

Every Friday the Frosty Drew Observatory opens its doors to the public for solar viewing and keeps them open well into the evening, usually until 2 or 3am if the sky's clear enough. The International Ocean Film Tour is a roaming program of documentary shorts, while The Little Mermaid is a different sort of saga under the sea. The big gala for Roger Williams Park Zoo allows visitors to "feast with the beasts", while Newport's Audrain Auto Museum opens its summer exhibition of Sweet Rides. For something completely different, Wednesday Night Knockouts is a weekly summer pinball tournament taking place in a strip mall in West Greenwich.

6/27: International Ocean Film Tour (7:30pm)

Jane Pickens Theater – 49 Touro Street, Newport // \$16

6/27: Wednesday Night Knockout (7:30pm)

RI Pinball

34 Nooseneck Hill Road #2, West Greenwich

\$10 entry / \$2 tournament play

6/27: The Little Mermaid (dusk)

Narragansett Town Beach (North Beach Clubhouse)

79 Boston Neck Road, Narragansett

6/29: Frosty Drew Observatory (6pm-2am??)

Frosty Drew Observatory

Ninigret Park – 61 Park Lane, Charlestown

6/30: Sweet Rides | Summer Fun (10am-4pm)

Audrain Auto Museum - 222 Bellevue Avenue, Newport // \$15

6/30: History and Herb Hike (1pm)

Casey Farm – 2325 Boston Neck Road, Saunderstown // \$15

6/30: Zoobilee! (7pm-11pm)

Roger Williams Park Zoo // \$125

7/1: The Roots (6pm)

Bold Point Park

555 Waterfront Drive, East Providence // \$57-\$122