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FIREWORKS OVER FAYETTE RETURNS SUNDAY

Uniontown, PA – The Fayette Chamber of Commerce will host its annual Fireworks Over Fayette Independence Day Celebration July 1 at the Uniontown Mall.

Chamber Executive Director Muriel Nuttall said the chamber has proudly hosted the event for nearly 30 years.

Fayette County Commissioner Vince Vicites said Fireworks Over Fayette is a great way for families to celebrate the Fourth of July.

“I encourage all Fayette County residents to attend and celebrate our nation’s birthday by showing our patriotism,” Vicites said.

This year’s festivities begin at 3 p.m. near the large United States flag on the mall grounds along Route 40 west in Uniontown.

Hailed as patriotic favorites, VFW Post 8543 Band will perform at 4:30. They are sponsored by Mike Wood Toyota.

Fayette County’s own Blended Reality will return this year for a 7 p.m. performance sponsored by Pento Homecare.

Family activities provided by Faith Assembly of God church, vendors, food and more will be featured.

“The entire event will culminate in a fabulous fireworks display by Fayette’s own Keystone Fireworks, presented by 84 Lumber and the members of the Fayette Chamber,” Nuttall said, adding WMBS Radio will simulcast the fireworks, which begin at dusk.

Fayette County Commissioner Angela Zimmerlink wants attendees to remember what Independence Day is all about.



“Fireworks are nice and many enjoy it, but it is more important to understand that fireworks began when John Adams suggested celebrating the signing of the Declaration of Independence,” Zimmerlink said.

In addition to those previously mentioned, other annual sponsors include: Vistra Energy, Frick Tri-County Federal Credit Union, Community Bank, PNC Bank, Uniontown Hospital, Fay-Penn Economic Development Council, Stewart Collision, First National Bank of PA, First Federal Savings Bank, Neubauer’s Flowers, Chestnut Ridge Counseling Services, Joyce’s Fine Jewelry, Joe Fida’s Instant Auto Plate Service and Gray and Cindy Parsons.

Fayette County Commissioner Dave Lohr said Fireworks Over Fayette is “a celebration of the greatest country - and county - on earth.”

“The world has been changed because of our independence and celebrating it with fireworks is just a small celebration that everyone can be a part of,” Lohr said. “I hope everyone enjoys it.”

For more information about the Independence Day Celebration, call the Fayette Chamber of Commerce at 724-437-4571.

To learn more about Fayette County, visit www.fayettecountypa.info.

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