

OCTOBER 6, 2026

PROGRAMS & EVENTS

All CCA residents are invited to participate in the following:

CCA Sponsored

What: **Children's Fall Festival & Plant Exchange**
When: Saturday, October 24 from 11:00am - 1:00pm
Where: Sunset Ave. East Circle
Description:

- Dig some plants from your yard, then join your neighbors and CCA's Beautification Committee on Saturday, October 24 for our sixth annual plant exchange. We will gather in the upper circle of Sunset Ave., just behind the neighborhood arches, in conjunction with the Children's Fall Festival.
- Plants swapped in past years included a diverse and lovely mix of ground covers, bulbs, seeds, perennials, shrubs, vines, trees, and houseplants. There should be plenty of offerings, so come take some plants for your home even if you don't have any to offer in exchange.
- Items you are sharing should be in bags or pots, with labels of the plants' names.

What: **OctoberFeast Food Drive for Central VA Food Bank**
When: Monday, October 19 - Monday, October 26

- Each Block Captain will have a donation box at their house.
- Place all food donations into a box at your Block Captain's house by 10:00 am Monday, October 26.

Community Events in & Around Byrd Park

What: **Parking and shuttle to the Richmond Folk Festival**
When: Saturday, October 10, from 11:45 am-10:00 pm; Sunday, October 11 from 7:45 am-7:00 pm
Where: Dogwood Dell parking lot
Description: Richmond Folk Festival will be using the Dogwood Dell lot for parking on Saturday and Sunday.

What: **Private event**
When: Saturday, October 17 until 10:30 pm
Where: Round House and Dogwood Dell
Description: A small wedding of approximately 75 people will take place at the Round House, followed by a reception at Dogwood Dell. The reception will include amplified music and will end by 10:30 pm.

What: **Bike race**
When: Sunday, October 18 until approximately 5:00 pm
Where: Around the Dogwood Dell trails

Description: A bike race will take place around the Dogwood Dell trails, beginning early in the day and running until approximately 5:00 pm.

General and Citywide Events

What: **Richmond Folk Festival**
When: Friday - Sunday, October 9 - 11
Where: On and around Brown's Island
Description: For more details visit the **event website**.

What: **Maymont Garden Glow**
When: Begins Wednesday, October 14
Where: Maymont Nature Center
Description: For more details visit the **event website**.

What: **5th District - Richmond Public Schools - Facilities Modernization District Meeting**
When: Thursday, October 15 from 5:30-7:00 pm
Where: Richmond High School for the Arts
Description: A public input survey and additional information about the planning process, including the full community engagement calendar, can be found on the **RPS Facilities Modernization Plan website**.

To stay in the know about Citywide and 5th district events and information, consider **signing up for the 5th District Newsletter**.

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