# Fredericksburg's July 4th 2019 Heritage Festival

## **During the Daytime**

#### 7:45am:

#### **Heritage Festival Five-Mile Run**

Downtown. Sponsored by FREDERICKSBURG HOST LIONS CLUB. 6:30am: Register at the Visitor Center or at racetimingunlimited.org. Prizes awarded for best costume!

#### 9:30am:

#### **Children's Heritage Day Parade**

Sponsored by BLUE STAR MOTHERS VA 4 Downtown – Lafayette VRE lot to Caroline Street to George Street to Princess Anne Street to Lafayette Blvd. Prizes for best costume & best decorated bicycle. Judging begins at 9:15 am and prizes awarded at 9:25 am.

#### 10:00am-4:00pm:

#### **Festival of the Streets**

- Craft Show with many great artists along Sophia, Charlotte & Hanover Streets!
   Sponsored by BETH SHOLOM TEMPLE
- Free Sight & Hearing Screenings
  Sponsored by FREDERICKSBURG HOST LIONS CLUB
- Classic Car Display Sponsored by local car lovers.
- Children's Activities: face painting, moon bounce, gyroscope ride and Misfit Acres Petting Zoo. Sponsored by DAVENPORT & CO. LLC
- Live Music: JERRY WADE BAND at Riverfront Park

#### 12:00pm:

#### **Presentation of the Colors**

AMERICAN LEGION. Welcome— Mary Katherine Greenlaw, Mayor

#### 10:00 am- 4:00 pm:

#### Fourth of July at Ferry Farm

Sponsored by THE GEORGE WASHINGTON FOUNDATION

\$1.00 admission

Catch the bus or trolley from downtown or from the Eagles Lodge on Cool Springs Road. Ferry Farm parking is handicapped only. Tours of the Washington house, archaeology, music, games, crafts, family activities, re-enactors, and history theater.

**12:00pm:** Performance by ENDURING FREEDOM HONOR TEAM

1:00pm: Flag Retirement Ceremony

#### 1:00pm and 3:00pm:

# Public Reading of the Declaration of Independence

Join us on the steps of the Hugh Mercer Apothecary Shop as we celebrate our independence. There will be a live reading of the Declaration of Independence at 1:00pm and again at 3:00pm. This event is free and open to the public.

## In the Evening

**4:30pm:** John Lee Pratt Memorial Park Opens for the

## July 4th Spectacular

Sponsored by STAFFORD COUNTY

**4:30 pm - 8:00 pm:** Children's activities, backyard games and face painting Food Vendor trucks on site

**6 pm–7:30pm:** Live Music: E3 at Celebration Stage

9:30 pm: FIREWORKS

Sponsored by STAFFORD COUNTY & CITY OF FREDERICKSBURG

#### View Fireworks from Pratt Park or Old Mill Park

- \*Bring lawn chairs
- \*No tents allowed in concert area
- \*No alcoholic beverages
- \*No sparklers
- \*No grills
- \*Dogs must be on leashes





ALL EVENTS ARE RAIN OR SHINE



For more information: Facebook.com/FXBGHeritageFestival