

SUMMER EVENT SCHEDULE



LIVE MUSIC

'Music Mania Mondays' in Town of Niagara

The Town of Niagara has announced its concert schedule for "Music Mania Mondays." Events are held each Monday night at Veteran's Memorial Community Park, 7000 Lockport Road.

- June 29 – 6 p.m. Hit and Run // 7:30 p.m. Hotel California (Eagles tribute)
- July 5 (Independence Day celebration) – 2 p.m. Impact // 4 p.m. Past masters (The Beatles tribute) // 6 p.m. The Thurman Brothers Band // 8 p.m. JJ Swing
- July 13 – 6 p.m. Everyday People // 7:30 p.m. Journey ESC4P3
- July 20 – 6 p.m. The A-List Band // 7:30 p.m.

Nerds Gone Wild

- July 27 – 6 p.m. Voyagr // 7:30 p.m. JB Aaron
- Aug. 3 – 6 p.m. Apple Jack // 7:30 p.m. Night Fever (Bee Gees tribute)
- Aug. 10 – 6 p.m. Seventh Sign // 7:30 p.m. Gypsy Queen (Heart Fleetwood Mac tribute)
- Aug. 17 – 6 p.m. Flipside // 7:30 p.m. ABBAmania (ABBA tribute)

All concert artists, dates and times are subject to change.
No smoking, pets or coolers are permitted at "Music Mania Mondays."

Artpark

At Artpark this season: 2026 events and programs at Artpark currently on sale include: "Sesame Street Live: Elmo's Got The Moves" (May 28); **Ryan Bingham and the Texas Gentlemen**, "Still Gettin' Away With It Tour" (Friday, May 29); "Wine & Wheels" (June, multiple events); 16th annual **Artpark Fairy House Festival** (June 20); **Femmes Of Rock** (July 10); **Ziggy Marley**, "Brightside Tour" (July 11); "Art-camps" for ages 8-13 (July 13-24); **Sarah McLachlan**, "Better Broken Tour" (July 14); **Blackberry Smoke**, "Rattle, Ramble and Roll Tour 2026" (July 15); "Legacy in Motion: Celebrating Miles Davis at 100," featuring **Jon Lehrer Dance Company & John Bacon and Star People** (July 17); "Candlelight Concert" with the **Buffalo Philharmonic Orchestra** (July 19); **Shaky Graves + Dope Lemon** (July 22); **Djo**, "Summer Tour" (July 23); "Mojitos & Mosaics" (July 25); **Cole Swindell** (July 30); **Tori Amos**, "In Times Of Dragons Tour" (Aug. 4); **Gov't Mule** and **JJ Grey & Mofro** (Aug. 6); "Howard Jones: Things Can Only Get Better Tour," featuring **Howard Jones, Wang Chung, The English Beat** and **Modern English**, hosted by SiriusXM's **Richard Blade** (Aug. 12); **Turnpike Troubadours** with special guests **Muscadine Bloodline & The Creekers** (Aug. 14); "Mojitos & Mosaics" (Aug. 15); **Andy Grammer** "The Big Stupid Heart Tour," with **Walk Off The Earth** (Aug. 21); **The Rock Orchestra**, "Arena of Fire" (Aug. 26); **Sierra Ferrell**, "Heavy Petal Tour" (Sept. 2); "Jason Bonham's Led Zeppelin Evening" (Sept. 3); fifth annual **Better Off Read Summer Book Festival** (Sept. 5); **O.A.R.**, "Three Decades Tour," with **Gavin DeGraw** and **KT Tunstall** (Sept. 12); **Sir Roger Daltrey**, "A Great Night Out" (Sept. 17); **Ray LaMontagne**, "Trouble 20th Anniversary Tour" (Sept. 22); **Charley Crockett**, "Age of the Ram Tour," with **Durand Jones & The Indications** (Sept. 29).

Purchase online at ticketmaster.com or artpark.net; by phone at 716-754-4375; or in-person at the Artpark box office, 450 S. Fourth St., Lewiston. In-person sales hours are 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Tuesday through Friday, and 10 a.m. until 2 p.m. Saturday. Stay tuned for more events and programs. Visit artpark.net for up-to-date information.

Old Falls Street gearing up for exciting summer season

The season kicks off Memorial Day Weekend with four days of festivities:

- Friday, May 22 | 5-10 p.m.
- Saturday, May 23, and Sunday, May 24 | noon-10 p.m.
- Monday, May 25 | noon-6 p.m.

The kickoff celebration will feature food trucks, live music, stilt walkers, aerial performers and local vendors.

New this year, Old Falls Street USA will host a summer carnival from Friday, June 19, through Sunday, June 21, featuring rides, games, food trucks, and more.

Old Falls Street USA will also host several signature events and celebrations throughout the season, including:

- Fourth of July celebration – Friday, July 3, through Sunday, July 5
- Rainbow City Pride – Saturday, June 27
- FIFA World Cup watch party – Sunday, July 19
- Empire State Ride welcome celebration – benefiting Roswell Park Comprehensive Cancer Center – Saturday, Aug. 1
- Labor Day celebration – Friday, Sept. 4, through Monday, Sept. 7
- 17th annual Blues Festival – Saturday, Sept. 19, featuring a new bourbon-tasting component
- Oktoberfest celebration – Saturday, Sept. 26.

In addition to special events, Old Falls Street USA will present weekly entertainment throughout the summer, including:

- Friday night concert series — June 19 through Aug. 28, from 5-10 p.m., with headlining acts beginning at 7 p.m.
- Saturday night movie series — July 11 through Aug. 9. This year, the Friday night concert series is sponsored by the Sheraton Niagara Falls and relocated to the Third Street block of Old Falls Street near the newly opened Steelbound Brewery & Distillery.



Barry Harden announces concert events

Barry Harden Productions welcomes:

- June 13: Strictly Hip for two sets at Academy Park, with special guest Tonemah
- Aug. 15: Rhett Miller of the Old 97's with Dar-

ryl Tonemah at the Lewiston Opera Hall

- Aug. 16: Devon Allman Project w/ GA-20 at Academy Park

More shows to be announced!

BPO to perform across WNY

Ticketed Events

- "Sound & Sky Independence Eve Celebration" with fireworks

Friday, July 3, 7:45 p.m., Buffalo Outer Harbor Terminal B

JoAnn Falletta, conductor
Tickets: buffalo waterfront.com/events/bposky; general admission free; VIP available

- "Music of The Grateful Dead" with the BPO & Crazy Fingers

Friday, July 17, 7:30 p.m., Kleinhans Music Hall

Bradley Thachuk, conductor
Tickets: bpo.org/crazy

- Candlelight concert

Sunday, July 19, Artpark Mainstage Theater

1 p.m. Complimentary wine and cheese reception; 2 p.m. String Duo performance by BPO musicians Brett Shurtliffe and Loren Silvertrust; 3 p.m. Complimentary coffee and desserts with the musicians

Tickets: artpark.net

Free performances

- Beaver Island State Park

Tuesday, July 7, 7 p.m.

Grant O'Brien, conductor

Presented with support from Niagara Falls State Park; Beaver Island State Park; NYS Office

of Parks, Recreation and Historic Preservation; in-park partner Montana International

- "Concert for Unity"

Elim Christian Fellowship

Friday, July 10, 7:30 p.m.

Grant O'Brien, conductor

Buffalo United Community Choir; Karen Sax-

on, BUCC director; Ella E. Robinson, BUCC direc-

tor; George Brown, BUCC director

Presented with support from National Grid

- North Park Community School #50

Thursday, July 16, 7 p.m.

Grant O'Brien, conductor

Sponsored by Delaware District Council

Member Joel Feroletto

- Clarence Town Park

Wednesday, July 22, 7:30 p.m.

Grant O'Brien, conductor

Sponsored by Kelly Schultz Antiques

- Academy Park, Lewiston

Friday, July 24, 7 p.m.

Grant O'Brien, conductor

Sponsored by Anthony DiMino

- Niawanda Park

Sunday, July 26, 7 p.m.

Grant O'Brien, conductor

Sponsored by Assembly Member Bill Conrad

Celebrate summer with Lewiston Council on the Arts

Academy Park – concerts start at 7 p.m.

- June 29, 42nd Army Band, "America 250 Armed Forces Salute"
- July 4, Celebration with Reflector, fireworks
- July 11, Summer of '69
- July 24, Buffalo Philharmonic Orchestra



'Mondays at the Gazebo'

- July 6, Fredtown Stompers
- July 13, Rockabilly Stevie Blues and BR3
- July 20, Harmonia Vocal Jazz Ensemble
- July 27, Shakespeare in Delaware Park:

"Fools and Foes"

Lewiston Art Festival

2026 is our 60th anniversary!
10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Aug. 8, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Aug. 9

FESTIVALS + SPECIAL EVENTS

10 Mile Garage Sale – Thursday-Sunday, June 4-7; River Region + Town of Niagara

The River Region's premier home-shopping weekend returns for its 34th year and, new this time around, it's expanded to the Town of Niagara. Find unique items not available anywhere else, and score a great deal!

Smelt Festival – Friday, May 22; Lewiston's Academy Park

Hosted by the Upward Niagara Chamber of Commerce in cooperation with The Griffon Brewery & Gastropub & DiMino's Lewiston Tops Market; help support the Niagara River Anglers

GardenFest – Saturday & Sunday, June 20-21; Center Street in Lewiston

Presented by the Lewiston Garden Club; featuring vendors, open gardens, speakers, demonstrations, local shops, and a container garden contest

Lewiston Art Festival – Saturday & Sunday, Aug. 8-9; Center Street in Lewiston

Presented by the Lewiston Council on the Arts; prestigious two-day art festival featuring well over 100 exceptional artists



Lewiston Jazz Festival – Friday & Saturday, Aug. 28-29; Center Street in Lewiston

Free performances with more than 150 artists across multiple outdoor stages; headline concerts; enjoy culinary and wine samplings, jewelry and live music at the largest outdoor free jazz festival in WNY

Niagara County Peach Festival – Thursday-Sunday, Sept. 10-13; Lewiston's Academy Park

Presented by the Lewiston Kiwanis Club; an old-fashioned festival complete with a parade, peach shortcake, great carnival food, entertainment and a midway of exciting rides; proceeds benefit the local community

Harvest & Hops Festival – Saturday & Sunday, Sept. 26-27; Center Street in Lewiston

Lewiston's premier fall festival is presented by the Upward Niagara Chamber of Commerce; NYS' finest craft artists are featured, along with a farmers market and local breweries serving up the hops!

Wildlife Festival – Saturday, Sept. 26; at the New York Power Authority grounds

Presented by NYPA; featuring more than 50 exhibitors and vendors, wildlife shows, archery, fishing pond, shooting trailer and exhibitors



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