

# Come experience Auburn's May 2, 2025 FIRST FRIDAY

For more information,  
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## 1. CAYUGA MUSEUM & SCHWEINFURTH ART CENTER

1 PM: Attend the ribbon cutting for the West End Arts Campus, funded by New York State's Downtown Revitalization Initiative. Then tour exhibitions *Made in New York 2025* and *How Did We Get Here?* by artist Werner Sun.

## 2. OFFICE OF NYS SEN. RACHEL MAY

5 – 7 PM: Stop by the Auburn Office and say hello. Need a meeting with Senator May? Come in and let's get it on the calendar.

## 3. SHEPHERD'S BREWING CO.

7 – 10 PM: Watch a performance by the Tom Petty tribute band CNY Petty Thieves.

## 4. DOUBLE PUBLIC ART UNVEILING ON WILLIAM ST.

6:30 – 7 PM: Auburn Downtown BID & East Hill Medical Center unveil *The Space Between* DRI sculpture by Audrey Iwanicki on the William Street side of the Hadley Building. Then, cross the street and unveil *Radiance of Wellness: Unifying Diversity, the Heart of a Thriving Community*, a mural/mosaic created by Jonathan Cantrell and Jesse Kline.

## 5. MOONDOG'S LOUNGE

8 – 11 PM: Enjoy live music by Los Blancos and drink specials.

## 6. THE ARMORY @ PRISON CITY PUB & BREWERY

5 PM – 7 PM: Wind down with a jazz piano bar in the speakeasy space under the pub.

## 7. REFINERY @ HILTON GARDEN INN

5 – 10 PM: Celebrate Cinco de Mayo with menu specials: flavored margaritas, Mexican street corn flatbread, and grilled swordfish with pineapple jalapeño salsa.

## 8. ROAST & TOAST

5 – 7 PM: Save \$14 when purchase two drinks (cocktail, mocktails, wine, or beer) and a charcuterie board for \$30.

## 9. AUBURN PUBLIC THEATER

7 – 9 PM: Attend Auburn Downtown BID's Flower Power fundraiser with music by Prison City Rockers. In Stage Right, enjoy light bites, cash bar, floral-themed photo backdrop, and raffles. Tickets: \$25 on Eventbrite, at door, and on <https://www.auburndowntown.org/flower-power>.

## 10. SEWARD HOUSE MUSEUM

5 – 7 PM: View an art show by artist Anne Lahr, complimentary refreshments, and exhibits in the Museum open for viewing.

## 11. EVOLVE CBD

11 AM – 7 PM: View Blotter Art prints by Steve Cerio on display & for sale. Everyone 21+ will receive a free hemp flower, while supplies last.

## 12. PHOENIX BUILDING HAVANA ROOM

5 – 7 PM: Come enjoy refreshments and conversations with Cayuga Climate Action and Citizen Action of NY. Bring and learn about polystyrene foam recycling and upcoming NYS environmental legislation.

## 13. CASE MANSION PRESBYTERIAN EVENT & RETREAT CENTER

5:30 – 7:30 PM Join us for a fascinating history lesson at the Case Mansion with guided tours.

## 14. WILLARD CHAPEL & ARTISTIC IMPRESSIONS

4 – 6 PM: Come for free tours, craft activity, and refreshments.

## 15. AUBURN DISCOUNT LIQUOR

2:30 – 5:30 PM: Join a complimentary wine and tequila tasting.

## 16. CELLAR & FOLLY WHISKEY CO.

4 – 10 PM: Take \$1 off all whiskey cocktails and receive a free cocktail when you purchase a bottle of whiskey.

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**P** Parking

1. NYS Equal Rights Heritage Center