

**DALLAS BLOOMS:  
A WORLD OF FLOWERS**

With its acres of green grass and colorful beds and lakefront views, the Dallas Arboretum can make people feel like they're visiting another city. But this year for the Dallas Blooms spring festival — when the grounds will feature more than 500,000 blooms, including tulips and daffodils — the arboretum folks want guests to get an international vibe. There'll be music, dancing, vendors and other cultural activities each weekend at the International Festival, and each week will focus on a different region, starting this week with France. Other recurring events include Mommy and Me Mondays, Tiny Tot Tuesdays, Arts and Culture (Wednesdays) and Beverages of the World (Thursdays).

■ Feb. 24-April 8 from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the Dallas Arboretum, 8525 Garland Road, Dallas. \$15 for adults, \$12 for seniors 65 and older, \$10 for children 3-12, free for children under 3. \$15 parking, \$9 if purchased online. On most Wednesdays, admission is buy-one, get-one-free at the gate. [dallasarboretum.org](http://dallasarboretum.org).

**PBR'S IRON COWBOY  
AND THE AMERICAN**

This weekend, AT&T Stadium — the home of the Dallas Cowboys — will host actual cowboys, plus broncobusters and other rodeo performers. On Feb. 24, about three dozen top bull riders will compete for \$100,000, the title of Iron Cowboy, and points for the Professional Bull Riders' world finals in November. Each rider will try to stay on a bucking bull for eight seconds and advance to the next round. Rounds continue until only one rider is left. Then on Feb. 25, the American will feature \$2 million in prizes split among those competing in bareback riding, steer wrestling, team roping, saddle bronc riding, tie-down roping, barrel racing and bull riding. How 'bout them cowboys.

■ PBR's Iron Cowboy is Feb. 24 at 5:50 p.m. at AT&T Stadium, 1 AT&T Way, Arlington. \$20-\$152. [pbr.com](http://pbr.com). The American is Feb. 25 at 2 p.m. also at AT&T Stadium. \$10-\$150. [americanrodeo.com](http://americanrodeo.com).

**BRUCE CAMPBELL'S  
LAST FAN STANDING**

Before the lantern-jawed horror icon's *Ash vs. Evil Dead* returns to Starz on Feb. 25, he'll host a live trivia show at Gas Monkey Live. During this fight of fandom, Campbell will sort "the geek



**Professional bull rider** Douglas Duncan hangs on tight during the 2016 Iron Cowboy to AT&T Stadium this weekend.



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**The arboretum's** Dallas Blooms spring fest, running Feb. 24-April 8, features more than 500,000 blooms.

from the weak, the nerds from the herd" with questions on fantasy, horror, science fiction and superheroes. Audience members will have clickers to answer questions during the qualifying round and win one of four spots in the onstage

round. Think you have what it takes? May the force be with you. May the odds be ever in your favor. Live long and prosper. Hail to the king, baby.

■ Feb. 23 at 8 p.m. at Gas Monkey Live, 10110 Technology Blvd. E., Dallas. \$20-\$100. [ifslive.com](http://ifslive.com).

**MARTINIS FOR MUTTS**

Sorry, Fido. You'll have to sit and stay. Only two-leggers are welcome at this shindig. Martinis for Mutts, which also benefits meows, is a nightclub fundraiser for Dallas' Paws in the City, a no-kill, volunteer-run animal rescue. Enjoy cocktails, dancing and raffles twice an hour, all while helping to save some lives.

■ Feb. 23 from 7:30 to 10:30 p.m. at Candleroom, 5039 Willis Ave., Dallas. \$30; includes one drink ticket and two raffle tickets. Valet parking is free; tips encouraged. [pawsinthecity.org](http://pawsinthecity.org).

**DALLAS WINTER BEAD  
AND JEWELRY SHOW**

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