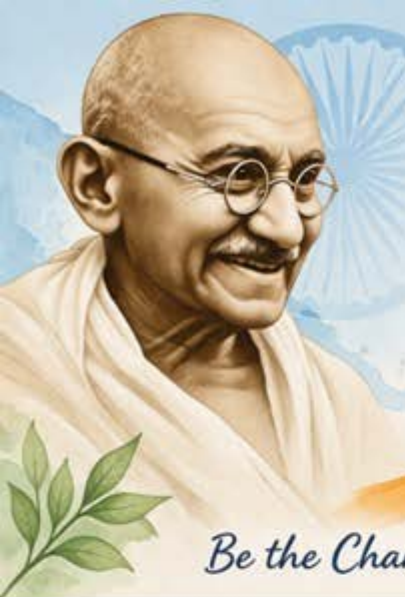




20th Annual GANDHI DAY WALKATHON & INDIA FESTIVAL

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 19th, 2026

Be the Change: Walking for Unity, Peace, and Our Children

Event Mission

Join us for a day of celebration, culture, and community as we honor the legacy of Mahatma Gandhi. Our mission is to promote Gandhi's message of non-violence and unity while providing vital support to the organizations that make our community stronger.

This Year's Focus: CASA for Kids

All proceeds from the 2026 Walkathon will be donated to CASA for KIDS Morgantown and Marion County.

CASA (Court Appointed Special Advocates) provides a voice for children who have experienced abuse or neglect and are navigating the foster care and court systems. Volunteers are trained to advocate for the safety and stability of these children during their most difficult moments.



"Your generous donation directly supports the recruitment and training of volunteers... ensuring children in our community have a strong, informed voice."

— Leah Turner, Executive Director

A Tradition of Giving

For two decades, we have supported a wide range of local causes, including:

- Star City Volunteer Fire Department
- Operation Welcome Home
- Rosenbaum Family House
- Pantry Plus
- Empty Bowls, Monongalia
- WVU Children's Hospital
- Milan Puskar Health Right Clinic
- Habitat for Humanity, Mon County
- Morgantown Soup Kitchen
- Local Chapter of United Way

Event Overview



Fun



Food Stands
from Various Parts of India



Music



3K Walk



Encourage & Support
Local Charities



Kids Games

Walk for Unity



Time: 3:30 - 6:00 PM



When: Saturday, September 19th, 2026



Where: HRCC Temple
137 Bakers Ridge Rd.



Contact: hrceducation@hrccmorgantown.org