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CITY OF WHITE PLAINS INDEPENDENCE DAY CELEBRATION

White Plains, NY – JUNE 19, 2018. The City of White Plains is once again getting ready to celebrate Independence Day with a free community event and fireworks display. This cherished White Plains tradition will take place on Tuesday, July 3 from 6:00 - 10:00 p.m. at White Plains High School on North Street.

Residents are encouraged to come early, bring blankets and chairs and enjoy a fun-filled evening of music, games, entertainers, food, and fireworks!

This year’s celebration will feature a performance by **West Point’s Benny Havens Band** on the main stage. Check them out here: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=fEabJTddxQY>. The Benny Havens Band is a leading popular music ensemble in the armed forces, primarily serving the United States Corps of Cadets at West Point. The band represents the U.S. Army to millions in live and broadcast audiences yearly through the New York City media market. We promise you won’t be disappointed!

Children and their families will enjoy a visit from the Animal Embassy, the Miz Liz variety show, Oceans Rock, DinoMan, Henry the Juggler and the Bubble Bus in the Kids’ Corner. Inflatable Party Adventures will offer inflatable rides for only \$2.00 each. Yes, our food associates are back: delicious barbeque, fried dough, ice cream, burgers, Walters Hot Dogs, Kona Ice and more offered by a variety of our tristate vendors.

The White Plains Independence Day Celebration wouldn’t be complete without fireworks. The show, presented by International Fireworks, will begin at approximately 9:20 pm. The sky will be illuminated with a spectacular display and spectators big and small are sure to be amazed.

Please note: In the event of inclement weather the city will make an announcement about the event by the afternoon of July 3rd via its website, www.cityofwhiteplains.com and social media.