

Union's Sestercentennial Celebration
Weekend Schedule of Events
July 19, 20, 21, 2024

Friday, Union Common

9:00 – 4:00 Union Historical Society Robbins House Open
3:00 – 7:30 Merchandise Table and Raffle Baskets Open
4:00 – 5:00 Welcome/Opening Ceremony
4:00 – 9:00 Food Vendors Open
5:00 – 7:00 Children's Activities (Scavenger Hunt, Face Painting)
5:00 – 5:45 Bicentennial Movie at the Old Town House
5:30 – 7:30 Union Area Chamber of Commerce Pie Social
5:30 – 7:00 Free Concert: Blue Hill Brass Band

Friday, Fairgrounds

10:00 – 4:00 Mathews Museum Open
3:00 – 9:00 Food Vendors Open
6:00 – 9:00 Merchandise Table Open
7:00 – 9:00 Free Concert: Enter the Haggis

Saturday, Union Common

7:00 – 9:00 Pancake Breakfast (Donations accepted) United Methodist Church
8:30 – 10:30 Bus Tour (Meet at the Old Town House)
9:00 – 7:30 Merchandise Table and Raffle Baskets Open
9:00 – 10:00 Walking Tour of the Common (Meet at the Old Town House)
9:00 – 10:00 Author's Reading of "The Lobster Lady" Childrens Book
9:00 – 3:00 Corporal Cobb Information Table
10:00 – 3:00 Children's Activities (Relays, Tag, Cooperative Games)
10:00 – 3:00 Traditional Arts Demonstrations
11:00 – 12:30 Sestercentennial Parade (Start at TCC, End at Fairgrounds exit on Route 235)
12:00 – 2:00 Union Masonic Lodge #31 Chicken BBQ
12:00 – 5:00 Food Vendors Open
1:00 – 2:00 Beard Contest
1:00 – 2:00 Walking Tour of the Common (Meet at the Old Town House)
1:00 – 1:45 Bicentennial Movie at the Old Town House
1:00 – 3:00 Free Concert: Cats Pajamas
4:00 – 5:00 "Union Community Voices" Film at the Old Town House
7:00 – 8:00 Silent Movie: Charlie Chaplin's "The Gold Rush" at the Old Town House

Saturday, Fairgrounds

9:00 – 7:00 Company B of 20th Maine Demonstrations
9:00 – 4:00 Food Vendors Open
10:00 – 4:00 Mathews Museum Open
12:30 – 4:30 Merchandise Table Open
1:00 – 3:00 Vintage Drive-In: Maine Sports Car Club
1:00 – 3:00 Antique Tractors Drive-In
1:30 – 2:30 Ashland One Wheelers: Learn to Unicycle Event

Saturday, Fairgrounds continued

- 3:00 – 4:00 Sheep Dog Demo
- 4:15 – 5:15 20th Maine Musket Firing Exhibition

Sunday, Common

- 9:30 – 10:30 Gospel Music Hour
- 10:45 – 12:00 Non-Denominational Church Service
- 11:00 – 5:00 Merchandise Table and Raffle Baskets Open
- 11:00 – 4:00 Food Vendors Open
- 12:00 – 4:30 Corporal Cobb/Civil War Information
- 12:00 -2:00 Pine Tree Boating Club at Ayer Park & Seven Tree Pond
- 1:00 – 2:00 “Union Community Voices” Filt at the Old Town House
- 1:00 – 3:00 Children’s Activities (Water Games, Parachute Games, Relays)
- 2:00 – 3:00 Sundaes on Sunday and Birthday Cake
- 2:00 – 3:00 Walking Tour of the Common (Meet at the Old Town House)
- 3:00 – 4:30 Closing Ceremony

Sunday, Fairgrounds

- 7:00 – 6:00 Food Vendors Open
- 9:00 – 10:30 Bounce Houses (weather permitting)
- 9:00 – 2:00 Company B of the 20th Maine Demonstrations
- 11:00 – 3:30 Merchandise Table Open
- 11:00 – 12:30 Cornhole Tournament
- 11:00 – 2:00 Founding Descendants Picnic (bring your own food)
- 11:00 -1:00 Antique and Collectible Auction Preview
- 1:00 – 2:30 Antique and Collectible Auction – Blueberry Acres building
- 2:00 – 4:00 Family Kickball Game