

Summer 2023— Free and Low Cost Activities

Hancock County Public Library Summer Reading Program

June 1 - August 1

Programs for children, teens, and adults

Performers, school-aged programs, and storytimes available in June and July

All programs are free

For more information, please call (317) 462-5141 ext. 238

or visit online at www.hcplibrary.org

VIP Legacy 9 Cinemas

Free Family Film Festival
Wednesdays and Thursdays at 10:00 a.m.

Doors open at 9:30am

June 7 through August 10

(317) 462-2006

Legacy@vipcinemas.com

June 7 & 8 - PETS

June 14 & 15 - Abominable

June 21 & 22 - Cloudy with a Chance of Meatballs 2

June 28 & 29 - Puss & Boots

July 5 & 6 - Trolls World Tour

July 12 & 13 - Hotel Transylvania 3

July 19 & 20 - Minions: The Rise of Gru

July 26 & 27 - The Lego Movie

August 2 & 3 - Dragon 3D

August 9 & 10 - Sing 2

Planet Fitness

1707 Melody Lane, Greenfield 317-467-8200

FREE High School Summer Pass

May 15 through Aug. 15

Ages 14-19

Ivy Tech Community College

Free Summer Courses

For students in grades 9-12

Student who qualify will receive free tuition and textbooks

No limit on the number of courses

Student must be Indiana residents at any high school, including 8th graders entering 9th grade, graduating seniors, homeschool students, and students at adult high schools

Info. available at

ivytech.edu/programs/special-programs-for-students/high-school-programs/free-summer-classes-for-high-schools-students

KINDERGARTEN 101

Kindergarten 101, a free one-week program, will be held July 17-21 for incoming Greenfield-Central kindergarteners starting the 2023-24 school year. Students will learn about daily reading, morning meetings, small group activities, recess, and lunch. A morning session and an afternoon session is available. The program is sponsored by Purdue Extension of Hancock County and is held at JB Stephens Elementary school. For questions, contact Mandy Gray at gray89@purdue.edu or call 317-462-1113.

Registration is due May 25 at bit.ly/2023K101gc.

Kathy Dowling Aquatic Center

Free Swim

Sundays, 5:00-7:00pm

Daily rate and pool passes also available

May 29th - July 31st

12:00-7:00pm

Children age 10 and under MUST be accompanied by someone age 16 or older

Pool, waterslide, play structure

(317) 477-4340

<https://www.greenfieldin.org/parks/general-info/173-riley-pool>

Additional Days and Hours TBA

All information subject to change

Splash Pad

Memorial Day until Labor Day (weather dependent)
9:00am - 9:00pm
Free for residents and non-residents

Greenfield Parks and Recreation Dept.

All city parks and Pennsy Trail are free of charge to play and walk
Dawn to Dusk
Some facility rentals available
(317) 477-4340

Summer Movie Series

All movies begin at dusk

Saturday, June 24 @ Depot Street Park, movie - *Lightyear*
Thursday, July 13 @ Kathy Dowling Aquatic Center Pool, movie - *Moana*
Saturday, July 29 @ Depot Street Park, movie - *Trolls*
Saturday, August 19 @ Brandywine Park, movie - *Kicking and Screaming*
Saturday, September 16 @ Beckenholdt Park, movie - *Grease*
Friday, October 13 @ H.J. Ricks Centre for the Arts, movie - *The Addams Family (1991)*

Entertainment @ Depot Street Park

251 Depot St., Greenfield
Friday evenings
June 9, June 23, July 14, July 28, August 11, August 25
Opening Act @ 6PM followed by headliner at 7PM
FREE
Bring lawn chairs or blankets for seating
Non-alcoholic beverages and food permitted

Live @ the Rails

251 Depot St., Greenfield
Saturday night outdoor concert series
June 17, July 22, Aug. 12, Aug. 26, Sept. 9, Sept. 23
5:00pm - games
6:00pm - opening act

8:00pm - headlining performance

FREE

Refreshments available for purchase
Small coolers allowed for children and specific dietary needs
Portable restrooms available
<https://parks.greenfieldin.org>

Pennsy Trail Art Fair and Music Festival

July 29, 9am-5pm

Free Admission

At the Courthouse Plaza and American Legion Place
Mental Health Partners of Hancock County
317-462-2877

Bentley's Buddies and Friends

707 N State Street
Greenfield, IN 46140
317-604-7309 or 317-318-2230

Sit Stay Read Summer Camp
June 12-15, 9am-12pm

June 12 - grades K-2 - "Can I be Your Pet"
June 13 - grades 3-8 - "You Think You Want to be a Florist?"
June 14 - grades K-2 - "I Want to be a Vet"
June 15 - grades 3-8 - "Maya and the Stage Fright"

**Pre-registration required @ bentleysbuddiesandfriends@email.com
15 "campers" per session**

New Palestine's Music on Depot

July 22, August 26, Sept. 23
11 E. Main St., New Palestine, IN
Event area open at 6:00pm, with music at 7:00pm

New Palestine Summer Fest

June 23-24
11 E. Main St., New Palestine, IN
Free Admission
Music, Food,
Vendors (Saturday only)

Fortville Summerfest

Saturday, July 8
10:00am-10:00pm

Fireworks, food trucks, vendors and a lot of other things happening in Fortville for their 2023 Summerfest!

Sugar Creek Twp. Fire Prevention and Life Safety Open House

Sugar Creek Township Fire Station #45
3545 S. 600 W., New Palestine
September 23
10am-2pm

Safety trailer, fire department demonstrations, and interactive activities

Family Fun Summer Series

Hosted by Hancock4Kids

June 10th

Kids' Dash begins at 9:45am and 5K starts @ 10:00am
Hancock County Courthouse Plaza

Kids' Dash (through 1st grade) - Free Registration
5K Youth Participants (through grade 12) - \$25
5K Adult Participants - \$40

Free registration for law enforcement, EMT, firefighters, military, healthcare workers, and educators
Registration info @ www.Hancock4Kids.org

All families are welcome to come meet superheroes and participate in free activities, crafts, music, and demonstrations

July 13th

6pm - 8pm

Picnic in the Park

Riley Park Pavilion (by the sledding hill)

Food, games, fun, and giveaways

Hancock County Community Night
July 19, 5:00 - 8:00pm
Hancock County Fairgrounds, 620 Apple St.,

Sheriff's Department, Greenfield Police, and Fire Department demonstrations -- SWAT, K9, Hazardous Materials Response, vehicle extrication, smoke houses, car seat safety checks, and more.

Bounce houses, raffle giveaways, free food. free school supplies and backpacks.

Hancock County Teen Police Academy

June 5-9, 2023 8:00am-4:00pm Lunch provided

Held at Greenfield-Central High School

810 N. Broadway, Greenfield

FREE for Hancock County residents

Applicants must be 14-17 years of age and have no criminal record

Applications may be submitted through the Hancock County Sheriff's Office website

<https://sheriffweb.hancockcoingov.org/> or

The Greenfield Police Dept. website

www.greenfieldin.org/government/police-department

from April 10- May 10, 2023

For further information, contact Capt. Bridget Foy at 317-477-1147

**The Indianapolis Children's Museum &
The Riley Children's Health Sports Legends Experience**

3000 North Meridian St., Indianapolis

First Thursday of each month from 4:00-8:00pm

\$6 per person

Youth under the age of 18 must be accompanied by an adult

Limited capacity --- Online and advance tickets are encouraged

(317) 334-4000 or 1-800-820-6214

<https://www.childrensmuseum.org/>

Hancock County 4-H fair

June 23 -June 30, 2023

Free general admission

<http://yourhancockfairgrounds.com/>

Newfields Art Museum

First Thursday of each month, 11:00am-8:00pm
Free general admission Advance tickets are required

discovernewfields.org/visit

FREE

Indianapolis

Soldiers and Sailors Monument
Indiana State Police Museum, 8660 E. 21st. St.
Indiana War Memorial Museum, 55 E. Michigan St.
Indiana War Memorial Plaza Historic District
Virginia B. Fairbanks Art and Nature Park, 1850 W. 38th St.

ACTIVE DUTY MILITARY PERSONNEL AND THEIR FAMILIES RECEIVE FREE ADMISSION TO MANY MUSEUMS DURING THE MONTHS OF JUNE, JULY, AND AUGUST. CHECK ADMISSION INFORMATION FOR INDIVIDUAL MUSEUMS

Concerts on the Canal Indianapolis

Eugene and Marilyn Glick Indiana History Center
450 West Ohio St., Indianapolis

June 1, 8, 15, 22, 29 and July 13, 20, 27
6:00-8:00pm

Guests can bring their own chair or blanket and sit on the grassy areas along the Central Canal

Free parking at the History Center is on a first-come basis

The History Center offers free admission, 10am-6pm,
on concert Thursdays

Indianapolis cultural institutions are proud to join forces to make fun family learning more accessible. Families that meet the requirements listed below can visit all participating locations for just \$2 per family member per visit, for up to two adults and

dependent youth living in the household. Some special events and exhibits may not be included.

Indiana residents actively enrolled in these programs qualify:

- Commodity Supplemental Food Program (CSFP)
- Healthy Indiana Plan (Basic and Plus)
- Hoosier Healthwise Insurance
- Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) and Hoosier Works
- Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)

Participating Locations

Newfields
Crispus Attucks Museum
Indianapolis Ballet
Ft. Wayne Museum of Art
NCAA Hall of Champions
Rhythm! Discovery Center
Indiana Historical Society
Indiana Repertory Theatre
Terre Haute Children's Museum
Indianapolis Motor Speedway Museum
The Children's Museum of Indianapolis
Conner Prairie Interactive History Park
Indiana State Museum and Historic Sites
Bellaboo's: A Children's Play & Discovery Center
Eiteljorg Museum of American Indians and Western Art
WonderLab Museum of Science, Health, and Technology in Bloomington

Application information is available at: [Access Pass Program](#)

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