



# This Week in Mt. Gretna



Celebrating our 25<sup>th</sup> year of service to the Mt. Gretna Community ❖ Friday, June 16, 2023  
The 131<sup>st</sup> Season ❖ Mt. Gretna Visitor Information Center open 11am-7pm, Tuesday-Sunday

## Friday, June 16

9am MG Bird Club; meet in the Chautauqua parking lot; no experience needed; bring your binoculars. 717.964.3412 PL

10-12pm MG Library open

10-4pm Governor Dick Environmental Center open

10:00am **Poetry:** Jesse Waters presents Williams' *Red Wheelbarrow* and Gwendolyn Brooks *We Real Cool*. HP/CHP

7:00pm **Ecumenical Service:** *Once More the People Ask... Why God*, w/t Rev. Dr. Nathan Minnich & Daniel Dorty, Hershey. TB/BBF

7:30pm **The Bronx Wanderers:** winner of Best of Las Vegas every year 2017 to 2022. \$30. PH/CIC

8-11pm **The Ben Ginder Group** performs at the MG Hideaway

## Saturday, June 17

9:00am **Dog Parade:** bring a notecard with your dog's name and a fun fact. Costumes/tricks optional. Soldiers Field/CHP

10-1 pm MG Library open

10:00am **History on the Porch:** join local historians and others for coffee and conversation about MG's history. HS/HIS

11:00am **Hike with Mike:** Commissioner Mike Kuhn leads an informative hike to Governor Dick! Heights Community Bldg/Friends of Governor Dick

1:00pm **Find Cool Stuff:** flip logs, ID plants & more. Pre-register. [governordick@hotmail.com](mailto:governordick@hotmail.com)/call 717.964.3808. EC/GDE

7:30pm **The Bronx Wanderers:** see Friday listing.

7:30pm **Hammer Creek Bluegrass Concert.** TB/HER

9-11pm **Adam Blessing** performs at the MG Hideaway

## Sunday, June 18

*Worship (recorded) from MG United Methodist Church on their YouTube Channel may be viewed at your convenience. Link to video is posted on their Facebook page.*

8:30/10am **Worship.** MC/UMC

10:00am **Worship** at Trinity Lutheran Church of Colebrook, 58 Church Rd., Manheim; 717.606.8851

10-1pm MG Library open

1-5pm Governor Dick Environmental Center open. EC/GDE

1:30pm **Father's Day Craft:** decorate picture frames w/natural elements. \$5. Pre-register: call 717.964.3808. EC/GDE

6:45pm **First Listen:** mini-concerts by talented local youth before mainstage concert. PH/GM!

7:00pm **Andy Roberts Jazz Quartet:** MG's own Andy Roberts will praise God w/his original jazz song stylings. TB/BBF

7:30pm **Time for Tango:** Violinist Francisco Fullana, bandoneonist JP Jofre, and guitarist Jason Vieaux. \$5-35. TH/GMC!

## Monday, June 19

10-12pm MG Library open

10:00am **Art, Nature & Friends #2** with Kelly Gatto. Come explore Art AND Nature in Mt. Gretna! Ages 6-12. \$5. HP/CHP

1:00pm **Build-an-Organ!** Help organist Vince Ryan assemble an organ, learn how it makes sound, and more! MC/GM!

1:00pm **Mah Jongg On the Porch.** HP/CHP

6:00pm **The Art of Zentangle:** learn the 8 basic steps, led by certified instructor, Kerry Royer. Register by 6/14. \$10. HP/CHP

7:00pm **Library Book Review:** *John Grisham's A Time for Mercy*, with Kevin Wells. LB/LIB

## Tuesday, June 20

10-12pm MG Library open

10:00am **LVC Book Review:** *Heather Cox Richardson's How the South Won the Civil War*, with John Hinshaw, Professor of History. HP/CHP

6-8 pm MG Library open

## Wednesday, June 21

10-12pm MG Library open

10:00am **MGSOA Artist Lecture:** Ryan Stochinsky & Sarah Ransohoff, Four Pillars Artists in Residence Panel. HP/SOA

10-4pm Governor Dick Environmental Center open. EC/GDE

4:00pm **Yoga:** find calm and peace of mind, body & spirit. Call 717.269.2455 for info. \$8. HP/CHP

6-8pm MG Library open

6-9pm **Tucker Michael, Acoustic** performs at the MG Hideaway

7:00pm **Organ Recital: Aaron Patterson**, recipient of a Kovner Fellowship at the Juilliard School, pursuing his Master's Degree under Paul Jacobs. \$5. MC/CHP

## Thursday, June 22

MG Library open

**Being a Grandparent:** Pediatrician (and grandparent), Paul Herman will share dos and don'ts. HP/CHP

Governor Dick Environmental Center open. EC/GDE

**Merman & Martin:** join us for an upbeat toe-tapper that shares the lives and careers of show biz luminaries and legends, Ethel Merman and Mary Martin. \$39. OPENING. PH/GTH

**Merman & Martin:** see Thursday morning listing.

**Cheaters Never Prosper Trivia** at the MG Hideaway

## Friday, June 23

9:00am MG Bird Club: see previous Friday listing

10-12pm MG Library open

10-4pm Governor Dick Environmental Center open. EC/GDE

10:00am **Poetry:** Jesse Waters presents T.S. Eliot's "Love Song of J. Alfred Prufrock" HP/CHP

7:00pm **Two Centuries of Vaccines:** Robert and Andrew Brader, father & son microbiologists, will depict past epidemics and their fatality rates & the modus operandi of disease. HP/CHP

7:00pm **Ecumenical Service:** *Why God Wants Us To Forgive*, with Rev. Carrie Call, PhD, Conf. Minister Penn Central Conf., UCC, Harrisburg, Pa. TB/BBF

7:30pm **Merman & Martin:** see Thursday afternoon listing

8-11pm **Bryan Stevenson** performs at the MG Hideaway

## Saturday, June 24

9:30am **Fairy Tale Morning & Ice Cream:** enjoy an cream breakfast, a story, make crafts and parade to the Garden. Please accompany children ages 10 and under. HP/CHP

10-1pm MG Library open

10-4pm Governor Dick Environmental Center open

10:00am **Pizza Making**, with Bill Leonard. CLASS FULL.

11-12pm **Don't Let Pigeon Drive the Bus:** Mo Willems brings his best-selling children's book to life with a mix of innovative songs, hilarious mishaps & lots of feathers. \$10. PH/GM!

7:30pm **Merman & Martin.** See Thursday afternoon listing.

7:30pm **Music of Earth, Wind & Fire:** join The Maxwell Project as they present the music of Earth, Wind & Fire and the Top Songs of the 70's & 80's. Pay what you want. TB/MSC

8-11pm **Galbraith, Briody & Friends** perform at the MG Hideaway

## Sunday, June 25

*See previous Sunday listings for worship, library, GDE*

2:00pm **Merman & Martin.** CLOSING. See Thursday afternoon listing.

1:30pm **Golden Eagles Hike:** 3-4 miles, slower paced. Free. Pre-register by calling 717.964.3808/ emailing [governordick@hotmail.com](mailto:governordick@hotmail.com). EC/GDE

4:00pm **Guitarist Allen Krantz & mandolin student Gabe Locati** present a free 1-hour musical event. Bring your own chair and blankets. EC/GM!

7:00pm **New Holland Band:** Patriotic and spiritual concert, directed by Dr. Kenneth Laudermilch. Sponsored by Cornwall Manor. TB/BBF

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### Program/Location Codes (Two letters):

CG: Chautauqua grounds	CP*: Chautauqua Playground	EC: Gov. Dick Environmental Ctr.
FH* MG Fire Hall	HC* Heights Community Bldg.	HP* Hall of Philosophy
HS* MG Area Historical Society	LB* MG Library	MC* MG UMC
PH* Playhouse	PL* Chautauqua parking lot	TB* Campmeeting Tabernacle

### Sponsoring Organization Codes (Three letters):

ACN* MG Arts Council	BBF: Bible Festival/Summer at the Tabernacle	CMP* Campmeeting Association
CHP* CHQ Summer Prgrms	CIC* Original MG Cicada Festival	GTH* Gretna Theatre
GDE* Gov. Dick Envt. Ctr.	GMI* Gretna Music	HIS* MG Area Historical Society
HCA* Heights Community Assn.	HER* MG Heritage Assn.	OAS* MG Outdoor Art Show
LIB* MG Community Library	MSC* MG Summer Concerts	
SOA* MG School of Art	UMC* Mt. Gretna UM Church	

Notes: (Le Sorelle) on the map is now the Porch & Pantry Café; also in that building is Penn Realty and Mt. Gretna Realty, along with the Jonestown Bank & Trust's ATM on Chautauqua Drive; the Gift Shop is Kirsch's Antiques; the Timbers is located at the end of Timber Road; to get to the Lake, follow Timber Rd. and take the first left turn; the building marked Realty Office on Rt. 117 is privately owned. And Mrs. Hernley sells flowers in front of Hickey Architects on Fridays and Saturdays.



**HISTORICAL SOCIETY**

Located next door to the Playhouse  
Saturdays & Sundays, from 1-4pm  
through September 4  
Research Library open by appt.  
[mtgretnahistory@gmail.com](mailto:mtgretnahistory@gmail.com)  
[www.mtgretnahistory.org](http://www.mtgretnahistory.org)  
<https://www.facebook.com/MGAHS>  
717.964.1105

Advance tickets ONLY  
[www.mtgretnalake.com](http://www.mtgretnalake.com)  
Open 11:30am - 6:30pm daily  
through Labor Day  
964-3130

**Monday & Tuesday**  
3pm-12am  
**Wednesday & Thursday**  
11:30am-12am  
**Friday - Sunday**  
11:30am - 2am

675-7987

Indoor & Outdoor Dining  
by Reservation  
Thursday - Sunday at 5:30pm  
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49<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL  
**Mount Gretna**  
OUTDOOR ART SHOW  
August 19 - 20, 2023  
[WWW.MTGRETNAARTS.COM](http://WWW.MTGRETNAARTS.COM)  
Under the trees of old Chautauqua

Gretna Theatre June 22-25

**MERMAN AND MARTIN**  
[www.gretnatheatre.org](http://www.gretnatheatre.org)  
Box Office 717.964.3627

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NEXT SHOW  
**SAT., JUNE 24**  
7:30 P.M. Rain or Shine  
Pay What You Want

**BINDLESTIFF CIRCUS** JULY 8

[GretnaMusic.org](http://GretnaMusic.org)

**Trinity Lutheran Church of Colebrook**  
10 am Worship

717-665-6670  
58 Church Road, Manheim

Five minutes away; turn left  
at Colebrook/go 1.4 miles  
[trinitylutherancolebrook.org](http://trinitylutherancolebrook.org)  
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**Mt. Gretna Heritage Festival**  
at the Tabernacle

**Hammer Creek Bluegrass**

June 17 at 7:30pm  
\$10 Donation requested