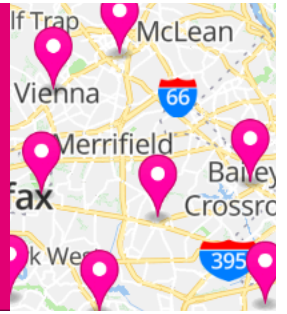


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Washington in the news:

- **One Author & One Book That You Must Know:** Lauri Williamson's new book, '111 Places in Black Culture That You Must Not Miss in Washington, DC,' highlights significant African American sites in the city. Williamson discusses her journey and the inspiration behind her work. (thezebra.org)
- **15 Best Ice Cream Shops To Try In Washington, DC:** Discover the top 15 ice cream shops in Washington, DC, from Jeni's Splendid Ice Creams to Pitango Gelato & Coffee. Whether you're a local or visiting, these shops offer unique flavors and convenient locations near major attractions. (tastingtable.com)
- **US seizes Venezuelan President Nicolas Maduro's plane citing sanctions violations:** The U.S. has seized a plane used by Venezuelan President Nicolas Maduro, citing sanctions violations. The plane was flown from the Dominican Republic to Florida, highlighting ongoing U.S. efforts to pressure Maduro from Washington, DC. (aol.com)

Upcoming events:

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- **Silver Spring End of Summer Celebration** at Veterans Plaza, 1 Veterans Pl, Silver Spring, MD, 20910 ([Sunday, Sep. 8 at 2 p.m.](#))
- **Back-to-Busy Season? You handle homework, WECO's got dinner covered!** ([Saturday, Sep. 14 at 9 a.m.](#))
- **Reduced Shakespeare Company** at Robert E. Parilla Performing Arts, 51 Mannakee St, Rockville, MD, 20850 ([Tuesday, Oct. 1 at 7:30 p.m.](#))
- **In Conversation with Giancarlo Esposito** at Robert E. Parilla Performing Arts, 51 Mannakee St, Rockville, MD, 20850 ([Thursday, Nov. 7 at 7:30 p.m.](#))
- We'd love to feature your events! [Add your event here](#)

Wednesday, Sep. 4

- **City of the Sun** at The Atlantis ([6:30 p.m.](#))
- **Allen Stone** at 9:30 Club ([7 p.m.](#))
- **Raf Saperra** at The Howard Theatre ([7 p.m.](#))
- **Wine Not? Wednesday** at Ellington Park Bistro ([5 p.m.](#))
- **Joe Yonan In Conversation with Chef Rob Rubba at Sixth & I** at 600 I St NW, Washington, DC 20001 ([7 p.m.](#))

Thursday, Sep. 5

- **Lucas Zelnick (18+ Event)** at DC Improv Comedy Club ([7:30 p.m.](#))
- **Soulful Sounds in DC!** at First Congregational UCC, 945 G St NW, Washington, DC, 20001 ([7 p.m.](#))
- **Lucas Zelnick (stand-up comedy)** at DC Improv Comedy Club, 1140 Connecticut Ave NW, Washington, DC, 20036 ([8:30 p.m.](#))

Friday, Sep. 6

- **Tinzo + Jojo** at Flash ([6 p.m.](#))
- **TAYLOR SWIFT NIGHT** at The Howard Theatre ([7 p.m.](#))
- **Kurtis Conner** at Warner Theatre ([7 p.m.](#))

- **Madams of DC Walking Tour** at 1401 Pennsylvania Avenue NW, Washington, DC, 20004 ([7 p.m.](#))
- **Kaneez Surka (stand-up comedy)** at DC Improv Comedy Club, 1140 Connecticut Ave NW, Washington, DC, 20036 ([7:30 p.m.](#))

Saturday, Sep. 7

- **Washington Spirit vs. Portland Thorns** at Audi Field ([12:30 p.m.](#))
- **Roy Wood Jr** at Lincoln Theatre ([5 p.m.](#))

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- **"The Metropolitan Police Department is asking for the community's assistance in identifying a suspect involved in an assault in the 2500 block of..."** ([Twitter](#))

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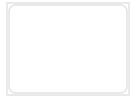
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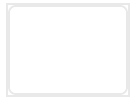
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