Welcome to the
47th Annual
4TH AT THE FORT
CELEBRATION!

ACTIVITIES: 10AM - 4PM

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Welcome to the Historical Museum at Fort Missoula! Thank you so much for participating in our 47th Annual 4th at the Fort Celebration. All of the proceeds from this event will go towards helping us to keep Missoula County history alive. From offering amazing education programs for all ages to providing educational and engaging exhibits to preserving our collections for the future, the Historical Museum tells the stories of Missoula and Western Montana.

**Your Stories — Your History — Your Museum**

We hope to see you at our upcoming events:
- **Fall Harvest Festival** on October 1st
- **Used Book Sale** from November 2nd to 5th
- **Holiday Open House** on November 19th
- **Lantern Tours** in December

To learn more about our programs and events:

 wanting to get more involved with the Historical Museum?
- **Become a Member** — Members receive free admission, discounts on programs and more!
- **Volunteer** — Be a Greeter at the Front Desk, Help to Host School Field Trips, Keep our Property Beautiful as a Grounds Volunteer

Visit our website: FortMissoulaMuseum.org
SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Main Stage Entertainment

10:30am - 12:00pm
— Missoula City Band

12:00pm — Welcome Ceremony and National Anthem

Honor Guards: American Legion, Hellgate Post 27

12:15pm - 1:45pm
— Smith and McKay All Day, Rhythm and Blues

2:00pm - 3:30pm
— Calamity Cowboy, Country Garage Band

Games and Activities Schedule:

Old-Fashioned Games at the Homestead
11:00am  1:00pm  2:30pm

Alien Detention Center Tours
Meet by the ADC Barrack Exhibit
10:30am  11:30am  1:30pm

Steam Engine and Tractor Parade
Various Times throughout the Day

Horse Drawn Wagon Rides
Meet by the Miller Creek Guard Cabin
11:30-2:30
Ongoing Activities – 10:00am - 4:00pm

- Homestead Cabin — Demonstrations & Hands-On Activities
- Teenie Winks Miniature Horses
- Scavenger Hunt for the whole family (prizes at the Info Booth)
- Antique Engine displays by the Western MT Antique Power Assn.
- Model Railroading by the Missoula Model Railroad Club
- Sawmill Demonstrations by the Society of American Foresters
- Historical surveying and MT genealogy
- Antique Tools Display
- Heidi’s Kitties—Kitten Rescue
- Fire Engine hosted by Missoula Rural Fire Department
- Craft Vendors and Activity Booths by Local Organizations
- Collector’s Sale at Rocky Mountain Museum of Military History
- SAR/DAR Independence Day Camp at Military Museum
- Historical Museum and Military Museum will both be open (Both have AC!)
- Raffle Baskets at the Information Booth!

Hosted Buildings

- Sliderock Lookout
- Willamette Locomotive #7
- Grant Creek Schoolhouse
- Hayes Homestead Cabin
- Drummond Depot Ticket Office with John Barrows
- Fort Missoula Trolley Barn
- A.C.M. Co. Lumberman’s Library Car

Food and Drinks

- Soda & Bayern Beer at Pepsi Booth
- Food Trucks
Complete the Scavenger Hunt and bring it to the Info Booth for a prize!

- Visit a historic demonstration
- 4th of July Scavenger Hunt
- Photo of bike soldiers
- Number of flags in the school house?
- What is this?
- What animals can you see at the Fort today?

Homemade Work Bench Raffle
Montana Historic Equipment Area and Montana Woodsman Team Raffle
Handmade work bench by Mark Buck, from wood cut on the Steam-powered sawmill
$5.00/ticket or 5 for $20
Drawing will be held at 3:00 at the Fort Missoula 4th of July Celebration

RAFFLE TICKETS:
$5/ticket
or
$20 for 5 tickets
Thank You

Farmers State Bank

For being a long-time supporter of the Historical Museum’s Used Book Sale!

This year’s sale will be November 2nd-5th!

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