

OFFICIAL AMERICA 250TH EVENTS - AUGUST 2026

August 1	Garden Party in the Demonstration Gardens - 2026 Celebration	Gettysburg	Gettysburg Garden Club
August 1	Songs and Stories of the American Revolution	Gettysburg	Adams County Library System
August 1	Gettysburg Regiments and the Places They Called Home	Gettysburg	Seminary Ridge Museum
August 1-16	South Pacific	Fayetteville	Totem Pole Playhouse
August 2	Summer Bluegrass Gospel Series	Gettysburg	
August 2	1776 - The Musical	Gettysburg	Gettysburg Community Theatre
August 2	Music, Gettysburg! Presents "Cormorant's Fancy"	Gettysburg	Music, Gettysburg!
August 5	USA 250th Anniversary Book Bingo	Gettysburg	Adams County Library System
August 6	Tavern Culture in the American Revolution	Gettysburg	Adams County Library System
August 8	Pop Goes the Revolution!	Gettysburg	Gettysburg History
August 8	Gettysburg's Connections to Custer's Last Stand	Gettysburg	Gettysburg History
August 8-9	36th Annual Peach Festival	Biglerville	Hollabaugh Bros. Fruit Farm & Market
August 13	Revolutionary Reads	Gettysburg	Adams County Library System
August 14	Gettysburg Founders Day	Gettysburg	Daughters of the American Revolution
August 15	Gettysburg Brew Fest & Trail 5K	Gettysburg	RSP Partners
August 15	Patriotic Quilt Show	Gettysburg	Great Conewago Presbyterian Church
August 15	Songs and Stories of a Civil War Hospital	Gettysburg	Christ Lutheran Church
August 18	The Boy Band Project	Fayetteville	Totem Pole Playhouse
August 20-29	Karen Hester as Dolly	Fayetteville	Totem Pole Playhouse
August 20	Author Talk: Angela Bailey Goes Beyond the Battlefield	Gettysburg	Adams County Library System
August 22	A Patriot's Quest: Adams County's Hidden Revolutionary History	Gettysburg	Gettysburg History
August 25	Into the Wild Frontier: Gettysburg's Earliest Settlers	Gettysburg	Dobbin House Tavern
August 25	History Presentation: The Disastrous New York Campaign"	Gettysburg	Adams County Library System
August 26	250th Anniversary Celebration	Gettysburg	Dobbin House Tavern
August 26	James Gettys and the Founding of Gettysburg	Gettysburg	Dobbin House Tavern

August 27	Historic Program: Saving the Dobbin House	Gettysburg	Dobbin House Tavern
August 27	History on the Square	Gettysburg	Hotel Gettysburg
August 28	They Answered the Call: Gettysburg and the American Revolution	Gettysburg	Dobbin House Tavern
August 29	Dobbin House Park, Charters of Freedom/Bell Dedication	Gettysburg	Dobbin House Tavern

OFFICIAL AMERICA 250TH EVENTS - SEPTEMBER 2026

September 2	"Uncle Abe": The Common Image of the Common Man	Gettysburg	Schmucker Art Gallery, Gettysburg College
September 2	Author Talk: Gerald Palnode - The Sterling Defense	Gettysburg	Adams County Library System
September 2	A Great and Truthful Medium: Photography at Gettysburg	Gettysburg	Schmucker Art Gallery, Gettysburg College
September 5	Labor Day Weekend Music Festival	Gettysburg	Gettysburg Area Recreation Authority
September 10	Revolutionary Reads	Gettysburg	Adams County Library System
September 16	History Program: Sonora Smart Dodd - The Mother of Father's Day	Gettysburg	Adams County Library System
September 18	Invisible Backbone: Lives and Labor of Women in Colonial America	Fairfield	Fairfield Area Historical Society
September 18-20	World War II Weekend	Gettysburg	Eisenhower National Historic Site
September 19	13th Annual Sweet Potato Festival	East Berlin	Thomason's Herb Farm
September 19	World War II Big Band Dance	Gettysburg	World War II: American Experience
September 19	Historic Barns Tour of Gettysburg and Adams County	Various	Historic Gettysburg Adams County (HGAC)
September 20	35th Annual Adams County Heritage Festival	Gettysburg	Interfaith Center for Peace and Justice
September 22	Author Talk: The Transformation of Hershey Park	Gettysburg	Adams County Library System
September 23	The Constitution: America's Blueprint for Freedom	Gettysburg	Adams County Library System
September 25	Salsa on the Square	Gettysburg	Project Leon-Gettysburg
September 26	Colonial Day	East Berlin	East Berlin Neighbors
September 26	Pippinfest	Fairfield	Borough of Fairfield
September 26	11th Annual Ride for Trails	Various	Healthy Adams Bicycle Pedestrian Inc.
September 26	Music, Gettysburg! Presents Jeremy Huw Williams	Gettysburg	Music, Gettysburg!
September 29	History Program: African American Heritage 250	Gettysburg	Adams County Library System

OFFICIAL AMERICA 250TH EVENTS - OCTOBER 2026

October 3-4, 10-11	National Apple Harvest Festival	Arendtsville	Upper Adams Jaycees
October 3	Comparisons Across 2 1/2 Centuries: Supplying War	Gettysburg	Battle of the Bulge Association, et al.
October 3	Tribute Concert: The Music of Queen and Journey	Fayetteville	Totem Pole Playhouse
October 8	Revolutionary Reads	Gettysburg	Adams County Library System
October 15	The People Project: Generations and Crossroads	Gettysburg	Adams County Arts Council
October 17	Eisenhower Birthday Commemoration	Gettysburg	Dwight D. Eisenhower Society
October 17	Comparisons Across 2 1/2 Centuries: Turning Point Battles	Gettysburg	Battle of the Bulge Association, et al.
October 17	28th Annual Road Rally: Bridges of Adams County	Various	Land Conservancy of Adams County
October 19	19th Annual Harvest Day Festival and Parade	New Oxford	New Oxford Chamber of Commerce

OFFICIAL AMERICA 250TH EVENTS - NOVEMBER 2026

November 5	The Assassination and Funeral of Abraham Lincoln	Gettysburg	Adams County Library System
November 5	Sarah Cook Myers: Recalling Abraham Lincoln at Gettysburg	Biglerville	Harbaugh-Thomas Library
November 7	Toby: A Toby Keith Tribute Concert	Fayetteville	Totem Pole Playhouse
November 12	Revolutionary Reads	Gettysburg	Adams County Library System
November 14	Remembrance Day Parade	Gettysburg	Sons of Union Veterans of the CW
November 14	Celebrating Military Heroes	Gettysburg	Battle of the Bulge Association
November 14	The Original Civil War Ball	Gettysburg	Sons of Veteran Reserves
November 15-17	The Lincoln Forum Symposium	Gettysburg	The Lincoln Forum
November 17	Crafting: Abraham Lincoln with Perler Beads	Gettysburg	Adams County Library System
November 18	AC Assoc. of Township Officials - 107th Annual Convention	McSherrystown	AC Association of Township Officials
November 18-19	Lincoln at Gettysburg: Shall Not Perish	Gettysburg	Lincoln Fellowship of Pennsylvania
November 21	Remembrance Day Illumination	Gettysburg	Gettysburg Foundation

OFFICIAL AMERICA 250TH EVENTS - DECEMBER 2026

December 4-6	A Gettysburg Christmas Festival	Gettysburg	Main Street Gettysburg
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