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Cleveland

SPECIAL EVENTS

2/3 – *MIX: Moonstruck*, **Cleveland Museum of Art**
2/5 – *Cleveland Bazaar Valentine*, **78th Street Studios**
2/11 – *Black History Celebration*, **Hale Farm & Village**
2/11 – *Ice Fest*, **North Coast Harbor**
2/16 – 3/5 – *Community Public Skate*, **FirstEnergy Stadium**

2/18 – *Faceoff on the Lake*, **FirstEnergy Stadium**
2/18 – *Kurentovanje*, **Slovenian National Home**
2/23 – *History on Tap: A Celebration of Black Culture*,
Cleveland History Center
2/25 – *Brite Winter*, **Flats West Bank**

THEATRE, CONCERTS, AND UNDERGROUND PERFORMERS

Now – 2/19 – *Hadestown*, **Connor Palace Theatre**
Now – 2/19 – *Stew*, **Dobama Theatre**
Now – 4/29 – *Flanagan's Wake*, **Kennedy's Theatre**
2/1 – *Spafford*, **Beachland Ballroom & Tavern**
2/1 – 2/2 – *Chris Distenfanso*, **Hilarities 4th Street Theatre**
2/2 – *Angel Olsen*, **Agora Theatre and Ballroom**
2/2 – 2/5 – *Bolero*, **Severance Music Center**
2/2 – *Jay Leno*, **KeyBank State Theatre**
2/2 – *Muse of Fire*, **First United Methodist Church**
2/2 – *The Cadillac Three – The Bandana Tour*,
House of Blues
2/3 – *CIFF's Get Shorty*, **Mimi Ohio Theatre**
2/3 – *David Hinrich*, **Foundry Social**
2/3 – *Hotel California Night!*, **Music Box Supper Club**
2/3 – *Mania: The ABBA Tribute*, **Center Stage**
2/3 – *lovelytheband*, **Beachland Ballroom & Tavern**
2/3 – 2/4 – *Alfred Kainga*,
Improv Comedy Theater and Restaurant
2/4 – *Society Comedy*, **Mahall's**
2/4 – *Chicago Tribute*, **Music Box Supper Club**
2/4 – 2/5 – *Shen Yun Performing Arts*,
KeyBank State Theatre
2/8 – *Our Land Peace*, **House of Blues**
2/9 – 2/26 – *Ghost the Musical*, **Beck Center for the Arts**
2/9 – *Heather McMahan*, **KeyBank State Theatre**
2/9 – 2/11 – *Mahlers Fifth*, **Severance Music Center**
2/9 – 2/11 – *Ian Bagg*, **Hilarities 4th Street Theatre**
2/10 – 2/19 – *Ain't Misbehavin' – The Fats Waller Musical*,
Near West Theatre

2/10 – 3/5 – *Sense and Sensibility*, **Hanna Theatre**
2/10 – *Small Town Murder Podcast*,
Agora Theatre and Ballroom
2/10 – *Secret Society Comedy*, **Brick & Barrel Brewing**
2/10 – 2/11 – *Alycia Cooper*,
Improv Comedy Theater & Restaurant
2/11 – *12th Annual Sweetheart Showcase w/ Bella Sin*,
Beachland Ballroom & Tavern
2/11 – *An Evening of Love and Soul*, **KeyBank State Theatre**
2/11 – *Rizzo & Rauckis*, **Foundry Social**
2/12 – *Cupid's Undie Run*, **The South Side**
2/12 – *Gotta Dancel!*, **Severance Music Center**
2/15 – *Subtronics – Antifractal Tour*, **House of Blues**
2/16 – *Beethoven's Seventh*, **Severance Music Center**
2/16 – 2/18 – *Mike E Winfield*, **Hilarities 4th Street Theatre**
2/17 – 2/18 – *Cool Clarinet*, **Severance Music Center**
2/17 – *Joe Bonamassa*, **KeyBank State Theatre**
2/18 – *Jerry Seinfeld*, **KeyBank State Theatre**
2/18 – *Monster Jam*, **Rocket Mortgage FieldHouse**
2/22 – *Neil deGrasse Tyson*, **KeyBank State Theatre**
2/23 – 2/25 – *Mozart and Strauss*, **Severance Music Center**
2/23 – *R.E.S.P.E.C.T – Aretha Franklin Tribute*,
Connor Palace Theatre
2/23 – 3/5 – *Red Summer*, **Karamu House**
2/24 – *COYO Winter Concert*, **Severance Music Center**
2/25 – *Enchanted Island*,
The Pivot Center of Art, Dance, & Expression
2/26 – *Masters of Hawaiian Music*, **Music Box Supper Club**
2/27 – *Elle King – A Freakin-Men Tour*,
Masonic Cleveland Auditorium

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PRO SPORTS

2/2 – Cavaliers vs. Memphis Grizzlies	2/11 – Cavaliers vs. Chicago Bulls	2/22 – Monsters vs. Utica Comets
2/3 – 2/4 – Monsters vs. Chicago Wolves	2/11 – Monsters vs. Belleville Senators	2/23 – Cavaliers vs. Denver Nuggets
2/8 – Cavaliers vs. Detroit Pistons	2/13 – Cavaliers vs. San Antonio Spurs	2/24 – Monsters vs. Utica Comets
2/10 – Monsters vs. Belleville Senators	2/14 – Monsters vs. Rochester Americans	2/26 – Cavaliers vs. Toronto Raptors

*All events take place at Rocket Mortgage FieldHouse, home of the Cleveland Cavaliers and Cleveland Monsters.

OUTDOOR, RECREATION, FOOD AND DRINK

Now – 2/5 – Cleveland Pierogi Week, Downtown Cleveland*	2/23 – History on Tap: A Celebration of Black Culture, Cleveland History Center
Now – 2/26 – The Rink, Wade Oval	2/24 – 2/25 – Big Ten Indoor Track and Field, Spire Institute
Now – 2/26 – Tobogganing, Mill Stream Run Reservation	2/25 – 36 th Annual Cleveland Chili Bowl Classic 5K, Hofbräuhaus Cleveland
Now – 3/25 – Night Sky Viewing, Observatory Park	
Now – 3/18 – Nassau Astronomy Night, Observatory Park	
2/5 – Chocolate & Wine Pairing, Gervasi Vineyard	
2/11 – Chocolate Crawl, Downtown Willoughby*	

*Participating restaurants only

EXHIBITS AND ONGOING EVENTS

Now – 2/5 – 19 Winters / 7 Springs, Transformer Station	Now – 6/10 – Nineteenth-Century French Drawings, Cleveland Museum of Art
Now – 3/2 – In Convert: Photography and the Violin, Transformer Station	Now – 6/11 – Nina Chanel Abeny: Big Butch Synergy, Museum of Contemporary Art
Now – 3/4 – Connie Fu and Xin Collective, The Sculpture Center	Now – 6/11 – Sam Falls: We Are Dust and Shadow, Museum of Contemporary Art
Now – 3/4 – Kasumi: Surfacing and Selections from the Perceptual Series, The Sculpture Center	Now – 6/11 – Amber N. Ford: Someone, Somewhere, Something, Museum of Contemporary Art
Now – 3/31 – The Beatles: Get Back to Let It Be, Rock & Roll Hall of Fame	2/5 – Family Day: I love me, Akron Art Museum
Now – 4/1 – Josepy B. O'Sickey, WOLFS Exhibition	2/18 – Midwinter Tunes, Akron Art Museum
Now – 4/1 – Photographs in Ink, Cleveland Museum of Art	

MEETINGS AND CONVENTIONS

Now – 2/1 – Ohio Craft Brewers Conference, (500 Attendees)	2/17 – 2/19 – Cleveland Golf and Travel Show, IX Center
2/3 – Major's Luncheon, (400 Attendees)	2/18 – 2/20 – Nike North Coast Cup Volleyball Tournament, (5,000 Attendees)
2/3 – 2/12 – The Great Big Home & Garden Show, IX Center	2/23 – Accelerate 2023: Citizens Make Change, (300 Attendees)
2/5 – NACAC Cleveland National College Fair, (2,000 Attendees)	2/24 – 2/26 – Woodworking Expos, (5,000 Attendees)
2/7 – 2/9 – HAC Annual Meeting, (350 Attendees)	2/24 – 3/5 – Cleveland Auto Show, IX Center
2/10- 2/11 – Cleveland Beer Fest, (10,000 Attendees)	2/25 – Tour of Beers 2023, (1,000 Attendees)
2/17 – 2/19 – 2023 Rainbow Dance Competition, (500 Attendees)	

Meetings and conventions are occurring at the Huntington Convention Center of Cleveland unless otherwise noted.

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DESTINATION DEVELOPMENTS

Crain's: LGBTQ-friendly Fieldhouse 'pulling in a lot of people'

<https://www.crainscleveland.com/business-lists/lgbtq-friendly-fieldhouse-lakewood-pulling-lot-people>

Cleveland.com: Sports events in 2023 in NE Ohio expected to top \$17.8 million in economic impact

<https://www.cleveland.com/entertainment/2023/01/sports-events-in-2023-in-ne-ohio-expected-to-top-178-million-in-economic-impact.html>

WKYC: Remaking the Market: The next steps for Cleveland's West Side Market in 2023

<https://www.wkyc.com/article/life/food/doug-trattner/remaking-the-market-next-steps-cleveland-west-side-market-2023/95-18d961f4-5e15-4e09-847d-b878bf99d29b>

IN CASE YOU MISSED IT

Scene: Pride CLE to return to downtown Cleveland this June

<https://www.clevescene.com/news/pride-cle-to-return-to-downtown-cleveland-this-june-41205532>

USA Today: Best urban kayaking spot nominees

<https://www.10best.com/awards/travel/best-urban-kayaking-spot/>

Roadtrippers Magazine: Don't be left in the dark—here are the best places to see the 2024 solar eclipse

<https://roadtrippers.com/magazine/best-places-to-see-the-2024-solar-eclipse/>

WKYC: Michael Symon says second season of Food Network's 'BBQ USA' currently filming in Cleveland

<https://www.wkyc.com/article/news/local/cleveland/michael-symon-second-season-food-networks-bbq-usa-filming-cleveland/95-1a47c5bd-44d3-4ddb-8420-073ecc1003d6>

Newsmax: Culture is alive and well in Cleveland

<https://www.newsmax.com/tamarfleishman/cleveland-culture-art/2022/12/28/id/1102229/>

WKYC: Cuyahoga Valley National Park named second-best national park in the US by Travel Lens

<https://www.wkyc.com/article/news/local/cuyahoga-county/cuyahoga-valley-national-park-named-second-best-national-park-in-us/95-67dc28b7-4c78-490c-b3ab-3aefe70bb153>

Crain's: Net positive: Youth volleyball tournaments provide economic boost to Cleveland

<https://www.crainscleveland.com/sports-business/rock-n-rumble-nike-north-coast-cup-boost-cleveland-tourism>

Cleveland.com: Brite Winter announces headliner for its 2023 return to West Bank of Cleveland's Flats

<https://www.cleveland.com/entertainment/2023/01/brite-winter-announces-headliner-for-its-2023-return-to-west-bank-of-clevelands-flats.html>