

ABILENE



625 N. 1st St. | 325-437-2800
Open daily!

Mon-Sat: 9 am-6 pm, Sun. 1-5pm
Blood and Treasure vs.
Guns of the West Exhibit



102 Cypress St. | 325-673-4587

Bittersweet Harvest:
Through Apr. 23, 2022
Creating a Community:
Through Nov. 12, 2022
From This Day Forward:
Through Jun. 25, 2022
Downtown Abilene:
Through Nov. 13
Historic Period Rooms:
Always on view
Spark Children's Museum:
Always on view



102 Cedar St. | 325-673-4586

Gold Legacy: 80 Years of Original
Art from Golden Books
Opens Oct. 14



2070 Zoo Lane | 325-676-6085

Boo at the Zoo: Oct. 16



352 Cypress St. | 325-676-9620

Indiana Jones & the Last
Crusade: Oct. 8-9



220 Cypress St. | 325-677-8389

Women of the World:
Through Oct. 30
CCAN 2021:
Through Nov. 27
The Soft Machine:
Through Nov. 27
Graphic Design Showcase:
Through Oct. 30

THIS WEEK IN ABILENE

October 11 - 20

Oct. 11-20	Abilene welcomes! Texas Cushman Club State Meet, FDLIC Fall Conclave, McMurry Homecoming, ACU Homecoming, ACU Summit 2021, Berkshire Hathaway Realtors Regional Meeting, ACU Golden Anniversary Reunion Class of 1970 & 1971, Abilene Speedway Southern Challenge, Abilene High School Class of 1955 Reunion, Shift Sector Airstrip Attack, McMurry Football vs. Austin College, ACU Football vs. Lamar University, McMurry University Bill Libby Invitational, Abilene Country Club EZGO Team Matches, West Texas Rural County Association Annual Meeting
11 & 18	Long Monday: The Ice House at LSDG; a John Prine infused set starring Jim Sadler & Evan Christian; 6 to 8 pm; food & beverages for purchase; 325-232-7897
11 & 18	Country Western Dance Lessons: Cobb Recreation Center; dust off your boots and sign up for these classes for all skill levels; 6:30 to 8 pm; \$33-\$45; 325-676-6447
11 & 18	Dirty Drawers: Facebook Live; join the Center for Contemporary Arts on Facebook Live for their weekly figure/gesture drawing session; 7 to 9 pm; free; 325-677-8389
12 & 19	Tie-Dye Tuesday: Play Faire Park; Create a bold and unique piece of wearable art; 6 to 8 pm; \$10-per person (includes mini golf); 325-665-3131
13 & 20	FitzWillie Wednesday: The Ice House at LSDG; acoustic variety with Michael Murray & Evan Christian; 6 to 8 pm; food & beverages for purchase; 325-518-4167
13	Holt Jones: Betty Rose's Little Brisket; BBQ & live music; 7 to 9 pm; 325-698-8000
14	Safety City 40th Anniversary Celebration: Safety City; a 'Night in the City' celebrating the programs and people that have served at the Melvin Martin Center for Children's Safety over the past 40 years; 5 to 8 pm; 325-260-6730
14	The Big Cheese: Big Brothers Big Sisters; family-friendly mac and cheese cookoff supporting the one-to-one mentoring work of BBBS; 6 to 8 pm; \$5-\$30; 325-674-3123
14-15	ACU Summit: Abilene Christian University; an opportunity for Christian leaders to gather with others who serve in similar capacities to learn and find encouragement; \$30-\$50; 325-674-2156
14-16	McMurry University Homecoming: McMurry University; celebrate the past, present and future of McMurry with alumni, students and family; 325-793-4667
14-17	The Addams Family Musical: McMurry University, Radford Auditorium; in one wacky night, secrets are shared, relationships are tested and the Addams must face the one thing they've avoided for generations: change; Thurs. & Sat.: 7:30 pm, Fri. 6 pm & Sun. 2 pm; \$5-\$12; 325-793-3889
15	AJ Castillo: Tequilas Night Club; enjoy an evening of live music & fun; 325-721-1208
15	DoubleTree by Hilton Groundbreaking: 6 th St. & Cypress St.; join the Abilene Convention Hotel Development Corp. to celebrate a major milestone for Abilene's downtown: the groundbreaking of a full-service hotel with meeting space in the heart of downtown; 9 am; free; 325-676-2556
15	Tanner Usrey & Cade Holliday: Firehouse Bar & Grill; enjoy an evening of live music; 7 pm; \$15-\$75; 325-268-4399
15	DJ Billy D Takes Over: Fat Boss's Pub; a night of hip-hop, pop and house music; 9 pm to 2 am; beverages for purchase; 832-971-4248
15-16	Abilene Speedway Southern Challenge: Abilene Speedway; a weekend of exciting car racing; call for times & admission; 325-692-8800
15-17	Abilene Christian University Homecoming: ACU; reconnect with old friends, rediscover old favorites and renew your relationship with ACU; 325-674-2622
16	Abilene Walk for Freedom: Everman Park; walk for the millions of human trafficking victims across the globe; 9 am to 12 pm; free; 325-864-5418
16	Bill Libby Cross Country Invitational: ACU Cross Country Course, Zoe Park; collegiate cross country invitational hosted by McMurry University; 9 am; \$20-\$200; 214-986-0118
16	Boo at the Zoo: Abilene Zoo; the zoo will come alive with costume contests, pumpkin crafts, wild animal experiences and pumpkin chunkin; 10 am to 4 pm; \$10; 325-676-6085
16	Military Appreciation Day: Taylor County History Center; free admission for current & former military members & their families; 10 am to 5 pm; 325-572-3365
16	Lindy Bell Book Signing: Texas Star Trading Co.; sister of retired Abilene Fire Chief, Larry Bell, will sign copies of her acclaimed debut novel, <i>Fully Involved</i> ; 1:30 to 2:30 pm; 325-672-9696
16	30th Annual Grace Gala: The Grace Museum; formal fundraising event that includes a dinner by Perini Ranch, live music, and silent and live auctions; 6:30 pm to midnight; \$225+; 325-673-4587
16	Colton Fox: Betty Rose's Little Brisket; enjoy BBQ & live music on the patio; 7 to 9 pm; food & beverages for purchase; 325-698-8000
16	Ryan Stevenson "Weathering the Storm" Tour: Wylie Performing Arts Center; enjoy an evening of Christian music; 7 pm; \$25-\$69; 325-864-9119
16	Scott Hayley Band: Potosi Live; enjoy great food & live music; 8 to 10 pm; food & beverages for purchase; 325-529-3111
16-17	North Texas Airstrip Attack: Abilene Regional Airport; a high horsepower, half-mile drag race with cars zipping on the airport runway; \$10-\$20
17	Aspire for Women: Trinity Baptist Church; an evening of laughter, learning, stories & music; 5 to 8 pm; \$20-\$35; 480-812-1100
20	Parkside: Betty Rose's Little Brisket; enjoy BBQ & live music on the patio; 7 to 9 pm; food & beverages for purchase; 325-698-8000

Tourism brings \$416.3 million to Abilene businesses annually.

The industry supports 3,600 jobs and creates \$13.2 million in local tax revenue

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