



CITY OF MANCHESTER

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Gearing up for an “Eventful” weekend in Manchester, stop on by . . .

The 2010 World’s Championship Chili Cookoff will kick-off a weekend packed with activities in Manchester, New Hampshire

MANCHESTER, NH - - The City of Manchester is preparing for a weekend filled with events and activities. Manchester Mayor Ted Gatsas commented, “This will be an exciting weekend for Manchester and an opportunity to showcase all the city has to offer. I am confident we have something for everyone of any age to enjoy.”

The event schedule beginning Thursday, September 30th thru Sunday, October 3rd is as follows:

Thursday, Sept. 30 – Sunday, Oct. 3:

Ringling Bros. and Barnum & Bailey® Presents ZING ZANG ZOOM® Circus ~ For more information regarding show time and ticket prices please visit www.verizonwirelessarena.com

Friday, Oct. 1 – Sunday, Oct 3:

2010 World’s Championship Chili Cookoff ~ Tickets are \$5 per day and for more information regarding daily event times and entertainment schedule please visit www.yourmanchesternh.com/chili

Sunday, Oct 3:

2010 Fire Prevention Parade & Muster ~ Start time @ 12:00pm (noon) ~ assembly point at Elm and Webster Street. Questions regarding the event can be directed to Sandy at the Manchester Fire Department (603) 669 – 2256 x3405.

Special arrangements for parking have been made by city officials beginning on Friday, October 1st: *all on-street parking is free and parking in city controlled lots will be \$5 per day.* Lot locations can be viewed and parking permits can be purchased in advance by visiting <http://www.yourmanchesternh.com/chili/parking.aspx>