



“Celebrate America” entertainment lineup at the Harbor July 3-4
Kenosha Pops perform July 4 at the Pennoyer Park bandshell

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KENOSHA – Music and entertainment on multiple stages kicks off on July 3, as the City of Kenosha prepares to celebrate Independence Day. A full line-up of entertainment continues July 4 along the lakefront, highlighted by the Festival Foods Fireworks at 9:30 p.m. on July 4. Pyrotechnics expert The Mad Bomber promises another spectacular show to light up the skies over the lakefront.

Celebrate America

Happenings Magazine, Festival Foods, Kenosha County and many community partners join the City of Kenosha to support Celebrate America activities along the harbor from 11 a.m. to 11 p.m. July 3-4. Two stages of entertainment, the Dock Dogs contest and vendors are set up north of 54th Street between Sixth Avenue and Second Avenue. Admission is free and open to the public. Food and beverages are available for purchase.

Legendary Blues act Studebaker John Duo kicks off the lineup on the Shoreline West Stage near 54th Street and Fourth Avenue at 11:30 a.m. July 3. Meanwhile, Acoustically Live With Bryant gets the music going at 1 p.m. on the Shoreline East Stage near 54th Street and Second Avenue.

Headline acts on July 3 include Boy Meets World, performing at 7:30 p.m. on the Shoreline East Stage and Cap’n Funk and the Groove Train on the Shoreline West Stage at 8 p.m.

On July 4, In the Stix Band performs from 8:45-9:15 p.m. on the Shoreline West Stage, then returns to the stage from 10-10:45 p.m. following the Festival Foods Fireworks. Fans will enjoy the tribute to the ones behind the hits “Mr. Roboto,” “Come Sail Away,” “Renegade” and more.

Schedule of bands July 3-4:

Shoreline East Stage July 3:

1-3:30 p.m.: Acoustically Live With Bryant

4:15-6:45 p.m.: Kovacs and Company

7:30-10:30 p.m.: Boy Meets World

Shoreline West Stage July 3:

11:30 a.m. -1:30 p.m. Studebaker John Duo

2:15-4:30 p.m.: Lunde

5-7 p.m.: Peter and the Versatiles

8-10:30 p.m.: Cap'n Funk and the Groove Train

Shoreline East Stage July 4:

12:30-2:30 p.m.: Vertigo

3:15-5:15 p.m.: Smolens Trio

6-8 p.m.: Flat Creek Highway

8:30-10:45 p.m. Deja Vu

Shoreline West Stage July 4:

1-3:30 p.m. Simply Sound

3:45-5:45 p.m.: Tap Room All Stars

6:15-8:15 p.m.: Perfecting Gravity

8:45-9:15 p.m. and 10-10:45 p.m.: In the Stix Band

Carnival July 2-4

Rainbow Valley Carnival, featuring an assortment of rides and fun, is open from 5 to 10 p.m. July 2 and 11 a.m. to 10 p.m. July 3-4 between 54th Street and 55th Street, west of Sixth Avenue. Fees apply.

Dock Dogs Diving Contest (East of Sixth Avenue at 54th Street)

Dogs will entertain and refresh the crowds at the Dock Dogs Diving contest July 3-4, with a large pool set up for the contest. Dogs are encouraged by their owners and the crowd to jump off the dock to retrieve their favorite toy. Register on-site beginning at 10 a.m. July 3 and July 4.

Performance times:

11 a.m. July 3-4

12:30 p.m. July 3-4

2:30 p.m. July 3-4

4:30 p.m. July 3

7 p.m. Big Air finals July 4

Let Freedom Sing at Pennoyer Park July 4

The Kenosha Pops band will perform from 4-5:30 p.m. with a medley of patriotic favorites. Bring a picnic dinner and relax prior to the Festival Foods Fireworks at 9:30 p.m.

