

10 Things to Do This Weekend in Phoenix

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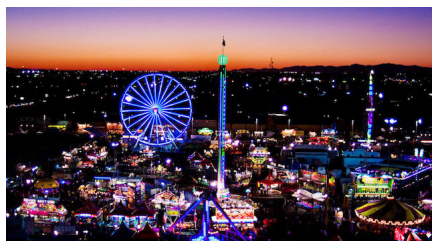


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Fall festivities are officially in full swing! Whether you're indulging in tasty, fried-food favorites at the Arizona State Fair or you're settling in for a ride aboard the Pumpkin Patch Train at the Grand Canyon Railway Hotel, you'll have every opportunity to enjoy fun, seasonal activities this weekend, Oct. 5 through Oct. 7.

Friday:



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Corn Maze and Fall Festival at Vertuccio Farms

Celebrate the season and enjoy dozens of fall festivities, hosted by Vertuccio Farms. With 20 years of experience under their belt, Vertuccio Farms is one of the most popular fall spots for Valley residents. Kick back on one of their barrel train ride, test your problem-solving skills in their corn maze or settle in for a round of pumpkin bowling. Admission starts at \$10. The farm is open from Oct. 1 through Nov. 4. For more information on this event, click [here](#).



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A Taste of Greece: Greek Festival of Chandler

This weekend, you have the perfect excuse to indulge in some unique and tasty treats. A Taste of Greece: The Greek Festival of Chandler offers a weekend of celebration. With traditional Greek foods, Greek imports, live Greek music, costumed folk dancing, a kid's fun zone and so much more, this is a can't-miss event. For more information on this event, click [here](#).



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PoeFest at the Ghost Lounge in Hotel San Carlos

The ninth-annual PoeFest celebration returns to the Arizona Curriculum Theater in Downtown Phoenix this weekend. This month-long event takes place at the main stage every Friday and Saturday night in the Ghost Lounge. The performance will feature professional actors and will bring the story of Edgar Allen Poe and his work, specifically the fictional Maison de Sante asylum, to life. For more information on this seasonal event, click [here](#).



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Convergence at Arcosanti

The immersive Convergence Conference takes place at the otherworldly grounds of Arcosanti this weekend. The event will feature exhibiting performances and powerful conversations on everything from social activism to sustainability. Tickets are \$199. For more information on this event, click [here](#).

Saturday:

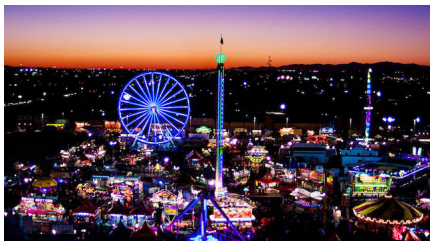


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Arizona State Fair

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The annual Arizona State Fair kicks off this weekend with dozens of rides, games and yes, more flavorful and deep-fried fair food than you can imagine. The fair runs all the way through Oct. 28, and ticket prices range from \$7 to \$10. For more information on this event, click [here](#).



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Enchanted Trail Fall Festival

The Nina Mason Pulliam Rio Salado Audubon Center is hosting its annual Enchanted Trail Fall Festival. Event attendees will get the unique opportunity to learn about Arizona's nocturnal wildlife through a scavenger hunt, and they will also get to explore the grounds of the Audubon Center by night. For more information on this event, click [here](#).



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Scarizona Scaregrounds

Scarizona Scaregrounds is Phoenix's premier haunted house theme park. This immersive experience is a frightfully-fun experience that the whole family can enjoy. Scarizona is open through Nov. 3, and admission prices start at \$22. For more information on this event, click [here](#).



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Pumpkin Patch Train at Grand Canyon Railway Hotel

The Pumpkin Patch Train at Grand Canyon Railway invites visitors to don their best Halloween attire and enjoy a festive ride that is fun for the entire family. The train will depart from Williams Depot to a nearby pumpkin patch in Northern Arizona. Hot beverages and house-made fudge are among some of the flavorful treats that will be available for purchase while on the train. Tickets starts at \$22. For more information on this event, click [here](#).

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Sunday, Oct. 7



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A Day of Mischief at Westworld of Scottsdale

Harry Potter lovers rejoice! A magical weekend of all things regarding the “wizarding world” awaits you at the Westworld of Scottsdale. This celebration will feature butterbeer tastings, shopping at the famous Magical Alley, magical games on brooms and even the opportunity to be presented your own wand. Admission is anywhere from \$12 to \$100. For more information on this event, click [here](#).



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Benise Fuego! – “Spirit of Spain”

Benise Fuego will be performing his fourth PBS production, “Fuego! – Spirit of Spain” at the Orpheum Theatre in Downtown Phoenix this weekend. The music-inspired show mixes the sounds of romance and passion, and takes attendees on an exotic and immersive experience that celebrates the culture Spain. Tickets start at \$29. For more information on this event, click [here](#).