

Select Weekend Events

A list of events occurring throughout the weekend including arts, athletics, cultural events, and relevant ticket information is available for your convenience.

Shaded events were organized to welcome first-year families.

*These events require a ticket purchase/reservation (For Athletic ticket purchases, visit the Harvard Athletics website at tickets.gocrimson.com.)

** Events with RSVP Required

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 28

OPENING NIGHT: Macbeth in Stride*

7:30 PM - 9:00 PM

Loeb Drama Center, 64 Brattle St.

A dazzling theatrical event created and performed by Obie Award-winning artist Whitney White with a live band, *Macbeth In Stride* examines what it means to be an ambitious Black woman through the lens of one of Shakespeare's most iconic characters. The first of White's five-part series commissioned by A.R.T. excavating the women from Shakespeare's canon, the production uses pop, rock, gospel, and R&B to trace the fatalistic arc of Lady Macbeth while lifting up contemporary Black female power, femininity, and desire. Directors Tyler Dobrowsky and Taibi Magar (We Live in Cairo) co-stage this groundbreaking world premiere.

Get tickets at <https://americanrepertorytheater.org/shows-events/macbeth-in-stride/>

Legally Blonde*

7:30 PM

Agassiz House Theatre, 5 James St.

Legally Blonde is a Broadway musical based

on the original movie that follows Elle Woods, a sorority girl from California who follows her ex-boyfriend to Harvard Law school in a bid to win him back. You can see it with a twist: the cast is entirely Asian. Harvard College's Asian Student Arts Project's goal with this production is to challenge the default notion that non-race-specific musicals exist in white spaces and that characters should be represented by white identities.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 29

College Events Board

6:00PM - 8:00 PM

Smith Campus Center/Harvard Commons

"Trick or Treat" is fall-themed carnival that features stations with various activities, snacks, music, and games for students to enjoy during the holiday weekend. Examples of these stations include a pumpkin decorating station, a tattoo station, a candy giveaway station, and a refreshments table dedicated to snacks and drinks such as pizza, apple cider, and yummy donuts. The event is essentially a way for students to meet new students, have fun with old friends, and create Halloween-themed crafts to take home.

Women's Ice Hockey vs Cornell* University

6:00 PM

Bright-Landry Hockey Center, Boston

Women's Volleyball vs Princeton* University

7:00 PM

Malkin Athletic Center, 39 Holyoke St.

Hand in Hand: Harvard, Yale and Princeton Glee Clubs Concert

7:30 PM - 9:00 PM

Sanders Theatre, 45 Quincy St.

As the Princeton, Yale, and Harvard Glee Clubs return to in-person activity and live performances this year, we are thrilled to present our third Hand in Hand presentation.

Each choir will be performing for audiences in their home venue: Woolsey Hall at Yale, Richardson Auditorium at Princeton, and Harvard's Sanders Theatre. The program will be simulcast to each venue and also broadcast live online.

Day of the Dead Sidewalk Chalk**

2:00 PM - 5:00 PM

Peabody Museum of Archaeology and Ethnology, 11 Divinity Ave.

You are invited to a museum community-building event. The Peabody Museum of Archaeology & Ethnology is hosting an outdoor Day of the Dead commemoration. To set the mood for our simple outdoor "step" altar, join our chalking activity to decorate the sidewalk with Día de los Muertos imagery: cempasuchil (marigold flowers), candles, and sugar skulls. There will be templates to color in and spaces to fill in with a design of your own.

Interested? Please contact Andy Majewski by Wednesday, Oct. 27th: amajewski@hmsc.harvard.edu

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 30

Men's Water Polo vs Princeton University*

9:00 AM

Blodgett Pool, 65 N Harvard St.

Spooktacular Crafternoon for Coop Kids*

11:00 AM - 12:30 PM

1400 Mass Ave.

This is an OUTDOOR event, to be held on Palmer Street. In the event of inclement weather, families can pick up their Craft Kits to take home to assemble! Each sturdily packed kit will come with complete, customized instructions. Costumes encouraged, but not required! Appropriate for age 8 and under. Attendance is limited and TICKETS are required.

The Red House's 1st Annual Pumpkin Patch

12:00 PM - 5:00 PM

*In front of The Red House Restaurant
98 Winthrop St.*

** this is an outdoor event**

Women's Rugby vs Army*

12:00 PM

Jordan Field, 65 N Harvard St.

Women's Ice Hockey vs Colgate University*

3:00 PM

Bright-Landry Hockey Center, Boston

Men's Soccer vs Dartmouth College*

4:00 PM

Jordan Field, 65 N Harvard St.

Women's Volleyball vs University of Pennsylvania*

5:00 PM

Malkin Athletic Center, 39 Holyoke St.

Men's Water Polo vs St. Francis College Brooklyn*

5:00 PM

Blodgett Pool, 65 N Harvard St.

Men's Ice Hockey vs Bentley University*

8:00 PM

Bright-Landry Hockey Center, Boston

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 31

Men's Water Polo vs Iona College*

3:00 PM

Blodgett Pool, 65 N Harvard St.

Weekend Worship Services

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FRIDAY, OCTOBER 29

Morning Prayers

8:30 AM - 8:45 AM

Memorial Church, Appleton Chapel

Friday Prayers (Jum'ah) (Muslim)

1:00 PM

Lowell Lecture Hall

Kabbalat Shabbat Services

6:30 PM

38 Banks St.

Followed by dinner at 7:15 PM.

Shabbat Dinner**

7:30 PM

Harvard Hillel, Rosonsky Hall, 52 Mt. Auburn Street

Hors d'oeuvres: 6:30 p.m.

Dinner: 7:00 p.m.

Registration requested:

<https://guestli.st/698430>

Please join us at a traditional Jewish Sabbath dinner for our first-year students and their parents and families during First-Year Family Weekend. To check Shabbat service times, go to <https://hillel.harvard.edu/family-weekend-shabbat>. We ask that all visitors of eligible age be vaccinated in order to visit Harvard Hillel and agree to comply with all University safety requirements for visitors, including indoor masking and distancing when able. Questions? Please contact Jessica Axel at jessica@hillel.harvard.edu or at 617-384-9783.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 30

United Methodist Chaplaincy

Harvard-Epworth United Methodist Church, 1555 Massachusetts Ave. (adjacent to the Harvard Law School campus)

Communion Service: 9:00 AM

Adult Forum: 10:00 AM

Worship Service: 11:00 AM

Shabbat Morning Services

10:00 AM

38 Banks St.

Followed by lunch at 12:00 PM.

One Connection Church (Seventh Day Adventist)

11:00 AM

1555 Mass Ave.

St. Paul's Parish (Catholic) Vigil Mass

5:00 PM

29 Mt. Auburn St.

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 31

St. Paul's Parish (Catholic) Mass

7:30 AM, 9:30 AM, 11:00 AM

29 Mt. Auburn St.

Faith & Life Forum*

9:30 AM - 10:30 AM

Memorial Church, Buttrick Room, Ground Level

Speaker: Mac Loftin, Ph.D candidate, Theology, Harvard University.

The Faith & Life Forum of the Memorial Church explores matters of faith and public life. Each week we explore themes such as love, justice, suffering and salvation in relation to the world in which we live. We learn from scholars and practitioners of religion, religious intellectuals, writers, activists and artists whose work captures conceptions of the sacred and wrestles with the mysterious dimensions of

life. The discussion is accessible in-person at the Memorial Church, or virtually on Zoom. To participate online please register [here](#). Those attending the forum in person will be asked to register on site. All are welcome.

Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints

10:00 AM, 12:00 PM, 2:00 PM

4 Longfellow Park

First Parish Cambridge (Unitarian Universalist)

10:00 AM

1446 Massachusetts Ave.

Harvard-Epworth United Methodist Church (United Methodist)

10:00 AM

1555 Massachusetts Ave.

Christ the King Church (Presbyterian Church of America)

10:30 AM

99 Prospect St.

<https://ctkcambridge.org/>

First Church of Christ, Scientist, Cambridge (Christian Science church)

10:30 AM

13 Waterhouse St.

Old Cambridge Baptist Church (American Baptist)

10:30 AM

1151 Massachusetts Ave.

Religious Society of Friends (Quakers)

10:30 AM

5 Longfellow Park

University Lutheran Church (Lutheran)

10:30 AM

66 Winthrop St.

Memorial Church

11:00 AM

29 Mt. Auburn St.

The Memorial Church will be holding our first Sunday worship service of the year on Sunday, August 29 at 11am. The Memorial Church is the university church of Harvard. Our church building is in the center of Harvard Yard.

Our Sunday Services are a multi-denominational Protestant worship service open to all regardless of faith, serving the Harvard University community. Services are in the Memorial Church Sanctuary and are broadcast live on Harvard radio station, WHRB 95.3 and online at whrb.org.

The Memorial Church is following health and safety guidelines for the wellbeing of the Harvard and surrounding communities. Face coverings continue to be required in all indoor University spaces for vaccinated and unvaccinated individuals.

For more information about our services, please visit our website: memorialchurch.harvard.edu. We hope to see you there!

Religious Society of Friends (Quakers)

5:00 PM

5 Longfellow Park

St. Paul's Parish (Catholic) Student Mass

5:00 PM

29 Mt. Auburn St.

Episcopal Worship and Eucharist

5:30 PM

Christ Church Cambridge, 0 Garden St.