

{TOP 10}

Family Events for September

Explore books, fall fun and special events this season in and around the DMV

BY HEATHER M. ROSS



1

THROUGHOUT THE MONTH

FREE SIGHTSEEING TOURS

Old Town Trolley Tours is offering the chance for D.C. locals to fall in love with their city all over again through their hometown pass program. District of Columbia residents and residents within a 50 mile radius ride for free when accompanied by a full fare adult guest. [Hometownpass.com](http://Hometownpass.com)

3

THROUGHOUT THE MONTH

SUMMER FUN AT RESTON MUSEUM

Explore history as a family with Reston Museum's Summer Fun days! Kids can enjoy activities and crafts while learning about the history of Reston every Saturday from 10 a.m. to noon through Oct. 29. Visit [facebook.com/RestonMuseum](https://facebook.com/RestonMuseum) for updates.

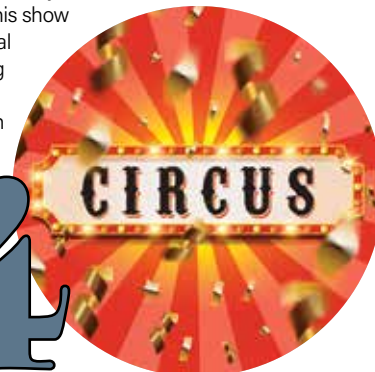
Free  
[Restonmuseum.org](http://Restonmuseum.org)

SEPT. 1-5

CIRCO HERMANOS VAZQUEZ

Help celebrate the circus' 50th anniversary. With new ideas, technology and stunts, this show which has toured Mexico and Central America for decades is more thrilling than ever. Embrace the magic of the circus and prepare to be thrilled with acrobatics, clowns and more at the Potomac Mills Mall.

Tickets: \$40-60  
[circusvazquez.com/woodbridgeva](http://circusvazquez.com/woodbridgeva)



4

2



THROUGHOUT THE MONTH

BOO! FAMILY-FRIENDLY HALLOWEEN EXPERIENCE

Have a delightfully-spooky family adventure at Six Flags America with its family-friendly fall day on select dates in September and October! Kids can enjoy a trick-or-treat trail, corn maze and crafts, while adults can take in the festive décor and get into the Halloween spirit!

One-day ticket prices vary seasonally; dates TBA  
[sixflags.com](http://sixflags.com)

5



SEPT. 3

NATIONAL BOOK FESTIVAL

Celebrate the Library of Congress' National Book Festival as a family. At the Walter E. Washington Convention Center from 9 a.m. to 8 p.m., learn from your favorite authors and attend discussions on beloved books. Purchase books and merch to take a little piece of festival home with you. ASL interpreters and CART caption services will be available for the speaking events.

Free  
[loc.gov](http://loc.gov)