

## Monson Summerfest's Future is Up to You

The purpose of Monson Summerfest, Inc. is to foster civic pride and participation in an annual Fourth of July celebration.

Monson Summerfest's roots date back to 1978 when the Monson Methodist Church conceived the idea of a fun-filled day for friends and families to celebrate our nation's birth and one another. Who would have dreamed that Monson Summerfest would have grown to be a part of Monson's culture?

Certainly, sincere thanks are due all of the past and current members of the Monson Summerfest Committee. A core group of civic minded individuals who spearhead the effort, give of themselves, investigate possible improvements, plan future events, and address concerns throughout the year.

The Monson Summerfest Committee salutes the efforts the Select Board; the Police, Fire, Highway, Park & Recreation, and School Departments; and promotes church groups, local businesses, civic organizations, and citizens who support all of our activities.

It is doubtful that any member of the Monson Summerfest Committee would want a pat on the back or a medal on their chest, we'd rather see the childlike twinkling eyes of all who attend watching the parade or fireworks.

Like many non-profit organizations, Monson Summerfest, Inc.'s small core group is dwindling and aging out. We are in need of new members with refreshing ideas. If our annual celebration is to continue, we must have your help. Please consider joining this volunteer organization. Contact us by mail at PO Box 113, Monson, MA 01057, at <https://monsonsummerfestinc.com/get-involved> , or speak with any member whom you might know.

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