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February 29 - March 6, 2024





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Celebrate Arts and Creativity with the Thornebrook Springs Arts Festival Saturday, March 2 – Sunday, March 3, 10 am. – 5 p.m. | Shoppes at Thornebrook 2441 NW 43rd St., Gainesville FL, 32606

Browse more than 60 artists with displays of painting, sculpture, photography, glass works, fiber arts, wood carvings, pottery, jewelry, and more.

Grab a bite from Shoppes at Thornebrook restaurants Bageland, Cintron, Mini Momo and Thornebrook Chocolates. Food trucks include Bleu Rain, Eim Thai, Latin Food Blessing, A Sweeter Option and Back Porch Burgers.



Take a Picturesque Walking Tour of the High Springs Walldogs Murals and Browse Art Displays at Art Fair on the Green

Saturday, March 2 – Sunday, March 3, 10 a.m. – 5 p.m. | Downtown High Springs 18554 High Springs Main St., High Springs, FL 32643

Artist booths line High Springs for a weekend of art. At 1 p.m. on both days, join a walking mural tour of hand-painted installations from Walldogs artists. Enjoy live music, food and craft beer at High Springs Brewing Company. Stroll through the charming downtown and find restaurants, art galleries, boutiques and antique stores. Pets on a leash are welcome and admission is free.



Browse Vintage Goods from Over 40 Vendors at the Sycamore Lane March Vintage Market Friday, March 1, 9 a.m. – 9 p.m., Saturday, March 2, 9 a.m. – 2 p.m.

3824 SW 170th St., Archer, FL 32618Sycamore Lane's seasonal outdoor market features a relaxed sip and s

Sycamore Lane's seasonal outdoor market features a relaxed sip and shop experience with a large selection of vintage goods. Enjoy beer, wine and live music as you browse furniture, décor and more. Friday night features live music with classic rock and modern hits from Faster Than Flash.



Enjoy Exhibitions and Meet the Next Generation of Farmers Alachua County Youth Fair and Livestock Show

Friday, March 1 - Tuesday, March 5

Alachua County Agriculture and Equestrian Center

The annual Alachua County Youth Fair and Livestock Show features over 300 Alachua County 4-H and FFA youth aged 8-18, showing their animals and skills. Food trucks will be onsite. The fair is an educational platform for the youth in Alachua County interested in agriculture. Admission is free.



Be Inspired by Stories from Community Leaders at TEDxGainesville Saturday, March 2, 5:30 p.m. | Hippodrome Theatre 25 SE 2nd Pl., Gainesville, FL 32601

TEDxGainesville highlights local individuals and stories to open minds and transform the Greater Gainesville community. Hear from leaders in education, computer engineering, poetry and spoken word, human emotion and more.





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Singer-Songwriter Noah Moses Kicks Off the Live and Local Concert Series Friday, March 1, 7 p.m. – 9 p.m. | Bo Diddley Plaza Downtown Gainesville

Bring your friends and family, bring dinner, and come see Gainesville's newest and hottest music at Bo Diddley Plaza. The March Live and Local Concert Series features a month of free concerts showcasing local acts and kicks off with great tunes by Noah Moses. Noah is deeply inspired by the 70's styles of music, along with modern folk bands like Mumford and Sons. His music is said to be raw and honest letting the human condition shine through in his songs. The Live and Local Concert Series continues each Friday in March. Admission is free.



See Old Tractors and Vintage Farm Equipment in Action at Plowing Up the Past Friday, March 1 – Saturday, March 2, 10 a.m. – 3 p.m. | Dudley Farm Historic State Park

18730 W Newberry Rd., Gainesville, FL 32669

Join Dudley Farm and see how fields were plowed for the spring plantings. See different types of field plows and antique tractors. These antique tractors are a display of farming equipment and a way of life circa 1930s and 1940s, a reflection of rural American history. Observe, as participants work the land plowing and discing. Volunteers in period clothing demonste period crafts and interpret the farm's history.



Celebrate Fandom with a Weekend of Magic and Family Friendly Fun at Swampcon: Cirque Du Gator

Saturday, March 2 – Sunday, March 3, 10:30 a.m. – 10 p.m. | UF Reitz Union 686 Museum Rd., Gainesville, FL 32603

Presented by the UF Anime Club, Swampcon celebrates Japanese arts and fashion, gaming, pop culture, cosplay, and performance arts across fandoms. Admission is free, RSVP online.



See Elite Athletes Compete at the 2024 NJCAA Indoor Track and Field Championships

Friday, March 1 – Saturday, March 2 | Alachua County Sports and Events Center 4870 Celebration Pointe Ave., Gainesville, FL 32608

Feel the thrill of watching top track athletes compete at the two-day National Junior College Athletic Association Indoor Track and Field Championships. This event is being held in Alachua County for the first time at the newly developed state-of-the-art indoor banked track at the Alachua County Sports and Events Center at Celebration Pointe. Single day and weekend passes are available online. Free admission for kids under the age of 5.

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