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Happy birthday, America!
Independence Day celebrations
in the 419 are extra special for 250

By Bret Nye, Courier

Every year in the vicinity of July 4, Findlay comes out decked in red, white and blue and congregates downtown to watch the Independence Day parade. For over a decade, after the last flag has been marched down the pavement, parade goers have enjoyed cool, sweet treats just a few blocks down West Sandusky Street at the Hancock Historical Museum's annual Ice Cream Social.



This year, in honor of the nationwide celebration of America's 250th anniversary, the museum is doing it big. "This one-time event will transform our traditional Ice Cream Social into a vibrant, inclusive 'birthday party for America,'" a release about the event says.

From noon to 2 p.m., Hancock Historical Museum is hosting "America's Birthday Bash" for the public.

This year, with help from a Findlay-Hancock County Community

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Happy 250 YEARS OF INDEPENDENCE, America!

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Foundation Fun for All grant, the museum is providing free Dietsch Brothers ice cream for all, as well as root beer floats and cupcakes to mark the occasion.

“The Hancock Historical Museum is proud to share this historic ‘birthday’ with our community,” said Abigail Inbody, Executive Director of the Hancock Historical Museum. “It’s an invitation for our community to come together, share in something simple like ice cream and cake, and connect with the many stories of what brought us here 250 years later.”



Attendees enjoy a previous 4th of July Ice Cream Social, hosted by Hancock Historical Museum. (Above: KEVIN BEAN/Courier file/

The museum campus will be free and open to the public during the event with patriotic crafts, games, live music and interactive history experiences. Night Jazz will also be performing during the event. The museum will offer expanded hours, giving visitors an opportunity to explore local history while celebrating the nation’s 250th birthday.

The gift shop will have commemorative mugs, hats and T-shirts available. Everyone is welcome to attend the festivities.

The Findlay 4th of July Parade itself begins at 11 a.m. on South Main Street at the intersection of Baldwin Avenue, then travels north and ends at the Hancock County Veterans

Memorial, at the intersection of West Main Cross Street (Ohio 12) and Dorney Plaza, by the Hancock County Courthouse.

On Friday, July 3, Findlay will host Lighting Up The Sky, its annual Independence Day fireworks show, at the Hancock County Fairgrounds, 1017 E. Sandusky St. At 4 p.m., before the fireworks take off, kids’ activities, live music, food vendors and more will be at the ready.

Plenty of celebration to go around

If you’re looking to go elsewhere in the 419 to celebrate America’s 250th anniversary on July 4, a list of other events in the region follows.

Wyanstock 2026:

July 3-4, Wyandot County Fairgrounds, 10171 Ohio 53, Upper Sandusky. This event offers a taste of local live bands, food, craft brews, wines and arts. Wyanstock offers two days of continuous live music on two stages, and options for camping both nights.

Tiffin 4th of July Celebration:

July 4, all day with fireworks at dusk, Hedges-Boyer Park, 491 Coe St. Food, music and all kinds of fun will be available before the big show.

Fostoria Independence Celebration:

July 4, all day with fireworks at dusk, Foundation Park, 1225 S. Union St. Music, food, booths and lots for the kids to do while you prepare for the fireworks.

Fireworks on the Water:

July 4, 4 p.m. to midnight, Gilboa Quarry, 3763 Old State Route

224, Ottawa. Food vendors, house music, craft beer, ice cream and fun for the kids. Fireworks will be set off over the quarry about 9:30 p.m. Bring a lawn chair!



Fun was had by all at a previous July 4th Ice Cream Social.

BG BOOM Festival and Fireworks:

July 3, festivities from 4-9 p.m. and fireworks shortly after that, Wood County Fairgrounds, 13800 W. Poe Rd., Bowling Green. Admission to Bowling Green’s 5th annual BG BOOM extravaganza is free for all. Enjoy games, inflatables, food trucks and live music in the afternoon before the show.



A father and daughter enjoying a previous July 4th Ice Cream Social.

Toledo Fireworks in the 419 Celebration:

July 4, 5:30-11 p.m., Maumee Riverfront and Promenade Park, Toledo. A festival area will be set up with many activities and food and drink in Promenade Park, and local music will set the mood before fireworks along the riverfront at dark.



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JULY/AUGUST CLASSES [Register at www.findlayartleague.org](http://www.findlayartleague.org)

- Youth Pottery, Ages 9-17-Saturdays, 9-10:30 am Wheel, 10:30-noon Glazing, July 11, 18, 25;**
 Tuition: \$150, all materials provided, all skill levels welcome. Instructor: Cindy Meadows
- FREE "Family Fun" class sponsored by the Findlay/Hancock County Community Foundation
Hand-building Clay Class-Gingerbread Person-Saturday, 1:00-3:00 pm, July 11; all materials provided, all skill levels welcome. Instructor: Cindy Meadows
- Beach Acrylic Pour Workshop-Friday, 6-7:30 pm, July 17;** Tuition: \$70, all materials provided, all skill levels welcome (15+). Instructor: Thomas Craley
- Parent & Child (or 2 Adults) "Play-in-Clay" Wheel Throwing-Saturday, 1:00-3:00 pm, July 18;**
 Tuition: \$100 (for two), all materials provided, all skill levels welcome. Instructor: Cindy Meadows
- Colored Pencil Drawing: Barn - Saturday, 9am-1pm, July 25,** Tuition: \$45, some supplies required (see online class listing for details), all skill levels welcome (15+). Instructor: Mike Fink
- FREE "Family Fun" class sponsored by the Findlay/Hancock County Community Foundation
Sgraffito Plaque or Trivet- Saturday, arrive anytime between 1-3 pm, July 25, all materials provided, all skill levels welcome. Instructor: Cindy Meadows
- FREE "Family Fun" class sponsored by the Findlay/Hancock County Community Foundation
Watercolor-Whimsical Owl- Saturday, 1:00-2:00, OR 2:30-3:30 pm, July 25, all materials provided, all skill levels welcome (10+). Instructor: Jennifer Doyle
- Beginning Pottery Wheel Throwing-Wednesdays, 7:00-9:00 pm, August 5, 12, 19, 26, September 9;**
 Tuition: \$180, all materials provided, all skill levels welcome (18+). Instructor: Marcie Allen
- Beginning Pottery Wheel Throwing-Thursdays, 7:00-9:00 pm, August 6, 13, 20, 27, September 10;**
 Tuition: \$180, all materials provided, all skill levels welcome (18+). Instructor: Marcie Allen
- Colored Pencil Drawing: Blue Jay - Saturday, 9am-1pm, August 8,** Tuition: \$45, some supplies required (see online class listing for details), all skill levels welcome (15+). Instructor: Mike Fink
- Youth Pottery, Ages 9-17-Saturdays, 9-10:30 am Wheel, 10:30-noon Glazing, August 8, 15, 22;**
 Tuition: \$150, all materials provided, all skill levels welcome. Instructor: Cindy Meadows
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Hand-building Clay Class-Ugly Sweater-Saturday, arrive anytime between 1:00-3:00 pm, August 8; all materials provided, all skill levels welcome. Instructor: Cindy Meadows
- Parent & Child (or 2 Adults) "Play-in-Clay" Wheel Throwing-Saturday, 1:00-3:00 pm, August 15;**
 Tuition: \$100 (for two), all materials provided, all skill levels welcome. Instructor: Cindy Meadows
- FREE "Family Fun" class sponsored by the Findlay/Hancock County Community Foundation
Hand-building Clay Class-Oak Leaf-Saturday, arrive anytime between 1:00-3:00 pm, August 22; all materials provided, all skill levels welcome. Instructor: Cindy Meadows
- FREE "Family Fun" class sponsored by the Findlay/Hancock County Community Foundation
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JULY



LOCAL EVENT CALENDAR



JULY 4



FOURTH OF JULY PARADE

Downtown Findlay

Celebrate America from 11 am - 12 pm

Celebrate Independence Day in Flag City, USA at Findlay's annual Fourth of July Parade. The parade begins at S. Main St. and Baldwin Ave., travels through downtown, and ends at the Hancock County War Memorial. Enjoy a festive lineup of floats, marching bands, and community groups. Families are invited to take part—kids can decorate their bikes and join a special bike parade before the main event.

JULY 4



ICE CREAM SOCIAL

Hancock Historical Museum 422 W. Sandusky St, Findlay

America's Birthday Bash is from 12 - 2 pm

Celebrate America's 250th birthday at this free community event following the Flag City 4th of July Parade! Enjoy free Dietsch's ice cream, root beer floats, birthday cake, live music, patriotic crafts, games, interactive history activities, a community sing-along, and ceremonial cake cutting. Museum open with free admission and family-friendly activities. America 250 commemorative merchandise available.

JULY 11

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Riverside Park 231 McManness Avenue, Findlay

Enjoy a Polish American Concert Band at 7 pm

Enjoy a summer tradition with the Polish American Concert Band, presented by Marathon Center for the Performing Arts! This free concert series features talented civic and community bands performing at the Allen P. Dudley Memorial Bandshell in Riverside Park, Findlay.



MCCOMB COOKIE FESTIVAL

McComb Community Park 159 S. Park Dr, McComb

The milestone weekend fun begins at 4 pm

Celebrate 20 years of sweet fun at the McComb Cookie Festival! Kick off the weekend Friday with great food, live music, and community spirit. Saturday features a 5K, car show, fishing derby, Cookie Stroll, contests, games, and the debut of The Big Bite, where participants will attempt to set a new world record for the most people biting into a cookie at the same time!



CITY MISSION'S 6TH ANNUAL JUBILEE

Hancock County Fairgrounds 1017 E Sandusky St, Findlay

The party is from 4-7 pm

City Mission's 6th Annual Jubilee is at the Legacy Pavilion at the Hancock County Fairgrounds! Enjoy bounce houses, face painting, raffle baskets, a T-shirt bar, and more. Tickets support City Mission programs that provide hope, shelter, meals, and encouragement to neighbors in need. Bring the whole family for a fun-filled evening for a great cause!



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Safety first at the beach



When the sun is shining and the temperature is warm, a day at the beach can be the perfect balm for whatever ails you. Is it any wonder that so many vacations or day-long excursions revolve around spending time at the shore?

Although a beach excursion can be the ideal way to rest and recharge, individuals should be mindful that there is the potential for some danger. Safety is essential when visiting coastal locations. The following are some safety hazards to keep in mind and how to navigate them.

Rip currents

Rip currents are powerful, channeled currents of water that flow away from the shore. The National Oceanic Atmospheric Administration notes rip currents can occur at any beach. Lifeguards call rip currents “drowning machines” since they are implicated in most water rescues. They are very dangerous for weak or non-swimmers because they can pull people away from the shore rapidly. If a person gets caught in a rip current, it is important to swim parallel to the shore until escaping the current. Only then can the person try to get back to the beach.

Hookworms

There is a reason why companion animals may not be allowed on the beach during the swimming season. The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention says hookworm is a parasitic infection contracted when larvae in sand or soil contaminated by animal feces burrow into exposed skin. It is common in moist, warm climates. Keeping cats and dogs away from the beach, wearing sandals, and using beach mats or towels when on the sand can help prevent hookworm contraction.

Jellyfish

Jellyfish can be a wonder to behold, but crossing paths with a jellyfish can be a painful experience. The National History Museum says jellyfish have survived for more than 500 million years. These invertebrates are gelatinous and jelly-like, with a curved, bell-shaped body

with tentacles hanging down. The tentacles can be covered in stinging cells called cnidocytes. Beach-goers should heed warnings about jellyfish in the water, but also be mindful of ones washed up as they can still sting if the tentacles are wet.

Sand fleas

Despite the word “flea” in the moniker, sand fleas are not insects or parasites. Terminix says they are small, shrimp-like crustaceans. While sand fleas do not seek out people to bite them, certain species can leave itchy, red welts if they come into prolonged contact with the skin. This may be more pronounced for women or girls when sand fleas become trapped between swimsuits and the skin. Sand fleas are more active during cooler, low-light periods like early morning or evening.

Beach debris

Glass beverage containers should not be brought to the beach, as there is the risk of breakage and shards becoming left behind. Cuts from broken bottles can lead to infection. Beach-goers also need to be mindful of other debris that can wash up on the beach, particularly after strong storms. Unfortunately, medical waste, trash, and drug paraphernalia can wash up on the shore. Wearing sandals or water-safe shoes can protect feet.

A carefree day at the beach is a staple of summertime. However, people must be mindful of potential hazards when enjoying a day at the beach.

Hip-hip-hooray!

Vacation Bible School is on the way.



The sun is shining, the kids are out of school and churches throughout the area are preparing for their annual Vacation Bible Schools. Following is a list of Vacation Bible Schools. Mark your calendars and make sure your child doesn't miss out on the fun!

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20th-25th	Crawford County Fair (Bucyrus)	crawfordcocountyfair.com
26th-Aug 2nd	Seneca County Fair (Tiffin)	senecacountyfair.org
29th-Aug 9th	Ohio State Fair (Columbus)	ohiostatefair.com

AUGUST

2nd-8th	Auglaize County Fair (Wapakoneta)	auglaizecountyfair.org
2nd-9th	Wood County Fair (Bowling Green)	woodcounty-fair.com
9th-15th	Richland County Fair (Mansfield)	richlandcountyfair.com
10th-16th	Erie County Fair (Sandusky)	eriefair.com
13th-19th	Mercer County Fair (Celina)	mercercountyfair.com
13th-20th	Henry County Fair (Napoleon)	henrycountyfair.org
16th-22nd	Huron County Fair (Norwalk)	huroncountyfair.com
21st-29th	Allen County Fair (Lima)	allencofair.com
22nd-29th	Defiance County Fair (Hicksville)	defiancecofair.com
24th-30th	Sandusky County Fair (Fremont)	sanduskycountyfair.com
31st-Sep 7th	Morrow County Fair (Mt Gilead)	morrowcountyfair.org

SEPTEMBER

1st-7th	Van Wert County Fair (Van Wert)	vanwertcountyfair.com
1st-7th	Hancock County Fair (Findlay)	hancockcountyfairgrounds.org
4th-10th	Fulton County Fair (Wauseon)	fultoncountyfair.com
8th-13th	Hardin County Fair (Kenton)	hardincountyfair.org
12th-19th	Williams County Fair (Montpelier)	wcofair.com
14th-19th	Wyandot County Fair (Upper Sandusky)	thewyandotcountyfair.com
20th-26th	Ashland County Fair (Ashland)	ashlandcountyfair.org

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How to tell bees, hornets and wasps apart



People who spend any measurable amount of time outdoors likely have crossed paths with various flying insects that cohabitate in a typical yard. Some of the most ardent pollinators and pest control agents also have the potential to be dangerous if provoked. While most bees, wasps and hornets are content to go about their business, their stingers can make these insects

formidable foes, particularly to those who are allergic.

According to The Best Bees Company, there are more than 20,000 known species of bees and more than 100,000 known species of wasps worldwide. Those who don't want to get too up close and personal with stinging insects may not know how to tell the different

types apart. Bees, wasps and hornets are distinguished by their behavior, waist and body texture.

Bees: If it has a fuzzy body, it's a bee. Bees tend to be non-aggressive and may be carrying pollen on their backs. They also live in wax hives. You'll likely see bees flitting from one flower to another in the warmer weather. Honeybees will die after one sting but bumblebees and carpenter bees have smooth stingers that will not get stuck, enabling them to sting again.

Wasps: Wasps are stinging insects which can be social or solitary. Wasps have smooth, shiny bodies and narrow waists. They can be bright black and yellow or black and white. Wasps can sting repeatedly but they may not always be aggressive; it depends on the species. Yellowjackets are a type of wasp. They are sensitive to threats and not afraid to use their stingers. Another way to distinguish wasps

from bees is that wasps hang their legs down while flying and bees keep them tucked in.

Hornets: Hornets are wasps and tend to be social in nature. They only construct paper nests and can be more aggressive than other types of wasps. The Old Farmer's Almanac says hornets can be highly defensive with more painful stings, and also may be larger and rounder in size than other wasps. In the United States, the one true hornet species is the European hornet, which nest in trees.

It's impossible to avoid bees and wasps entirely, but individuals can be mindful of where they are making their nests. As these insects are important to the ecosystem, it's key not to exterminate them haphazardly. If a nest is problematic, it's best to have a professional come and relocate or remove it safely.

Perks of local honey



Whether one places a dollop in tea or drizzles some in a yogurt smoothie, honey is the sweet finish that can make various foods and beverages taste that much better. In fact, honey is perhaps Mother Nature's most natural sweetener.

While honey in any form can provide

its share of healthy offerings, raw honey - which is unprocessed and taken straight from a honeycomb - may be even healthier than the alternatives. According to a 2019 report in Medical News Today, some people believe that processing honey, which often involves pasteurization, removes many of its natural beneficial elements. But honey taken straight from the beehive contains bee pollen, bee propolis and scores of antioxidants.

Individuals interested in trying raw, local honey should consider buying it from a trusted local producer. For those who need more convincing, the following are five beneficial properties of raw honey.

1. Antioxidants: Raw honey contains plant chemicals that act as antioxidants. Healthline says some types of honey have as many antioxidants as fruits and

vegetables, which can protect the body from free radicals that damage cells.

2. Antimicrobial/antifungal properties: Raw honey has antimicrobial properties that could kill certain bacteria, says the Carolina Farm Stewardship Association. That is perhaps why honey long has been used as a natural salve for wounds. Honey can soothe a sore throat, and it also can attack bacteria in the throat responsible for certain illnesses.

3. Allergy relief: Raw, local honey is made from local flowers and flowering plants. By ingesting raw, local honey regularly, a person is taking in small, manageable doses of allergens from their area, which can help build up an immunity to these allergens over time.

4. Digestive relief: Raw honey has been studied for use in

treatment for *H. pylori* bacteria, a common cause of stomach ulcers. Honey contains prebiotics, which nourish good bacteria that live in the gut.

5. Brain health: A 2017 study published in the journal *Pharmacognosy Research* found ingredients of honey have anti-inflammatory properties that may help fight inflammation in an area of the brain called the hippocampus, which is responsible for memory.

Raw, local honey can help protect the environment because the public has a vested interest in maintaining natural spaces and healthy bee populations. Raw, local honey is available from various vendors, notably small operations at farmers markets who take quality control seriously.

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- Best BBQ
- Best Breakfast
- Best Burger
- Best Coffee
- Best Deli
- Best Donuts
- Best Fast Food
- Best Fish
- Best Food Truck
- Best French Fries
- Best Ice Cream
- Best Italian Food
- Best Meat Shop
- Best Mexican Food
- Best Patio
- Best Pizza
- Best Place To Eat With Kids
- Best Ribs
- Best Salad
- Best Sandwiches
- Best Seafood
- Best Steaks
- Best Subs
- Best Sushi
- Best Tacos
- Best Wings/Boneless

Health & Wellness

- Best Golf
- Best Health & Fitness Center
- Best Hearing Aid Center
- Best Martial Arts Studio
- Best Massage

Pets

- Best Boarding
- Best Dog Training
- Best Pet Grooming Services
- Best Pet Supplies
- Best Pet-Friendly Business
- Best Veterinary Office

Home Care & Services

- Best Appliance Store
- Best Asphalt Company
- Best Carpet Cleaning Company
- Best Concrete Company
- Best Construction Company
- Best Deck & Fencing Company
- Best Electrical Company
- Best Flooring Company
- Best Heating/AC Company
- Best Home Builder
- Best Home Improvement Center
- Best Landscaping Company
- Best Lawn Care Services
- Best Paint Store
- Best Pest Control Company
- Best Plumbing Company
- Best Roofing Company

Professional & Life Services

- Best Bank
- Best Child Care Center
- Best Credit Union
- Best Customer Service
- Best Funeral Home
- Best Hotel
- Best Insurance Agency
- Best Law Firm
- Best Mortgage Services
- Best Nonprofit
- Best Place to Work
- Best Professional Photographer
- Best Real Estate Office
- Best Realtor
- Best Senior or Assisted Living Facility
- Best Service Club
- Best Tax Prep Services

Shopping

- Best Bedding & Mattress Store
- Best Clothing Store
- Best Collectibles Store
- Best Farm Supply Store
- Best Floral Shop
- Best Furniture Store
- Best Garden Center
- Best Gift Shop
- Best Grocery Store
- Best Hobby Store
- Best Jewelry Store
- Best Local Store
- Best Outdoor Furniture Store
- Best Shoe Store
- Best Sporting Goods Store
- Best Thrift/Resell Store

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July 4th Spectacular



Flag City Fourth of July Parade



HMM Ice Cream Social

Celebrate Independence Day in Flag City USA!

July 3

July 4th Spectacular • Hancock Co. Fairgrounds

Presented by the Hancock County Agricultural Society, look forward to a full day of fun with a 5K, Car Show, Kids Zone, Concert, and, of course, a Spectacular Fireworks Show!

July 4

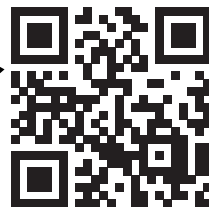
Flag City Fourth of July Parade • Downtown Findlay, 11 a.m.

Taking place from South Main at Lima Ave. and running north to the Hancock County War Memorial, there is no better way to kick off your July 4th than in Flag City USA!

Ice Cream Social • Hancock Historical Museum, Noon - 2 p.m.

After the parade enjoy ice cream on the front porch of the historic Hull-Flater House!

Plus, don't miss our village fireworks celebrations, get your holiday BBQ supplies fresh from the Hancock County Farmers' Market, take in a Sluggers game, and enjoy even more fun in Findlay and Hancock County! Get all the details on these events and more at VisitFindlay.com/Fourth



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