

Actually Fun Things To Do in Miami This Weekend

Calm yourself with Japanese gardens, hot air balloons, and lots of pasta.



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Much like the NBA and NHL seasons, it seems that hurricane season has also been pushed into fall for 2020. So just like we got to enjoy the NBA Finals and baseball playoffs at the same time, we can now wear out our browser refresh buttons checking election results and a brand new “cone of uncertainty” at the same time. If you need a break from all that anxiety, we’ve got plenty of cool stuff going on around South Florida, including a tranquil hot air balloon festival, a new ice cream shop, and a live Beethoven performance. All that and pasta propaganda highlight this weekend in Miami.

Keep that Halloween spirit rolling with spooky tales under the stars

Friday, November 6

Fairchild Tropical Botanic Garden

The weekend after Halloween might seem an odd time to have a group of UM Theater Arts students reading scary stories in the dark. But when the event got rained out last week, Fairchild saw it as the perfect excuse to put off Christmas decorating and keep the spooky spirit going. The dark fun starts at 7:30pm.

Cost: \$25 non-members, \$10 members

Savor a Jaguar Sun dinner outside

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Lot 6

Though Jaguar Sun's intimate downtown location is still inoperative due to its intimate, COVID-averse confines, it's still doing a pretty sweet popup at Lot 6 in Little Haiti. This Friday they're teaming with The Hungry Post for a three-course, outdoor feast paired with Acqua Panna spring water. Ten percent of the proceeds will go to #FeedTheChain.

Cost: \$100 per person, limited to tables of two, four, or six people.

Create a New World wallcast in your living room

Friday, November 6

Online

Ah for the days of cozy, winter breeze picnics watching the New World Symphony from the lawn in front of its performance hall. Those warm nights will be back soon enough, but for now you can stream the symphony's performance free on Facebook Live. And if you've got a projection TV and some bean bags you can pretty much re-create the experience at home.

Cost: Free