# MONTAGUE SUMMER EVENTS CALENDAR

June-August 2023 DON'T MISS AN EVENT! Sign-up for the weekly newsletter Scan the QR Code







Thursday, June 1 Teen Zine Club Brick House, 24 Third Street, 2:30pm Repeats every Thursday

# Friday, June 2 GUMBALL MACHINE TAKEOVER

Sadies Bike's, 83 Canal Road, 4-8pm Mini-treats and art from the gumball machine curated by cool people. Repeats July 7, August 4.

#### Saturday, June 3

## Unity Park Festival/Maker's Market

Night Skate! 147 Second St., 2-10pm A festival for gear-heads, creators, woodworkers, inventors, and tinkerers. Local makers of useful art items to swap, sell, demonstrate, and learn. Music by Groove Prophet 6-10pm. Food Truck. Rain date 6/4. www.novamotorcycles.com

#### Sunday, June 4

#### 16th Annual Family Fishing Day FREE!

Discovery Center/ Barton Cove:10am-2pm Fishing equipment provided - limited supplies available. Bring a pole if you have one. No fishing license required. Free shuttle bus to the cove. Rain/shine. www.greatfallsdiscoverycenter.org

#### WWW.SHEATHEATER.ORG

Sunday, June 4 Mystra Ooze fest #8 Peskeompskut Park, Turners Falls About 10 acts, mostly solo- acoustic, starting at noon.

#### Wednesday, June 7

Rosie Porter and the Neon Moons Montague Center Library, 17 Center St. Authentic honkey-tonk. 6-7pm

#### June 9-10

#### JCPA Showcase

JaDuke Theater, Industrial Blvd, \$12-15 Popular music from recent years and new performances from our over 55 classes. 6/9:6pm, 6/10:2pm+6pm, 6/11:2pm www.jaduketheater.com

# Friday, June 9

#### Great Falls Coffeehouse Presents: Farley String Band Great Falls Discovery Center, 7pm

Great Falls Discovery Center, /pm Traditional Folk/Celtic. \$6-15 donations support programming.

#### TRUNK SHOWS at SAWMILL RIVER ARTS

440 Greenfield Rd, Montague 11-5pm Saturday, June 10: Annie Collins Hand-sewn scarves, skirts, bags Sunday, July 2: Nini Melvin Books+ cards guided by principles of Shiatsu Sunday, August 13: Charles Thompson Hand carved spoons and chairs

Wednesday, June 14 Little House Blues Montague Center Library 17 Center Street, 6-7pm.

Suds and Song Third Thursday Series Montague Village Store 60 Main St., 5:30-8pm Beer Tasting and Performance 6/15 BIG DESTINY + Building 8 7/21 THE BITTER DUO + Berkshire Brewing 8/17 ANBASSA DUO + White Lion Brewing

#### GREAT FALLS FARMERS MARKET EVERY SATURDAY 9AM-1PM

ATLAS FARM MOBILE MARKET EVERY THURSDAY 4PM-5:30PM

> PESKEOMPSKUT PARK HIP/ SNAP Accepted!

#### Saturday, June 17

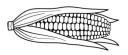
#### The Brick House 5K Run/Walk/Roll Fundraiser Unity Park Bike Path \$20 Pre-Registration/ \$25 Race Day Age 18 & Under Free. PRIZES! Check-in: 9am. Race: 10am www.facebook.com/thebrickhouse5k

#### Saturday, June 17 Art Naturally

Great Falls Discovery Center, 10:30am Discover nature through story, poetry, and art . All materials provided. Ages 6+ Repeats 7/15 and 8/19

#### MONTAGUE COMMUNITY BAND Monday Concert Series

Peskeompskut Park, Turners Falls Bring a Chair, 7pm June 19: Down by the Riverside June 26: Fly Me To The Moon July 10: Songs for America July 17: Let's Dance July 24: Time Travel July 31: Best of 2023



*Friday, June 23* **Movie in The Park: Field of Dreams (1989)** Peskeompskut Park, 7:30pm Rated PG A farmer builds a baseball field in his cornfield that attracts the ghosts of baseball legends including Shoeless Joe Jackson. **Music by Drew Paton at 6:30pm.** *A time machine from the '40's to the '60's!* 



Saturday, July 1, 2-8pm **The Antenna Cloud Farm Music Walk** FREE, accessible, and kid-friendly A day-long village-wide festival featuring Aisha Burns, Blood Drum Spirit, Music Walk String Quartet, Under the Tree Arts, Children's Parade, Plus Artist Discovery Listening Stations throughout downtown. www.antennacloudfarm.com Rain date 7/2 Wednesday, July 5 **Corki and Ken First Congregational Church Lawn** 4 North St., 6:30pm bring a chair.

Friday, July 7 **Teen Cosplay Convention** Carnegie Library Tent, 2:30pm

#### Saturday, July 8 TOM RICARDI'S BIRDS OF PREY Great Falls Discovery Center, 2pm Educational live animal event: owls, hawks,

vultures, more! All ages. Free!

Wednesday, July 12 **Becky and John** First Congregational Church Lawn 4 North St., 6:30pm bring a chair.

#### Saturday, July 15

Julie Ukulele

Carnegie Library, 201 Avenue A, 11am Julie shows kids/teens the fundamentals of the instrument.

#### July 15-16 **GREASE!**

Ja Duke Theater, Industrial Blvd, \$12-15 Rydell High's senior class of 1959! Fridays + Saturday at 7pm, Sundays at 2pm Repeats July 21-23

#### Wednesday, July 19

Just Fine, Thank You Band First Congregational Lawn 4 North Street, Bring a chair, 6:30pm Electric-ukulele driven arrangements of songs ranging from country to punk.

#### Friday, July 21 Movie in the Park: Song of the Sea (2014) **Oscar Nominated Animation**



The story of Ben and his little sister Saoirse - the last Seal-child - who embark on a fantastic journey across a fading world of Irish legend and magic. Based on the mythological Selkies who live as seals in the sea but become humans on land. TRADITIONAL MUSIC: IRISH FIDDLE with Kenny Butler at 7pm.

Peskeompskut Park, Movie 7:30pm, Free!

#### THANK YOU TO OUR 2023 SPONSORS



Wednesday, July 26 David Bulley Band: Rock, Folk, Blues dance music. Jenny Burtis Band: From the tenderness of a revelation to the downbeat drive of rock n roll. Peskeompskut Park, 6-9pm

Sunday, July 23 **Little House Blues** Peskeompskut Park, 3-5pm Danceable Chicago-style blues!

Saturday, July 29 Christmas in July Fireworks + Nightskate Unity Park Skatepark 6pm Fireworks 9pm

Thursday, August 3 **Klezmer in the Park** Peskeompksut Park time line line

# Friday, August 4 No Stings Marionettes Presents: Wasabi, A Dragon's Tale.

Peskeompskut Park, 10:30am An original, modern-minded fairy tale. Presented by Montague Public Libraries

#### August 5-6 Peter Pan, Jr.

Ja Duke Theater, Industrial Blvd., \$12-15 Peter and his sidekick Tinkerbell take the Darling children on an adventure to Neverland. 4pm+7pm. 2pm Sunday.

#### Friday, August 11 **Great Falls Coffeehouse Presents: Hampton Trio**

Great Falls Discovery Center, 7pm, Classical+ Contemporary music for mandolin, mandola & guitar. \$6-15

### August 5-6 10th Annual

#### POCUMTUCK HOMELANDS FESTIVAL

**Unity Park Riverfront** Saturday 10am-7pm + Sunday 10am-5pm Native American Art, Music & Cultures Including Nettukkusak, Hawk Henries and Tom Porter Education and Entertainment for All Ages Presented by the Nolumbeka Project. www.nolumbekaproject.org

Saturday, August 12 HOME BODY spirited synth spectacle **Special Guest: RAW Impressions with** Lou Barlow and Adelle Barlow Peskeompskut Park, 6:30pm. Rain: 8/13

#### Saturday, August 12 Yoga with Sebastian Merrill Peskeompskut Bandshell, 10-11am Queer-Trans friendly, alignment-focused yoga. Bring a mat/towel. \$5-\$20 donation. Sponsored by Transhealth + Bloom Local.

Wednesday, June 14 **Little House Blues** Montague Center Library, Center St., 6-7pm.

Friday, August 18 Movie in The Park: **Princess Bride** 



Peskeompskut Park, 7:30pm, Free! A swashbuckling farmhand must rescue Princess Buttercup from the odious Prince Humperdinck. Rated PG. (1987)

#### Saturday, August 19

Montague Mug Race Montague Center Common, 8:30am 5.5 mile road race and 2 mile run/walk www.Runreg.com

#### Saturday, August 19 WHALE MOBILE

Great Falls Discovery Center, 2pm Presentation by whale watch naturalist Cynde McInnis followed by tours inside a realistic life-sized inflatable whale. Kids + teens. Register at 413-863-3214

#### Sunday, August 20 DO IT NOW

Peskeompskut Park, 2-4pm Spoken word and Improv music with Tony Vacca, John Sheldon, Paul Richmond. Rain: 8/27

Free Gardening Series with the Western Mass Master Gardener Association **Events June-September** INFO: www.montaguepubliclibraries.org

**Great Falls Discovery Center** 2 Avenue A **OPEN Tuesday: 10AM-4PM** Wednesday-Sunday: 10AM-6PM www.greatfallsdiscoverycenter.org