheers to 6 Years! Raise a Glass at the 6th Anniversary of Cypress & Grove Brewing Company

**Saturday, August 12, 2 p.m. – 10 p.m. | Cypress & Grove Brewing Company
1001 NW 4th St., Gainesville, FL 32601**

Join the party at the brewery featuring food trucks, live music and new beer releases. For serious craft beer enthusiasts, a pre-party takes place at 12 p.m. includes a meeting with the brewers, new canned releases and glassware. Pre-party tickets are available online.



Play Traditional Camp Games and Enjoy Craft Beer at Camp First Mag

**Saturday, August 12, 2 p.m. – 10 p.m. | First Magnitude Brewing Company
1220 SE Veitch St., Gainesville, FL 32601**

Camp First Mag features all-adult teams competing in classic camp games. Prizes are up for grabs but the team with the highest score gets free beer for a year. Registration is over for new entries, but extra camp games and activity stations are available so everyone can walk away with friendship bracelets, boondoggles or painted rocks. Food vendors include Stubbies Pop-Up Sausages, Frenchmen Street Food and Heart and Soul Food Truck.

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