

# COLLEGEFEST

YOUR BEST FIVE HOURS IN PHILLY!

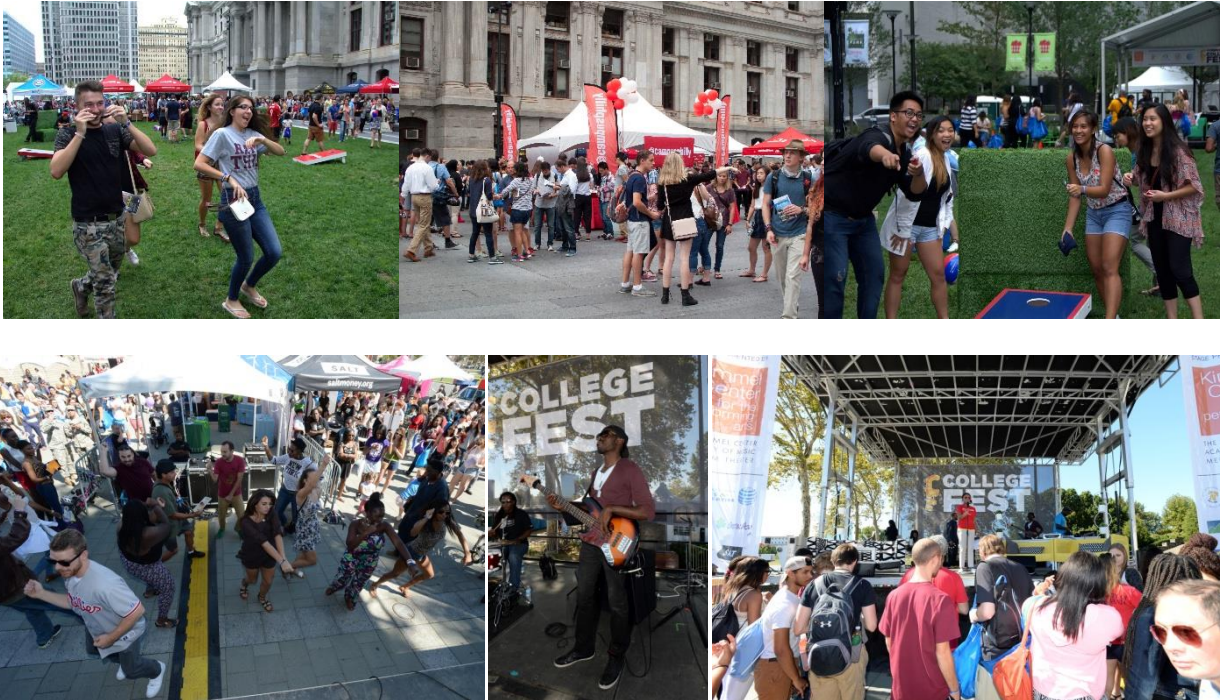


**SATURDAY | SEPT 9 | 10AM-3PM**

**DILWORTH PARK at CITY HALL**

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Join thousands of students for **the best five hours in Philly** at CollegeFest, Campus Philly's all-day welcome for new and returning students.



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**CollegeFest celebrates Philadelphia as a thriving college town, introducing everything off-campus that makes Philadelphia the best place to be a student.**

- Students receive a **Campus Philly wristband** at check-in, good for **free rides across the city on the Philly PHLASH Downtown Loop®** from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.
- Campus Philly wristbands are good for **free admission at 14 museums city-wide!**

Catch a zombie from **Eastern State Penitentiary's** "Terror Behind the Walls" haunted experience, on site at CollegeFest during the morning, or visit Eastern State for free; ride the PHLASH west to stop #9.

Become one of the first to visit the brand new **Museum of the American Revolution**; ride the PHLASH east to stop #22. Nearby in Old City are the **National Constitution Center**, **Betsy Ross House**, **National Museum of American Jewish History** and **Independence Seaport Museum** too, all free!

Selfie with a Tyrannosaurus rex; take the PHLASH west to **Academy of Natural Sciences** at stop #17, then walk into the Giant Heart at the **Franklin Institute** next door.

Pose with a goddess, find *Diana* in the Great Stair Hall at the **Philadelphia Museum of Art** - PHLASH stop #15 – or walk down the parkway to meet *The Thinker* at the Rodin.

Find George Washington's 1790s writing desk and Joe Frazier's 1970s championship boxing gloves at the **Philadelphia History Museum** and explore more local heritage at the nearby **African American Museum in Philadelphia**; PHLASH stop #21.

Walkable from the CollegeFest site at Dilworth Park, the **Fabric Workshop and Museum** has a free exhibit on master Philadelphia-based architect Louis Kahn.

- Compete against students from schools across the region in the **Lawn Game Olympics** at the **CollegeFest Stage presented by Kimmel Center**. Games include:

Dizzy Bat, Hula Hoop Marathon & Water Balloon Toss  
Three-Legged & Human Wheelbarrow Racing  
Bubble Sports



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- Students can **share their day with #collegefest17** to win prizes and **help their school claim the Campus Philly Cup!**
- **Catch a live performance!** **Chill Moody**, Philadelphia's official Music Ambassador makes a special appearance after 12:30, and then **Lee Mo**, from The Kimmel Center's Sittin' In Series, takes the stage at 2pm!
- Check out our exhibitors, with special setups from CollegeFest Exclusive Partners:
  - Kimmel Center**, with green screen, giveaways and information on their upcoming season: 100+ shows - everything from Comedy to Rock, Dance, Broadway and more!  
**CIEE** student lounge  
**Capital One** photo booth and prize wheel  
Games, prizes and branded giveaways from **IKEA**  
"Sparkling Eyes" Beauty Bar from **Sparkling Ice**  
**AT&T** charging station  
**Vanguard** dunk tank
- Enjoy the **best flavors of Philly** from the Dilworth Park Café! Serving:
  - Cherry Street Ramen Bowl
  - Washington Ave Bahn Mi
  - Fishtown Fries
  - University City Falafel Sandwich
  - Soom Tahini Philly Cheesesteak
- Afterward students can take the Broad Street Line to Lincoln Financial Field for **Temple v. Villanova college football at 3:30pm.**  
  
Show your student ID at the West VIP Box Office on the 11<sup>th</sup> Street side Lincoln Financial Field, across from the Wells Fargo Center, for **\$10 student tickets.**
- There's no RSVP or registration required, but **students can sign up as a Campus Philly Insider** at [campusphilly.org/signup](https://campusphilly.org/signup) for express check-in at CollegeFest.  
  
Visit [campusphilly.org/collegefest](https://campusphilly.org/collegefest) for more information on the day!

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## Organizing transportation from campus?

Dilworth Park is located at 15<sup>th</sup> and Market, on the west side of Philadelphia City Hall.

- **The site is easily accessible using public transit.**
  - Take SEPTA's Trolley Lines or Market-Frankford Line to 15<sup>th</sup> Street.
  - Use the Broad Street Subway stop at City Hall.
  - From New Jersey:
    - take PATCO to 8<sup>th</sup> Street and pay to transfer to SEPTA's westbound Market-Frankford Line,
    - or walk from the last stop, at 15<sup>th</sup> and Locust.
- **Buses can drop off students on 15<sup>th</sup> Street, at the west side of Dilworth Park, before the Market Street intersection, indicated on the images below.**



- During the day, bus coaches are encouraged to use the Callowhill Bus Center (CBC) on Callowhill Street between Second and Third streets, or Campus Park and Ride on Warfield Street off Interstate 76 near 34th Street, to wait during the day for their group's return trip.

More at: <http://www.discoverphl.com/travel-trade/transportation-and-bus-parking/>



**CollegeFest is just the start.**

Campus Philly helps students connect to communities, internships, and jobs with [campusphilly.org/openarts](http://campusphilly.org/openarts) and [campusphilly.org/launch](http://campusphilly.org/launch), plus the fall events below:

**Thrive in Philly** build relationships to launch your career and gain insight from employers and young professionals about the opportunities available and skills needed to succeed in the region – find more at [campusphilly.org/launchevents](http://campusphilly.org/launchevents)

- SPARK:Philly, **October 3**
- Create-adelphia, **October 24**
- Online Job and Internship Week, **October 23-27**
- Leaders Meetup, **November 14**

**Open Arts College Night**, highlighting great arts venues on special evenings with free student admission, perfect for group trips – find more at [openartsphilly.org/collegenight](http://openartsphilly.org/collegenight)

- Opera Philadelphia's Opera on the Mall, **September 23**
- Students-Only Party at the Barnes Foundation, **October 19**
- First Friday Meetup at the Arden Theatre, **November 3**

**For students at Campus Philly partner schools, the whole region is your campus!**

