

America250PA- Mercer County

2026

JANUARY

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2026

FAVORITE THINGS LIST

Look out for a list of Mercer County residents favorite things over the last 250 years!

FEBRUARY

2026

BLACK HISTORY MONTH

A month filled with activities to celebrate African American History

MARCH

2026

WOMENS HISTORY MONTH

A month dedicated to the celebration of the women who have shaped our nation

APRIL

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PHOTO CONTEST IMAGES ARE DUE

Last day to submit images for the A250 photo contest

APRIL

23
2026

PHOTO CONTEST WINNERS ANNOUNCED

Photo contest winners will be announced at the Commissioners meeting at 3pm

MAY

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2026

VETRANS MEMORIAL MONTH

Join us for a Memorial Day 500 celebration

MAY

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UNDERGROUND RAILROAD TOURS

Learn about Mercer County's role in the Underground Railroad

JUNE

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OPEN HOUSE SATURDAYS BEGIN

Come to your local Historical Society to learn about your area's history

JUNE

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BINGO CARDS DUE

Last day to submit your virtual bingo cards

JULY

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COMMUNITY KICKOFF CELEBRATION

Join us for a patriotic concert on the Courthouse Square with fireworks and fanfare

JULY

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AMERICAS SEMIOQUINTEINAL CELEBRATION

On America's 250th birthday join us in Courthouse Square for a parade and ice cream social

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Further details on all events will be announced closer to the event dates

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March
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PHOTO CONTEST

County residents of all ages are encouraged to submit photos of Mercer County

JULY
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OFFICIAL COMMUNITY KICKOFF

Bring your family for a fun night of patriotic music on the Courthouse Square (community and confetti cannons)

- Betsy Ross and Uncle Sam lookalike competition

JULY
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LAYFAYETTE MARKER

A marker will be placed in honor of Lafayette

JULY
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MERCER COUNTY BINGO CONTEST KICK-OFF

A virtual bingo game to visit highlighted locations in Mercer County

AUGUST
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FIRST PODCAST EPISODE

The first episode of The Mercer County Chronicles: A podcast dedicated to educating our community and preserving our nation's history

AUGUST
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AGRICULTURE TOURS BEGIN

Explore the local farms with a guided tour

SEPTEMBER
2025

TRAILS

Engaging tours on an array of topics: candy, cemeteries, ice cream, churches, outdoor rec. museums, historical buildings, statues, parks, coffee, local restaurants

OCTOBER
3
2025

YOUTH CONTESTS

Coloring and Essay contest to begin for K-12

November
21
2025

CIVICS SUMMIT

A day for students grades 6-8th chosen by their school district to learn all things government and citizenship at Penn State Shenango

DECEMBER
2025

CHRISTMAS CONCERTS

Join us for carols in the courthouse led by our local students

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