

# THINGS TO DO

**SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 6**  
Creative Loafing



## The Book Festival of the MJCCA

TIX

Marcus Jewish Community Center of Atlanta

5342 Tilly Mill Road (Dunwoody), 12:00 PM - \$12-\$145

Clear a space on your bookshelf — the Marcus Jewish Community Center of Atlanta is hosting its 25th book festival. Peruse novels, listen to author talks, and lunch with other literature lovers to your heart's desire over 15 book-celebratory days. It's among the largest Jewish book festivals in the country with more than 40 authors and 13,000 people in attendance. Guests include "Watch What Happens: Live" host Andy Cohen, "Footloose" singer Kenny Loggins, and *Extremely Loud and Incredibly Close* scribe Jonathan Safran Foer. The festival continues with film screenings, book discussions, and tributes to Gene Wilder, Pat Conroy, and Elie Wiesel. Tickets can be purchased for individual events or the whole festival.

## Taste of Vietgie

TIX

Grand Ballroom

6100 Live Oak Parkway (Norcross), 12:00 PM - Free-\$10

Paradise awaits as 20 vendors join together to celebrate vegan and vegetarian cuisine in the style of pho, rolls, and rice. Chefs will experiment with traditional and nontraditional Vietnamese dishes as guests sample their way through healthy and nutritious options including sushi, noodles, Asian tropical fruits, and even desserts and beverages. After a few helpings, those who think they picked up a thing or two from the pros can compete in a vegetarian cooking contest. Even the kiddies can join in over at the game booths. Think green, and don't feel bad about vegging out.

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## King of Pops 6th Annual Field Day

Dad's Garage Theatre

569 Ezzard St. S.E. (Cabbagetown/Reynoldstown), 12:00 PM  
- Free

Summer isn't over, especially not with this neighborhood block party going down at the one and only Dad's Garage. Share pop love with a day full of food, games, and (omg) free pops galore. Bring the kids, bring the dog, bring grandma, and get pumped for carnival games, food trucks, live music from local artists.

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## Stevie Nicks, The Pretenders

TIX

Philips Arena

1 Philips Drive (Downtown), 7:00 PM - \$39-\$150

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## Trash Talk, Antwon, Black Noi\$e

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The Drunken Unicorn

736 Ponce de Leon Place N.E. (Poncey-Highland), 8:00 PM

Sacramento, California's Trash Talk is back on its seemingly endless tour supporting 2014's *No Peace*, with a show of teeth-gnashing speed metal and hardcore fury. Step into the pit and get a face full of the whiplash guitars and throat-bleeding screams the group unleashes with songs such as "The Hole," "Body Stuffer," and "The Great Escape." It is often said that energy cannot be destroyed — it can only change directions. Indeed vocalist Lee Spielman, bass player Spencer Pollard, and guitarists Garrett Stevenson and David Gagliardi channel the spirit of menacing '90s hardcore into a brutal assault on the audience that is as maddening as a day in the life of modern America.