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# EXPLORE DOWNTOWN DETROIT'S PARKS

The Downtown Detroit Partnership (DDP) is a nonprofit that has been at the forefront of transforming the City of Detroit. With 100 years of place making experience, DDP continues to create and maintain award-winning public spaces throughout the Downtown.

Summer 2022 in the parks offers a variety of free events, programs, and classes that are designed to welcome all visitors. DDP's innovative programming supports Detroit-based small business owners, entrepreneurs, local artists and musicians. DDP's free seasonal programming reflects the diversity of Detroit's neighborhoods and communities and celebrates the spirit of the City.

DDP manages, operates and programs Downtown
Detroit Parks and Public Spaces, in partnership with
the City of Detroit, the Downtown Detroit Business
Improvement Zone (BIZ) and the Detroit Parks and
Recreation Department.

#### **CONTACT US**

We're here to help and we welcome and encourage your feedback and questions. Please contact us at 313.566.8250 or write to us here.



# PLAN YOUR VISIT

#### **PARKS HOURS**

Open daily 6 am - 10 pm unless otherwise noted and for special events. Areas of the parks may be closed occasionally for maintenance or private event.

#### **ACCESSIBLE ACCOMMODATIONS**

DDP strives to increase independence, opportunities, community participation, safety and wellness for persons with disabilities in the Downtown, and to ensure inclusion, representation, and equity for persons with disabilities as it relates to employment, programs, and services.

#### FREE AND FUN FOR ALL

Downtown Detroit Parks offer public programming that is free and open to all. Each year, the DDP produces, hosts and co-presents more than 1,500 events across six parks and public spaces.



Scan here for a full lineup of free activities.

#### TRANSPORTATION OPTIONS

Convenient and affordable parking options are available steps away from the Downtown Detroit Parks. Public transit is also a great way to navigate the city, including DDOT, SMART, FAST, The People Mover, QLINE, rideshare, and MoGo.

For locations, hours, pricing and to book your space in advance, scan below.

#### **TRANSIT INFO:**



#### **PARKING INFO:**



# DOWNTOWN DETROIT BIZ AMBASSADORS

A program of DDP's Business Improvement Zone (BIZ), Ambassadors are easily recognized by their distinctive yellow jackets and are trained to offer hospitality assistance to residents and visitors. Ask them for help or tips on how to make the most of your experience throughout the city and the Downtown Detroit Parks.

Ambassador Hot Line: 313.963.2225

#### **COVID-19 SAFETY**

Risk of COVID-19 transmission is minimal outdoors — especially for vaccinated individuals. Please consult your doctor with any concerns or questions and if you are unvaccinated, please continue to wear a face covering and maintain six feet of distance between others outside of your household.

#### DOG FRIENDLY PARKS

Trained and leashed dogs and their responsible owners are welcome in the Downtown Detroit Parks. To exercise and relieve your pet, please use the designated off-leash areas at Capitol Park and Grand Circus Park.

#### **LOST AND FOUND**

To inquire about lost or found items in the park, visit DowntownDetroitParks.com

#### **GENERAL OUESTIONS**

Please contact DDP Parks at 313.566.8250 or visit DowntownDetroitParks.com.



#### LUMEN BEACON PARK

Upscale yet approachable modern American cuisine and drinks in an airy and stylish locale. Large patio and rooftop seating that offers great panoramic views of Beacon Park and the Detroit skyline.

RESERVATIONS /MORE INFO





#### PARC CAMPUS MARTIUS PARK

Offering amazing views of Campus Martius Park, this award-winning restaurant serves contemporary Detroit and Midwest flavors with influences of French and Mediterranean style and features a stellar wine selection.

RESERVATIONS /MORE INFO









# DOWNTOWN STREET EATS

CADILLAC SQUARE & WOODWARD ESPLANADE

Monday - Friday • 11 am - 3 pm

STREET EATS SCHEDULE



Now in its 10th season, Michigan's largest and most popular food truck rally offers a diverse mix of delectable cuisine from our rotating fleet of more than 80 food trucks weekdays through October at Cadillac Square and the Woodward Esplanade. Get it to go or eat outside at one of our parks.



# TIUS PARK AC SQUARE

Nestled in the heart of the city, Campus Martius Park is Detroit's Gathering Place for both residents and visitors. This famous park was created in 2004 at the site of Detroit's point of origin, where the vision for the city's design was originally laid out by Augustus Woodward in 1805.

For the second consecutive year, Campus Martius Park was named "Top Public Square" by USA Today and has won countless awards for public space design, management, operations, placemaking, and programming. The park features the region's first and original urban beach and an expansive lawn that serves as the setting for everything from concerts and movie nights to fitness classes and weekday lunch. Known as an active event space and impressive outdoor venue, it is also a beautiful place with meticulously-maintained gardens, dynamic water features and comfortable seating where visitors can unwind and find respite from the surrounding bustle of city life.

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#### **CAMPUS MARTIUS PARK**

Thursdays • June 9 – August 26 Movies start at 7 pm

Families and friends can enjoy a variety of beloved films on the big screen at Campus Martius Park during our free outdoor movie series. Bring a chair or blanket to join us on the lawn for a relaxing summer evening under the stars.

#### July 7

Black Widow | PG-13

#### July 14

Michigan Philharmonic Goes to the Movies • 5:30 pm Encanto | PG In partnership with





#### July 21

Mamma Mia | PG-13

#### **July 28**

Anchor Man | PG-13

#### August 4

The 355 | PG-13

#### August 11

The Wizard of Oz | G

#### August 18

Clueless | PG-13

#### August 26

Remember the Titans | PG

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The Beach at Campus Martius Park is a sun-soaked oasis that offers a uniquely Detroit experience. It's the perfect place for visitors to sit back and relax, build sandcastles with the kids, take in live music, people watch and enjoy a refreshing cocktail with friends.







# **BEACH PARTIES**

#### **CAMPUS MARTIUS PARK**

Friday Nights • June 10 - August 26 • 4 pm - 9 pm

Kick off your weekend at The Beach at Campus Martius Park, a hot spot for summer fun and infamous Beach Parties featuring live music from a rotating lineup of the best local and regional bands and DJs performing beachside every Friday night.



# LUNCHTIME ACOUSTICS

**CADILLAC SOUARE** 

Fridays • June 10 - August 26 • 12 pm - 2 pm

Enjoy live, acoustic performances by metro Detroit's finest singers and songwriters representing a variety of music genres, while having a delicious lunch in the park from the area's most popular food trucks.





# **MARKET FRIDAYS**

#### **CADILLAC SQUARE**

Fridays • June 3 - August 26 • 11 am - 3 pm

Shop till you drop, support small business owners and entrepreneurs and grab takeaway foods at Market Fridays, a weekly pop-up market featuring local food and beverage purveyors, artisans and other vendors, who bring a colorful array of unique goods, including handmade accessories and beauty products. Peruse the vendors while you wait for your lunch order from Downtown Street Eats.



# HOT SAM'S PRESENTS DETROIT'S BLACK WALL STREET

Saturday • July 23 • 6 pm - 8 pm

A day of culture and commemoration in the heart of Downtown Detroit for what Black Wall Street was in Tulsa Oklahoma and for what the renaissance is for black businesses in Detroit and all throughout the nation. The event includes a vendor market of Black-owned businesses, Black-owned and operated food trucks, a fashion show featuring Hot Sam's men's fashion and much more.

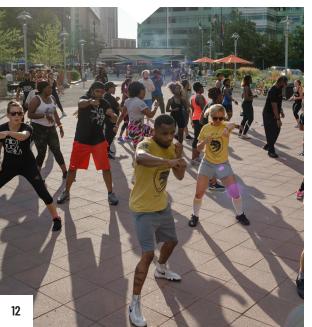


# WORKOUT WEDNESDAYS IS WITH FIRST RESPONDERS 4 FITNESS

#### **CADILLAC SQUARE**

Wednesdays • June 15 - August 24 5:30 pm - 6:30 pm

Get your heart rate up with free weekly fitness classes. Workout Wednesdays with First Responders 4 Fitness, a nonprofit dedicated to promoting health and wellness through educational programs and special events. They provide expertise and mentorship for sound mental, spiritual, nutritional and physical fitness. All fitness levels welcome.





# BEDROCK DETROIT'S MONROE STREET MIDWAY

May 27 - September 5 • Wednesdays - Sundays

The Monroe Street Midway is the place to be for family-friendly outdoor fun with sports and entertainment. The attraction features the Rollout Detroit roller-skating rink and the Rocket Mortgage Sports Zone with basketball courts, a mini-golf course with nine challenging holes, food trucks, and live music and DJs.



More info at

Deckedoutdetroit.com

Summer 2022 marks the 5th anniversary of DTE's Beacon Park. Since its opening in 2017, Beacon Park has become a distinctive gathering place with unforgettable experiences for visitors of all ages, offering eyecatching, Instagram-worthy moments to share with friends and family. The park's circular lawn is the largest of any in Downtown Detroit and gives visitors room to run, play, relax and recharge.

Beacon Park embodies light, energy and motion with year-round programming, interactive light installations and its flagship restaurant Lumen Detroit — featuring a rooftop garden and panoramic views of the park and Detroit skyline.

#### 1901 GRAND RIVER AVENUE DETROIT, MI

(across from DTE Headquarters at the corner of Grand River and Cass)

All Events Sponsored by DTE Beacon Park Foundation

Programmed & Managed by Downtown Detroit Partnership

More info at DTEBeaconPark.com

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#### **FAMILY FUN DAYS**

Sundays • June 5 - August 28 1 pm - 5 pm

Sundays are fundays at Beacon Park's Family Fun Days. Each week features a different theme and includes a mix of free activities for all ages to enjoy, such as lawn games, crafts, live music, art, stage performances and storytelling.

# VOLLEYBALL LEAGUES WITH COME PLAY DETROIT

Tuesdays and Wednesdays June 7 - August 31 • 6 pm - 9 pm

Volleyball leagues return to Beacon Park with chances to bump, set and spike twice a week. Sign up with a team or as a free agent to make some new friends.



#### **NIGHT MARKET**

Saturdays • June 4 - August 27 • 6 pm - 11 pm

Shop, dance, drink and eat all in one place. On Saturday evenings, Beacon Park is transformed into a marketplace where visitors can shop local and support a rotating list of Detroit-based makers and entrepreneurs offering everything from fine art to delicious desserts, while taking in live music and enjoying dinner and drinks at Lumen Detroit or from several food trucks.







# RISE AND GRIND SUNDAYS

Sundays • June 5 - July 31 • 8 am - 9:30 am

Join Coach Kiwi for the Summer Sunday series! Be prepared to throw some punches, do a few squat kicks and get on the ground for crunches.

# CARDIO BOXING WITH TRACIE LG FITNESS

Sundays • August 7 - August 28 • 9:30 am - 10:30 am

This fun, high energy class combines cardio and strength movements designed to challenge individuals. From athletic agility drills and body resistance to band work, cardio boxing & more!



# HUSTLE AND FLOW WITH THE N'NAMDI CENTER

Saturdays • June 4 - August 20 3:30 pm - 5 pm

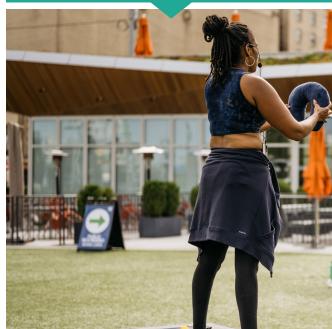
Join the fun on Saturday afternoons with the N'Namdi Center! Each week an instructor will teach you some new dance moves! Be sure to stick around for the Night Market after class.



# BABY AND ME YOGA WITH DETROIT MAMA HUB

Wednesdays • July 6 - August 31 • 11 am - 12 pm

These classes offer a comfortable, supportive environment where parents can meet up with other moms and dads, and enjoy time with their babies, all while experiencing the benefits of yoga. Plan to bring a yoga mat and water bottle.







# **CITY GLOW YOGA™**

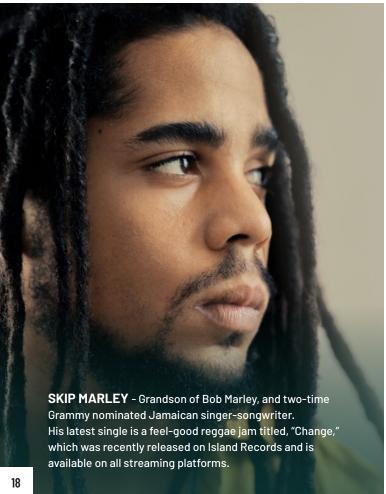
Mondays • July 11, 25 • August 8, 22 7:30 pm - 9 pm

Designed to give fun-seeking Detroiters a sensual escape from the hustle and bustle of everyday life, City Glow Yoga is a feel-good, city-inspired yoga program that hosts immersive outdoor yoga sessions using silent disco technology. Plan to bring a yoga mat and water bottle.

# BEACON PARK END OF SUMMER CONCERT

Saturday • August 27 • 6 pm - 12 am

Metro Detroiters will not want to miss the End of Summer Concert at Beacon Park. This concert will feature renowned reggae artist Etana and Skip Marley, a two-time Grammy nominated Jamaican singersongwriter, and grandson of Bob Marley.









#### COMMUNITY YOGA WITH CITIZEN YOGA

Wednesdays • June 1 - August 31 6 pm - 7 pm

Take time to center yourself with free yoga classes led by a certified instructor, while enjoying the peace and serenity of this activity in our beautiful outdoor park.





# GRAND CIRCUS DOG PARK MOVIE NIGHT

Tuesday • July 19 • Event Starts at 6 pm Movie Starts at 7 pm

Support Michigan Humane's Christmas in July Fundraiser! Bring a new Dog or Cat toy to donate to a pet in need.

# IN PARTNERSHIP WITH:

#### Michigan Humane

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#### **DOG PARK EVENTS**

Select Saturdays • 2 pm - 4 pm

Grand Circus Dog Park hosts monthly themed parties and activities that include treats for the coolest Detroit dogs and their owners. We hope to see you and your furry friend at the park for a howling good time.

#### **SCHEDULE:**

July 23 - National Ice Cream Month

August 28 - National Dog Day

September 24 - TAILgate

October 29 - Annual Halloween Costume Party

#### COMMUNITY YOGA WITH CITIZENS YOGA

Sundays • June 5 - August 28 • 7 pm - 8 pm

Find your Zen with free community yoga classes taught by Citizen Yoga in the beautiful outdoors. Beginners and experienced yogis are welcome.







# **PARKTOBERFEST**

#### **CADILLAC SQUARE**

Saturday, September 10 • 12 pm – 10 pm Sunday, September 11 • 12 pm – 8 pm Prost! Parktoberfest returns with two full days of fun this side of Bavaria. The annual event features an open-air Biergarten pavilion with an impressive selection of craft seasonal and Oktoberfest biers, fall food favorites, live music, photo displays and dance demonstrations. Revelers can partake in a variety of traditional Oktoberfest games, such as stein hoisting, and there's also plenty of kid-friendly activities to enjoy.

# CIDER IN THE CITY

#### **BEACON PARK**

Select Weekends in October 1 pm - 5 pm

The annual Cider in the City event returns to bring all of your favorite signature fall festivities to the city. Enjoy fresh donuts and cider, make your own seasonal crafts, take a horse-drawn hayride around the park, grab some food truck fare and engage in the weekly themed activities.



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# SUPPORT THE **PARKS**

#### WE'RE CELEBRATING 100 YEARS OF DDP!

Since 1922, the Downtown Detroit Partnership has advanced Detroit through strategic initiatives programs and placemaking for the benefit of everyone who lives, works, and visits the city's urban core. The work of DDP is anchored in the belief that community engagement, citizen leadership and philanthropy are the keys to ensuring that Downtown Detroit remains vibrant, connected and welcoming for generations to come.

DDP Parks and public spaces are 100% privately funded, which means we rely solely on donations and support of generous park users, sponsors and foundations to preserve the iconic and important green spaces.

Please help sustain our work with a taxdeductible donation or recurring monthly gift today by clicking the below or text DETROIT to 41444. Thank you for your love of the parks and for helping them remain beautiful and welcoming now and in the future.

#### SUPPORT THE PARKS

Scan here for more information on how to support DDP.





Scan here to inquire about pricing and availability of park space.





The Downtown Detroit Parks also offer world class venues each with its own unique amenities and character for a wide array of events including weddings, fundraisers, touring exhibitions, film and photo shoots, corporate events, product launches and private events. Our experienced rental team also offers event planning and coordinating of logistical and operational services. Contact us for a personalized quote for your event.

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Wedding Ceremonies at Grand Circus Park



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