

Downtown's Major Events – By Month



January:

[Miami Cruise Month | www.miamiandbeaches.com](http://www.miamiandbeaches.com)

Take advantage of exciting program features and enticing special offers all month long including Pre-cruise Miami hotel stays, attraction visits, pre- and post-cruise heritage tours and much more.

[Miami Marathon | January 29, 2017 | www.themiamimarathon.com](http://www.themiamimarathon.com)

Every year over 25,000 runners take to the streets of Miami for the Miami Marathon and Half Marathon (previously the ING Miami Marathon.) The Miami Marathon & Half Marathon takes you through the streets of Miami starting in the downtown area, to the scenic beaches, through the art district and back around to our lovely bay area. (Estimated 2018 Date – 1/28/18)

February:

[Miami Romance Month | www.miamiromancemonth.com](http://www.miamiromancemonth.com)

Greater Miami and the Beaches - the perfect place to spark a new romance, rekindle an old flame or tie the knot. During Miami Romance Month take advantage of special offers from shopping to dining to couples getaways, events and more.

[Miami International Map Fair at HistoryMiami | February 3-5, 2017 | www.historymiami.org](http://www.historymiami.org)

This annual event showcases antique maps, rare books, panoramas and atlases from around the world. Peruse and purchase antique maps from some of the finest map dealers in the world and discover the history and future of cartography with dynamic speakers.

(Estimated 2018 Date – 2/2-4/18)

[Miami International Boat Show | February 16-20, 2017 | www.miamiboatshow.com](http://www.miamiboatshow.com)

See what's new at the Greatest Boat Show in the World! Florida's largest annual event spans two locations—the Miami Marine Stadium Park & Basin on Virginia Key and Strictly Sail® at Miamarina at Bayside—and features more than 3,000 boats and 2,000 exhibitors from all over the globe.

(Estimated 2018 Date – 2/15-19/18)

March:

[Shop Miami Month | www.shopmiamimonth.com](http://www.shopmiamimonth.com)

The Shop Miami Month program features special offers from leading Greater Miami and the Beaches malls and retailers. Greater Miami and the Beaches' exciting mix of haute couture, designer boutiques and bargain outlets make this city a true shopper's paradise.

[Calle Ocho Festival | March 12, 2017 | www.carnavalmiami.com](http://www.carnavalmiami.com)

What started in 1978 to share the Cuban culture in Miami has become the virtual Pan-American showcase it is today – blocks & blocks full of musical stages with top Latin performers, ethnic food kiosks lining the way and children’s activities. (Estimated 2018 Date – 3/11/18)

[Miami International Film Festival | March 3-12, 2017 | www.miamifilmfestival.com](http://www.miamifilmfestival.com)

The Miami International Film Festival (MIFF) is a world-class platform for film and filmmakers promoting Miami as an international film destination. The festival features over 100 films from 40 different countries including several world and US premiers. (Estimated 2018 Date – 3/2-11/18)

[Ultra Music Festival | March 24-26, 2017 | www.ultramusicfestival.com](http://www.ultramusicfestival.com)

Boasting the World's best DJs, unparalleled production, and location in the beautiful city of Miami, ULTRA Music Festival is the premier electronic music festival. (Estimated 2018 Date – 3/23-25/18)

[Winter Music Conference | March 21-24, 2017 | www.wintermusicconference.com](http://www.wintermusicconference.com)

Winter Music Conference is the largest longstanding EDM and dance music industry gathering of its kind in the world. During WMC, music enthusiasts, artists, DJs and industry delegates from over 70 countries converge on Miami for a concentrated schedule of more than 400 events, parties, seminars and workshops. (Estimated 2018 Date – 3/20-23/18)

[Miami Open presented by Itaú | March 20 – April 2, 2017 | www.miamiopen.com](http://www.miamiopen.com)

With \$11.0 million in prize money, and all of the top players and media from all corners of the world covering the action every day, the Miami Open has earned its place in the world as an international sports extravaganza and one of the world’s largest tennis events. (Estimated 2018 Date – 3/19 – 4/1/18)

April:

[Miami Sports Month | www.miamisportsmonth.com](http://www.miamisportsmonth.com)

During Miami Sports Month enjoy discounts to great recreational activities in Greater Miami and the Beaches including golf, tennis, bicycling, running, water sports and more.

May:

[Miami Museum Month | www.miamimuseummonth.com](http://www.miamimuseummonth.com)

Miami Museum Month is an incredible opportunity to experience the area’s inspiring museums. During May, all visitors and locals will be offered "Buy One, Get One Free" admission or "Join One Museum, See Them All" at participating museums during Miami Museum Month. *

*Coupon required to take advantage of Miami Museum Month offers. Please check individual participating museum pages for exclusions and limitations.

June:

[Miami Film Month | www.miamiandbeaches.com](http://www.miamiandbeaches.com)

Greater Miami has become synonymous with spectacular art cinemas and unique film festivals and while its cultural scene continues to flourish, its independent cinema options are also thriving. From niche indies to internationally renowned and critically-acclaimed films, Miami Film Month has something for everyone. During June, enjoy \$8 films at participating art cinemas.

July:

[Miami Spa Month | www.miamispamonth.com](http://www.miamispamonth.com)

Greater Miami and the Beaches is renowned for luxury spas that rank among the “Best Spas in America,” and are beloved by spa connoisseurs around the world. Indulge in the highest standards of pampering and relaxation during Miami Spa Month throughout July and August. Enjoy rejuvenating special treatments for as low as \$99 at Miami’s premier spas.

[America’s Birthday Bash at Bayfront Park | July 4, 2017 | www.bayfrontparkmiami.com](http://www.bayfrontparkmiami.com)

America’s Birthday Bash is an annual event held on July 4 in Bayfront Park to celebrate the birth of our country. This event boasts one of the largest fireworks display in South Florida. The event is free and open to the public and offers food and beverages to enjoy as well as a free Kid’s Zone. It is a great event for the entire family. (Estimated 2018 Date – 7/4/18)

[MLB All-Star Week – | July 7-11, 2017 | www.miami.marlins.mlb.com](http://www.miami.marlins.mlb.com)

The City of Miami will become a first-time host of the Midsummer Classic when 88th All-Star Game is played at Marlins Park on Tuesday, July 11, 2017. The All-Star week features FanFest, a parade, red carpet festivities, several community outreach events, the All-Star Legends & Celebrity Softball Game, the SiriusXM All-Star Futures Game, the T-Mobile Home Run Derby and the All-Star Game presented by MasterCard.

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[Art Days in Downtown Miami | September 8-10, 2017 | www.dwntwnarts.com](#)

Art Days is a collaboration between the Miami Downtown Development Authority (Miami DDA) and the cultural spaces and artists residing in Downtown Miami. Together, we ensure that there is something for everyone, including exhibitions, artist projects, walking tours, bike tours, art parties and family programming across a multitude of cultural venues throughout Downtown Miami. Come and Be Creative with us! (Estimated 2018 Date – 9/7-9/18)

October:

[Miami Attractions Month | www.miamiattractionsmonth.com](#)

Miami Attractions Month offers countless choices - from historic to adventuresome, natural to man-made. Attractions so exotic they beckon to be explored and places that capture the imagination and stir the soul. During the month enjoy buy 1 admission; get 1 admission free and other great offers.

[City Bikes Ironman 70.3 Miami | October 22, 2017 | www.ironmanmiami.com](#)

IronMan 70.3 offers a unique opportunity to swim in the protected waters of Biscayne Bay, bike from Flagler Street in Downtown to Broward County, and run along the Bayfront while taking in the sights only Miami can provide. (Estimated 2018 Date – 10/23/18)

November:

[Miami Live Month | www.miamilivemonth.com](#)

This November, experience Miami's live music and entertainment scene during Miami Live Month. From concerts and dance performances to comedy shows and poetry readings, live entertainment in all corners of Miami and the Beaches springs to life this season.

[Miami Book Fair International | November 12-19, 2017 | www.miamibookfair.com](#)

Miami Book Fair International is an eight-day literary party in Downtown Miami featuring more than 450 authors reading and discussing their work as well as a Street Fair with over 250 publishers and booksellers exhibiting and selling their works. The fair also includes special features like antiquarians, who showcase signed first editions, original manuscripts and other collectible items. (Estimated 2018 Date – 11/11-18/18)

December:

[Miami Heritage Month | www.miamiandbeaches.com](#)

Beyond the shimmer and glitz of Greater Miami's ultra-chic hotspots lies the rich history of a city with deep multicultural roots. During December, uncover hidden cultural gems found throughout the destination and learn about our many influences during Miami Heritage Month.

[Miami Art Week | November 27 – December 3, 2017](#)

Coinciding with Art Basel Miami Beach, Miami Art Week features even more exciting exhibitions and events including art fairs, museums, private collections, galleries and artist studios. Some of the Miami Art Week Art Fairs include: Art Miami, ArtSpot, Concept, CONTEXT, Miami Photo Salon, Red Dot Miami, Spectrum, and Sculpt Miami. (Estimated 2018 Date – 11/26-12/2/18)

Art Basel Miami Beach | December 7-10, 2017 | www.artbasel.com

Over 250 of the world's leading galleries participate, drawing over 70,000 visitors each year. Leading galleries from North America, Latin America, Europe, Asia, and Africa show historical work from the masters of Modern and contemporary art, as well as newly created pieces by emerging stars. Paintings, sculptures, drawings, installations, photographs, films, and editioned works of the highest quality are on display at the main exhibition hall, while ambitious artworks and performances become part of the landscape at nearby venues.

(Estimated 2018 Date -12/6-12/9/18)

New Year's Eve at Bayfront Park | December 31, 2017 | www.bayfrontparkmiami.com

Bayfront Park is the place to be for the largest **FREE** New Year's Eve party in South Florida! Join in for the countdown to midnight with Miami's own "Big Orange"! At the park's south end, this New Year's Eve icon will slowly ascend the side of the InterContinental Hotel, reaching the top at midnight in conjunction with a grand display of fireworks shot over beautiful Biscayne Bay.

*Bayfront Park is also home to Pitbull's New Year's Eve Revolution, which airs live on FOX!

(Estimated 2018 Date - 12/31/18)