



Kiwanis



2026
EVENT SCHEDULE

JULY 01

WEDNESDAY

- 1:00 PM** Midway concessions, rides open
- 1:00-2:00 PM** "Two for One" Bob & Terri Piascik
- 2:00-3:00 PM** Reid Coleman & John Carson
- 3:00-4:00 PM** The Paperweights
- 4:00-5:00 PM** NGSO Dixieland All-Stars
- 5:30-7:30 PM** GHS Jazz Band Concert
- 7:30-9:30 PM** GHS Steel Drum Concert
- 6:00-10 PM** Bingo @ Opera House Park
Granville Rec District
- 10:00 PM** Midway closes

JULY 02

THURSDAY

- 1:00 PM** Midway concessions, rides open
- 1:00-2:00 PM** Mary Miller
- 2:00-3:00 PM** Ken Parsons
- 3:00-4:30 PM** GHS A Cappella and Electric Strings
- 4:30-6:00 PM** Main Street Band
- 6:30-8:00 PM** Matt Simmons Band

PARTY IN THE PARK

★ AT WILDWOOD PARK ★

8:00-10:00 PM Featuring **THE BIG BADD**
SPONSORED BY Denison University

10:00 PM ROZZI'S FIREWORKS
SPONSORED BY The Granville Community Foundation

10:00 PM Midway closes

JULY 03

FRIDAY

- 1:00 PM** Midway concessions, rides open
- 1:00-2:00 PM** Village Creative Dance
- 2:00-3:00 PM** Sparky Brewer
- 3:00-4:00 PM** School Of Rock Gahanna House Band
- 4:00-5:30 PM** Granville's Got Talent
- 4:00-6:00 PM** Blue, White & Boom Alumni Event
at OneLove Café + Bikes-Sponsored by
Granville Education Foundation
- 6:00-7:30 PM** Barefoot McCoy and Friends
- 8:00-10 PM** North To Nashville
- 6:00-10 PM** Bingo @ Opera House Park
Granville Rec District
- 10:00 PM** Midway closes

JULY 04

SATURDAY

- 7:45 AM** Firecracker Five Race
Granville Rotary
- 10:30 AM** Decorated Bicycle Contest
Judging at Thresher/Broadway
- 10:45 AM** **MILE LONG PARADE**
- NOON** Midway concessions, rides open
- 12:30-1:30 PM** Regal Dreamers
- 2:00-3:00 PM** Licking County 4-H Band Concert
- 3:30-5:30 PM** Games for All Ages
Granville Rec District
- 5:30-6:30 PM** Patriotic Pet Contest
- 6:30-8:00 PM** Back Porch Swing Band
- 8:30-10 PM** Large Mouth Brass Band
- 10:00 PM** Midway closes

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2026 Grand Marshal: The Ross Family

Ross' Granville Market opened in 1978. Through their two-generation family business, the Ross family proudly served the Granville community with a commitment to quality, service, and local values for nearly five decades. Voted Best Store in Licking County in 2025, Ross' Granville Market has also been a Premier Sponsor and dedicated supporter of the Granville Kiwanis 4th of July Celebration.

OTHER EVENTS AROUND TOWN

WEDNESDAY, JULY 1 | 6:30-7:30 PM Bryn Du Mansion

Bach to the Future: A Piano Recital with A. Paul Johnson

An evening of music bridging past and present as composer and pianist A. Paul Johnson presents *Bach to the Future* on the back lawn of Bryn Du Mansion. This free, public event invites guests to enjoy the performance in a relaxed outdoor setting—please bring a chair or blanket for lawn seating.

FRIDAY, JULY 3 | 2:00-4:30 PM Rain Date Sunday, July 5th

Meet the Patriots at the Old Colony Burying Ground

Old Colony Cemetery, South Main Street (entry also from South Prospect Street). Granville's Revolutionary War Veterans and their wives come to life in costume! Children's activities too! Sponsored by the Sons of the American Revolution and the Old Colony Burying Ground.

SUNDAY, JULY 5 | 3:00 PM

Vintage Voices at Centenary United Methodist Church



Granville Kiwanis: Building Community, Celebrating Tradition Since 1964

Kiwanis is an organization of volunteers, dedicated to serving the children of the world, one child and one community at a time. Our club has over 100 members and we have sponsored the annual Granville Kiwanis 4th of July Celebration since 1964. Fundraisers include our annual Pancake Breakfast, tent and table rentals and homemade maple syrup sales. We support many community projects including the Wildwood Playground Rebuild and our Sugar Maple Arboretum at Spring Valley Nature Preserve.

Youth in our community can participate in our service leadership programs: Kiwanis Kids (K-Kids), Builders Club, Key Club, Circle K, Aktion Club, Key Leader. Additionally, we support Scouts, 4H Camp Ohio, the Granville Recreation District, the schools, boosters, and many local non-profits.

In 1964, the 20-30 Club passed sponsorship of Granville's Annual July 4th Celebration and Parade to Granville Kiwanis. This major community event and fund-raising project was expanded to a four-day street celebration with entertainment, rides, parade and fireworks. The Granville 4th of July is our club's signature event and most visible contribution to our community. It has become Granville's official homecoming.

Games, Contests & Prizes

Visit granville4th.com for contest rules, registration information and participation details.

CONTESTS

- PARADE FLOAT
- HOME DECORATING
- GRANVILLE'S GOTTALENT
- PATRIOTIC PET
- PHOTOGRAPHY
- DECORATED BIKE
- WRITING CONTEST



T-Shirt Sale

Available at the Granville Farmers' Market each Saturday 8:30-noon and at the Street Fair.

Youth and Adult sizes available.

Congratulations to Our 2026 Scholarship Winners

Look for our winners in the parade!

GRANVILLE HIGH SCHOOL

**Audrey Ames, Abigail Boissy,
Callum Sproul, Benjamin Prokop**

C-TEC / I-TEC PROGRAM

Trevor Hottinger