

CITY OF GARY

2026 Events



JANUARY

Officer Appreciation Luncheon

Date: Tuesday, January 13, 2026
Time: 12:00 PM
Place: Marquette Park Pavilion
1 N Grand Blvd., Gary, IN 46403

FEBRUARY

GPD Hiring Event

Date: Saturday, February 7, 2026
Time: 7:00 AM
Place: West Side High School
900 Gerry St., Gary, IN 46406

Fireside Chat: Gary is Open for Business

Date: Tuesday, February 10, 2026
Time: 5:30 PM - 7:30 PM
Located: Hard Rock Casino
5400 W 29th Ave, Gary, IN 46406

Love Your Block Program Launch

Date: Friday, February 13, 2026
Time: 8:00 AM
Place: Indiana University NW 3400
Broadway, Gary, IN 46408

Business Networking Series

Date: Thursday, February 19, 2026
Time: 6:00 PM - 8:30 PM
Place: Loft Adiq
752 Broadway, Gary, IN 46402

MARCH

Age Friendly Bingo

Date: Friday, March 6, 2026
Time: 11:00 AM - 2:00 PM
Place: Roosevelt Park Pavilion,
2201 Harrison St., Gary, IN 46407

UNCF Mayor's Breakfast (Ticketed)

Date: Wednesday, March 11, 2026
Time: 8:00 AM - 10:00 AM
Place: Gary Area Career Center
1800 E 35th Ave, Gary, IN 46409

Ladies First Event (Ticketed)

Hosted by First Lady Crystal Melton
Date: Saturday, March 14, 2026
Time: 11:00 AM - 2:00 PM
Place: Marquette Pavilion
1 N Grand Blvd., Gary, IN 46403

Business Networking Series

Date: Thursday, March 19, 2026
Time: 6:00 PM - 8:30 PM
Place: RailCats Stadium
1 Stadium Plaza, Gary, IN 46402

APRIL

Age Friendly Bingo

Date: Friday, April 3, 2026
Time: 11:00 AM - 2:00 PM
Place: Roosevelt Park Pavilion 2201
Harrison St., Gary, IN 46407

Business Networking Series

Date: Thursday, April 16, 2026
Time: 6:00 PM - 8:30 PM
Place: RailCats Stadium
1 Stadium Plaza, Gary, IN 46402

NWI Health Cooperative Community Baby Shower

Date: Thursday, April 16, 2026
Time: 11:00 AM - 2PM
Place: Gary Public Library
220 W 5th Ave, Gary, IN 46402

Volunteer BIG Spring Clean-Up Day

Date: April, 25, 2026
Time: 8:00 AM
Place: City Hall
401 Broadway, Gary, IN 46402

State of the City Address

Date: Tuesday, April 28, 2026
Time: 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM
Place: Embassies of Christ
4285 Cleveland St., Gary, IN 46408

Lake County Prevent Child Abuse Candlelight Vigil

Date: Wednesday, April 29, 2026
Time: 5:00 PM to 7:00 PM
Place: City Hall
401 Broadway, Gary, IN 46402

MAY

Age Friendly Bingo

Date: Friday, May 1, 2026
Time: 11:00 AM - 2:00 PM
Place: Roosevelt Park Pavilion
2201 Harrison St., Gary, IN 46407

Community Mental Health Summit

Date: Wednesday, May 20, 2026
Time: 10am - 2pm
Place: RailCats Stadium
1 Stadium Plaza, Gary, IN 46402

Business Networking Series

Date: Thursday, May 21, 2026
Time: 6:00 PM - 8:30 PM
Place: RailCats Stadium
1 Stadium Plaza, Gary, IN 46402

Fallen Soldiers Memorial Service / Fallen Officer Memorial

Date: Friday, May 29, 2026
Time: 10:00 AM
Place: Gary Police Station
555 Polk St., Gary, IN 46402

Health Department Health Fair

Date: Saturday, May 30, 2026
Time: 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM
Place: Gary Health Department
1145 W 5th Ave, Gary, IN 46402

Household Hazardous Waste Collection

Date: Saturday, May 30, 2026
Time: 9:00 AM - 2:00 PM
Place: Hudson Campbell
455 Massachusetts Street
Gary, Indiana 46402

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JUNE

Age Friendly Bingo

Date: Friday, June 5, 2026
Time: 11:00 AM - 2:00 PM
Place: Roosevelt Park Pavilion
2201 Harrison St., Gary, IN 46407

Food Truck Fridays

Date: Friday, June 12, 2026
Time: 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM
Place: 6th Ave. & Broadway, Gary, IN

Gary Downtown Marketplace

Date: Saturday, June 13, 2026
Time: 12:00 PM - 4:00 PM
Place: 6th Ave. & Broadway, Gary, IN

Juneteenth Celebration

Date: Friday, June 19, 2026
Time: (TBD)
Place: City Hall
401 Broadway, Gary, IN 46402

Food Truck Fridays

Date: Friday, June 26, 2026
Time: 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM
Place: 6th Ave. & Broadway, Gary, IN

Greater Gary Fest

Date: Saturday, June 27, 2026
Time: 12:00 PM - 8:00 PM
Place: RailCats Stadium
1 Stadium Plaza, Gary, IN 46402

Gary Downtown Marketplace

Date: Saturday, June 27, 2026
Time: 12:00 PM - 4:00 PM
Place: 6th Ave. & Broadway,
Gary, IN

JULY

Age Friendly Bingo

Date: Friday, July 3, 2026
Time: 11:00 AM - 2:00 PM
Place: Roosevelt Park Pavilion
2201 Harrison St., Gary, IN 46407

Independence Day Parade

Date: Thursday, July 2, 2026
Time: 5:00 PM
Place: Downtown Gary

Books & Buckets w/Glenn Robinson

Date: Monday, July 6, 2026
Time: TBA
Place: Hudson-Campbell
455 Massachusetts Street,
Gary, IN 46402

Wind Down Wednesday

Date: Wednesday, July 8, 2026
Time: 5:00 PM - 9:00 PM
Place: Marquette Park Pavilion
1 N Grand Blvd., Gary, IN 46403

Gary Downtown Marketplace

Date: Saturday, July 11, 2026
Time: 12:00 PM - 4:00 PM
Place: 6th Ave & Broadway, Gary, IN

Food Truck Fridays

Date: Friday, July 17, 2026
Time: 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM
Place: 6th Ave. & Broadway, Gary, IN

Wellness Block Party

Date: Saturday, July 18, 2026
Time: 11:00 AM - 2:00 PM
Place: Gary Health Department
1145 W 5th Ave., Gary, IN 46402

Wind Down Wednesday

Date: Wednesday, July 22, 2026
Time: 5:00 PM - 9:00 PM
Place: Marquette Park Pavilion
1 N Grand Blvd., Gary, IN 46403

Northwest Indiana Symphony Summer Concert

Date: Friday, July 24, 2026
Time: 7:30 PM - 10:00 PM
Place: Marquette Park Pavilion
1 N Grand Blvd., Gary, IN 46403

Back to School Event

Date: Saturday, July 25, 2026
Time: 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM
Place: RailCats Stadium
1 Stadium Plaza, Gary, IN 46402

Gary Downtown Marketplace

Date: Saturday, July 25, 2026
Time: 12:00 PM - 4:00 PM
Place: 6th Ave. & Broadway, Gary, IN

Food Truck Fridays

Date: Friday, July 31, 2026
Time: 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM
Place: 6th Ave. & Broadway, Gary, IN

AUGUST

National Night Out

Date: Tuesday, August 4, 2026
Time: 5:00 PM - 8:00
Place: RailCats Stadium
1 Stadium Plaza, Gary, IN 46402

Wind Down Wednesday

Date: Wednesday, August 5, 2026
Time: 5:00 PM - 9:00 PM
Place: Marquette Park Pavilion
1 N Grand Blvd., Gary, IN 46403

Age Friendly Bingo

Date: Friday, August 7, 2026
Time: 11:00 AM - 2:00 PM
Place: Roosevelt Park Pavilion
2201 Harrison St., Gary, IN 46407

Gary Downtown Marketplace

Date: Saturday, August 8, 2026
Time: 12:00 PM - 4:00 PM
Place: 6th Ave. & Broadway, Gary, IN

Food Establishment Business Meeting

Date: Monday, August 10, 2026
Time: 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM
Place: Gary Public Library
220 W 5th Ave, Gary, IN 46402

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Place: 6th Ave. & Broadway,
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Time: 5:00 PM - 9:00 PM
Place: Marquette Park Pavilion
1 N Grand Blvd., Gary, IN 46403

Airshow Weekend

Dates: Saturday, August 22 -
Sunday, August 23, 2026
Times: 11:00 AM - 2:00 PM
Place: Miller Beach, Gary, IN

Gary Downtown Marketplace

Date: Saturday, August 22, 2026
Time: 12:00 PM - 4:00 PM
Place: 6th Ave. & Broadway,
Gary, IN

2300 Jackson Street Block Party

Dates: Saturday, August 29 -
Sunday, August 30, 2026
Times: 12:00 PM - 7:00 PM
Place: Roosevelt High School
730 W 25th Ave., Gary, IN 46407

SEPTEMBER

Age Friendly Bingo

Date: Friday, September 4, 2026
Time: 11:00 AM - 2:00 PM
Place: Roosevelt Park Pavilion
2201 Harrison St., Gary, IN 46407

Gary Downtown Marketplace

Date: Saturday, September 12, 2026
Time: 12:00 PM - 4:00 PM
Place: 6th Ave. & Broadway, Gary, IN

Business Networking Series

Date: Thursday, September 17, 2026
Time: 6:00 PM - 8:30 PM
Place: RailCats Stadium
1 Stadium Plaza, Gary, IN 46402

Gary Downtown Marketplace

Date: Saturday, September 26, 2026
Time: 12:00 PM - 4:00 PM
Place: 6th Ave. & Broadway,
Gary, IN

Opioid Awareness Walk Health Department

Date: Saturday, September 19, 2026
Time: 10:00 AM - 1:00 PM
Place: Gleason Park
3400 Jefferson St., Gary, IN 46406

OCTOBER

Age Friendly Bingo

Date: Friday, October 2, 2026
Time: 11:00 AM - 2:00 PM
Place: Roosevelt Park Pavilion
2201 Harrison St, Gary, IN 46407

City Wide Breast Cancer Walk

Date: Sunday, October 11, 2026
Time: 9:00 AM
Place: Gleason Park
3400 Jefferson St., Gary, IN 46406

Business Networking Series

Date: Thursday, October 15, 2026
Time: 6:00 PM - 8:30 PM
Place: RailCats Stadium
1 Stadium Plaza, Gary, IN 46402

Fall Fest (Trunk or Treat)

Date: Friday, October 30, 2026
Time: 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM
Place: Roosevelt Park Pavilion
2201 Harrison St., Gary, IN 46407

Community Forum

Date: October (TBD)
Time: 5:30 PM - 7:30 PM
Place: Indiana University NW,
3400 Broadway, Gary, IN 46408

NOVEMBER

Age Friendly Bingo

Date: Friday, November 6, 2026
Time: 11:00 AM - 2:00 PM
Place: Roosevelt Park Pavilion
2201 Harrison St., Gary, IN 46407

Business Networking Series

Date: Thursday, November 19, 2026
Time: 6:00 PM - 8:30 PM
Place: RailCats Stadium
1 Stadium Plaza, Gary, IN 46402

Thanksgiving Meal Giveaway

Date: Friday, November 20, 2026
Time: 11:00 AM
Place: RailCats Stadium
1 Stadium Plaza, Gary, IN 46402

DECEMBER

Age Friendly Bingo

Date: December 4, 2026
Time: 11:00 AM - 2:00 PM
Place: Roosevelt Park Pavilion
2201 Harrison St., Gary, IN 46407

Holiday Fest

Date: Saturday, December 5, 2026
Time: 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM
Place: RailCats
1 Stadium Plaza, Gary, IN 46402

City-Wide Senior Christmas Party

Date: Saturday, December 17, 2026
Time: 11:00 AM - 2:00 PM
Place: YWCA
150 W 15th Ave., Gary, IN 46407

DAILY/WEEKLY EVENTS

Weekly Clean-Ups

Date: Every Saturday, Starting April
4, 2026
Starting: 8:30 AM
Place: Hudson Campbell
455 Massachusetts Street, Gary, IN
46402

Cardio Line Dancing

Date: Every Monday, March 2 - De-
cember 7, 2026
Time: 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM
Place: Tolleston Park Pavilion
1709 Ellsworth Pl, Gary, IN 46404

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Kids Enrichment Program

Date: Mondays - Thursdays, July 2 - August 31, 2026
Time: 7:00 AM - 3:00 PM
Place: Hudson Campbell
455 Massachusetts Street
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