

FALL 2025

A photograph of a man and a young girl hugging outdoors. The man, with short dark hair and a goatee, is wearing a white t-shirt and has tattoos on his left arm. The girl, with curly hair, is wearing a grey t-shirt. They are both smiling warmly at the camera.

FALL IN LOVE WITH HOUSTON THIS SEASON AT DISCOVERY GREEN®

EVENTS ARE FREE UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED

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ARTS

CHROMA COLLECTIVE BY KAREN NAVARRO SEPT 12 - NOV 2

Commissioned by **DISCOVERY GREEN®**
as part of **ART LAB**

Chroma Collective blends two-dimensional imagery with three-dimensional sculpture and mirrored surfaces that invite the public to interact and contribute to its dynamic, shifting tapestry.

ART LAB is a groundbreaking mentorship program for Houston artists. It is co-created and co-curated by Discovery Green Conservancy and Weingarten Art Group.





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México en el Corazón

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**SATURDAY,
SEPT 20
7 - 10 PM**

A magical night of great music, costumes, and ballet folklórico from Mexico. Admission is FREE!

Arrive early for a variety of vendors with goodies and handmade crafts.

Sumérjase en los colores, el arte y la música de México con mariachis, ballet folclórico y mucho más. ¡El evento es gratuito!





SCREAM ON THE GREEN®

SATURDAY, OCT 25

6 - 9 PM

Dress up and enjoy a Halloween screening of *Beetlejuice Beetlejuice* during a night of activities. Register for the costume contest at discoverygreen.com



DÍA DE LOS MUERTOS

SUNDAY, NOV 2

3 - 7 PM

A Mexican holiday celebrating and honoring the loved ones that are no longer with us.

For the first time, we will be hosting a Catrín y Catrinas contest! Dress up in your best costumes and register for a chance to win! discoverygreen.com



ENTERTAINMENT

SCREEN ON THE GREEN

Enjoy a family-friendly movie under the stars. Arrive early for vendors and crafts.

A MINECRAFT MOVIE
SATURDAY, SEPT 27
7 – 9 PM

**THE NIGHTMARE
BEFORE CHRISTMAS**
FRIDAY, OCT 24
7 – 8:30 PM



FAMILIES & CHILDREN



toddler tuesday

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OCT 7, 14, 21, 28

10:30 AM - 12:30 PM

Toddlers enjoy four weeks of themed story time with crafts and a character appearance by one of your child's favorite show or cartoon.



ACTIVITY SCHEDULE

OCTOBER 7

Character: Winnie the Pooh
Books: **Winnie the Pooh: Owl's Reading Lessons** by Disney Reading Group, and **Three Squirrels**

OCTOBER 14

Characters: Bluey and Bingo
Book: **Bluey: The Creek** by Penguin Young Readers

OCTOBER 21

Character: Stitch
Book: **Stitch-or-Treat!** by Eric Geron and RH Disney

OCTOBER 28

HALLOWEEN COSTUME CONTEST!

Characters: Superman and Superwoman
Books: **Even Superheroes Have Bad Days** and **Even Superheroes Get Scared** by Shelly Becker



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CLASE DE YOGA RESPIRACIÓN CONSCIENTE Y MEDITACIÓN DE SONIDOS EN ESPAÑOL LUNES, SEPT 1 – NOV 17 6:30 – 7:30 PM

Esta clase ofrece prácticas de yoga, respiración y meditación de sonidos a la comunidad latina e hispano hablante de Houston. Guiada por Natalia Uribe y Sebastián Romero seguida de un baño de sonido y meditación a cargo de Saumil Manek.

GENTLE YOGA FLOW AND SOUND MEDITATION TUESDAYS, SEPT 2 – NOV 18 6:30 – 7:30 PM

Strengthen your body, relax your mind and find your center with this dynamic flow yoga and sound healing with Farida Meguid and Saumil Manek.

NEW! HIP HOP YOGA AND SPOKEN WORD FLOW WEDNESDAYS, SEPT 3 – NOV 19 6:30 – 7:30 PM

An open-air yoga experience where movement, music, and meaning collide. Led by internationally known yoga trainer, Alicia Dugar Stephenson, ERYT, who infuses every class with lighthearted humor, cultural rhythm, and poetic presence.

HATHA YOGA SATURDAYS, SEPT 6 – NOV 15; 9 – 10 AM

A basic vinyasa yoga class for enhanced awareness and a strong, healthy body led by Andria Dugas.

Classes are free but registration is requested on site. Please bring a towel, water, and mat for yoga classes.

OTHER PUBLIC EVENTS

The following events are held at Discovery Green® and are open to the public, but are produced or hosted by third parties. Tickets may be required. For more information, please visit discoverygreen.com/rentals

DOGFEST HOUSTON **SEPT 13; 10 AM – 1 PM**

Let's celebrate the human-canine bond and the joy dogs bring to our lives. Bring your pups, friends, and family and join us for DogFest.

SOUTHERN SMOKE FESTIVAL **OCT 4; 4 – 8 PM**

This high-energy event brings together 85+ top chefs, beverage pros, and live music for one unforgettable day.

KOREAN FESTIVAL **OCT 11; 10 AM - 9 PM** **OCT 12; 11 AM - 7 PM**

Showcase of the best of Korean food, music, performing arts, and culture from all over the world.

FAMILIES WITH PRIDE **OCT 18; 9 AM – 12 PM** Celebrating LGBTQIA+ children, families, and allies as part of LGBTQIA+ History Month.

IGBO FESTIVAL HOUSTON **OCT 18; 3 – 10 PM** Experience West African traditional dances, cultural presentations, and jollof rice.



ANNUAL BLACK HERITAGE FESTIVAL **OCT 19; 2 – 8 PM**

Celebrate the rich history, heritage and contributions of the African-American community.

SPACE CITY FEST **OCT 26; 4 – 8 PM**

Vendors, custom cars, concerts, and more by Space City Church.

BITES AND BEYOND FESTIVAL **NOV 8; 1 - 10 PM**

Get ready for an immersive celebration that marries the music, food, and art.

2025 TEXAS FAMILY LITERACY FESTIVAL **NOV 15; 10:30 AM – 6:30 PM** Fun family learning with literacy for children of all ages.



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LET US HOST

Consider holding your next party, festival or corporate event at Discovery Green and support this uncommonly beautiful urban greenspace. More information at discoverygreen.com/rentals



HUNGRY?

By purchasing a meal at The Grove or The Grove Market & Park Provisions you help keep the park green and the programming **FREE**.

THE GROVE MARKET & PARK PROVISIONS is perfect for healthy quick snacks or picnic with traditional park fare such as salads, hamburgers, and nachos. Along with numerous refreshments, beer and wine are also available.

THE GROVE serves an upscale Gulf Coast cuisine with a full bar. Patio dining provides room to spread out while soaking up Discovery Green's atmosphere. thegrovehouston.com

WHAT IS DISCOVERY GREEN® TO YOU?

More than a village green, more than the average city park, DISCOVERY GREEN® is a 12-acre oasis in the heart of downtown. It's a place to soak up the sun with friends and family — Fido too. A place to play, explore, to grow, and to flourish. At DISCOVERY GREEN® you can experience Houston traditions or play with the art. It's your place to be inspired and to inspire others. The Discovery Green Conservancy exists to bring people together — and that's exactly what we're doing.

Funds for park maintenance and the programming you love, come from grants, sponsors, and generous donors just like you.



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HOUSTON PUMPKIN FESTIVAL

SEPT 20 – NOV 2

MON - THUR 3 PM – 10 PM

FRI - SUN 10 AM – 10 PM

Step into a storybook of fall magic at Discovery Green. From bouncing on giant pumpkins to walking through sunflowers and glittering trees, this is where autumn dreams come to life for kids and grown-ups alike.



FLEA BY NIGHT

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SATURDAYS

SEPT 20, OCT 18, NOV 15; 6 - 10 PM

Flea by Night is a fun-filled open-air market where local makers, artists, plant vendors and small businesses bring their best vintage finds, handmade treasures, unique creations, and one-of-a-kind local goods.

Now accepting new vendors. For more info, visit: discoverygreen.com/flea

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