

Calendar of Events

May 9, 2024

Geranium Sale: Pick Up TODAY!

Red Mill Pavilion

12:00 PM - 06:00 PM EST

Cathy Leik, 616-299-8752

<https://portlandmigardenclub.org/geranium-sale>

Geranium Pickup date is May 9th, Noon - 6pm

Spring is here and it's time for the Portland Garden Club's Annual Geranium Sale.

Online ordering will open on April 1st at <https://portlandmigardenclub.org/geranium-sale> and run through April 30th.

Colors are red, white, light pink, dark pink and salmon and the cost will be \$2.50 per plant. There will be a limited quantity, so place your order early as these beautiful plants go quickly!

Curbside pickup at the Portland Red Mill will be on Thursday, May 9th from Noon to 6pm. Stay in your vehicle and pay with cash or check. Your geraniums will be loaded in your vehicle by one of our volunteers.

If you are interested in volunteering to assist with the sale or have any questions, please contact Cathy at (616) 284-1213. Proceeds help us to beautify downtown Portland, have educational speakers at our meetings, and make monetary donations to local organizations.

May 10, 2024

Annual Mystery Dinner/Theater

Red Mill Pavilion

450 Water St

Portland, MI 48875

06:00 PM - 08:00 PM EST

Noreen Logel , 616.841.8200

friendsoftheredmill@gmail.com

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May 11, 2024

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Farmers Market,

oldredmillfarmersmarket@gmail.com

A HUGE line up of vendors! Shop Local - Shop Small - Shop Them All!

Annuals & Perennials

Heirloom Vegetable Plants

Herb Starts

Hanging Baskets

Potted Plants

Bird Feeders

Soaps & Oils

Yard Art

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May 14, 2024

Team WORKshop - MiPortland

City Hall Conference Room

06:15 PM - 07:30 PM EST

Tina CW, 517-647-5027

tinacw@portland-michigan.org

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Public and Stakeholders welcome

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May 17, 2024

Community Garage Sales

Throughout Portland

FRIDAY, MAY 17th from 9am-7pm and SATURDAY, May 18th from 9am-2pm

Becca Fedewa, 269-906-0926

beccafedewa@hotmail.com

Friday, May 17th 9am-7pm and Saturday, May 18th 9am-2pm

Stay informed and updated at [Portland Community Garage Sales Page](#)

Loads of Sales, in addition to ours, Westphalia's sales are the same weekend

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\$5 registration fee (\$6 after May 1st) will help offset advertising, paper, printing, signage, and distribution costs and can be mailed to Becca Fedewa, PO Box 471 Portland, MI 48875, paid via PayPal to beccafedewa@hotmail.com, or via Venmo @BeccaFedewa

Benefits of participating/registering your sale:

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May 27, 2024

Memorial Day Services

Veterans Memorial Bridge, Portland Cemetery, VFW Hall

10:00 AM - 02:00 PM EST

qm@vfw4090.org

Portland VFW Post 4090, the American Legion, and Auxiliary will again host services honoring U.S. Service People.

10am begins the march from Veterans Memorial Bridge, up Bridge Street with stops and recognition at Lehman Funeral Homes and the Portland Cemetery.

*Followed with the annual Memorial Day Chicken BBQ hosted by PUMC and VFW 4090
11am - 2pm*

May 27, 2024

Board Meeting - MiPortland DDA

City Hall, Portland MI

259 Kent Street

Portland, MI 48875

07:00 PM - 08:00 PM EST

DDA Executive Director, 517-647-5027

dda@portland-michigan.org

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June 28, 2024

FIREWORKS - Independence Celebration

Bogue Flats

430 Water St

Portland, MI 48875

From Dusk thru a 20 minute spectacular show

Tina ConnerWellman, 5176475027

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As MI Portland Downtown takes on Independence Celebration Fireworks through 2025, the event will take place at Bogue Flats the Friday Before July 4 at dusk.

2023 Friday June 30

Be a part of shaping up one of Portland's favorite events We have levels and price ranges to suit every business and individual. Portland is a community built and maintained on the strength of its residents and businesses. We come together this time of year to celebrate our independence and appreciate those who've served to maintain our freedoms.

We hope you'll join us Friday June 30, 2023, and contribute or pledge what you can.

tinacw@portland-michigan.org 517-647-5027 (leave message please)

2023 - Friday June 30

2024 - Friday June 28

2025 - Friday June 27

2026 - Another Organization or a newly formed Fireworks Group takes over

July 3, 2024

4th July PARADE!

From Riverside Dr - Down Kent Street to Grand River Ave (left) - to Water St (right) - to Bouge Flats

10:00 AM - 10:30 AM EST

Erica Sheehan,

llicabean@gmail.com

Presented by the Portland Scouting Groups

The parade will be on July 4th, at 10:00am. We will be following the same route as we did last year.

Lineup will be on Riverside Drive starting at 9:00am.

As you arrive on Riverside Drive please pull up into line as we will not have assigned spots in the lineup this year.

Please remember that while there is no throwing of items, you are welcome to place them at people's feet or hand things out.

The VFW will be leading the parade with the scouts immediately following them.

Please fill out this form to sign up. Please email with any questions. I hope you're all having a great spring!

Thank you,

Erica Sheehan