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### **OUTINGS**



#### MARCH 20

#### Miami Open | 3 - 9 PM Miami Gardens

Join us for an elite experience at the Miami Open Tennis Tournament. Experience the art, food, and music taking place throughout the campus. View tennis matches between international tennis players throughout the Hard Rock stadium grounds. Access the end of day match at the stadium court. Please check the clear bag requirements at the Miami Open website. Moderate walking.

RSVP by March 19 to Starr Ferguson at (954) 828-6455 or sferguson@fortlauderdale.gov

#### MARCH 23

#### Gulfstream Park | 12 - 4 PM Hallandale Beach

Check out some of the trendy shops, try your luck at the casino, view live horse racing, visit one of the local art galleries, or grab a bite to eat at one of the many restaurants at this indoor and outdoor entertainment complex. Moderate walking.

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#### **APRIL 4**

#### **Cox Science Center & Aquarium** 10 AM - 12 PM West Palm Beach

Take a journey through the human brain, visit

the Aquariums of the Atlantic, and experience the Titanic Artifact Exhibition, including authentic artifacts recovered from the wreck

RSVP by March 18 to Vanessa Wright at (954) 828-6120 or vwright@fortlauderdale.gov

#### APRIL 13

#### Prime of Your Life Expo | 9 AM - 12 PM The Westin Fort Lauderdale

Attend seminars by expert speakers on aging with confidence sponsored by the Sun-Sentinel, with topics such as lifestyle and wellness, fitness and energy, health and medical, Medicare and insurance, and more. Enjoy live music, food and drink sampling, exhibitors on the latest

products and services, and giveaways. Seminar schedule to be announced at a later date.

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#### MAY 8

### Aventura Mall | 10:30 AM - 2:30 PM

We invite you to join us for the best place to shop in Miami, the Aventura Mall; defined by unique experiences, renowned luxury boutiques and shopper favorites, a worldclass art collection, international indoor and outdoor dining, and cutting-edge architecture. Moderate walking.

RSVP by May 1 to Greg Williams at (954) 828-5321 or gwilliams@fortlauderdale.gov

#### **MAY 22**

#### Lion Country Safari | 11 AM - 2:30 PM West Palm Beach

Ride through this 600-acre drive thru Safari Park us as we see a variety of iconic animals, including some of the largest herds of zebra, rhino, and giraffe on record in the country in the park's seven main habitats.

RSVP by May 15 to Greg Williams at (954) 828-5321 or gwilliams@fortlauderdale.gov

#### **JUNE 14**

#### Perez Art Museum | 11 AM - 1:30 PM Downtown Miami

Visit this modern and contemporary art museum dedicated to collecting and exhibiting international art of the 20th and 21st centuries. Special exhibits during your visit include: Marcela Cantuaria: The South American Dream; Jason Seife: Coming to Fruition; and Sea Change, an immersive exhibition by several artists. Admission is provided. The PAMM gift shop and Verde Waterfront Restaurant are both available on site and are on your own. Reservations are recommended if you are visiting the restaurant.

RSVP April 1 to May 30 to Ari Ffrench at (954) 828-4546 or affrench@fortlauderdale.gov

#### JUNE 28

#### Coconut Grove | 11 AM - 2 PM Miami

Walk around one of Miami's most vibrant neighborhoods complete with lush trees, outdoor dining, and coffee shops. Shop at CoCo Walk, take in the view at The Barnacle Historic State Park, or take a moment to relax in the Meditation Garden. Moderate walking.

RSVP April 1 to June 12 to Ari Ffrench at (954) 828-4546 or affrench@fortlauderdale.gov

#### **JULY 19**

#### History Miami Museum & Bayside Marketplace | 11 AM - 3 PM Downtown Miami

Gain insight on South Florida history with a focus on Miami on a guided tour of the History Miami Museum led by a museum educator. Listen to stories and see a Cuban refugee raft, a Seminole dugout canoe, and a Spitz Projector from the exhibitions, including "It's a Miami Thing" and "Tropical Dreams: A People's History of South Florida." After the museum visit the Bayside Marketplace nearby. This indoor and outdoor shopping center is complete with restaurants, fun shops, and a view of Biscayne Bay. Moderate walking.

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#### **IULY 26**

#### Movies | Time TBD Hollywood

Watch the latest movie at Cinema Paradiso, an intimate movie theatre, home of Fort Lauderdale International Film Festival (FLIFF), located in the heart of Hollywood. After the movie, stroll down Hollywood Blvd or grab a bite to eat at one of the many restaurants nearby. RSVP for this outing, and the movie title and time will be sent out to the group the week prior.

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#### **AUGUST 14**

#### **Gumbo Limbo Nature Center** 10 - 11:30 AM **Boca Raton**

Tour the butterfly garden, Ashley trail, four outdoor aquariums, sea turtle rehabilitation facility, and the Florida Atlantic University observation gallery. Please keep in mind that this guided tour is an outdoor outing with limited shade and moderate walking.

RSVP June 1 to July 31 to Kyle Miller at (954) 828-4610 or kyle.miller@fortlauderdale.gov

#### **AUGUST 24**

#### Yellow Green Market | 10 AM - 12 PM Hollywood

Explore the Yellow Green Market located in Hollywood that is only open on weekends. This local market has something for everyone to browse or purchase. The market is mostly shaded and indoors with open air ventilation. Enjoy getting dropped off and avoid the hassle of parking.

RSVP June 1 to August 9 to Kyle Miller at (954) 828-4610 or kyle.miller@fortlauderdale.gov

### **ACTIVE LEARNING**







#### MARCH 6

#### Discover Podcasts | 10 AM - 12 PM Osswald Park

Learn all about podcasts and how to select one to listen to. Take it further if you wish and develop your skill and confidence in creating a podcast.

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#### MARCH 7

#### Tech It Out-Word Computer Class 10 AM - 12:30 PM Osswald Park

Sharpen your computer skills by learning the basics of Microsoft Word. Participants are welcome to bring their own laptop with Word or follow along on the presentation screen.

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#### APRIL 2

#### Plant Milk, Smoothies, Juices, oh my! 11 AM - 12:30 PM Warfield Park

Proper diet and nutrition are one of the five major principles of Yoga. Learn to make plant milk from basic ingredients as a base for a nutritious smoothie, and extract juices from fruits and vegetables while learning the benefits of juicing.

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#### **APRIL 16**

#### Hair Health | 11 AM - 12:30 PM Warfield Park

Connect the mind, body, and spirit. A healthy lifestyle, a main principle of yoga, can be reflected in one's hair. Learn ways to maximize your own hair health with simple techniques that can be practiced in your own home.

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#### MAY 7

# Paint Your Own Mug | 10 AM - 12:30 PM *Riverland Park*

Express your creativity in this fun arts and crafts class. All art materials are included. Bring a smock or old shirt to cover your clothing.

RSVP by April 30 to Greg Williams at (954) 828-5321 or gwilliams@fortlauderdale.gov

#### **MAY 21**

# Paint Your Own Canvas | 10 AM - 12:30 PM

#### **Riverland Park**

Bring out your inner artist with this fun guided painting class. All painting materials are included. Bring a smock or old shirt to cover your clothing.

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#### JUNE 11

#### Aromatherapy | 11:15 AM Hortt Park

Create your own scented roll-on bottles using essential oils to target areas of stress. Practice this stress management technique in this class to use during your own meditation practice at home.

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#### JUNE 19

# Easy Grow Anywhere | 9:30 - 11 AM *Hortt Park*

Learn to grow and care for South Florida favorites, such as air plants, tillandsias, orchids, and bromeliads from our very own Fort Lauderdale Garden Club past Vice President and member and Moringa Garden Circle past President and member, Hadny Fayyaz. The focus will be on plants that are easy to grow anywhere in your garden or home.

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#### **JULY 16**

#### Tie-Dye | 11 AM Hortt Park

Fold, twist, or pleat your way into a fun Tie-Dye design. Bring 2 small items that are 100% cotton to tie-dye, such as a white t-shirt or canvas tote bag, and we will provide the color dyes and the instructions. Also bring a smock or old shirt to protect your clothing. 15 members maximum.

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#### JULY 23

## Paper Quilling | 11 AM Hortt Park

Decorate greeting cards, boxes, or create your own unique artwork by rolling, looping, curling, and twisting strips of paper to create different shapes and decorative designs. Beginners are welcome.

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#### **AUGUST 12**

# Intro to Keyboard Typing | 10-11 AM Beach Community Center

Learn to type by utilizing correct posture, form, and hand placement. Work on technique with speed drills to improve your word per minute output. Laptop required; Microsoft required.

RSVP June 1 to August 5 to Kyle Miller at (954) 828-4610 or kyle.miller@fortlauderdale.gov

#### **AUGUST 22**

#### Intro to Bocce | 10 - 11:30 AM Beach Community Center

The term "Bocce" means comes from the Italian word "Bowl." Learn how to play this fun outdoor game in which players toss the bocce ball underhand to reach the "pallino", or smaller ball while playing as individuals or groups. This lesson in particular will take place indoors. All equipment provided.

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1150 G. Harold Martin Drive Fort Lauderdale, FL 33304

### **MONTHLY EVENTS**

#### **MARCH 13**

## Candle Making | 10 AM - 12:30 PM Osswald Park

Create beautiful, handmade scented candles by melting and pouring the wax into a vessel. Learn the ancient art of dipping candles by setting layers of wax to create long centerpiece candles with a rustic look. 20 members maximum.

RSVP by March 8 to Starr Ferguson at (954) 828-6455 or sferguson@fortlauderdale.gov

#### APRIL 9

# Self Care- How to Gua? And other daily routines! | 11 AM - 1 PM Warfield Park

Learn how to Gua as part of a natural selfcare routine. Find easy ways to care for your skin, while incorporating healthy habits, such as deep breathing, simple stretches, and meditation into your daily routine.

RSVP by March 21 to Vanessa Wright at (954) 828-6120 or vwright@fortlauderdale.gov

#### MAY 2

## Mother's Day Brunch | 10 AM - 12:30 PM Riverland Park

Celebrate the selfless love mothers have shared with us with this delicious, casual brunch dedicated to all mothers. All members invited to this event.

RSVP by April 25 to Greg Williams at (954) 828-5321 or gwilliams@fortlauderdale.gov

#### **JUNE 25**

### Wood Crafts | 11:30 AM Hortt Park

Bring out your crafty side by creating a one of a kind make-it and take-it project. Bring a smock or shirt to protect your clothing.

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#### **JULY 9**

#### Roll an Abstract | 11:30 AM Hortt Park

Roll the dice to create your own abstract painting. Each roll is a selection for a part of the painting that will come together to create your final masterpiece. Beginners are welcome. Bring a smock or shirt to protect your clothing.

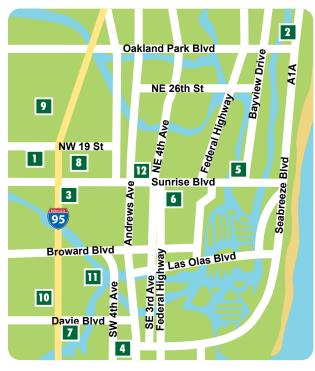
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#### **AUGUST 28**

#### Dance Night | 6:30 - 8 PM Beach Community Center

Let's dance! Bring a partner or meet someone new to dance with to the fun music of a DJ. Light appetizers and beverages will be provided.

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### **LOCATIONS**

#### 1. Bass Park

2750 NW 19th Street Fort Lauderdale, FL 954-828-8498

#### 2. Beach Community Center

3351 NE 33rd Avenue Fort Lauderdale, FL 954-828-4610

#### 3. Carter Park

1450 W. Sunrise Boulevard Fort Lauderdale, FL 954-828-5411

#### 4. Croissant Park

245 W. Park Drive Fort Lauderdale, FL 954-828-6154

#### 5. George English Park

1101 Bayview Drive Fort Lauderdale, FL 954-828-4620

#### 6. Holiday Park

1150 G. Harold Martin Drive Fort Lauderdale, FL 954-828-5383

#### 7. Hortt Park

1700 SW 14th Court Fort Lauderdale, FL 954-828-7275

#### 8. Lauderdale Manors Park

1340 Chateau Park Drive Fort Lauderdale, FL 954-828-5412

#### 9. Osswald Park

2220 NW 21st Avenue Fort Lauderdale, FL 954-828-6455

#### 10. Riverland Park

950 SW 27th Avenue Fort Lauderdale, FL 954-828-5320

#### 11. Riverside Park

555 SW 11th Avenue Fort Lauderdale, FL 954-828-7275

#### 12. Warfield Park

1000 N. Andrews Avenue Fort Lauderdale, FL 954-828-6120

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