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Georgetown French Market Announces Schedule of Events

16th annual springtime open-air market will feature sidewalk sales, French fare, live music & street performers

Washington, D.C. (April 9, 2019) – The [Georgetown Business Improvement District](#) (BID) announces the schedule of events for the **16th annual Georgetown French Market**—perfect for shoppers, foodies and families—on **Friday, April 26 and Saturday, April 27 from 10 am – 5 pm, and Sunday, April 28, from Noon – 5 pm**. The FREE event will be located along Wisconsin Avenue between O Street and Reservoir Road in the Book Hill section of Georgetown.

On Saturday and Sunday, the lots located on Wisconsin Avenue at P & Q Streets become community gathering spots and families are encouraged to bring the kids and enjoy live music, strolling entertainment, a photo booth, and more.

The first 250 people who stop by the Georgetown BID info tent in the TD Bank lot (1611 Wisconsin Ave NW) on both Saturday (starting at 11 am) and Sunday (starting at noon) will also receive a free, festive beret, and can enter to win tickets to Cirque du Soleil's VOLTA show. Shoppers will also receive a free Cirque du Soleil tote bag at participating stores, while supplies last.

The schedule of activities includes:

SATURDAY, APRIL 27

Live Music

11 am – 4 pm / Wisconsin Ave & P Street: Bitter Dose Combo (gypsy jazz)
11:30 am – 1:30 pm / TD Bank lot: Djangolaya (gypsy jazz)
2 pm – 4 pm / TD Bank Lot: Veronneau (French jazz)

Free Family Fun Du'Jour

Face painting, whimsical, roaming unicyclist and juggler, plus a caricature artist made possible by TD Bank.

Say Fromage!

11 am – 4 pm: Give your best smize in the photo booth, made possible by Getaround. Furry friends are welcome! Stop by the photobooth with your four-legged friend for a photo + free dog toy.

SUNDAY, APRIL 28

Live Music

Noon – 4 pm / TD Bank lot: Laissez Foure (French jazz)

Family Fun Du'Jour

Free Tunes 4 Tots music classes (12 - 12:45 pm and 1 - 1:45pm at Wisconsin Avenue & P Street), a whimsical, roaming unicyclist and juggler, face painting, plus a caricature artist made possible by TD Bank.

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More than 35 local boutiques, antique stores, restaurants, salons and galleries will display their discounted wares for up to 75% off in this inviting open-air market, evoking the outdoor markets of Paris. Neighborhood restaurants will also offer specials and French fare, including sweet and savory crepes, grilled merguez sausages, pastries and macarons.

For more information, visit www.georgetownfrenchmarketdc.com

Parking & Getting There

In true European style, visitors are encouraged to leave their cars behind and travel to Georgetown using alternate modes of transport. Take advantage of free DC Circulator bus rides up to Book Hill from K Street. Eight Capital Bikeshare Stations are also located throughout Georgetown; closest stations are at O Street at Wisconsin Avenue near the CVS and in the 1800 block of Wisconsin Avenue, across from the Georgetown Safeway. For additional transportation ideas, visit

<http://www.georgetowndc.com/visit/getting-here>.

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About the Georgetown Business Improvement District

The Georgetown Business Improvement District (BID) is a nonprofit organization dedicated to protecting and enhancing the accessibility, attractiveness and overall appeal of Georgetown. Established in 1999 by its property owners and merchants, the Georgetown BID has more than 1,000 members. The organization is located in the heart of Georgetown in Washington, D.C. and sets a standard of excellence in preserving historic charm while meeting contemporary needs. From marketing and special events, to transportation, economic development, destination management and streetscape, the Georgetown BID contributes to the vitality and quality of life in Georgetown. For more information, visit

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