

North Dakota

LEGENDARY

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OCTOBER

October 1-31

Zombie Paintball at Chahinkapa Zoo

Wahpeton 701-642-8709

www.chahinkapazoo.org

Weekends in October. Zombies will be everywhere. Use the paintball guns provided to shoot zombies when they attack. Must be 13 or older.

October 1

Beefin' It Up Run/Walk

Mandan 701-400-7390

www.facebook.com/BeefinItUpFuelForTheFinish/

"Beefin' It Up; Fuel for the Finish" 5K Run/Walk and 10K Run on October 1, 2016. This year's event will again include a special race for the smallest of our cowboys and cowgirls. We are offering the kids a half-mile run.

October 1-2

FM Studio Crawl

Fargo 701-298-3936

www.fmva.us

Public is invited into the studios of many of the area's working artists.

October 6

Wine Walk

Langdon 701-256-3079

Visit all participating businesses, which will be sampling wine and hors d'oeuvres. Your completed passport will be entered in a drawing from prizes, including the grand prize.

October 8

North Dakota Firefighter's Museum Hall of Fame Banquet

Garrison 701-463-2345/800-799-4242

www.ndfm.org

Honor past, present and future firefighters for their contributions to the state of North Dakota.

October 8

Oktoberfest

Fargo 701-237-4500

www.fargooktoberfest.com

Oktoberfest is a fun event for the whole family. From weiner dog races to the pub crawl.

October 8

Big Sit at J. Clark Salyer National Wildlife Refuge

Upham 701-768-2548

International noncompetitive birding event from 8-10 a.m. at the refuge. Identify as many birds as possible while sitting in a 17-foot circle.

October 9**Big Sit! Noncompetitive Birding Event**

Jamestown 701-285-3341

www.fws.gov/refuge/arrowwood/

Celebrate National Wildlife Refuge Week at Arrowwood National Wildlife Refuge. Sit in 17-foot diameter circle in the Watchable Wildlife Viewing Area and identify as many birds as we can with at least one toe within the circle.

October 13**Kegs & Canvas - Art and Ale Walk**

Fargo 701-364-9867

www.downtownfargo.com

Sample select beers as you stroll through downtown while enjoying great art and artists.

October 14**Duckfest**

Bowdon 701-471-4748

www.bowdonnd.com

Great food, family fair, art show, car show, tractor rodeo, plowing demonstration, duck race, concert and dance.

October 15**Art and Wine Walk**

Grand Forks 701-746-0444

Sample an assortment of fine wines and delicious appetizers while viewing great works by talented regional artists.

October 15-16**Fall Craft Show**

Jamestown 701-251-2237

A variety of crafters and vendors at the Buffalo Mall just in time for fall.

October 16**Pinup On The Plains**

Fargo 701-373-5770

www.pinupontheplains.com

The ultimate ladies night out, celebrating women through glamorous attire, photography, unique entertainment and fine desserts.

October 22**Holiday Mall Fall Craft Show**

Devils Lake 701-662-8165

Come to see all the fall, Halloween, Thanksgiving and Christmas decorations for your home. More than 50 vendor booths, from home-based businesses to homemade crafts, silk flowers and decor of all kinds.

October 28-29**Fargo Big One Art and Craft Fair**

Fargo 701-837-6059

www.thebigone.biz

The 28th annual Fargo Christmas Show includes more than 230 booths showcasing products hand-made from across the U.S. More than 150 exhibitors with arts, crafts and baked goods.

October 28-30**North Dakota Roughrider Rodeo Association State Finals**

Jamestown 701-252-8088

All the traditional rodeo events.

October 29**END-TOMBED 12-Hour Mountain Bike Race**

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<http://endracing.com/end-tombed>

Extreme North Dakota Twelve-hOur Mountain Bike of Enduring Delirium is our annual epic Halloween-themed bike race. Riders go solo or as part of a relay team to try to get in as many laps as possible in 12 hours.

October 29**Halloween Spooktacular**

Langdon 701-256-3079

Event just for kids. Kids get a pumpkin pass that has all participating businesses for trick-or-treating. There is a photo station and cookie decorating and donuts will be available for purchase.

October 30**21st Annual ZOO BOO**

Wahpeton 701-642-8709

www.chahinkapazoo.org

Come trick or treat with the animals through the Chahinkapa Zoo. Great family event for all ages.

October 30

END-TRAILS 12-Hour Trail Run

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<http://endracing.com/end-trails>

The Extreme North Dakota Terrifying Run Amongst Innumerable Lost Souls: It's our annual epic Halloween themed trail run in Turtle River State Park, runners will compete solo or as part of a relay team to try to get in as many laps as possible in 12 hours.

NOVEMBER

November 4-5

Minot Big One Art and Craft Fair

Minot 701-837-6059

www.thebigone.biz

More than 450 booths filled with handmade arts and crafts from more than 250 vendors across the Upper Midwest. Largest craft show in the state.

November 6

Christmas Boutique Craft and Gift Show

Jamestown 701-252-4835

Regional artisans and crafters gather at the Jamestown Civic Center to offer unique gifts just in time for the holidays.

November 18-19

Bismarck Big One Art and Craft Fair

Bismarck 701-837-6059

www.thebigone.biz

The seventh annual show has more than 170 booths filled with handmade items from vendors across several states.

November 18-19

Duel in the Dirt Bull Riding

Jamestown 701-252-4835

Bull riding competition.

November 22

Holiday Dazzle Parade

Jamestown 701-251-9145/800-222-4766

<http://jamestowndowntown.com/>

The annual Holiday Dazzle on Main Parade in Jamestown features lighted floats decorated for the holiday season.

November 22

Holiday Lights Parade Downtown Fargo

Fargo 701-241-1570

www.downtownfargo.com

Celebrate with Fargo-Moorhead in Downtown Fargo. The Holiday Parade kicks off the start of downtown holiday events.

November 25-December 10

Dickens Village Festival

Garrison 701-463-2345/800-799-4242

www.dickensfestival.com

For three straight weekends (Dec. 2-3, Dec. 9-10), Garrison transforms into the "Christmas Capitol of North Dakota." A Victorian family festival in a quaint English setting featuring craft show, lighted parade, street food vendors, daily entertainment, house tours and concluding with "A Christmas Carol."

November 25-December 31

Holiday Lights at Lindenwood

Fargo 701-232-3987

Drive through Lindenwood Park and view holiday light displays sponsored by local businesses.

November 27

HollyDazzle Festival of Lights

Grand Forks 701-757-4051

www.downtowngrandforks.org

Dozens of lighted holiday themed floats make their way downtown. Live music, ice skating and fireworks.

November 29-30

Northern Ag Expo

Fargo 701-282-9432

www.ndag.org

Regional agricultural exhibition at the Fargodome.

DECEMBER

December 3

Holiday Mall Christmas Craft Show

Devils Lake 701-662-8165

Holiday craft show to finish your Christmas list.

Vendors include homemade crafts, quilts, table runners, baked goods, pies, lefse and home-based businesses.

December 3

Winter Wonderland Brunch and Tour of Homes

Langdon 701-256-3079

Brunch features beautifully decorated tables.

Each table is decorated by difference chamber businesses with various themes. Tour of Homes 1-4 p.m.