

News & Updates from Heritage Montgomery

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Upcoming Events

Go Birding!

All Summer Long throughout Montgomery County

It's Join the Montgomery Bird Club at some of Montgomery County's top birding spots. Visit their website <u>here</u> to find the best spots in the county, resources, and more. **Free.**

Walk This Way Art Experience

All Month Long at Little Bennett Regional Park

Slow down and connect with the natural elements surrounding the Kingsley Trail through play, observation, and appreciation with this newly-installed art experience on the one-mile trail.

Pontoon Tours

July 2nd, 11-noon at Seneca Creek State Park

Take a relaxing 45-minute boat ride on the "Blue Heron." Learn about the history of the area and search for wildlife who call Clopper Lake home.

SummerFest

July 2nd, 6-11:30 pm at Bohrer Park

Celebrate America's independence with friends and family at SummerFest, Gaithersburg's illuminating summer festival on the expansive grounds of Bohrer Park at Summit Hall Farm. The free event takes place on Saturday, July 2, 2022, from 6 to 11:30 p.m. and features live music, food trucks and local breweries, and family-friendly activities, all leading up to a spectacular fireworks display and SummerGlo After Party.

Poolesville 4th of July Fireworks

July 4th, 5:00 pm at the Poolesville Soccer Fields

Stop by the soccer fields at Hughes Road and Sugarland for a great fireworks show! Including, new food trucks, music by Jeff Carmella, Ben & Jerry's Ice Cream, Big Greek Cafe Truck, Corned Beef King, Flip Side Gastro, Rosies Funnel Cakes, Grandma's Kona Ice, Local Churches, and more to come!

Germantown Glory

A July 4th, 7:00 pm at the South Germantown Recreational Park

Germantown Glorywill kick off on July 4 at 7 p.m. with a concert by Quiet Fire, a soul, rhythm and blues and rock band that covers hits from the 1960s, 70s and 80s. The fireworks display will begin at approximately 9:15 p.m. The timing of the fireworks shows may change due to weather conditions. Low lawn chairs, blankets and coolers are welcome. There will be food vendors.

Rockville Independence Day Celebration

All July 4th, 7:00-10:00 pm at Mattie Stepanek Park

Rockville's Independence Day Celebration is held annually at Mattie J.T. Stepanek Park in King Farm. This location offers wonderful spectator viewing and ample and convenient parking for the 4th of July festivities. Enjoy live music by Vertigo Red and a 20-minute fireworks display.

Freaky Friday Unwind Hike

July 8th, 6-7pm at Seneca Creek State Park

What better way to leave the work week behind than a walk in the woods with an enthusiastic naturalist? Join volunteer ranger Bonnie for a 1.5-2.5 mile round-trip hike with lots of stops to observe odd plants, learn about interesting insects and listen to bird songs. Please bring water and footwear for possibly muddy trails.

Maryland Beer, Wine, and Spirits Festival

All July 9th, noon-5:00pm at the Montgomery County Fairgrounds

Come stroll the Montgomery County Fairgrounds while exploring and sampling local beer, wine, and spirits from dozens of local makers. Be sure to check out the featured cider and mead producers showcasing their innovative and unique products. Live music and an assortment of awesome food trucks round out this fun, all-local festival.







Heritage Montgomery is dedicated to the mission of preserving and promoting local history, culture, and distinctive natural areas, and fostering stewardship and economic development in Montgomery County, Maryland.

The economic impact of Heritage Montgomery is \$376.1 million annually.

The employment impact of Heritage Montgomery is 5,327 jobs supported and sustained.

Heritage Montgomery is one of 13 state-certified heritage areas in Maryland.

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