

## 2008 Madison Area Summer Events

- 4/19-11/1 [Madison Farmer's Market](#)
- 4/26 [Crazylegs Classic](#)
- 4/26 [Kids in the Rotunda begins](#)
- 5/3 Sun Prairie City Wide Garage Sale
- 5/4: Tickets go on sale for [Great Taste](#)
- 5/10 [Cars on State](#)
- 5/25 [Mad City Marathon](#)
- 5/23-26: [Brat Fest](#)
- 5/31: [Madison Race for the Cure](#)
- 6/3-6/29 is [Olbrich Gardens summer concerts](#), Tuesdays at 7
- 6/7 [Cows on the Concourse](#)
- 6/14 [Sun Prairie Taste of the Arts Fair](#)
- 6/14-15 [Wollersheim Winery Expansion Grand Opening](#)
- 6/20: [Badger State Games begins](#)
- 6/21 is [Strawberry Festival](#) & run/walk in Sun Prairie: 8:30am - 2pm
- 6/25-7/30 is [Concerts on the Square](#), Wednesdays at 7
- 6/26-7/6 [Summerfest](#)
- 6/28 is [Rhythm & Booms](#)
- 6/28 [Mighty Wolf Triathlon](#) in Winneconne
- 6/28-29 [Cedar Creek Winery Strawberry Festival](#)
- 6/29-8/9 [Madison Mallards](#)
- 7/12-13 is [Art Fair on the Square](#)
- 7/16-20: [Dane County Fair](#)
- 7/16-8/10 is [Olbrich Gardens' butterfly exhibit](#) from 10-4 daily
- 7/18-20 [Maxwell St. Days](#)
- 8/6 [Jazz @ 5](#) begins
- 8/9 is [Great Taste of the Midwest](#)
- 8/14-17 is [Sun Prairie Corn Fest](#)
- 8/16-17 [Wollersheim Winery Picnic Days](#)
- 8/22-24 [Middleton Good Neighbor Festival](#)
- 8/30-31 is [Taste of Madison](#)
- 9/7 [Ironman Wisconsin](#)
- 9/14: [Devil's Challenge Triathlon](#)
- 9/19-21 [Monroe Cheese Days](#)
- 9/20-21 [Annual Wine & Harvest Festival Cedar Creek Winery](#)
- 9/27 [McFarland Family Festival Triathlon](#)
- 9/30-10/4 [World Dairy Expo](#)

### **Madison Events Calendar:**

<http://www.visitmadison.com/events/calendar.php>

[http://www.madisonclick.com/dir/index.stx/Society\\_and\\_Culture/Madison\\_Events](http://www.madisonclick.com/dir/index.stx/Society_and_Culture/Madison_Events)

<http://www.ci.madison.wi.us/recTourism.html#MADISON%20EVENT%20CALENDAR>

### **Other fun summertime activities:**

- [Apple River tubing](#)
- [American Players Theater](#)
- [Arboretum walks](#)

- **Bike around the city:** Near the campus, bikes can be rented for \$7/day or \$21/ week at Budget Bicycle Center, 8 N. Charter St., (608) 251-8413. Open every day. Closer to the downtown, the Williamson Bicycle Works is located at 601 Williamson St., (608) 255-5292. They're on the bike path that goes around Lake Monona and are open every day also with rentals at \$10/day or \$50/week. In addition to the 15-mile path around the lake, there are many bike trails in the city. Ask for a map wherever you rent.
- [Bike Trails](#)
- [Canoeing](#): Thirty canoes are available for rent at the boathouse, (608) 262-7351, near the Memorial Union. The rental office is open from 11 AM to sunset daily. Cost is \$7.15 per hour, per boat, with a minimum charge of one hour and a maximum charge of three hours. Time over three hours is free. Canoes hold up to three adults. Bring your conference registration receipt or your nametag for identification.
- [Devil's Lake: Hiking & Camping](#)
- [Capital Brewery](#)
- [New Glarus Brewery](#)
- [Strawberry picking](#) (early June)
- [Union Events](#)
- [U-Pick](#)
- [WI Runs](#)
- [WI Orchards](#)
- [WI Breweries & Wineries](#)
- [Zoo](#)