

Life in the Valley

THINGS TO DO IN OCTOBER

Wednesday, Oct. 9, 16, 23 and 30

North of Court Street Haunted Tour: The newest two-hour tour by Salem Ghost Tours examines historical and supernatural locations in downtown Salem with plenty of stories, 4:30-6:30 p.m., Marion County Courthouse, 100 High St. NE. \$20. 971-304-1345 or eventbrite.com/e/58684249169.

Thursday, Oct. 10, 17, 24 and 31

Off the Beaten Path Ghost Tour: This unique tour takes you away from Salem's streets and sidewalks as it examines the city's Native history and other points of interest., 7 p.m., meet along Commercial St. SE next to Salem City Hall and the library. \$20. 971-304-1345 or www.eventbrite.com/e/58684652375.

Oct. 11, 12, 18, 19, 25, 26

Silver Crest Haunted House: Have a spooky time and support the Silver Crest Booster Club, which supports Silver Crest School, 7-9 p.m., Silver Crest School, 365 Loar Road, SE, Silverton. \$7. Questions: silvercrest.haunted-house@yandex.com. Information: www.silvercresthauntedhouse.wordpress.com or [facebook.com/hauntin-thehills](https://www.facebook.com/hauntin-thehills).

Thursday, Oct. 10

Jake Shimabukuro: The American ukelele virtuoso and composer makes a stop in Salem in the midst of dazzling audiences at music festivals including Bonnaroo, SXSW, the Playboy Jazz Festival and Fuji Rock Festival, 8 p.m., Elsinore Theatre, 170 High St. SE, Salem. \$41-\$61. elsinoretheatre.com or 503-375-3574.

Saturday, Oct. 12

Aureum: Heart-stopping aerial routines and amazing acrobatics with original music and choreography, 7:30 p.m., Elsinore Theatre, 170 High St. SE, Salem. \$35-\$55. elsinoretheatre.com or 503-375-3574.

Confluence LGBT Chorus Presents: GALA a-Go Go, Again: A cabaret style concert featuring the Confluence Willamette Valley LGBT Chorus and Influence, Confluence's smaller ensemble, 7:30 p.m., First Congregational United Church of Christ, 700 Marion St. NE, Salem. \$20. Tickets at www.confluence-chorus.org or at the door.

St. Paul Fresh Hop Festival: Taste great fresh-hopped beers, 21 and older only, 2 to 10 p.m., Jaycee Bullpen Beer Gardens, 4258 Park Ave., St. Paul. \$12.50. [facebook.com/events/303706733791622](https://www.facebook.com/events/303706733791622)

Saturday-Sunday, Oct. 12-13

Salem Philharmonia Orchestra Concert: The group presents a pair of October concerts with newly appointed Artistic Director/Conductor Travis Hatton and violin soloist Jessica Lambert, 7 p.m. Oct. 12, 3 p.m. Oct. 13, Chemeketa Community College Auditorium, Bldg. 6, 6 E Campus Loop, Salem. Adults 18-64 \$20, students 18 and older/seniors 65 and older \$18, youth 17 and under free. salemphil.org.

Thursday, Oct. 17

Take Me To The River LIVE! Celebrate the music of New Orleans with performances from The Dirty Dozen Brass Band, Ivan Neville, Ian Neville, Walter "Wolfman" Washington plus Mardi Gras Indians with "Big Chief" Monk Boudreaux of The Golden Eagles and "Big Chief" Romeo of the 9th Ward Hunters, 7:30 p.m., Elsinore Theatre, 170 High St. SE, Salem. \$29-\$49. elsinoretheatre.com or 503-375-3574.

Friday, Oct. 18

Bootlegger's Ball at the Heritage Hideaway — 2019 Fall Gala & Heritage Awards: An evening celebrating Mid-Valley history with a catered dinner, drinks, live music, a live auction and the presentation of the Heritage Awards, 5:30 to 9 p.m., Willamette Heritage Center, 1313 Mill St. SE, Suite 200, Salem. \$60 for WHC members, \$70 for



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More than 25 activities for kids of all ages — mazes, obstacle courses, rides, farm animals and memories-a-plenty, Monday-Friday 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., Saturday 9 a.m. to 6 p.m., Sunday 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., Bauman's Farm & Garden, 12989 Howell Prairie Road NE, Gervais. Admission: Monday-Friday \$5-\$6 general admission, unlimited wristband \$13-\$14; Saturday and Sunday \$7-\$8 general admission, unlimited wristband \$18.50-\$20. baumanshf.com.

non-members, \$450 for a table of eight. [fb.com/399067780967664](https://www.facebook.com/399067780967664).

Discover the Wonder — Gilbert House Children's Museum Benefit: A wine reception, dinner, live music by Gabriel Cox, and silent and live auctions in a beautiful vineyard setting to benefit the Gilbert House, 6 to 9:30 p.m., Zenith Vineyard, 5657 Zena Road NW, Salem. \$95 per person, \$190 per couple, \$695 for a table of eight. acgilbert.org/discoverthewonder.

Saturday, Oct. 19

Barn Dance and BBQ: Join for a night of good old fashioned fun for those 21 and older at the 8th annual event, 5 to 11 p.m., Oregon Garden, Grand Hall, 895 West Main St., Silverton. Dance-only ticket: \$25, \$22 for members; Dinner and dancing ticket: \$40, \$37 for members. oregongarden.org/barn-dance.

Tuesday, Oct. 22

Frogtown: A multimedia musical based on Emmy winning author/composer Philip Pelletier's musical storybook "One Night In Frogtown," 12:30 p.m., Elsinore Theatre, 170 High St. SE, Salem. \$16. elsinoretheatre.com or 503-375-3574.

Friday, Oct. 25

Halloween BINGO: A fun and spooky Halloween BINGO party with dinner, raffle prizes, costume parade and BINGO games, 6 to 9:30 p.m., Center 50 Plus, 2615 Portland Road NE, Salem. \$25 in advance or \$30 at the door. 503-588-6303 or mdaily@cityofsalem.net.

Saturday, Oct. 26

Community Harvest Party: Games, activities, refreshments, face painting, prizes and more, plus character-friendly costumes are encouraged, 3 to 5 p.m., Our Savior's Lutheran Church, 1770 Baxter Road SE, Salem. Free, with donations accepted for the church's canned food drive. 503-399-8601.

The Rocky Horror Show - Stage Musical: A fully interactive experience based on the classic movie. Show is recommended for ages 18 and older, 9 p.m., Elsinore Theatre, 170 High St. SE, Salem. \$15 in advance, \$20 at the door. elsinoretheatre.com or 503-375-3574.

Stayton Chocolate Walk and Ghost Tour: See several downtown shops and learn about Historic Downtown Stayton while accompanied by a Victorian-costumed guide before collecting gourmet chocolates, 5 to 9 p.m., Brown House Event Center, 425 N First Ave., Stayton. \$15 advance tickets before Oct. 24. brownhouse.org/events.

Sunday, Oct. 27

Heroes vs. Villains 5K: Dress up as your favorite superhero or villain for this 5K and kids 1/2 mile; villains get a two-minute head start with heroes trying to track them down, starts at 8:30 a.m., Creekside Golf Club, 6250 Clubhouse Drive SE. \$20-35 through Sept. 30, \$25-40 after. heroesversusvillainsrun.com.

Tuesday, Oct. 29

Willamette University "Hauntcert": Family-friendly Halloween concert featuring the Willamette University Chamber Orchestra and Wind Ensemble, 7 p.m., Hudson Hall at Mary Rogers Music Center, 900 State St., Salem. Adults \$10, students \$5. Tickets: www.willamette.edu/go/musicstore. Information: 503-370-6255.

Thursday, Oct. 31

Haunted Halls: Willamette University's annual Halloween featuring carnival games, trick-or-treating, prizes and candy for little ones and their families, 4 to 7 p.m., Willamette University, 900 State St., Salem. Free. [fb.com/756898511396959](https://www.facebook.com/756898511396959).