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WEEKEND

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## VELVETUNDERGROUND



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### Cheese Whiz

For the exceptionally touchy-feely, hands-on types who happen to have a hankering for cheese, Ni Do Caffè, 7295 Biscayne Blvd., is throwing the perfect party at 7 p.m. Oct. 14 and the second Wednesday of every month thereafter. You'll be able to make your own mozzarella along with executive chef Claudio Sandri, who will teach patrons how to stretch and mold curds into half-pound mozzarella balls. Those are some big balls. And you don't really need any experience other than one or



two good hands. During the \$65-per-person experience, you'll get a flute of Prosecco and a glass of red and white wine, as well as the mozz you just made along with antipasti of olives, tomatoes, cold cuts and more. Space is limited and reservations are required by calling 786-953-5120.



### Early to Bed

Although the Coconut Grove Bed Race isn't until Nov. 7, that monthlong wait is a good excuse to throw a pre-party at 6 p.m. Friday at Concrete Beach Brewery, 325 NW 24th St. You can check in under your favorite team, and they will earn an extra push on race day. In exchange, supporters attending the Road



### Last Crave

Speaking of the Grove, although it might not be what it used to be, as far as mom-and-pop shops, head shops and hippie/hipster culture, there's still booze being served there — lots of it — and to prove it, Last Crab Pub Crawl is creeping through

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