



## EVENTS 2017

### BILLIE LIMACHER BICENTENNIAL PARK & THEATRE

\*Events produced by nonprofit 501(C)(3) **WILL-JOLIET BICENTENNIAL PARK, INC.**

- \*June 1-August 31 – 43<sup>rd</sup> Concerts On The Hill – variety of **FREE**, **NEW** & **THEME** music outdoors on Thursdays (6:30 pm)
- \*June 1 – **FREE** Concert On The Hill – featuring Metropolitan Youth Symphony & Joliet American Legion Band (6:30 pm)
- \*June 8 – **FREE NEW Mambo Night!** – Concert On The Hill with Grammy-nominated Angel Melendez & Tributo Lavoe (6:30 pm)
- \*June 15 – **FREE** Concert On The Hill – featuring JTHS Alumni Choir, musical preview & Bicentennial Pops Band (6:30 pm)
- \*June 16, 17, 23, 24, 25 – “Anything Goes” Musical – indoor show 7 pm & 2 pm (\$15 adults/ \$10 seniors & children)
- \*June 19-July 16 – Summer Drama Camp (Shows July 15 & 16) – ages 5-18 meet in theatre M-Th to learn a musical.
- \*June 22 – **FREE NEW Folk & Blues Night!** – Stay Tuned String Band & Missed Trained Blues harmonica duo (6:30 pm)
- \*June 29 – Joliet Chamber’s Business After Hours – members meet & mingle, grab a bite & stay for the free concert
- \*June 29 – **FREE Spoken Four!** – Concerts On The Hill featuring dynamic rock/ pop band, singing & dancing (6:30 pm)
- \*June 30 – Battle of the Bands forms due – July 22 competition for unsigned bands, all types & ages. 6 bands chosen.
- \*July 1 – **FREE Independence Celebration & FIREWORKS** – kick-off your holiday early, live bands, food ‘n brews!
- \*July 6 – **FREE NEW Bluegrass Night!** – Concert On The Hill with Pops Band, Cloggin’ Craze & Fiddler Anne Hatfield (6:30 pm)
- \*July 13 – **FREE NEW Veterans’ Night!** – Concert On The Hill: Pops Band with Naperville Men’s Glee Club & JTHS Alumni Band (6:30 pm)
- \*July 15 & 16 – “Singing In The Rain” Musical – by Summer Drama Campers (Sa & Su: 2:00 pm, \$5 all ages)
- \*July 20 – **FREE** Concert On The Hill – Vocalist Alexis Smith, “Hairspray” preview & Joliet American Legion Band (6:30 pm)
- \*July 22 – Battle of the Bands – 6 bands compete for cash prizes, paid Park gig & braggin’ rights. Forms due June 30.
- \*July 27 – **FREE NEW Swing Dance Contest Night!** – Concert On The Hill: Carl Linder Dancers & Bergeson Swing Band (6:30 pm)
- July 28-30, Aug 4-6 – “Hairspray” Musical – Joliet Drama Guild (Fr & Sa: 7:30 pm/ Su: 2 pm, \$15/\$13, [www.jolietdramaguild.org](http://www.jolietdramaguild.org))
- \*July 13 – **FREE** Concert On The Hill – featuring Bicentennial Pops Band & Joliet Township High School (6:30 pm)
- \*August 3 – **FREE Polka Night!** – Concert On The Hill with Eddie Korosa Jr & Frank Rossi’s Sounds of Sinatra (6:30 pm)
- \*August 10 – **FREE** Concert On The Hill – Bicentennial Pops Band (Dir. Jones’ farewell) & vocalists Foster & Chuporak (6:30 pm)
- \*August 12 – **FREE** River Fest – lighted boat display along the riverwalk, live music, games, food ‘n brews!
- \*August 17 – **FREE NEW Kids Night!** – Concert On The Hill with The Lost Vinyls & vocalist/ guitarist Tamara Martinez (6:30 pm)
- \*August 19 – Art 4 Every 1 – TADA (Tri Area Disability Activists) picnic & art for sale by area disability groups (12-4pm)
- August 20 – Car Show by Spanish Center & 4 Ever Rollin Car Club – contact either group for details & registration.
- \*Aug 24 – **FREE NEW Back to High School Night!** – Concert On The Hill: Remember When Band & JCHS Symphonic Band (6:30 pm)
- \*August 26 – **NEW** “Light The Fire” Women’s Conference – building better images for females in media, finance & politics
- \*August 31 – **FREE** Concert On The Hill – 43<sup>rd</sup> Season Finale – JTHS Orchestra & Joliet American Legion Band (6:30 pm)
- \*September TBA – Bears, Bags & Beers – watch the Bears’ first home game on the big screen outdoors! Food ‘n brews!
- Sept 22-24 & 29-Oct 1 – “Invitation To Murder” – by Latitude 41° (Fr & Sat: 8 pm, Su: 2 pm, \$15/ \$13, [www.lat41.org](http://www.lat41.org))
- \*Sept 23-Oct 21 – Saturday Youth Drama Classes – (9 am: grade school, \$60 / 10:30 am: high school, \$65)
- \*October 7 – Rocky Horror Show outdoor movie – watch the big screen and live actors at same time! (\$5)
- \*October 14 & 15 – “The Spirit of All Hallow’s Eve” show – Halloween lore come to life (Sa: 2 & 7 pm, Su: 1 & 4 pm, \$5)
- October/November – Providence & JCA Fall shows – stay tuned for show details.
- \*December 2 & 3 – 41<sup>st</sup> Festival of Gnomes – indoor show, “gnomemade” gift shop (1 pm: Sa & Su / 3:30 pm: Sa, \$5)
- \*December 2 – The Drunk’n Gnome – gnome show for mature audiences, ages 18+, rated R (8:00 pm: Sa, \$5)
- December 15-17 – Joliet Drama Guild Madrigal Dinner – festive period music & show (7 pm: Fr & Sa / 1 pm: Su)

