

Join Friends of Waterfront Seattle this summer for free community events for all ages at Waterfront Park on Pier 58! Friends of Waterfront Seattle is the nonprofit partner to the City of Seattle, helping to execute, steward, and program the waterfront park. Our mission is to build awareness, fundraise, and lead strategies that support the long-term health of the park, all with the goal to realize the park's social, environmental, economic, and cultural potential.

Hot Spot is a pilot program created by Friends that is enhancing Seattle's central waterfront now with activities that provide a preview of our urban shoreline's future as a vibrant park for all to enjoy. **Hot Spot brings a dynamic mix of live music, performance, sports, and more to existing Waterfront Park during July through September weekends.** 

# JULY 2018 EVENTS

2017 What's Poppin' Ladiez?!

**JUL 7** 3 - 7 PM

#### **KEXP ROCKS THE DOCK**

Awesome local bands kick off the Hot Spot season with the third annual KEXP Rocks the Dock concert hosted by KEXP 90.3, Seattle's non-commercial independent radio station that produces an award-winning, innovative blend of music for a worldwide audience.

Featuring: Stas Thee Boss and Nappy Nina, Misundvrstood & Gypsy Temple, Breaks and Swells, and DJ & Emcee OCNotes

**JUL 8** 12 - 8 PM

#### **BEACH PARTY**

Start your summer with fun in the sun. Local bands bring reggae and surf music to Hot Spot. Featuring: Wet City Rockers, Surf Monk, Speak Easy

WATERFRONT PARK // PIER 58 // 1401 ALASKAN WAY

JUL 14 12 - 4 PM AND JUL 15 12 - 8 PM

#### SUMMER AT THE SOCCER OCTAGON

Friends and the Seattle Sounders FC RAVE Foundation celebrate the World Cup Finals weekend with fun, family-friendly bands and activities for soccer fans at the Soccer Octagon.

Featuring 7/14: Tai Shan, Geoffrey Castle, and Nolan Garrett

Featuring 7/15: Marina Christopher, Christy McWilson, Brian Vogan and his Good Buddies



Throughout the summer, The RAVE Foundation, the official charitable arm of Sounders FC, brings their Soccer Octagon to Hot Spot. The Soccer Octagon is perfect for fun and fast games of small sided soccer with friends, family and drop-in Sounders FC players.

### JUL 21 AND 22 4:30 PM & 7:30 PM

#### TRACES OF US: A SITE-SPECIFIC DANCE

Kinesis Project dance theatre, led by choreographer Melissa Riker, creates a magical world along Seattle's historic Waterfront Park. Experience a dance about time, memory, perspective, and connection. The performance is a third, powerful collaboration between Melissa Riker and Kinesis Project with costume designer Asa Thornton and Seattle's own

Featuring performances at 4:30 PM and 7:30 PM on Saturday and Sunday

JUL 28 12 - 8 PM

#### K-POP NOW!

K-Pop started in South Korea and is taking over the world, with local K-Pop talent bringing a contest filled with pop music and dance to Seattle's waterfront. Traditional and contemporary Korean culture will be celebrated throughout the day with performances and more!

visual artist, Celeste Cooning, famous for her large-scale, hand-cut sculptural textiles for public spaces.

JUL 29 12 - 8 PM

#### **206 ZULU BEAT MASTERS**

The 7th Annual Beat Masters pays tribute to the production aspect of Hip Hop music. Sixteen top Northwest producers will play their beats in a head-to-head tournament style competition until the winner is revealed, receiving a \$1,000 prize and the Beat Masters Champion title.

## AUGUST 2018 EVENTS

AUG 4 AND 5 12 - 8 PM

#### HIGHWAY 99 BLUES CLUB PRESENTS BLUES AT PIER 58

Highway 99 Blues Club is an exciting venue for blues culture and music located right here on the Seattle Waterfront in a 1909 brick building.

Featuring 8/4: Honey Mustard, Drummerboy, Patti Allen & Monster Road, and DJ/MC Sean Donovan aka Gator Boy

Featuring 8/5: Nick Vigarino, Big Road Blues, Joe Blue & the Roof Shakers, and DJ/MC Sean Donovan aka Gator Boy

AUG 11 12-8 PM

#### **VERANO EN SEATTLE**

Spend your Saturday in the sun with performances from local artists playing music with roots in Brazil, Venezuela, Argentina, Mexico, Paraguay, and beyond.

Featuring: Adriana Giordano, Correo Aereo, and Deseo Carmin

AUG 12 12 - 8 PM

#### DO 206 ON THE BAY

Spend your Sunday Funday with hot Seattle artists curated by Do206, a one-stop online event resource for Seattle.

Featuring: Swatkins & the Positive Agenda, Ayo Dot & the Uppercuts, Hoshin, and AuzSantiago

**AUG 18** 10 - 8 PM

CITY ARTS PRESENTS HIGH TIDE ON THE WATERFRONT

City Arts presents High Tide on the Waterfront, two days of live music, DJs, dance, performance art, and more at Waterfront Park. Come ready to party and enjoy the summer City Arts-style.

AUG 19 12 - 8 PM **8/18:** Get set for the biggest daytime dance party on the waterfront. Start the morning with Dance Church with Kate Wallich, and stay for DJs curated by JET featuring: *Double Sunrise Club, Stas Thee Boss, Monroe, Calico, Reverend Dollars, La Nina, Tony Shark* 

**8/19:** Expect a full day of fun for the entire fam with circus arts, performance art, live bands, comedy, and other assorted weirdness. Featuring: The Pazific, Acrobatic Conundrum, Filthy FemCorps, Eurodanceparty USA, and Baby Gramps

**AUG 25** 12 - 5 PM

#### **QUEEN STREET FESTIVAL**

Queen Street Festival is a series of dance performances created and produced by Au Collective, a community of dancers, choreographers, and artists from varied disciplines that develop relatable and engaging dance art. This amazing live performance will feature dope QTPOC artists.

**AUG 25** 5 - 8 PM

#### **206 ZULU FISH-N-CHIPS**

206 Zulu brings back the 4th Annual All-Styles Dance Battle on the waterfront. The All-Styles Battle is a competition format where all forms and styles of street dancing may enter. Dancers will be battling in a 1-versus-1 format for a cash prize and bragging rights.

**AUG 26** 12 - 8 PM

#### **FUNKY DANCE PARTY**

Papa's Got a Brand New Park. Spend your Sunday in the sun with live music from local bands! Featuring: Marmalade, Goody Bagg, and Breaks & Swells

## SEPTEMBER 2018 EVENTS

2017 Dance Church

SEP 1 AND 2 12 - 8 PM

#### **AMERICANA FESTIVAL**

Celebrate Labor Day weekend on the waterfront with Americana music, incorporating elements of American music such as country, folk, bluegrass and blues in new songs and sounds. Curated by Tobias the Owl, the waterfront Americana Festival features some of Seattle's best Americana bands.

Featuring 9/1: Sarah Gerritsen & the Shadow Catchers, The Local Strangers, Kara Hesse, Tobias the Owl (solo) Featuring 9/2: The Drifter Luke, The W Lovers, and Tobias the Owl (full band)

SEP 14 AND 15 10 - 9 PM

#### SALMON HOMECOMING CELEBRATION PRESENTED BY THE SALMON HOMECOMING ALLIANCE

The celebration honors the fall return of the salmon and introduces local families to Native American culture by providing programs such as traditional gatherings, Pow Wows, Cedar Canoe events, and a holistic program of related environmental educational activities. Friends is proud to provide support for this annual event, celebrating its 26th year in Waterfront Park.

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# SEATTLE'S FUTURE WATERFRONT PARK

Waterfront Seattle will fulfill the community's vision for a central waterfront for our city: beautiful public spaces for all, a salmon-friendly seawall, and year-round cultural, educational, and recreational activities. After more than a decade of public input, the Seattle waterfront is on its way to becoming a 26-block park and lively mixing ground that embraces our working waterfront while restoring the health of the nearshore environment.



PIER 62: THE PEOPLE'S PIER
The first part of the
park to open in 2019,
Pier 62 will be home to
cultural, recreational and
educational events with
panoramic views of Elliott
Bay.



**ELEVATED VIEWS** 



**PROMENADE GARDENS** 



RECREATION



**HABITAT BEACH** 



WATERFRONT PARK: PIER 58
This public pier is home to
Hot Spot, and in the future
will be transformed with
a new flexible design that
will provide space for fun
community events.

**YEAR-ROUND USE** 





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