

HOW TO USE THE CONCIERGE SERVICE

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9:00 am - 5:00 pm The delivery day for your building is every Friday by 12:00 pm; <u>please</u> <u>pick up your tickets no later than</u> <u>4:00 pm that same day.</u>

All orders must be placed by 2:00 pm on Thursday, the day before, to make the Friday delivery.

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Make a Note

The concierge office will be closed on Monday, July 3 and Tuesday, July 4 in observance of Independence Day. Have a safe and happy holiday!

Stars & Stripes Southlake

Monday, July 3 (6pm-11pm) Southlake Town Square

This annual festival in Southlake Town Square includes patriotic ceremonies, strolling characters, delicious food, candy art, inflatables, and live music by the Southlake Community Band, Lone Star Attitude, and high-energy party band Limelight. A Creation Station for kids offers patriotic crafts and games. Fireworks start after dark (about 9:30pm). The music and fun will continue after the fireworks. Remote parking is available at White's Chapel Methodist Church with free shuttle service. Admission, parking and Kids Zone activities are free. http://southlaketownsquare.com/event/ stars-and-stripes-2017/

Fort Worth's Fourth at Panther Island Pavilion

July 4, 2-10pm, Panther Island Pavilion 395 Purcey Street, Fort Worth, TX 76102

Fort Worth's Fourth is a free family event hosted on the banks of the Trinity River at Panther Island Pavilion. Admission and all family activities such as zip lines, bounce houses, water slides and more are free to the public. The celebration will take place all afternoon with family activities, live music, tubing and when the sun goes down attendees will be treated to the biggest fireworks show in North Texas! For more information, visit http://fortworthsfourth.com.

Rockin' the River is Changing Course this Year!

This music and tubing series has switched to Saturdays to become an all-day party with five bands playing each Saturday and fireworks capping off the night at 9:15pm. It's a fist-full of festivals live on the Trinity. From a tube or from the shore - the coolest seat in town has a NEW ATTI-TUBE!

The weekly summer concert-and-tubing series, thrown by the Trinity River Vision Authority at Fort Worth's Panther Island Pavilion, is moving from a Thursday happyhour event to an all-afternoon Saturday festival to be held over the course of six Saturdays.

The first will be July 1, featuring headliner Zane Williams, followed by a to-be-announced performer (July 8), Shane Smith and the Saints (July 15), Zac Wilkerson (July 22), Eleven Hundred Springs (July 29), and Prophets and Outlaws (August 5).

The new schedule allows for longer days, with gates opening at 1pm. There will also be an increased number of tubes, food vendors and performers. Admission and parking are FREE! For more information, visit www.rockintheriverfw.com.

FREE UBER RIDE

Don't want to drive? Ride to some of the great festivals and sporting events this month in style with Uber Dallas! New users who sign up using this special link will get up to \$15 off of your first ride! Discount will apply automatically by visiting https://www.uber.com/invite/candacer60.

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Concierge Connection Exclusive

This year the Boys are expected to do great! Here's your chance to take your family to an affordable live game and check out the stadium.



A limited supply of tickets will be available to the following preseason game while supplies last so contact your concierge to place your order. Should you be interested in regular season games throughout the year, call your concierge for pricing.

Pre-Season Game & Discount Pricing:

- Saturday, August 19 at 6pm -Indianapolis Colts
- Lower Level (1-3) \$75; Upper Level (4) \$35

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Call DART Customer Service - Contact the Customer Information Center at 214-979-1111, seven days a week, for routes, schedules, trip planning assistance, and any other DART question.

Irving Music Factory 300 W. Las Colinas Blvd.

Irving, TX 75039

The Irving Music Factory, Las Colinas' super-venue and entertainment megamall opening this September, will be inaugurated in style with opening weekend performances by Dave Chappelle, Brad Paisley, and others. The rest of the early lineup includes big names in comedy— Jeff Foxworthy and Larry the Cable Guy on Sept. 3 and, in November, The Daily Show's Trevor Noah—and music: Goo Goo Dolls, Megadeth, and Matchbox Twenty are among the bands breaking in the complex's 8,000-seat amphitheater.

The Optimus Prime of performance venues, the 8,000-seat amphitheater is a "boutique open-air pavilion" that can also be a 4,000-seat "indoor theater experience," or a 2,500-seat "intimate theater setting," depending on circumstances and likely ticket sales. Elsewhere on the 250,000 square-foot Music Factory campus, you'll find an Alamo Drafthouse theater, dining (Gloria's and Kabuki Japanese are among the restaurants announced so far), and shopping.

Upcoming Shows:

- Sept 1 Dave Chappelle Sept 2 - Brad Paisley with Dustin Lynch,
- Chase Bryant, and Lindsay Ell Sept 3 - Jeff and Larry's Backyard BBQ Festival featuring Jeff Foxworthy and Larry the Cable Guy with Eddie Money, and the Marshall Tucker Band

Sept 6 - Goo Goo Dolls with Phillip Phillips Sept 23 - Sin Bandera

- Sept 29 Young The Giant with Cold War Kids and Joywave
- Oct 1 Matchbox Twenty and Counting Crows
- Oct 12 Scorpions with Megadeth
- Nov 4 2 Cellos
- Nov 11 Trevor Noah

Kid's Day

August 3 at AT&T Stadium

Visit AT&T Stadium for a kid friendly and action packed day on August 3. Kid's Day will run from 10am to 4pm as a come and go event. The day will consist of self-guided

tours, mini golf, Zorb ball racing, appearances from the Dallas Cowboys Cheerleaders



and mascot Rowdy and several other activities. Tickets are \$10 per person (Adult & Child) and can be purchased by contacting Kendall Butler at 817-892-4567 or kbutler@dallascowboys.net.

BELONG Tour

Friday, September 8, 7pm-9:30pm Saturday, September 9, 9am-3pm American Airlines Center

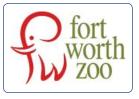
Stories, laughter, music and inspiration to help you live a vibrant, honest, meaningful life.



Like most women, you crave an

authentic life full of passion and meaning. But sometimes life can be hard. It's so easy to feel exhausted, overwhelmed, and underappreciated. You feel you have to pretend everything is OK... that you can handle it all on your own. But you don't have to. The BELONG Tour is a two-day Christian event for all women where you can feel safe and inspired in your life. **Contact your concierge to receive a discount on all tickets.** There will be an AAC fee applied of \$1 per order. Deadline to order is **Wednesday**, **August 30 at 2pm**.

Fort Worth Zoo



If you haven't visited the Fort Worth Zoo lately, they have a new addition! Born last month to mom "Kala"

and dad "Captain," is a baby giraffe. He's the latest addition to the giraffe herd at the Fort Worth Zoo (reticulated giraffes, to be precise). He'll be out with the other seven giraffes in the herd during regular zoo hours – 10am to 5pm weekdays and 10am to 6pm weekends. The Fort Worth Zoo is a participant in a cooperative breeding program with other zoos in the country to help keep the giraffes from extinction. **Contact your concierge for discounted admission tickets to the zoo.**

Mesquite Championship Rodeo

The Mesquite Championship Rodeo Season starts Saturday, July 8 and runs every Saturday night at 7:30pm through October 7. Arena and BBQ doors open at 6:30pm. Parking is \$10 per car and buses are FREE. **Contact your concierge for discounts on admission and BBQ specials.**

Dallas Arboretum

Celebrate the Fourth at the Dallas Arboretum 8525 Garland Rd., Dallas, TX 75218 214-515-6615

It's a red, white, and bluegrass weekend at the Dallas Arboretum including food, family fun, live music, crafts, and more for all ages, making this the go-to Independence Day event in Dallas. In the spirit of patriotism, all active and retired armed service members with valid photo ID will receive free admission on Tuesday, July 4.



DALLAS ARBORETUM AND BOTANICAL GARDEN

Red, White and Blues

July 1-4. 11am-2pm, Throughout the Garden

What better way to celebrate the red, white and blue than blues music at the Dallas Arboretum?! They'll have \$2 hot dogs and root beer floats. The Garden will feature blues bands throughout the garden to enliven your Independence Day picnic. It's the perfect ambiance for picnicking, an American tradition at one of the best places to share a meal outdoors.

July Fourth Weekend: July 1-4

Red, White and Blues (Pecan Grove), 11am-2pm July 1 - Linny Nance and Network July 2 - Buddy Whittington Band July 3 - Linny Nance and Network July 4 - Rob Holbert Group

Performance by Zimbabwe Choir, Lover's Lane United Methodist Church *Saturday, July 22, 2-3:30pm, DeGolyer Pergola* Enjoy the inspiring voices of the Lover's Lane United Methodist Church Zimbabwe Choir.

Garden Gigs

Friday Evenings, 7:30-9:30pm July 14 - Jonathan Fox, Zach Coffey, Becky Middelton July 21 - David Tribble, John Lefler & Camille, Micah Peacock July 28 - Kate Minor & Shayne Green

Stroll through the garden for a fun Friday night, discovering hidden gems—music by local musicians, adventurous choices from food trucks and off-the-beaten path spots in the garden—all just waiting to be discovered. Admission for this event is \$10 (non-members), \$8 (members) and includes free parking.

Your concierge has discounted general admission tickets and parking passes for the Dallas Arboretum. Some events, such as Garden Gigs will have even lower promotional pricing and will need to be purchased online or at the gate.

Rainy Day Guarantee

If the rain won't go away you can come back another day. The Arboretum's rainy day pass will guarantee another free entry if rain interrupts your visit. Tickets are issued at the ticket booth on the day of the occurrence only. Offer valid for a full paid general garden admission. Rainy day tickets are good any day from 9am-5pm for up to three months from the original date of purchase. Rainy day passes are only good for the original type of ticket purchased. *This policy does not apply to the Rory Meyers Children's Adventure Garden, the Cool Thursdays Concert Series or Parking.*



Wave Breaker:

The Rescue Coaster

The Wave Breaker: The Rescue Coaster is a one-of-a-kind thrill which launched June 16 at SeaWorld San Antonio. It combines the thrill of a roller coaster with the adrenaline rush of a marine animal rescue mission. Inspired by the heroics of the SeaWorld Rescue Team, Wave Breaker's jet-ski style car is the first of its kind in North America. The unique design engages riders in a straddled position and allows them to grip the handle bars as they race through a series of high-speed maneuvers and a pair of pulse-pounding launches over water.

Guests will board Wave Breaker: The Rescue Coaster in a queue-house themed with



stories from some of the 30,000 rescues the SeaWorld Rescue Team has been involved with over the past 50 years. Before launch, riders will be assigned a mission - a sea turtle, dolphin or sea lion rescue. After the mission briefing, riders will grip the handlebars and prepare to race into action covering 2,600-feet of track – the majority of which is located directly over water, creating the sensation that riders are racing across the park's lake. Each rescue mission will take a train of 16 riders through a more than three minute ride, reaching speeds of up to 44 mph and heights up to 61-feet. Contact your concierge for discounts to SeaWorld.



Presented by Dallas Summer Musicals July 18-30, Music Hall at Fair Park Based on the smash hit film, the awardwinning musical will star Grammy Award-nominee and R&B superstar Deborah Cox! Former Secret Service agent turned bodyguard, Frank Farmer, is hired to protect superstar Rachel Marron from an unknown stalker. Each expects to be in charge; what they don't expect is to fall in love. A breathtakingly romantic thriller, The Bodyguard features a host of irresistible classics including "Queen of the Night," "So Emotional," "One Moment in Time," "Saving All My Love," "Run to You," "I Have Nothing," "I Wanna Dance with Somebody" and one of the biggest selling songs of all time - "I Will Always Love You." Please be advised: The Bodyguard includes strobe lights, gun shots, loud noises and smoke effects and is suitable for ages 12 and up. No ticket service fees will apply when ordering through your concierge.

Concerts in the Garden

Saturday, July 1-4 at 8:15pm (Gates Open at 6:30pm) Fort Worth Botanic Garden

Enjoy the sounds of the Fort Worth Symphony Orchestra and special guest artists under the stars at the Botanic Gardens. Grab your family, friends and pack a picnic or enjoy on-site concessions because these evening performances are the perfect way to relax on a summer night. From reserved tables to lawn seating, you will find a variety of options that make this an affordable event for the whole family. Plus, each performance concludes with a fireworks finale.

The Music of Led Zeppelin, Conducted by Brent Havens: Saturday, July 1, 2017 - Come out to hear the FWSO's tribute to one of the most famous bands on the planet: Led Zeppelin. For the first time since 2011, the orchestra will meld with a full rock band in a sonic jam session sure to blow your mind with songs like "Stairway to Heaven," "Black Dog," "All of My Love," and more.

Old-Fashioned Family Fireworks Picnic, Conducted by Miguel Harth-Bedoya: Sunday, July 2-Tuesday, July 4, 2017 - Mark your calendar for another round of the best fireworks in town. The Fort Worth Symphony Orchestra honors our Independence Day with a bombastic display of musical patriotism including thrilling marches, heartfelt military tributes and more. Pack a picnic, bring the whole family, and join their all-American July 4th celebration at the Old-Fashioned Family Fireworks Picnic.

Star Wars and Beyond: A Laser Light Spectacular: Friday, July 7-Saturday, July 8, 2017 - After two sellout shows last year, Star Wars & Beyond returns to Concerts In The Garden to light up the sky and awaken the force in all of us. Buy and fire up your lightsaber onsite and have your picture taken with some of the franchise's most iconic characters. The first half of the program features music from iconic films like *Harry Potter, E.T. The Extra Terrestrial*, and more, while in the second half you'll hear your favorite themes from *Star Wars* enhanced with an epic laser show.

Contact your concierge to save service fees. Pricing varies per concert; visit www.fwsymphony.org.

Frisco Freedom Fest

Tuesday, July 4 (4pm-10:30pm), Frisco Square

Don't miss your once-in-a-year chance to celebrate our nation's birthday with fantastic food, great music and aaahhh-worthy fireworks! Party in the Plaza features a wide array of fun and exciting activities for families, or just about anyone who enjoys saluting independence by dancing in the streets with thousands of their closest friends and neighbors. The plaza party also includes a Community Stage, featuring local entertainers, and Hometown Hero Exhibit, showcasing our police and fire departments.

Children and families will head straight for the Children's Expo. New this year: hamster ball races and multiple zip lines and Euro bungees! The Children's Expo also features a rock climbing wall and bounce house inflatables.

The Taste of Frisco returns with Frisco restaurants serving some of their most popular menu items. The variety of fare is sure to please every palette. While you're in the area, visit all the great businesses taking part in Vendor Village.

Just across the street, Toyota Stadium will host a Major League Soccer match between FC Dallas and D.C. United. Fireworks start at approximately 10pm on Tuesday, July 4 following the conclusion of this FC Dallas match. Please remember, Frisco Freedom Fest is a familyoriented event, so no alcohol or pets allowed. For more information, visit **www.friscofreedomfest.org**.

Addison Kaboom Town!

Monday, July 3 (4pm-12am), Addison Circle Park

Addison's most explosive party of the year, Kaboom Town!, features dazzling fireworks choreographed to music, plus food, live music, spectacular Cavanaugh Flight Museum's



historic warbird flyovers and more. While communities across the United States celebrate Independence Day with fireworks, one of the country's most lauded and most unique celebrations is in Addison, Texas. At only 4.4 square miles, Addison is home to 16,000 residents and every July 3 a half-million guests from across the nation come to celebrate Addison Kaboom Town!

The celebration is city-wide, with a fantastic party in the 12-acre Addison Circle Park, watch parties at many of Addison's 180+ restaurants, 22 hotels and the incredible Addison Airport Air Show which can be seen from anywhere in town! The 30-minute long fireworks show is among the best in the nation, and is simulcast each year on 100.3 JACK-FM. Afterwards, while area traffic calms, attendees are invited to remain in Addison Circle Park as The Party Machine shares a high-energy concert on the Budweiser Stage.

There are plenty of food and beverage booths at the Addison Circle Park watching party, including hamburgers, hot dogs, barbecue, chicken sandwiches, cotton candy, ice cream, beer, wine, soft drinks, water and much more, or pick up food to go at one of the Addison Circle restaurants. You can also bring along a picnic basket with food and beverages from home. NO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES ARE ALLOWED IN OR OUT OF ADDISON CIRCLE PARK.

For over three decades, Addison Kaboom Town! has been named among the top fireworks shows in the country. The spectacular show was named the #3 fireworks display in the country by Yahoo.com, and is ranked as one of the top fireworks displays in the country by the American Pyrotechnics Association, *USA Today*, the *Wall Street Journal* and *Travel* + *Leisure Magazine*. For more information, visit **addisonkaboomtown.com**.

Discount Ticket Listing

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