

This week in Philly: June 22-June 28

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Lawn picnics and fireworks are features of summer shows at the Mann. (Courtesy photo)

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A few ways to spend your week in (and out of) Philly.

Monday, June 22

Sharp shooters in the marble persuasion will gather for the 92nd Annual National [Marbles Tournament](#) in Wildwood from Monday through Thursday. Players from around the country will convene on **Ringer Stadium** (Beach at Wildwood Ave., Wildwood, N.J.) from noon to 8 p.m. daily.

If the likelihood of your own grand adventure seems rather diminished on a Monday, revel in Pee-Wee Herman's travels at the **Trocadero** (1003 Arch St.) for Movie Monday, where they'll screen [Pee-Wee's Big Adventure](#) at 8 p.m. Your admission goes toward a drink or snack. You've got to be over 21 to get in, too.

Tuesday, June 23

Northern Liberties sports apparel shop Philly Phaithful brings their goods to the **Market and Shops at Comcast Center** (1701 JFK Blvd.) for a [pop up party and chance to shop their newest collection](#) from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m.

For a proper summer celebration of sight and sound, head over to the **Mann Center** (5201 Parkside Ave.) for [Tchaikovsky pieces performed by the Philadelphia Orchestra](#). The icing on the cake is a fireworks show following the 8 p.m. concert.

Wednesday, June 24

Not nearly as creepy as one might think, **Laurel Hill Cemetery** (3822 Ridge Ave.) welcomes yogis to the historic resting place for a 6:30 p.m. one-hour, [all-levels yoga class](#).

Twice a week, Chuck Bryant and Josh Clark have been telling you the ways of the world, from what the most peaceful time in history was to the 411 with body odor, in their podcast "[Stuff You Should Know](#)." The guys come to the **Trocadero** (1003 Arch St.) for a live discussion at 8 p.m.

Thursday, June 25

Be one of the first [to witness the Tall Ships' arrival](#) for the Tall Ships Festival when the vessels sail up the Delaware from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. Even cooler is to watch the procession from the decks of the **Battleship New Jersey** (100 Clinton St., Camden, N.J.)

A bargain hunter's delight, **Baltimore Avenue** between **43rd and 51st Streets** will be lined with local vendors and businesses will sell their goods for a whopping \$1. Everything from bicycle tire patch kits, theater tickets and ice cream sandwiches will go for a buck from 5:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. for the [Baltimore Avenue Dollar Stroll](#).

Friday, June 26

For over two decades [Dar Williams](#) has been peddling her singer-songwriter folk. She tours behind a new album, which draws on present-day issues and sentiments stemming from the Occupy Wall Street movement and longevity in friendships, coming to **World Café Live** (3025 Walnut St.) for an 8 p.m. show.



Not a magic troupe or a sci-fi show, the [Incredible Shrinking Matt and Jacquie](#) prepare scripted comedy about whacky bird watchers or the magical place you go when you're in a coma. They'll perform at **Philly Improv Theater** (2030 Sansom St.) for a 9 p.m. show.

Saturday, June 27

How fast could you run if you were being chased by the devil? Try it out at **Temple University Track** (1901 N. 15th St.) for [Devil Takes the Hindmost Run](#), a musical chairs type of track workout. Separated by men and women, runners will take to the track. The last 2-3 runners to cross the finish line each lap will be eliminated until only one is left standing. The men's heat kicks off at 11:30 a.m., women to follow after. Hang around for a party.

The second installment of this year's [40th Street Summer Series](#) will bring BalletX to **40th Street Field** (40th and Walnut Streets) for an al fresco presentation of their signature pieces. The night kicks off at 6 p.m. with free Ben & Jerry's, soft pretzels, face painting, balloon animal artists and jugglers.

The [Black Pearl Chamber Orchestra](#), joined by local teen musicians from Settlement Music School, Temple Music Prep and the Philadelphia Youth Orchestra, opens up the **Dell Music Center's** (Ridge Ave and Huntingdon Dr.) summer season with a 7 p.m. concert highlighting well-known classical movements.

Sunday, June 28

The Blueberry Capital of the World — that'd be Hammonton, N.J. — throws their annual [Red, White and Blueberry Festival](#) from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Come for all your typical community fair stuff — music, jugglers, classic cars, moon bounce — but stay for the blueberry pie eating contests. It all takes place at **Hammonton High School** (566 Old Forks Rd., Hammonton, N.J.)

Six budding African American playwrights share their experiences in a commissioned work, "[Hands Up: 6 Playwrights, 6 Testaments](#)," closing today at 6 p.m. at **University of the Arts' Caplan Studio Theatre** (211 S. Broad St.).

For more Things to Do, check out [our calendar](#) for the most up-to-date happenings.