



CALENDAR OF EVENTS
MAY – AUGUST 2021

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INFORMATION

Location

6000 Hermann Park Drive, Houston, TX 77030

Something for Everyone

Miller offers the most diverse season of professional entertainment of any Houston performance venue — musical theater, traditional and contemporary dance, opera, classical and popular music, multicultural performances, daytime shows for young audiences, and more! Oh, and it's always FREE!

Seating

Tickets for evening performances are available online!! Tickets will be available at milleroutdoortheatre.com beginning at 9 a.m., one week prior to the performance date until noon on the day of performance. All seating will be socially distanced. Seating is extremely limited due to COVID-19 capacity restrictions. All ticket holders will have temperatures checked prior to entry to the covered seating area.

**Face coverings/masks are required for all attendees...
in the covered seats and on the hill, unless eating or drinking.**

Hill seating does not require tickets and will be on a first-come, first-served basis. There will be a limited number of socially distanced designated "pods," which accommodate up to 10 people in a known group. Everyone must sit inside a pod and once all pods are taken, no more hill seating will be allowed. The **left side** of the hill is designated for **lawn chairs** and the **right side** for **blankets**. Face coverings/masks are required on the hill unless eating or drinking.

ALL PROTOCOLS WILL BE STRICTLY ENFORCED.

Please visit milleroutdoortheatre.com for updates to policies and protocols.

Picnics

A picnic on the hill is a tradition at Miller. Bring your own or purchase food and beverages from the Miller concession stand and help support the theatre: credit cards only. Go to milleroutdoortheatre.com for a complete menu. **Glass containers are prohibited** in all City of Houston parks. If you are seated in the covered seating area, please ensure that your cooler is small enough to fit under your seat in case an emergency exit is required.



Smoking

Smoking is **prohibited** in Hermann Park and at Miller Outdoor Theatre, including the hill.

Recording, Photography, & Remote Controlled Vehicles

Audio/visual recording and/or photography of any portion of Miller Outdoor Theatre presentations require the express written consent of the City of Houston. Launching, landing, or operating unmanned or remote controlled vehicles (such as drones, quadcopters, etc.) within Miller Outdoor Theatre grounds— including the hill and plaza—is prohibited by park rules.

Accessibility

Look for  and  symbols indicating performances that are **captioned** for the hearing-impaired or **audio described** for the blind. Listening devices/headsets are available at no cost at the Miller Security Desk ninety minutes prior to curtain time. A valid Texas Driver License or state-issued ID is required as a deposit. For information, visit milleroutdoortheatre.com.

There are easily accessible wheelchair spaces in the covered seating area. For information on these and other seating accommodations, call **832-487-7107** in advance.

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August through November calendar published in July

Performance dates in bold

MAY

May 1, 8:00 PM

CINCO DE MAYO AT MILLER: Mariachi Divas de Cindy Shea

Miller Outdoor Theatre is back and we're ready to celebrate! This L.A. based all-female mariachi band was the first of its kind to win a Grammy, and now they are bringing their enthusiasm and world-class musicianship to Miller!

Presented in partnership with the Consulate General of Mexico in Houston



May 22, 8:00 PM ONLINE ONLY

HOUSTON INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT: HISD Fine Arts Extravaganza

HISD Fine Arts Extravaganza is a virtual performance featuring the talents of HISD students in dance ensembles, choirs, bands, mariachi, theatre, visual art, and student-produced videos.



May 7 & 8, 8:00 PM

Houston Ballet Reignited

For the first time in over a year, Houston Ballet and the Houston Ballet Orchestra are performing LIVE with an evening of dance, music and film!



May 29, 8:30 PM

COMMUNITY MUSIC CENTER OF HOUSTON PRESENTS: The Philadelphia Soul Sound

Featuring some of the best songs from 1960's and 1970's Philadelphia Hit-makers, this performance is guaranteed to have you dancing in your seats.



May 14 & 15, 8:00 PM

HOUSTON GRAND OPERA PRESENTS: Marian's Song

Audio Described May 15

Join the journey of pioneering Black opera singer Marian Anderson whose fearless voice reverberates to this day in this innovative fusion of opera and spoken word. An original HGO commission.



JUNE

June 4, 8:30 PM

HOUSTON METROPOLITAN DANCE CENTER PRESENTS: Summer ExtravaDance

Invigorate your summer with an evening bursting with energy, music and the intoxicating spirit of dance.



May 18 - May 24, 10:00 AM ONLINE ONLY

HOUSTON GRAND OPERA PRESENTS: Katie: Strongest of the Strong

A circus strongwoman uses her fame to fight for female voting rights. Based on an incredible true story! This virtual performance will be available to view for students and families alike for an entire week.



June 10 & 12, 8:30 PM

THE HOUSTON SYMPHONY PRESENTS: Summer Symphony Nights

Join your Houston Symphony at the Park for a series of family-friendly concerts that showcase outstanding soloists and conductors performing favorites from the classical repertoire.





JUNE continued

June 18, 8:30 PM

APERIO PRESENTS:
Lush Life & Latin Beats

Get ready to feel the beat with orchestral showstoppers by Duke Ellington, Chick Corea, Michael Torke & Arturo Marquez.



JULY

July 2, 8:30 PM

AMERICAN FESTIVAL FOR THE ARTS:
Summer Music Festival

Talented young musicians from across Houston perform as part of AFA's Summer Music Festival Showcase.



June 19, 8:30 PM

A GULF COAST JUNETEENTH FEATURING:
Bobby Rush

This annual blues and creole festival features Grammy award-winning blues legend Bobby Rush, a story-telling bluesman who boasts gritty, sensuous vocals and impressive harmonica chops that wow audiences wherever he goes!



July 3, 8:30 PM

APOLLO CHAMBER PLAYERS PRESENTS:
Latin Beats

Latin Beats explores the breathtaking music of Brazil, Cuba and the Andes through multicultural new music, dance, and art.

June 25, 8:30 PM

AN EVENING WITH:
Christina Wells

She is the powerhouse vocalist and Houston native who rocketed to national notoriety as a semi-finalist on America's Got Talent. Join her and her Band for an evening of story and song in her, "love letter to Houston."



July 9 & 10, 8:30 PM

HITS THEATRE PRESENTS:
Showstoppers: A Broadway Musical Scrapbook

Captioned July 9; Audio Described July 10

Relive your favorite show stopping Broadway musical numbers performed by HITS Theatre students in this energetic revue.



June 26, 8:30 PM

ERNEST WALKER BAND
Keeping The Music Alive

In a celebration of Black Music Month, Keeping the Music Alive pays tribute to legendary performers such as Aretha Franklin, Luther Vandross, Marvin Gaye, Whitney Houston, Barry White, Michael Jackson, and Prince.



July 14, 10:00 AM **ONLINE ONLY**

EXPRESS THEATRE HILLTOP FESTIVAL
Aztec Princess

Join the Aztec Princess as she tells two classic Mexican fables about making good choices, while teaching both English and Spanish vocabulary along the way.



Where Houston Takes Center Stage!

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JULY continued

July 15, 10:00 AM **ONLINE ONLY**

EXPRESS THEATRE HILLTOP FESTIVAL Rhyme & Reason

Music, dance and performance poetry presenting Black History from ancient Africa to today.



July 24, 8:30 PM

MOKSH COMMUNITY ARTS PRESENTS: Houston's Got Bollywood

Adventures in Motion Pictures is a spectacular canvas showcasing the imaginative elements of a magical life in Bollywood Movies through its music, languages, art, and cultural festivals of India, in true Bollywood Style.



July 16, 8:30 PM

Fly Dance Company

Family favorite FLY brings its unique "theatrical hip-hop," a stylish, sophisticated and humorous fusion of street dance and classical music.



July 29, 30, 31, 8:30 PM

MILLER OUTDOOR THEATRE Miller Summer Mixtape

We all know Houston has some incredible talent, and Miller is proud to present some of the hottest emerging artists from this great City. Each night will feature three new performances from up-and-coming local acts for this unforgettable three-night event.

July 17, 8:30 PM

COMMUNITY MUSIC CENTER OF HOUSTON PRESENTS: The Family Funk Festival

Bring your flashlights for hits from Parliament Funkadelic, George Clinton and other funkmasters. Featured artists are Tweed Smith formerly a member of WAR and The Storm Band featuring Vivian Mosley.



AUGUST

August 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8:30 PM

HOUSTON SHAKESPEARE FESTIVAL PRESENTS: Shakespeare Night at The Movies

For their 47th Anniversary season, HSF presents 6 curated Shakespeare films in repertory.



July 23, 8:30 PM

LIVE IN CENTRAL PARK-REVISITED James Taylor

The transcendent harmonies of Lee Lessack and Johnny Rodgers pay homage to the unique artistry and indelible music of James Taylor.

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See website for details.

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Online:

milleroutdoortheatre.com

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the box office window



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