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Capitol Hill Fourth of July Parade and Family Picnic

July 4, 10 AM. Dance or stroll down Eighth Street SE in this year's Fourth of July Parade, which begins at Eighth and I streets SE and ends at the Eastern Market Metro Plaza, where everyone is invited to participate in the Fourth of July Family Festival, with food, drinks, crafts, music, and activities for children. Parade lineup at 9 AM. Volunteer meeting happy hour, June 30, 6:30 PM, 207 Constitution Ave. NE. To volunteer, support and participate, call Sharon Boesen at 202-230-4588. www.tiberdc.com/4thofjuly. PHOTO Photo: ANC 6C Commissioner Anne Phelps at the Fourth of July parade on Barracks Row. By Andrew Lightman.



Summerfest in Shenandoah National Park

July 18 & 19, 11 AM-5 PM. Skyland Resort, Shenandoah National Park, Luray, Va. Bring the family – pets are welcome, too – to Skyland for Summerfest, featuring Appalachian style music, cloggers, classic cars, children's games, basket weavers, wool spinning, great food and much more. Event is free; \$15 National Park Service fee per private vehicle to enter the park. Reservations, 800-999-4714; www.visitshenandoah.com.



Fifth Annual 2009 Capital Fringe Festival

July 9-26. Approximately 120 arts groups will perform at 11 venues throughout downtown Washington for guests of all ages. There will be one-act plays, comedies, dramas, musicals, dance, puppetry, improvisation, clowns, hip-hop, jazz, poetry, mime, and more that is just simply unclassifiable. Tickets are \$15 (plus a one-time purchase of a \$5 Fringe button). 866-811-4111, www.capfringe.org. Photo: "Headscarf and the Angry Bitch" is just one of the hundreds of performances featured at this year's Capital Fringe Festival.



Washington Kastles Summer Tennis Tournament

July 7-26. City Center DC. The parking lot at 11th and H streets NW will be home to a 3,000-seat stadium for the Washington Kastles' seven home matches this month. And for the first time, the 2009 Advanta WTT Championship Finals will be played in Washington, DC, at City Center on July 26. Catch Venus Williams, Serena Williams, Anna Kournikova, John McEnroe and other tennis stars. \$25-\$65. 202-4TENNIS, www.washingtonkastles.com.



2009 Roots Music and Arts Festival

Carroll County Farm Museum, Westminster, Md. July 11 & 12. The 11th annual festival is a two-day, four-stage event, which takes place on an 80-acre farm and includes fine arts and crafts vendors, food, and live performances by musicians, dancers, spoken word artists and more. \$5-\$40. 410-857-2771, www.commongroundonthehill.com.

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