

# 21 Things To Do This Weekend (Sep. 29 – Oct.-01)

Though we'll have pleasant temperatures that hover in the mid-60s all weekend, the mornings and evenings will be brisk and we'll be in the mid-40s. Perfect for snuggling on the couch or with a furry friend. Maybe even throw a log on a fire. Saturday we'll have some showers, but they won't persist all day. Otherwise, there will be plenty of sunshine. This is the time of years when the harvest festivals stop popping up.

<b>FRIDAY</b> SEP 29	<b>SATURDAY</b> SEP 30	<b>SUNDAY</b> OCT 1
		
66°/49°	59°/45°	66°/46°
Sunshine and not as warm	Cooler with a few showers	Sunny and warmer

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](mailto:info@newbedfordguide.com) for more details. Have an event to add? Add it [here](#). Know of another event this weekend? Post a reply!

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## Friday, September 29th

### **Pirates & Privateers Presentation (Fairhaven) (10:00am)**

Hear tales of pirates, Revolutionary War era privateers, and

historical Fort Phoenix, presented by Greybeard, an 18th century gunner from the privateer sloop Broome, Abigail Black, a ship's doctor who grows herbal remedies in her village garden when she's not at sea, and Andrew the Powder Monkey, a boy who knows how to load and fire a cannon. Learn which things really just myths based on fiction, the difference between pirates and "legal" privateers, and why grog wasn't all it's cracked up to be.



*Rebecca Correia  
playing live at the  
Greasy Luck Brewpub on  
Friday evening.*

### **Lawler Branch Scrabble Scramble (1:00pm-4:00pm)**

Love to play Scrabble? Join a bunch of other fans at the Scrabble Scramble. Make new friends. Francis J. Lawler Branch Library, 745 Rockdale Ave., New Bedford.

### **Opioid Awareness with Michael Boticelli (2:30pm-4:30pm)**

Michael Botticelli, former Director of National Drug Control under President Obama will be in New Bedford to speak at the Greater New Bedford Community Health Center on September 29th at 2:30pm. The event is in partnership with Jon Mitchell and Greater New Bedford Opioid Task Force. Listen to his inspiring story and his insight into how we can turn the tide on the opioid crisis facing our community and our country. Greater New Bedford Community Health Center, 874 Purchase Street, New Bedford.

### **Rebecca Correia – Pub Side Acoustic at The Greasy Luck Brewpub (6:30pm-9:00pm)**

Downtown New Bedford's hottest newest destination. The brewpub and event venue is set within a former bank building featuring original vault doors and a truly historic feel. Greasy Luck features in-house brewing, an expansive menu, and The Vault Room, a function area for a local events. The Greasy Luck Brewpub, 791 Purchase St. New Bedford.

### **Brian Wilson Presents Pet Sounds (8:00pm)**

Join GRAMMY® Award-winner Brian Wilson as he extends his critically-acclaimed Pet Sounds 50th Anniversary World Tour to celebrate the iconic album for a final time. Wilson and his band, joined by former bandmates Al Jardine and Blondie Chaplin, have performed to captivated audiences in sold-out venues all over the world, delivering Pet Sounds in its entirety, as well as hits and fan favorites that span his 54-year career with The Beach Boys and as a solo artist. Wilson brings one of the most influential albums, hailed as one of the greatest American songbooks of all time, for a once-in-a-lifetime performance you just can't miss. Zeiterion Theater.

### **Batteries Not Included – Live in the Vault at The Greasy Luck Brewpub (9:30pm-1:00am)**

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## **Saturday, September 30th**

### **Haunting for Shriners Halloween Sale & Estate Sale! (8:00am-5:00pm)**

All good things must come to an end including Haunting for Shriners. Everything must go! Hundreds of items for sale!

Halloween props and decorations, home goods, decorations, electronics, and more! Reasonable offers accepted! Please share with friends, family, home hunters, Halloween enthusiasts. professional hunters, and others! For more information [hauntingforshriners@gmail.com](mailto:hauntingforshriners@gmail.com). Haunting for Shriners Hospitals for Children, 57 Fort Street, Fairhaven, MA.



*Start your weekend right with a little exercise for the body, mind and spirit on Saturday morning.*

### **Day of Free Dental Care (8:00am-3:00pm)**

Free Dental Cleaning, Extraction, or Filling for adults over 18 years of age or older. Registration will begin at 7:30am. Care is provided on a first come, first serve basis. Southcoast Smiles & Perfect Smiles, 185 Highland Ave., Seekonk, MA.

### **Rise And Shine Yoga At Fort Phoenix (8:30am-9:30am)**

Join South Coast Yoga every Saturday morning at Fort Phoenix to start your weekend with an energizing yoga practice! Class is only a \$5 drop in, or you can purchase a class card. Class incorporates movement, meditation, balance and strength. This is open to all levels, newbies to advanced. Please bring a mat/towel and water. The beginning of the season can be chilly, so layers are good! Children are welcome, as long as they can sit quietly for the hour (10 and up usually). Class passes are \$25 for 5 classes and can be used at Fort Taber and Fort Phoenix classes all summer.

### **Haskell Fall Plant Sale (9:00am-1:00pm)**

Don't miss the second annual fall plant sale! Fall is a great time of year to plant spring bulbs, get ahead on next year with perennials and shrubs, and of course, get your garlic in the ground! The selection brings back memories of Allen's offerings and will be sold along with harden gear in the newly renovated garden shop. And don't forget, Trustee members automatically get 10% off. The event is open to the public. Allen C Haskell Public Gardens, 787 Shawmut Ave., New Bedford.

### **Coalition For Animal Awareness Savers Drive (Fall River) (9:00am-3:30pm)**

We're doing it again!! Clean out those closets and bring it down to our Uhaul parked in the Frugal Franks lot during their annual yard sale!!! We will receive \$\$\$ for every pound that we collect!! Clothes, shoes, accessories, bedding, books, tapes, CDs, electronics, household items... usable items only please! Frugal Franks, 126 Shove St., Fall River, MA.

### **Chili & Chowder Festival (Bridgewater) (9:00am-3:00pm)**

Come and join the fun at this annual event. Dozens of great chili and chowder to sample from entries hoping to win the grand prize. Food, drinks, music, vendors and more – must be 21 years g age to attend. Admission is \$10 per person. East Bridgewater Commercial Club-EBCC, 1 Nielsen Ave., East Bridgewater.



*Art & Music Festival  
in Lakeville on  
Saturday.*

### **Mushrooms of Massachusetts (10:00am-12:00pm)**

Fall is mushroom hunting season in Massachusetts. Join mycophiles Garrett Stuck, Bette Low and Mark Straus on a two-hour hunt for macro fungi at Westport Land Conservation Trust's Dunham's Brook Conservation Area (1520 Main Road). Whether you're a seasoned forager of chanterelles and morels or just curious to learn more about the history of mycelium, there's more to mushroom identification than meets the eye! Keys to identification will be provided along with information on different cultivation methods, as well as guidelines for safe and environmentally responsible foraging. Westport Land Conservation Trust, 830 Drift Rd., Westport, MA.

### **Arts & Music Festival (10:00am-4:00pm)**

An annual community event in it's 13th year hosting music, crafts, art, street performers, cultural demonstrations, exhibits, an all day historic WWI program, food, face painting, and more. 2 Precinct St, Lakeville, MA.

### **43rd Annual Harvest Fair (10:00am-5:00pm)**

An autumn tradition for generations of families, this beloved old-fashioned fair offers something for everyone. The "Mabel Express" Barrel Train, Monkey Bridge, Mud Pit, Midway games and Children's crafts tent invite kids of all ages to join in the fun. Talented crafters and artisans sell their beautifully created items, enticing fair-goers to get a jump on holiday shopping. Local food and beer vendors offer an array of appetizing selections, while an impressive line-up of musicians round out the festive atmosphere. Norman Bird Sanctuary, 583 3rd Beach Rd. Middletown, RI.

### **Boston Street Art and Graffiti Walking Tour (2:00pm-4:30pm)**

Spend a couple of hours with an expert guide checking out some of the best street art and graffiti in the city. The tour includes Northeastern University's incredible, growing number of street art installations including Shepard Fairey, El Mac and Jef Aerosol

Several large-scale murals by Boston's big wall crews and some visiting graffiti dignitaries. The tour runs in (almost) all

weather. Heavy rain or a freak snowstorm will cancel with a full refund. Starbucks, 273 Huntington Ave., Boston, MA.

## **Sunday, October 1st**

### **New Bedford Wellness Program For Adults (10:00am)**

Always something healthy for body, mind and spirit. From Qigong, Tai Chi and Basketball, to Yoga, Nutrition and Hypnotism to quit smoking. Boys and Girls Club of New Bedford, 166 Jenney St, New Bedford.

### **Salem Food Truck Festival (11:00am-6:00pm)**

The Salem Food Truck Festival is back! Bigger and Better, this year the festival will feature 40 of the area's top food trucks! Held at the Salem Common in historic downtown Salem, Ma. We are excited to offer fellow food lovers the regions top food trucks, live music and family fun and it's FREE! With a range from grilled cheese to whoopie pies, there is sure to be something for everyone! Save the dates and save your appetite for the area's biggest food truck event! Salem Common Historic District.



*The Zeiterion is THE spot to be on Sunday with a BUNCH of activities.*

### **The Z's 35th Birthday Party! – Party like it's 1982! (1:30pm-3:00pm)**

Join us in celebrating 35 years of great entertainment, inspiration and education! Come for the games, food, and fun and stay for a free screening of the 1982 movie, E.T.! Senator

Mark Montigny, an early Zeiterion board member and a steady supporter in the state legislature, will share the story of The Z's beginning and cut the first piece of birthday cake!

### **E.T. The Extra Terrestrial at the Zeiterion (3:00pm)**

Celebrate The Z's 35th Birthday with a Free Showing of E.T. Relive the adventure and magic in one of the most beloved motion pictures of all-time, E.T. The Extra-Terrestrial, from Academy Award-winning director Steven Spielberg. Free popcorn included! Captivating audiences of all ages, E.T. is the unforgettable journey of a lost alien and the 10-year-old boy he befriends. Join Elliot (Henry Thomas), Gertie (Drew Barrymore) and Michael (Robert MacNaughton) as they come together to help E.T. find his way back home. Arrive early for the free, family-friendly birthday party!

Join us at 1:30 p.m. for an 80s-themed block party, including music, games, cake, and more! Senator Mark Montigny, an early Zeiterion board member and a steady supporter in the state legislature, will share the story of The Z's beginning and cut the first piece of the 35 foot birthday cake! No tickets required.

Read

more:

<https://zeiterion.org/35th-birthday-party/>

### **OktoberFesta ! 1st Annual Boars & Brews Challenge (4:00pm-11:00pm)**

Join us for OktoberFesta! Our 1st Annual Boars & Brews Challenge. For the month of October we challenge you to consume 26 beers & 5 signature pork dishes. Sign up begins on October 1st. For completing the Boars & Brews Challenge you will receive: Personalized T-Shirt, 2017 Boars & Brews Mug, Cask & Pig Beer Club Card (valid for 1 year),.Your name registered to win many other prizes including: Patriots, Celtics & Bruins Tickets. Cask & Pig Kitchen and Alehouse, 780 State Rd. North Dartmouth, MA.

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