

June 2019 Calendar of Events

- June 1, 7, 28: Shirkey Golf Course closed to the public
- June 1: Ray County Library Summer Reading Program Kick Off
- June 3: Bridge of Hope Mom’s Group @ 4pm @ their location
- June 3,10,17,24: Ray County Library hosts GED/HSE Tutoring from noon to 2pm
- June 3,10,17,24: Ray County Library Family Story Time @ 10am & 1pm
- June 3,10: Chronic Disease Management 1-3pm @ Eagleton Center
- June4,6,11,13,18,20,25,27: United Methodist Church Food Pantry 1-3pm: call for appt
- June 4,11,18,25: UMC Men’s Bible Study @ Our Place @ 6pm
- June 4,11,18,25: Richmond Kiwanis meeting @ noon @ 19th Hole
- June 4,11,18,25: American Legion hosts Bingo-open @ 4pm games @ 6pm
- June 4,18: Grace Church Food Pantry open 5-8pm
- June 4,11,18,25: Ray County Library Family Story Time @ 4pm (Goats April 9th)
- June 4,11,18,25: Shirkey Golf Course Ladies After Hours Golf Clinic 6:30-8pm
- June 5,12,19,26: Ray County Library hosts Teen Time @ 2:30-4:30pm
- June 5,12,19,26: United Methodist Church Youth Group @ 6 & 7
- June 6: Ray County Library hosts Scrapbooking @ 4:45pm
- June 7,14,21,28: Richmond Rotary @ noon—call your favorite Rotarian for location
- June 8: Shirkey Golf Course is hosting the Greg Swetman Tournament
- June 8: Orscheln Farm and Home hosts Blade Sharpening 9a-1p \$3 per blade
- June 11: Ray County Humane Society Board Meeting @ 6:30pm @ Chamber Office
- June 13,27: Ray County Library hosts Crochet and Knitting @ 4:45pm
- June 13-15: 6-7:30pm-City of Richmond Pet Clinic @ Wiggly Field
- June 13: Shirkey Premier Therapy Open House from 4:30-6:30 Ribbon Cutting @ 5pm
- June 13: RHS Friends of the FFA meeting @ 6;30pm
- June 14: Shirkey Golf Course presents 9 & Dine Nite Golf
- June 14,21,28:Shirkey Golf Course hosts Happy Hour @ 4pm
- June 15: Brothers & Sisters in Christ host Victory in the Park from 11a-3p @ Maurice Roberts Park
- June 15: Shirkey Golf Course hosts Father/Child Golf Sleepover
- June 17: American Celebration meeting @ 9am @ Chamber Office
- June 18: Liberty Hospital hosts a Cancer Support Group @ 6pm
- June 18: Ray County FCE District meeting @ 9am
- June 19: Ray County Museum/Richmond Chamber host Missouri 2021 Bicentennial Event meeting-all welcome
- June 20: Ray County Library hosts Health as a Whole @ 10am
- June 20: Ray County Library Board Meeting @ 9:30am
- June 20: Ray County Hospital Gift Shop 20% off sale
- June 20: Liberty Hospital hosts Living After Loss @ 11am & 5:30pm
- June 20: Liberty Hospital hosts Alzheimer's Support Group @ 7pm
- June 20: Chamber Board meeting @ 11:30am @ golf Course
- June 22: Shirkey Golf Course Deuce Classic
- June 22: Horses Carrying Hope– a fundraiser for House of Hope @ 8am @ Big River Ranch
- June 22: CMCCU hosts Kirby Klub Pool Party @ Southview Pool 6-7:30pm
- June 24: Bridge of Hope Board Meeting @ Chamber Office @ 6:30pm
- June 24: Rep Peggy McGaugh hosts “Claim Your Unclaimed Property” @ Chamber office 1-5pm
- June 25: Liberty Hospital hosts a Stroke Support Group @ 1:30pm
- June 25: Small Business Alliance Business Training @ noon @ Ray County Library—FREE
- June 26: Richmond Recreation hosts Twilight Swim @ 7:30pm
- June 26: Ray County Library Book Club @ noon
- June 27: Ray County Library Caregiver Support Group @ 5:30pm
- JUNE 28: AMERICAN CELEBRATION STARTING AT 5PM @ SOUTHVIEW PARK
- June 28: Shirkey Golf Course hosting the Zeysing Tournament
- June 28: KMZU/KRLI Veterans Breakfast @ Carrollton VFW 7-9am

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MUSHROOM Festival



Pictured Left—The winner of the 2019 Tennis Ball Drop at the Mushroom Festival— Danny Blackwell
 Congratulations Danny! Thank you for supporting the Great American Celebration!

Pictured Right—
 Congratulations Serendipity Coffee for winning 3rd Place in the Parade Float Contest with the Alice in Wonderland themed float!



Pictured Right—
 Congratulations to the Jefferson City WW II Submarine Veteran's of Missouri for winning 1st Place in the float contest!



Pictured Above—Congratulations to Bridge of Hope for winning second place in the Parade Contest!

Pictured below—Winner of the 2019 Ray County Critter Crush was Kilo— Owned by Cait Lee. Congrats Kilo on being Ray County's Favorite Pet!

SAVE THE DATES

June 25: Small Business Alliance Education Class
 June 28: The Great American Celebration
 July 10: Mo DOT Commission Meeting
 July 17: Farmer's Appreciation Dinner
 August 1-8: Chamber Board Elections
 September 1: New Chamber Board Members inducted
 September 6: Labor Day
 November 8: Christmas Extravaganza Kick Off
 December 5: Lighted Christmas Parade



The Great American Celebration

June 28th, 2019~Richmond, MO

Plans are well underway for the Great American Celebration on Friday June 28th, 2019 at Southview Park in Richmond. At 5pm, the Southview Pool will open with FREE SWIM until 8:30pm sponsored by Richmond Recreation. The Heartland Mermaid will be at the pool from 5:30-7:30pm for photo opportunities for the children. At 6pm, the concession stand will open with VERY affordable concessions. There will be FREE watermelon provided by Dave's Country Market of Lexington (while supplies last) starting at 6pm as well. Miss Ray County will perform the National Anthem at 6pm, accompanied by a 21 gun Patriotic Ceremony provided by The American Legion Post #237 and Veteran's of Foreign Wars Post #4398. The Bridge of Hope will sell ice cream by the scoop at the softball field and FFA will sell ice cream floats and hotdogs at the High School. There will be FREE face painting as well. Dj Robman will be on at 7pm providing dancing and entertainment for all ages. At 8pm, there will be the 3rd Annual Freedom Frenzy Hotdog Eating Contest with registration at 7pm. First place wins the coveted wiener trophy that is sponsored by Shirkey Health Services! We encourage you to bring your own coolers and treats, bug spray as well as any outdoor games for your family to enjoy. Cornhole and Washers are always fun ! At approximately 9pm, there will be a Flag Lowering Ceremony with the fireworks kicking off about 9:30pm! The committee would appreciate any help provided by the community in the clean up efforts that follow the event that evening.

BACK BY POPULAR DEMAND!

The Heartland Mermaid was such a SPLASH last year, that the Richmond Area Chamber of Commerce has brought her back for one more year! Sponsored by Missouri Farm and Home Mutual Insurance Company and Hidden Valley Funeral Home of Richmond, she will be at the Southview Pool from 5:30-7:30 for photo opportunities. This is FREE for the kiddos, but please bring your own camera or use your phone. She is accompanied by her team of Pirates and will give each child a shell while supplies last. Thank you to our sponsors for providing this unique opportunity for kids of all ages!

