

June

2019

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						<p>1 Free Fishing</p> <p>Home Depot workshop 9am-2pm</p> <p>Galactic-con 11a - 6p</p> <p>Lakeshore crafts 11am-3pm</p>
<p>2</p> <p>Family Wellness Day 10am-3pm</p> <p>Books in Bloom Festival 11 am -4pm</p> <p>Balt. Museum of art family craft 2pm-5pm</p>	3	4	5	6	<p>7</p> <p>Under the dome movie 3:4 pm-4:4 pm or 6:30pm -7:30pm</p> <p>After Hours at the Robinson Nature Center 6pm -9pm</p>	<p>8 Free Fishing</p> <p>Colonial Market Fair 10am-4pm</p> <p>Star party at Alpha Ridge Park, Dusk - about 11pm</p> <p>Kids Day 10am-2pm</p> <p>Lakeshore crafts 11am-3pm</p>
<p>9 Colonial Market Fair 10am-4pm</p> <p>Balt. Museum of art family craft 2pm-5pm</p>	10	11	12	13	<p>14</p> <p>Lakefest 5pm - 10:30pm</p>	<p>15 Roger Carter Party, 12 pm - 11:30 pm</p> <p>Lakefest 12p -10:30p</p> <p>Lakeshore crafts 11am- 3pm</p>
<p>16</p> <p>Lakefest 12pm-7pm</p> <p>Balt. Museum of art family craft 2pm-5pm</p>	17	18	19	20	21	<p>22</p> <p>Summerfest: HoCo Living Farm Heritage Museum; 9am- 4pm</p> <p>Lakeshore crafts 11am-3pm</p>
<p>23 Summer Fest HoCo County Living Farm Museum; 9am-4pm</p> <p>Balt. Museum of art family craft 2pm-5pm</p>	24	25	<p>26</p> <p>Read with a Ranger, 11 am - 12pm</p> <p>Cent. Park Lakeside Movie: The Sandlot 8:15 pm</p>	<p>27</p> <p>Belmont Blockbuster: Wreck It Ralph - Ralph Breaks the Internet. Movie starts at Dusk</p>	28	<p>29</p> <p>Lakeshore crafts 11am-3pm</p>
<p>30 Balt. Museum of art family craft 2pm-5pm</p>						

After-Hours at the Robinson Nature Center (6692 Cedar Lane, Columbia, MD) 6/7/19, 7/5/19, 8/2/19. 6p-9p. \$5/Adult, \$3/child, free/under 2. <https://www.howardcountymd.gov/RNC/programs>

Baltimore Museum of Art (10 Art Museum Drive, Baltimore, MD 21218): Free hands-on fun for families every Sunday from 2p-5p. Summer schedule: <https://artbma.org/events/family.html>.

Belmont Blockbusters (6555 Belmont Woods Road, Elkridge, MD 21075 - Behind the Manor): Bring a picnic and a blanket to enjoy a movie in the Belmont Manor & Historic Park. Popcorn available. Check www.belmontmanor.md.org or call 410-313-0200 for inclement weather. Movie starts shortly after dusk. Arrive early to enjoy the gardens 6/27/19 (Wreck It Ralph - Ralph Breaks the Internet, PG); 7/18/19 (Disney's The Lion King, G); 8/1/19 (The Goonies, PG); 8/15/19 (Princess Bride, PG); 8/29/19 (Captain Marvel, PG 13).

Books in Bloom festival (Merriweather Post Pavilion, 10475 Little Patuxent Pkwy, Columbia, MD 21044): Free daylong festival celebrating the joy of books and reading. June 2, 2019. 11:00 am - 4:00 pm.. <http://www.dtcpartnership.com/booksinbloom/>

Centennial Park Lakeside Movies (Centennial Park South lawn area in front of the concert stage, 10000 Clarksville Pike, Ellicott City, MD 21042, 410-313-4700); Start time is around 8:15 pm (or when it gets dark). Schedules subject to change For a recorded announcement about cancellations due to weather, call 410-313-4451 after 5pm on the day of the show. Concessions sold from 3pm until end of the movie.Space is limited.Arrive early and carpool if possible.Park gates will close once capacity is reached. Bring a flashlight to help navigate to your seats and your car after the movie.For more info., call. June 26, 2019 (The Sandlot, PG, 1993), August 26, 2019 (People's Choice). <https://www.howardcountymd.gov/adventureshack>

Colonial Market Fair at the Benjamin Banneker Park & Museum: (300 Oella Ave, Catonsville, MD 21228, 410-887-1081): 6/8/19 and 6/9/19, (10am – 4pm). The 18th Century comes alive! Craftsmen, tradesmen, music, & children's activities. <https://friendsofbenjaminbanneker.com/events-and-programs/colonial-market-fair/>

Family Wellness Day: (Centennial Park,10000 Clarksville Pike, Ellicott City) FREE fun family event. 6/2/19. 10 am -3pm <http://www.wepromotehealth.org/family-wellness-day.aspx>

Free Fishing: In MD, fish without a licence on 6/1/19, 6/8/19, and 7/4/19. Kids under age 16 can always fish licence free. <https://dnr.maryland.gov/Fisheries/Pages/free-fishing.aspx>

Galactic-Con: (HoCo Fairgrounds: 2210 Fairgrounds Road, West Friendship, MD 21794): Family Friendly Comic Convention. Comics, Toys, Legos, tabletop Gaming, cosplay, and more. Visit www.galactic-con.com for tickets, schedule, and early bird information. Single Admission: \$10/person. \$20/Family pass (for up to 6 people). 6/1/19. 11 am - 6 pm.

Home Depot Kids workshops (9051 Snowden River Parkway, Columbia, MD): Must be accompanied by a parent. June 1, 2019, July 6, 2019, August 3, 2019. 9:00 am - 2:00 pm.

Howard County Living Farm Heritage Museum Summer Fest (12985 Frederick Road, West Friendship, Maryland, 21794): See antique construction equipment from the early 1900s to the 1960s. Weather permitting, their annual grain harvest will be held. June 22, 2019 - June 23, 2019. Activities run 9 am - 4 pm. \$5/person aged 2 and older. <http://www.farmheritage.org/june.html>

KidsDay (Columbia Sports Park, 5453 Harpers Farm Road): Free activities include inflatables, crafts, face painting, mini-golf, batting cages, kids Zumba, and more. Free for kids under 12 and certain CA members. All others require a fee. Food and drinks available for purchase June 8, 2019, 10am-2:00 pm <https://www.columbiaassociation.org/event/kidsday/>

Lakefest at the Downtown Columbia Lakefront (10275 Wincopin Cir, Columbia, MD 21044): The FREE LakeFest Weekend includes three days of live music, an arts and crafts show, performer, food, and activities and entertainment for all ages. June 14, 2019 (5pm-10:30 pm), June 15, 2019 (12pm-10:30pm), and June 16, 2019 (12pm-7pm). <https://columbiainfestival.org/#>

Lakeshore Crafts (Lakeshore Store (& outlet), 1620 E. Joppa Rd. Towson, MD 21286): Free kids crafts every Sat. from 11am-3pm.<https://www.lakeshorelearning.com/stores/free-crafts>

Read with a Ranger (Centennial Park - tables near the playground, south area of the park. 10000 Rt. 108, Ellicott City, MD): Listen to a park ranger read books. Bring a lunch to enjoy afterwards. Ideal for pre-school and elementary-aged children. 6/26/19, 7/24/18, 8/21/19, 11:00 am - noon. Free. <https://www.facebook.com/events/centennial-park/read-with-a-ranger/1256316367852514/>

Roger Carter's 6th Anniversary Celebration (Roger Carter Community Center, 3000 Milltowne Drive, Ellicott City, MD 21043, 410-313-2764): Music, snowballs, giveaways, and birthday cake. No pre-registration is required. June 15, 2019, Noon-1:30 pm. <https://www.howardcountymd.gov/rccc>

Star Parties, all ages (Alpha Ridge Park, 11685 Old Frederick Rd., Marriottsville, MD 21104): Enjoy the night sky through telescopes set up by the Howard Astronomical League in HAL's Observatory. At this casual family event, view live images projected onto a big screen. Info/weather updates: www.howardastro.org. 6/8/19, 7/20/19, 8/10/19. Dusk until about 11:00 pm. Free

Under the Dome Family Fridays at the Robinson Nature Center Planetarium (6692 Cedar Lane, Columbia, MD 21044): Full-dome movie and presentation. Registration/info: 410-313-0400. \$3/ticket plus admission to the Nature Center. Suggested age: 7 & up. Arrive 15 min. early to be seated. 6/7/19: 3:45p - 4:45p or 6:30 p- 7:30p (Featuring: Astronauts), 7/5/19: 3:45 pm - 4:45 pm or 6:30 pm - 7:30 pm (Featuring: We are Aliens), 8/2/19: 3:45 pm- 4:45 pm or 6:30 pm - 7:30 pm (Featuring: Stars). <https://www.howardcountymd.gov/RNC/programs>

July

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	1	2	3	4 Free Fishing Family Friendly Fireworks display at the Columbia Lakefront	5 Under the dome movie 3:45pm-4:45pm or 6:30m -7:30pm After Hours at the Robinson Nature Center 6pm -9pm	6 Home Depot workshop 9am-2pm Lakeshore crafts 11am-3pm
7 Balt. Museum of art family craft 2pm-5pm Merriweather Movie Night: Small Foot. 5:30 pm	8	9	10	11	12	13 Lakeshore crafts 11am-3pm Solar Fest 6:30 pm – 9pm
14 Balt. Museum of art family craft 2pm-5pm	15	16	17	18 Belmont Blockbuster: The Lion King (original version). Movie starts at Dusk	19	20 HoCo Pow-Wow/American Indian Show & Festival. 10am-7pm Lakeshore crafts 11am-3pm Star Party at Alpha Ridge Park. Dusk about 11pm
21 HoCo Pow-Wow/American Indian Show & Festival. 10am-7pm Balt. Museum of art family craft 2pm-5pm	22	23	24 Read with a Ranger at Cent. Park. 11am – 12pm	25	26	27 Lakeshore crafts 11am-3pm
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Belmont Blockbusters (6555 Belmont Woods Road, Elkridge, MD 21075 - Behind the Manor): Bring a picnic and a blanket to enjoy a movie in the Belmont Manor & Historic Park. Popcorn available. Check www.belmontmanormd.org or call 410-313-0200 for inclement weather. Movie starts shortly after dusk. Arrive early to enjoy the gardens. 6/27/19 (Wreck It Ralph - Ralph Breaks the Internet-PG), 7/18/19 (Disney's The Lion King-G), 8/1/19 (The Goonies-PG), 8/15/19 (Princess Bride-PG), 8/ 29/19 (Captain Marvel-PG 13)..

Family Friendly Fireworks Display along the Columbia Lakefront (10275 Wincopin Circle, Columbia, MD 21044.). July 4, 2019. Live bands and a variety of children's activities available. Blankets, chairs, and picnics are welcome. Food is for sale onsite Call 410-715-3161 for more information. Free. <https://www.visithowardcounty.com/event/howard-county%E2%80%99s-july-4th-fireworks/9670/>

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Howard County Pow-Wow/American Indian Show & Festival (HoCo Fairgrounds, 2210 Fairgrounds Road, West Friendship, MD 21794): Enjoy Native American dancing, singing, craft demonstrations, & storytelling. Air conditioned facilities. 7/ 20/19 (10am - 7:00 pm. Parade starts at noon), 7/ 21/19 (10am - 6pm). \$9/age 13 & up, \$6/age 3-12, free/under 2. Native American food available for purchase. \$1 discount coupon is available by emailing powwow@vance.net and requesting a coupon. <https://www.visithowardcounty.com/event/26th-annual-pow-wow/5662/>

Lakeshore Crafts (Lakeshore Store (& outlet), 1620 E. Joppa Rd. Towson, MD 21286): Free kids crafts every Sat. from 11am-3pm.<https://www.lakeshorelearning.com/stores/free-crafts>

Merriweather Movie Nights, 2019 (Merriweather Post Pavilion, 10475 Little Patuxent Parkway, Columbia, MD 21044): July 7, 2019. Gates open at 5:30 pm and the show will start at 6:30 pm. Enjoy the animated adventure "Small Foot" (PG) under the stars. The concession stand will be open. Children are free with a paid adult admission. \$10/adult. The film is about 90 minutes long. Here is the link to purchase tickets: <http://www.dcacc.info/mppmovies>

Read with a Ranger (Centennial Park - tables near the playground, south area of the park, 10000 Rt. 108, Ellicott City, MD 21042): Join a park ranger to explore the nature world through books. Bring a bagged lunch to enjoy after the reading. Ideal for pre-school and elementary-aged children. 6/26/19, 7/24/18, 8/21/19, 11:00 am - noon. Free. <https://www.facebook.com/events/centennial-park/read-with-a-ranger/1256316367852514/>

Solar Fest (Alpha Ridge Park, 11685 Old Frederick Road, Marroittsville, MD 21104): A fun evening of science, engineering, arts, crafts, astronomy, and more for all ages to enjoy. Activities include Inflatables, demos, arts and crafts, games, telescopes, and prizes July 13, 2019, 6:30 pm - 9pm. Pre-Registration is required. To register, call 410-313-7275, go to www.howardcountymd.gov/rap or register in person at 7120 Oakland Mills Road, Columbia. \$8/ages 5-11 until July 5. After that date tickets are \$10.

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11 Balt. Museum of art family craft 2pm-5pm	12	13	14	15 Belmont Blockbuster: Princess Bride (PG) Movie starts at Dusk	16	17 Rockburn open car show, 10am-2pm Lakeshore crafts 11am-3pm
18 Belmont Manor & Historic Park open house 1pm-5pm Balt. Museum of art family craft 2pm-5pm	19	20	21 Read with a Ranger at Cent. Park. 11am – 12pm	22	23	24 Lakeshore crafts 11am-3pm
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Belmont Manor & Historic Park Open House (6555 Belmont Woods Road, Elkridge, MD 21075, 410-313-0200): Come explore the 18th century Manor, outbuildings, historic cemetery, aqua garden, carriage house, and original barn. Enjoy a self-guided tour, participate in the scavenger hunt, and meet the animals. 8/18/19, 1pm-5pm. Free <https://belmontmanormd.com/open-house/>

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Howard County Fair (The Howard County Fairgrounds. 2210 Fairgrounds Road, West Friendship, MD 21794): A wide variety of animals, shows, and exhibits makes this fair a yearly treat. August 3, 2019 - August 10, 2019. Gates are open 8am-11pm. Most exhibits are open from 10am-10pm. Amusement rides are open from noon-11 pm on Saturdays and Sundays, and from 2pm-11pm Monday-Friday. Free Parking. Children under 10 years old are free when accompanied by an adult. \$5/person (10 years and older), \$2/person for seniors aged 62 and older. A valid Military ID will admit you (including your spouse and children aged younger than 18) are FREE all day on August 4, 2019. <https://howardcountyfairmd.com/fair-101/>

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Ranger Walk - Reptiles and Amphibians (Font Hill Wetlands Park, 3520 Font Hill Drive, Ellicott City, MD 21043): Come learn more about the the wonderful world of reptiles and amphibians. August 3, 2019, 1pm-2pm. Free for all ages. <https://allevents.in/maryland/park-ranger-walk-reptiles-and-amphibians/200017281031101#>

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Rockburn Open Car Show (Rockburn Branch Park West, Montgomery Road Entrance, 6105 Rockburn Branch Road, Elkridge, MD 21075): Saturday August 17, 2019, 10am-2pm. Show is free to the public. <https://www.howardcountymd.gov/RockburnOpenCarShow>

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