

## SAVE THE DATE

**Birding festival:** Fair Park Municipal Complex, 1204 Fair Park Blvd., Harlingen, 956-423-5565, [www.rgvbf.org](http://www.rgvbf.org). The Rio Grande Valley Birding Festival features a variety of field trips for beginners, families and those who have been before, as well as workshops, lectures and guided trips, all focusing on a variety of regional birds and more. Fees vary. Wednesday through Nov. 10.

**Art fundraiser:** The Art Center of Corpus Christi, 100 N. Shoreline Blvd., Corpus Christi, 361-884-6406, [www.artcentercc.org](http://www.artcentercc.org). The annual iCaliente! A Night in Old Buenos Aires raises funds for educational outreach, art and other programs. The event features live music, art demonstrations, dancers, painting, an open air market and more. \$75 online. 6-9 p.m. Thursday.

**"Branson on the Road":** Granbury Resort Conference Center, 621 E. Pearl St., [www.granburytx.com](http://www.granburytx.com). Live music and dancing to bluegrass, rockabilly and gospel music. \$10-\$15 advance purchase only. 2-4 p.m. Nov. 17.

**November events:** Cultural and entertainment districts, Fort Worth, [www.fortworth.com](http://www.fortworth.com).

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com. Series of events includes the grand opening of the Sundance Square Plaza, the Kimbell Art Museum Renzo Piano Pavilion opening and the AAA Texas 500 NASCAR Tripleheader weekend. All event information is online. Through Nov. 27.

**Discount days:** Dallas Arboretum and Botanical Gardens, 8525 Garland Road, Dallas, [www.dallasarboretum.org](http://www.dallasarboretum.org). The center is offering several discounts through the end of November, including a "buy one, get one free" admission, Senior Thursdays, ticket discounts at Tom Thumb stores and half-price daytime parking.

**North Pole Express:** Grapevine Vintage Railroad, 705 S Main St., Grapevine, [www.grapevinetexasusa.com](http://www.grapevinetexasusa.com). Rides aboard the train include the reading of a Christmas story, a trip through the Winter Wonderland to the North Pole, where a Christmas show is performed. \$25. Noon-7 p.m. Nov. 29-30; Dec. 1; and Fridays-Sundays through Dec. 22.

**Traveling exhibit:** Tarleton State University, Dora Lee Langdon Cultural and Education Center, 308 E. Bridge St., Granbury, 817-559-2288. A rare photo exhibit, "The Cynthia Ann and Quanah Parker Exhibit: A Woman of Two Worlds and a Man In Two Worlds," will be on display. Opens Saturday. 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Mondays through Fridays; 10 a.m.-3 p.m. Saturdays through Dec. 18.

**Ansel Adams exhibit:** Baylor University, Martin Museum of Art, Hooper-Schaefer Fine Arts Center, 60 Baylor Ave., Waco, 254-710-1867, [www.baylor.edu/martinmuseum](http://www.baylor.edu/martinmuseum). "Ansel Adams: Distance and Detail" contains 29 images by the artist best known for his black-and-white nature photos. Various events are also scheduled in relation to the exhibit. Historic film footage will be shown at 3 p.m. Wednesdays-Thursdays. Through Nov. 14.

**Birds in Art:** Rockport Center for the Arts, 902 Navigation Circle, Rockport, 361-729-5519, [www.rockportartscenter.com](http://www.rockportartscenter.com). The exhibit features artwork in several mediums, including paintings, paper works and sculptures. Featured artwork includes that of three Texas artists. Free. Through Nov. 16.