17 Things To Do This Weekend (April 06 – April 07)

Snow in April? Someone online mentioned that January was 4 months long this winter. Only in New England can we have 60 degree days in February and freezing temperatures and snowfall in April. We can't even leave the house without looking at the weather report, because there's nowhere to know what to wear! After Friday and Saturday's snow we'll finish out the weekend with partly sunny. Temperatures will be in the mid-40s after Friday's chilly start. Regardless, there is absolutely nothing that could stop a New Englander from hitting the road and having fun!



As always, click on the title for more or detailed information on the event. Most of the events were pulled from our **event calendar** where you can find hundreds of local area events each month. The event calendar is FREE, so if you are a local business, and not taking advantage of FREE publicity, shame on you! Are you a local business and want to sponsor this high traffic, weekend guide? Contact info@newbedfordguide.com for more details. Have an event to add? Add it **here**. Know of another event this weekend? Post a reply!

Friday, April 06th

Southeastern Massachusetts Real Estate Show – Episode 3 (4:00pm–5:00pm)

Join Paul Chasse, CEO of the REALTOR® Association of Southeastern Massachusetts, for the first edition of the Southeastern Massachusetts Real Estate Show. Paul will feature local market statistics for the cities/towns from Onset to New Bedford, along with information on other topics such as selling, buying, investing and financing. This Friday, tune in to watch Paul Chasse and his guest, Bob Lima, a Broker Associate with Berkshire Hathaway for a fast-paced, 1 hour show filled with real estate news and information!



Karaoke at The Bar!

NBHS Drama Club presents: Sweeney Todd (7:00pm-9:30pm)

Sondheim's BLOODY MASTERPIECE! Join us for an evening of musical murder as we present Sweeney Todd: The Demon Barber of Fleet Street. This performance features mature subject matter and is not suitable for children under the ages of 10. Families please be advised. Tickets \$10 for students/seniors, \$12 for adults. New Bedford High School, 230 Hathaway Blvd., New Bedford.

NBHS Drama Club presents: Sweeney Todd (7:00pm-9:30pm)

This event is a fundraiser for the sophomore class of 2020. This fundraising is for the Junior Banquet, Senior Prom, and the yearbooks. Students will be selling tickets at school between the times of 10:49 AM and about 12:23 PM for \$5 or can be bought at the door for \$7. Greater New Bedford Regional, Vocational Technical High School, 1121 Ashley Blvd., New Bedford. VIDEO: facebook.com/GNBVTHS/videos/

Black Violin at the Z (8:00pm)

Hip hop meets strings in a groundbreaking collaboration between Wil Baptiste and Kevin "Kev Marcus" Sylvester, known together as Black Violin. The classically-trained duo return to The Z with their incredible band as part of The Classical Boom Tour. Their signature blend of hip-hop, rock, R&B, classical, and bluegrass music has struck a chord with audiences around the world, astounding traditional and contemporary enthusiasts by the genre-bending music.

"ABSOLUTE" band" at PUB 6T5 (8:00pm-11:45am)

The Band ABSOLUTE is a 4 member band that does rock music from the 50's-80's. They have been together for well over a decade and have been doing local clubs in Massachusetts/Southcoast area. 736 Ashley Blvd, New Bedford, MA.

Karaoke w/ DJHankster at The Bar (10:00pm-1:00am)

See poster for full details. The Bar, 266 Dartmouth St, New Bedford.

Saturday, April 07th

Bishop Stang 7th Annual Book Sale for American Heart Association (8:30am-2:00pm)

Bishop Stang High School announces its 7th Annual Book Sale in the school's cafeteria. All proceeds are given to the American Heart Association in memory of Richard Flynn and Joseph Silva. There are over 5000 books, movies and CDs available from \$1-2. The public is welcome!



DNRT's Vernal Pool Walk on Saturday!

1st Buttonwood Wellness Walk 2018 (9:00am-12:00pm)

Hey, this Saturday marks 4 years of the Wellness Walk! We are now outside every Saturday for the season at Buttonwood Park starting at 9 am. We meet in front of the zoo entrance and the Southcoast Brass Band will kick us off this week. Dogs are welcome. #LoveYourHeartNB #WalkWithADoc #LiveWellNB

Vernal Pool Walk at the DNRT (10:00am-12:00pm)

Come join DNRT and the Buzzards Bay Coalition for a vernal pool exploration at Parsons Reserve. Staff from DNRT and the Buzzards Bay Coalition will lead you on a hike through the reserve to a large vernal pool, where you will get a chance to see some of its interesting inhabitants up close and personal. As a bonus, the hike will wind past the reserve's popular daffodil field, where thousands of daffodils bloom each spring. Be prepared for moderate walking on uneven terrain, rain or shine. Register here: http://bit.ly/2GP5Cru

Main Library's Children's Room Family Story Time (11:00am-12:00pm)

Please join us at the Main Library's Children's Room every Saturday at 11am for story time and crafts! Hope to see you there! New Bedford Free Public Library, 613 Pleasant St., New Bedford.

Annual Old-Fashioned Penny Sale (5:00pm-9:00pm)

An evening of fun and prizes to benefit Holy Family Holy Name School! Continuous raffles throughout the event. Also includes...MEGA RAFFLE, Gift Baskets, Quality Prizes, Craft Table, Children's Table, Kitchen (D&D Catering), Gift Certificates, Children's Play Room. FUN FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY!



Have a blast Saturday
night!

Ana Moura (Fado) at the Z (8:00pm)

Ana Moura possesses a sound unlike any other in fado, and we are thrilled to welcome her back to The Z! Her voice strolls freely through the Portuguese tradition, flirting elegantly with pop and broadening the soul-bearing genre to stunning results. Her stage presence captured the attention of Caetano Veloso, Mick Jagger, and Prince, which resulted in inspired crossover collaborations and performances with these musical giants in rock, pop, and jazz. Join us for a beautiful evening of fado, from an exquisite vocalist who embodies the spirit of the iconic fadista.

DJ Fahrenheit at PUB 6T5 (9:00pm-1:00am)

80's, 90's, Freestyle & Top 40 music. Disco, Funk and Freestyle music videos by Beatmedic's own DJ Fahrenheit. 736 Ashley Blvd, New Bedford, MA.

Wild Nites at The Bar (10:00pm-1:00am)

From Oldie's and swing to 70's funk and disco, to 80's metal and pop/rock, to 90's alternative, ska, dance & hip hop, to 00's & current radio tunes along with a bit o' country. The Bar, 266 Dartmouth St, New Bedford.

Sunday, April 08th

Be The Solution to the Pollution's "Earth Day Beach Cleanup" (9:00am-5:00pmpm)

Tools, bags, gloves and snacks provided. Please bring a reusable water bottle. Meet near the cannons at Fort Phoenix.

FREE Sunday Adult Wellness Programming (9:00am-1:30pm)

Free Adult Wellness Programming for All Levels of Fitness! Open to the Public! 9:00am: Zumba w/ Lynn Barbosa, 10:00am: Mindfulness with Julie, 10:30am: Yoga w/ Deb Fraine, 11:30am: Qigong: Meditation for Healthy Aging w/ Marcia & Steve, 12:30pm: Nutrition w/ Nicole Brown. Boys & Girls Club of Greater New Bedford, 166 Jenney St., New Bedford.



Exercise your body, mind and spirit!

Gary Mullen & The Works perform "One Night Of Queen" at the Z (7:30pm)

One Night of Queen returns to rock The Z once more! The tribute to the legendary rock group is helmed by Gary Mullen, who exhibits the sound, look and showmanship of the beloved and talented Freddie Mercury. Experience Queen's incredible sound, including all their classics, like "We Will Rock You," "Bohemian Rhapsody," "Somebody to Love," and so many more.

Don't miss the homage that sells out time and time again!

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