



Monongahela Area 250th Celebration

Schedule Of Events and Activities

(all dates and times are subject to change)

For the latest information, visit our Facebook page Monongahela Area 250th

Or visit the website www.MonCity250.org

A shuttle service will be operating to make going between venues more convenient

THURSDAY, AUGUST 8

Opening Ceremony, Chess Park, , 11 a.m.

- Opening ceremony
- Digging up of time capsule, led by Monongahela founding town member Don DeVore
- Food Vendors
- 1 p.m., Game-a-Palooza, afternoon game time. Goal: complete 250 rounds of games. Call First United Methodist Church if you have a board game to donate: 724 258 8278
- 3 p.m., Time capsule contents on display, Monongahela Area Historical Society Longwell House,
- 4 p.m., Chess Park, Whiskey Rebellion presentation by the Washington County Historical Society with a response from Albert Gallatin re-enactor.
- 5-7 p.m., Monongahela Chamber Offices, Wine and Cheese reception
- 6 p.m., Chess Park Concert: Ringgold School District Harps and String Band
- 7:30 p.m., First Baptist Church (FBC), Night of Worship, Shepherd's Voice and River Rising and others
- 8:30 p.m., Ghost Walk Tours, advance tickets required, Monongahela Area Historical Society Longwell House
- 9:30 p.m. Chess Park, screening of 30-minute film, "The 1954 Pony League World Series Championship"

FRIDAY, AUGUST 9

- 11 a.m. and noon, Monongahela Cemetery Chapel, "A Living Landscape: Monongahela Cemetery and Its Chapel" presentation.
- 1-4 p.m., Children's Program, St. Damien Festa Park, concert by Scott and Rosanna, Albert Gallatin presentation, Ham Radio demonstration, games, face painting, clowns, balloon artist, concessions.
- 5 p.m., Ripepi Winery Happy Hour
- 6 p.m., the Native American Encampment opens, the Mounds, Friday, August 9, 6 pm – Sunday, August 11, noon

- Praise and Worship in the Park, Chess Park, Friday evening – Sunday morning
- “My Main Street” Street Fair, dates, times and place to be announced
- Monongahela Library Art Show, details to be announced
- Aquatorium, 7:00 p.m. Washington Symphony Orchestra with a Laser Light Show by Lightwave International, special appearance by Scott and Rosanna with selections performed in advance by the Ringgold Mary Poppins cast.

SATURDAY, AUGUST 10

- 8 a.m. Aquatorium, “On Your MARC”, MARC 5K Run and Walk, https://runsignup.com/Race/PA/Monongahela/OnYourMARC250th5KRunWalk?fbclid=IwAR0VePDzi6OYMGe1a1PQ_vHlbEv5oWsV5I3N-sObKoRZThOL7_aMNzRdDks
- Mounds Native American Encampment continues
- 11 a.m., Main Street, 250th Grand Parade: bands, performers, floats welcome; the parade will include 226 men dressed as 1776 whiskey rebels who will walk in the parade. At the conclusion of the parade, the whiskey rebels will gather along with Albert Gallatin and Benjamin Parkinson to re-create the ending of the Whiskey Rebellion on Main Street at Whiskey Point.
- First United Methodist Church, spaghetti dinner, noon – 6 pm
- Ringgold High Hall of Fame Concert, 3 p.m., Ringgold High School Auditorium, featuring acclaimed musicians and Monongahela High School and Ringgold graduates, Grammy and Emmy award winner, composer Jay Chattaway, concert pianist Henri Venanzi and opera singer Paul Adkins, the Dr. Walter E. “Buck” Weaver memorial chorale and many other performers.
- Aquatorium, 7:00 pm, 250th Extravaganza, Gary Racan and the Studio E Band, a 14-piece band, one of the top private event bands in the Country, followed by a lighted-boat parade, fireworks, afterwards, the audience will assist with the creation of the official 250th portrait: creation of an LED community flag.
- “My Main Street” Street Fair, dates, times and place to be announced

SUNDAY, AUGUST 11

- Native American Encampment continues at the Mounds through 6 p.m.
- Aquatorium, Fishing derby, early morning Yoga, Ham Radio Club bike race
- Chess Park, Praise and Worship in the Park Service, 9:30 a.m.
- 12:30 p.m., Rippels on the Creek, Monongahela 250 years of fashion with a whiskey pairing and small plate items. (A liquid journey through our City’s early years). Tickets required, \$18 pre-sale, \$20 at door.
- 1 p.m. Chess Park, Monongahela Area Historical Society, Guinness Record attempt, World’s Largest Wedding Cookie Table including weddings, (set up 11 a.m.), more information at Facebook: The Wedding Cookie Table Community
- 3 p.m. Closing of 250th, Chess Park, followed by blue grass concert, Jakobs Ferry Stragglers concert, blue grass band, presented by Mon Valley Academy for the Arts and EQT.

The Mon Valley YMCA will be announcing that all of their services will be **FREE** for the week of the 250th—classes, fitness, swimming, etc.