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Emerge, FreeFest, Artisphere Anniversary: HuffPost DC Top 5 For October 5, 6, 7

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TOP 5 FOR FRIDAY, OCTOBER 5

1. (e)merge Art Fair At Capitol Skyline Hotel

Go early. Go often. The space is massive, the art is quality and some performances are only scheduled for once a day. *12 p.m. to 7 p.m., all ages, \$10 to \$15, also Saturday and Sunday*

2. Jon Spencer Blues Explosion At U St Music Hall

The Blues Explosion started delivering high energy white boy blues rock more than a decade before The White Stripes and The Black Keys. Right place, wrong time. *7 p.m., all ages, \$22*

3. Story League At Black Cat

D.C.'s finest truth teller competition returns to the Black Cat Main Stage after their first sold-out show. Yes, a sold-out story telling show in a super big rock club with no official affiliation to This American Life or The Moth. Story telling may be the future of rock club entertainment. *9 p.m., all ages, \$12 to \$15*

4. James Bond Anniversary Party At Bar Dupont

It's the 50th anniversary of Bond on screen. This Dupont Circle bar is celebrating with specialty cocktails, a red carpet and an white jacket encouraged dress code. *5 p.m., 21+, no cover*

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5. Screen Vinyl Image, Nervous Curtains, Carni Klirs At SOVA

Familiarize yourself to the sound of local shoegazer. SVI is an great two-piece that sounds like you're being hit by a semi-truck. Their music isn't spooky or scary, but it would make for a great haunted house soundtrack. *9 p.m., all ages, no cover*