



Oct. 11, 2024



Celebrate Hispanic Heritage Month

The City of Mesquite is wrapping up its celebration of Hispanic Heritage Month, Sept. 15-Oct. 15.

There's still time to explore the work of Hispanic artists at the Mesquite Arts Center, pick up a Hispanic Heritage-themed Tote-and-Go art kit and experience a cultural performance at the Library.

Find out details at www.cityofmesquite.com/HHM and on the City's social media channels.



Upcoming District Meetings in October

City Councilmember B.W. Smith will host the District 5 Meeting at 10 a.m. on Oct. 12 at Rutherford Recreation Center, 900 Rutherford Drive.

City Councilmember Tandy Boroughs will host the District 4 Meeting at 7 p.m. on Oct. 17 at Evans Recreation Center, 1116 Hillcrest St.

Residents are invited to come hear updates and meet their Councilmember.

Not sure which City Council District you live in? Click here to find out: <https://bit.ly/CouncilDistrictsMaps>.



F.P. Lucas Blvd. closed next week

On Oct. 16-18, F. P. Lucas Blvd. between McKenzie Road and E. Cartwright Road will be closed to through traffic.

Local traffic and emergency vehicles will have property access during closure. Check the City's social media accounts for any other updates.



Tickets on sale for Mesquite Meander

Tickets are now on sale for Historic Mesquite, Inc.'s Mesquite Meander, an unforgettable outdoor, theatrical living-history tour through Mesquite Cemetery.

This annual experience features local actors portraying residents from the community's past.

Tickets are \$15 per person. The Meander offers tours

starting every 10 minutes that run approximately 45 minutes to an hour. Tour times on Oct. 11 start at 6 p.m. with last tour starting at 7:30 p.m. Tour times on Oct. 12 start at 5:30 p.m. with last tour starting at 7 p.m.

Mesquite Cemetery is located at 400 Holley Park Drive. Attendees should note that the Mesquite Meander is an outdoor event in a historic cemetery, so there may be areas of uneven ground and gravel walkways. To purchase tickets and for more information, call HMI's office at 972-216-6468 or visit www.historicmesquite.org.



MAT presents "Frankenstein"

Run date just extended! Mesquite Arts Theatre presents "Frankenstein" on stage at the Mesquite Arts Center from Oct. 11 to Nov. 3.

Nick Dear's adaptation of Mary Shelley's classic gothic novel retells the well-known story from the point of view of the Creature. The Creature is brought to life by Victor Frankenstein, a troubled scientist. When the bewildered Creature is abandoned in a hostile world by his horror-struck maker, it sets into motion a spiral of catastrophic events.

This show is intended for mature audiences only. For information and tickets, visit www.MesquiteArtsTheatre.org.



Teen Turnout on Oct. 12

The City is hosting the next Teen Turnout event at 6 p.m. on Oct. 12 at Dunford Recreation Center, 1015 Green Canyon Drive.

This free gathering is part of a series of events designed for youth ages 12 to 17, which will include music, games, open gym, video games, food, crafts and more.

Registration is on site. For more information about Teen Turnout, visit www.cityofmesquite.com/RealTexasTeens.

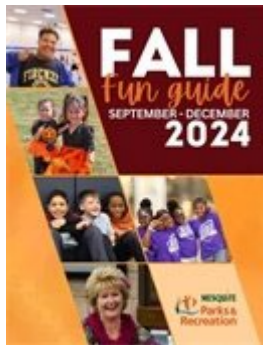


Fall fun at PumpkinFest on Oct. 19

Mark your calendars for PumpkinFest, the annual family-friendly event celebrating the fall season. The event will be from 12-5 p.m. on Oct. 19 at Paschall Park, 1001 New Market Road.

Dress in your best costume and come out to enjoy the community stage with music and dance performances and a magic show. Contests with prizes include Children's Costume Contest, Pumpkin Pie Eating Contest, and a Dog Costume Contest.

Admission is free. Concessions and some activities will require a \$10 wristband. For more information, visit www.cityofmesquite.com/PumpkinFest.



Adventure awaits with Fall Fun Guide


A new edition of the Fall Fun Guide is out! Learn about all the activities and programs that the Mesquite Parks and Recreation Department is offering from September to December 2024 through this colorful guide.


You'll find everything from information about the City's parks and facilities to programs for residents of all ages to opportunities to play sports and have fun at special events. [Click here](#) to check it out!


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