

HOFFMAN ESTATES • HOFFMAN ESTATES PARK DISTRICT

NORTHWEST FOURTH-FEST

2026

July 1 to July 5

NOW Arena, 5333 Prairie Stone Parkway
FREE admission & FREE parking on-site!

Live entertainment, carnival, parade, activities for kids, a drone light show, fireworks, food & more!

Fourth of July **HOTLINE:** 847-252-5446

FIREWORKS!

FRIDAY JULY 3
9:30 P.M.



PARADE!

SATURDAY, JULY 4
9 A.M.

**DRONE LIGHT
SHOW!**

SATURDAY, JULY 4
9:30 P.M.

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★ Always FREE admission and FREE parking! ★

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Schedule of Events

Always FREE admission and FREE parking!

For security reasons, no tents, coolers, grills or backpacks are permitted on festival grounds.

Wednesday, July 1

5 p.m. to 10 p.m. **Carnival Only - NOW Arena** | Wristband hours: 5 p.m. - Close

Thursday, July 2

5 p.m. to 10 p.m. **Carnival Only - NOW Arena** | Wristband hours: 5 p.m. - Close


Friday, July 3 & Saturday, July 4

Noon to 7 p.m.

FREE Kids' Zone! presented by:  **Fiber**

Inflatables: Obstacle Course, Slide, Crayon Moonwalk and Soccer Shot • Musical Shows
 • Petting Zoo (1-4:30 p.m., free, unlimited visits!) • Temporary Tattoos • Face Painting* • Balloon Artist*

FACE PAINTING
AND BALLOON
ARTIST BROUGHT
TO YOU BY:

 **SCHAUMBURG
TOWNSHIP DISTRICT
LIBRARY**
(*noon-6 p.m.)

FREE concerts & shows
at the Kid's Zone on
Friday, July 3

- 1 p.m.** Sing along with **Jeanie B.**
- 2 p.m.** Fun and educational music with **Miss Jamie's Farm**
- 3 p.m.** Meet and greet with **Patriotic Mickey Mouse**
- 4-6 p.m.** Roaming entertainer **Brian Wismer**

FREE concerts & shows
at the Kid's Zone on
Saturday, July 4

- 1 p.m.** Sing along with **Nanny Nikki**
- 2 p.m.** Sing, dance and learn with **Scribble Monster**
- 3 p.m.** Fun with the **Juggler**
- 4-5:30 p.m.** Kids dance party with a **DJ**



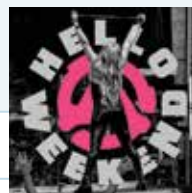
Friday, July 3

Festival stage sponsored by:

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Noon to 11 p.m. **Carnival - NOW Arena**
 Wristband session 1: Noon - 5 p.m.
 Wristband session 2: 5 p.m. - Close

5:30 p.m. **Hello Weekend** | Party band



Friday, July 3 (continued)

8:30 p.m. - Fireworks Break - 11 p.m. 7th heaven | Chicagoland pop/rock band

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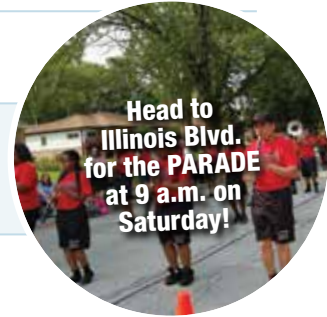
7th heaven

9:30 p.m. Fireworks | Visible from anywhere on the festival grounds 7th heaven continues playing after the fireworks.



Saturday, July 4

9 a.m. Parade on Illinois Boulevard, "Celebrating 250 Years, From Sea to Shining Sea." Bring nonperishable canned or boxed goods and paper products during the parade to donate to the Schaumburg Township Food Pantry float. Monetary donations will also be accepted.



10 a.m. to Noon Carnival Day for Individuals with Disabilities | Open to any person with a disability, their immediate family and caregivers. No cost for entry! Space is limited. Registration required prior to admittance. Register online at northwestfourthfest.com/carnival.

Noon to 11 p.m. Carnival - NOW Arena | Wristband session 1: Noon - 5 p.m., Wristband session 2: 5 p.m. - Close

5:30 p.m. David's House | Classic rock and funk covers



8:30 p.m. - Drone Light Show Break - 11 p.m. Rod Tuffcurls and the Bench Press | High-energy rock

ROD TUFFCURLS AND THE BENCH PRESS

9:30 p.m. Drone Light Show | Best viewed from the Village Green Rod Tuffcurls and the Bench Press continue playing after the drone light show

Drone Light Show powered by



Sunday, July 5

Noon to 8 p.m. Carnival Only - NOW Arena | Wristband hours: Noon to 5 p.m.

Food Vendors:

- Blackhawk BBQ & Seafood, Buona Beef, El Fuego, El Taurino Mexican Grill, Frosty Dogs, Garibaldi's Italian Eatery, Hello Boba, I Smell Bacon BBQ, Kona Ice, Kori's Koop, Polish Shack, Quang Noodle, Rainbow Cones, Windsor Ice Cream



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- Thursday, July 2** | 5 p.m. to 10 p.m. (carnival only)
- Friday, July 3** | Noon to 11 p.m.
- Saturday, July 4** | Noon to 11 p.m.
- Sunday, July 5** | Noon to 5 p.m. (carnival only)



SEE THE FIREWORKS!

Friday, July 3 - 9:30 p.m. | The region's largest fireworks show returns with another spectacular display. The show is visible from anywhere on festival grounds. Enjoy live music by 7th heaven before and after the show!



PARADE INFORMATION

Saturday, July 4 - 9 a.m. | The Fourth of July Parade returns along Illinois Boulevard, stepping off at 9 a.m. This year's theme is "Celebrating 250 Years, From Sea to Shining Sea." The Parade Marshal this year is retiring Deputy Village Manager Dan O'Malley, a 28-year employee of the Village and long-time liaison to the Fourth of July Commission. Nonperishable food and monetary donations will be accepted by the Schaumburg Township Food Pantry float.



CARNIVAL WRISTBANDS



Unlimited Ride Wristbands are available for just \$35 per rider during the times listed below.

- Wednesday, July 1**
5 p.m. to 10 p.m.
- Thursday, July 2***
5 p.m. to 10 p.m.
- Friday, July 3**
Noon to 5 p.m. (session 1)
5 p.m. to close (session 2)
- Saturday, July 4**
Noon to 5 p.m. (session 1)
5 p.m. to close (session 2)
- Sunday, July 5**
Noon to 5 p.m.

BUY IN ADVANCE ONLINE Unlimited ride wristbands are available for purchase online and at the event for \$35 (*Thursday night special, just \$25!) Wristbands are valid on any one day during carnival operating hours. Buy wristbands online at northwestfourthfest.com/carnival.



VIEW THE DRONE LIGHT SHOW

Saturday, July 4 - 9:30 p.m. | *BEST VANTAGE POINT IS AT THE VILLAGE GREEN!* Experience the future of entertainment with the state-of-the-art Drone Light Show! You will be mesmerized with a dazzling display of lights and choreographed movements that will leave a lasting impression. Enjoy live music by Rod Tuffcurls and the Bench Press before and after the show!

