

WESTSIDE

STRIDE BLOCK PARTY

SUN, OCT 5TH from 12 to 6PM

Come experience Atlanta's biggest block party on Howell Mill Road



FREE EVENT!

LIVE MUSIC STAGES

PUMPKIN PATCH

MAKER'S MARKET

PETTING ZOO

FOOD & DRINK

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Upper Westside annual block party returns

Westside Stride, the Upper Westside's biggest celebration, is back for its third year, and it promises to be better than ever. On Sun., Oct. 5, from noon to 6 p.m., Howell Mill Road will transform into a vibrant, car-free corridor filled with music, food, and community spirit.

The Westside Stride Block Party has quickly become a beloved fall tradition, drawing thousands of visitors to explore one of Atlanta's most dynamic neighborhoods. This year's event will stretch along Howell Mill Road between 8th and 17th Streets, creating a traffic-free pedestrian paradise where families can stroll, bike, or scoot freely.

"Westside Stride is all about bringing people together to celebrate the heart of our Upper Westside community," says Adeline Collot, program director for the Upper Westside Improvement District. "From families enjoying pony rides and pumpkins to neighbors discovering local makers and restaurants, this event turns Howell Mill Road into a shared front porch for the day."

Music for every ear

The free event will feature multiple stages showcasing diverse musical acts, from local indie bands to jazz ensembles, ensuring there's a beat for every taste. Performers include the Sarah Nova Band, BOOM! Trio ft Lavahi, The Dappled Grays, and a variety of DJs. The full line-up and schedule are available at WestsideStride.org.

Family fun

Families will find plenty to keep little ones entertained, including a seasonal pumpkin patch, a petting zoo where children can meet friendly farm animals, and an array of colorful bounce houses. Meanwhile, adults can browse the bustling pop-up market, where local artists and craftspeople will display everything from handmade jewelry to unique home décor.

Explore neighborhood restaurants

Food lovers won't be disappointed either. The Upper Westside's award-winning restaurants, such as Cooks & Soldiers, Little Sparrow, and Miller Union, will offer bites and sips throughout the afternoon, giving attendees a chance to sample the neighborhood's diverse dining scene. You'll even get a chance to preview restaurants coming to the area that are not yet open like Eden by Delbar and Ghee Indian Kitchen.



Don't Miss the Pumpkin Patch!

About Upper Westside Improvement District

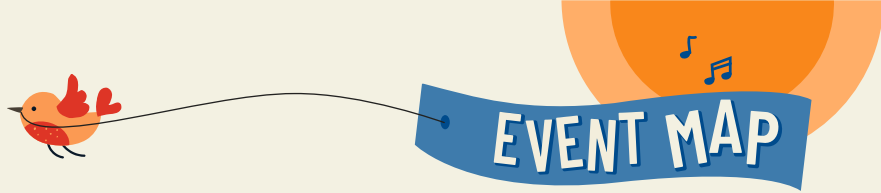
The event, presented by the Upper Westside Improvement District, aims to showcase the area's commitment to creating walkable, livable communities. Local property owners and businesses have generously sponsored the festivities, demonstrating the strong community bonds that make this district special.

For those driving to the event, ample parking is available nearby, with details at www.upperwestsideatl.org/parking. Cross streets will remain open for vehicle traffic, ensuring easy access to the festivities.

Whether you're a longtime resident or newcomer to Atlanta, the Westside Stride Block Party offers the perfect opportunity to experience the Upper Westside's unique charm, support local businesses, and enjoy a beautiful fall afternoon with neighbors and friends.



DJ STEVE





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OCTOBER 5, 2025

12 - 6PM







Petting Zoo



Bouncy House



Pumpkin Patch



Music Stages

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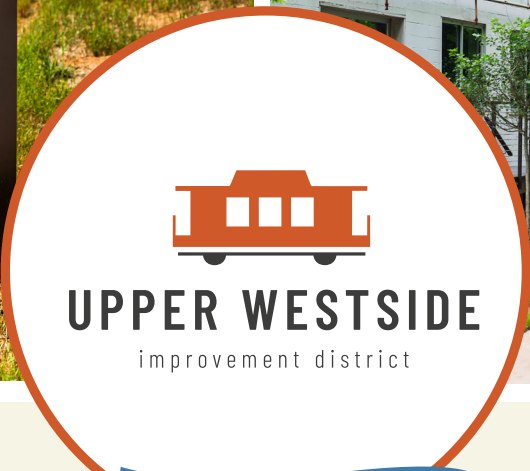
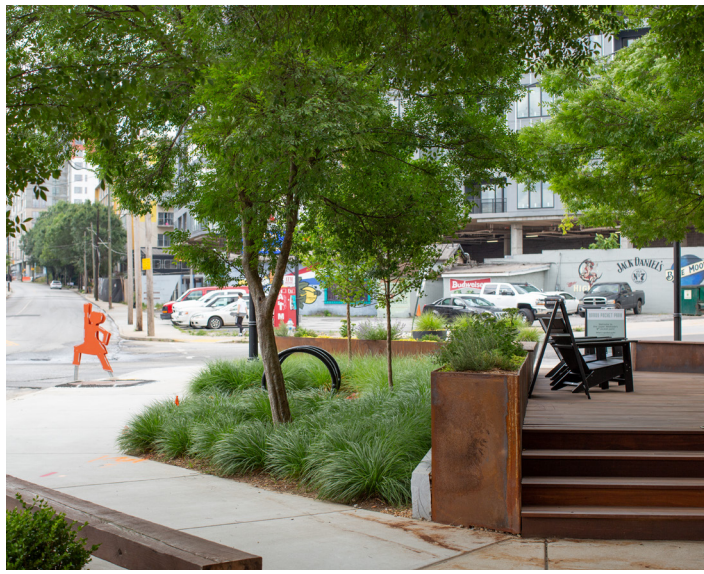


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