

JUNE 2024

Month Long Celebrations:

- Pride Month (LGBTQIAA+) ([Learn More Here](#))
- National Caribbean American Heritage Month ([Learn More Here](#))
- Portuguese American Heritage Month (Massachusetts, pending national status) ([Learn More Here](#))
- Black Music Month ([Learn More Here](#))
- National Indigenous History Month (Canada) ([Learn More Here](#))

June Holidays and Anniversaries of Culturally Significant Events – Day by Day Celebrations:

- June 1st – Gawai Dayak Day ([Learn More Here](#))
- June 2nd – Native Indian Citizenship Act of 1924 ([Learn More Here](#))
- June 5th –Jerusalem Day ([Learn More Here](#))
- June 5th – HIV Long-Term Survivors Awareness Day ([Learn More Here](#))
- June 11th - Race Unity Day ([Learn More Here](#))
- June 11th - Puerto Rican Day Parade ([Learn More Here](#))
- June 12th - Loving (v. Virginia) Day ([Learn More Here](#))
- June 13th - The Hajj ([Learn More Here](#))

- June 16th – Father’s Day ([Learn More Here](#))
- June 17th - Eid al-Adha ([Learn More Here](#))
- June 18th - International Day of Countering Hate Speech ([Learn More Here](#))
- June 19th - Juneteenth ([Learn More Here](#))
- June 21st – Summer Solstice ([Learn More Here](#))



CELEBRATIONS ACROSS MASSACHUSETTS

Acton:

June 15th – Acton Pride Festival: ([Learn More Here](#))

Arlington

June 15th – LGBTQIA+ Pride in Arlington 2024: ([Learn More Here](#))

Boston:

June 1st – Pride Kickoff - Bar Volpe's Annual Tea Dance is Back: ([Learn More Here](#))
June 1st – Pride Yoga At Burro Bar South End: ([Learn More Here](#))
June 6th – Comedy on Draft Show – Boston Pride Edition: ([Learn More Here](#))
June 7th – MFA First Friday - Celebrate Pride at the MFA ([Learn More Here](#))
June 7th – I Am What I Am – Pride Concert & Open Mic: ([Learn More Here](#))
June 8th – Boston Pride for the People Festival & Parade: ([Learn More Here](#))
June 8th – Pride After Dark 2024: ([Learn More Here](#))
June 8th – Irish for Pride Group: Boston Pride 4 The People Parade ([Learn More Here](#))
June 8th – Pride Drag Brunch Party: ([Learn More Here](#))
June 9th – Pride Bar Fest 2024: ([Learn More Here](#))
June 9th – Back Bay/Stuart St Block Party for Pride in Boston: ([Learn More Here](#))
June 11th – Storming the Screen with Hurricane Bianca: ([Learn More Here](#))

Braintree:

June 1st – 2024 Braintree Pride: ([Learn More Here](#))

Cambridge:

June 1st – Pride Festival at Magazine Beach ([Learn More Here](#))
June 2nd – 2024 Pride Kickoff Boston Harbor Cruise hosted by BAGS and MBC ([Learn More Here](#))
June 28th – Paddle for Pride ([Learn More Here](#))
June 30th – Longfellow Pride Picnic ([Learn More Here](#))

Chicopee:

June 15th – Chicopee Pride 2024: ([Learn More Here](#))

Everett

June 27th – Pride Trivia Night: ([Learn More Here](#))

Holyoke:

June 22nd – Holyoke Pride Block Party: ([Learn More Here](#))

Lowell:

June 15th – Greater Lowell Pride Festival: ([Learn More Here](#))

Malden:

June 29th – Malden Pride 2024: ([Learn More Here](#))

Maynard:

June 7-9th – First Annual Maynard Pride Festival: ([Learn More Here](#))

Northampton:

June 1st – Drag You to The Dark Side: ([Learn More Here](#))

Pittsfield:

June 8th – Berkshire Pride's 8th Annual LGBTQ+ Festival and Parade ([Learn More Here](#))

Provincetown:

June 1st – The 7th Annual Pride Celebration: Pride Festival & Marketplace: ([Learn More Here](#))

June 1st – Pride Rally at Town Hall & “Sashay” to Tea ([Learn More Here](#))

Quincy:

June 2nd – Quincy Pride Festival: ([Learn More Here](#))

June 2nd – Bloom Glo at Quincy Pride Day Market: ([Learn More Here](#))

June 7th – Paint Your Pride: Pottery Event: ([Learn More Here](#))

Reading:

June 1st – Pride Parade and Celebration: ([Learn More Here](#))

Salem:

June 2nd – Salem Pride Month Flag Raising: ([Learn More Here](#))

June 2nd – The Salem Rainbow Stroll: ([Learn More Here](#))

June 22nd – North Shore Pride's Pride Festival: ([Learn More Here](#))

Somerville:

June 1st – ALPFA Pride Member Mixer- A celebration of Vibrant & Diverse Community:
([Learn More Here](#))

June 10th – Pride BBQ hosted by Rebel Rebel([Learn More Here](#))

Springfield:

June 29th – Official Springfield Pride Bar: ([Learn More Here](#))

Waltham:

June 16th – Waltham Pride 2024: ([Learn More Here](#))

Worcester:

June 22nd – Worcester Official Pride Bar Crawl: ([Learn More Here](#))

JUNETEENTH CELEBRATIONS

2024

Amherst:

June 19th – Juneteenth Open Mic- Music-Poetry- HipHop -Jazz: ([Learn More Here](#))

Boston:

June 8th – Juneteenth Unlimited at Boston Library: In this interactive workshop, we'll explore the story of Juneteenth, the oldest commemoration of the outlawing of slavery in the United States: ([Learn More Here](#))

June 15th – Soul Weekend a Juneteenth Celebration: ([Learn More Here](#))

June 15th – A Juneteenth Celebration- Celebrating Juneteenth, Landmarks Orchestra, in collaboration with Castle of Our Skins, starts the 2024 summer season with a performance at the Kroc Center!
([Learn More Here](#))

June 15th – Juneteenth Celebration with Benkadi Drum and Dance- In honor of Juneteenth, the multicultural Benkadi Drum and Dance group returns to perform new dances showcasing traditional West African rhythms and movements: ([Learn More Here](#))

June 19th – 2nd Annual Juneteenth Freedom Cookout
World Record Attempt for the Longest Soul Train Line; ([Learn More Here](#))

June 19th – Boston Juneteenth Parade - Help Celebrate the 14th Annual Boston Juneteenth Emancipation Observation: ([Learn More Here](#))

June 19th – Juneteenth Celebration Block Party: A Family Reunion: ([Learn More Here](#))

Brockton:

June 15th – 3rd Annual Juneteenth Celebration: The African American Association of Brockton: ([Learn More Here](#))

June 15th – Brockton Juneteenth Fair Grounds: ([Learn More Here](#))

June 15th – 1st Annual Brockton Church of God of Prophecy 1st Annual Juneteenth Block Party: ([Learn More Here](#))

June 15th – Juneteenth Adult Field Day - throw it back to the good days by linking up with friends and playing outside all day like big kid: ([Learn More Here](#))

Cambridge:

June 16th – Juneteenth Annual Gathering to honor those who endured slavery
Brattle Street before the American Revolution, their living descendants, and the long history of Black freedom activism in Cambridge and beyond: ([Learn More Here](#))

Everett:

June 19th – Juneteenth Freedom Day- Join us in celebrating Juneteenth in the City of Everett in 2024 with music, food, and community fun: ([Learn More Here](#))

Framingham:

June 19th – MTA Celebrates Juneteenth Hosted by the Ethnic Minority Affairs Committee:
([Learn More Here](#))

Gloucester:

June 16th – 4th Annual Gloucester Juneteenth Celebration - Celebrate Juneteenth, the oldest nationally celebrated commemoration of the ending of slavery in the United States:
([Learn More Here](#))

Lowell:

June 14th – Juneteenth Flag Raising in Lowell: ([Learn More Here](#))

June 15th – Juneteenth Jubilee: Free food, games, outdoor exhibits, authors and so much more:
([Learn More Here](#))

Lynn:

June 22nd – Juneteenth Celebration w/ North Shore Juneteenth: ([Learn More Here](#))

Malden:

June 19th – Malden's Juneteenth Celebration
11am – 3pm
Lincoln Commons Park in Malden
Free Admission, Open to All
Flag raising, Music, Poetry, Activities, Food, and Vendor Tables

New Bedford:

June 19th – PDD Celebrate Juneteenth: Underground Railroad presented by the National Park Service
New Bedford Whaling Museum
11:00am – 2:00 pm (FREE)
National Park Service Visitor Center
33 William Street, New Bedford, MA

Newton:

June 19th – Newton Juneteenth Celebration 2024 - A fantastic family celebration that brings entertainment, food trucks, lots of vendors, kids' activities, and a DJ dance party:
([Learn More Here](#))

June 19th – Forever Free Juneteenth Celebration Concert: ([Learn More Here](#))

Pittsfield:

June 16th – Juneteenth Celebration 2024; Berkshire County invites you to come celebrate our Freedom walk: ([Learn More Here](#))

Stoughton:

June 19th – 2024 Stoughton Juneteenth: Celebrate Juneteenth in Stoughton in 2024 with music, food, and community fun: ([Learn More Here](#))

Westford:

June 19th – Westford's First Juneteenth Flag Raising & Celebration! Join us at Westford Town Common for a day filled with community, history, and joy: ([Learn More Here](#))

Weymouth

June 19th – 2nd Annual Juneteenth Freedom Day Celebration
Games, Food, Resources, Entertainment & More: ([Learn More Here](#))