

M&T Bank **PRESENTS**

IceFest '25

JANUARY 30- FEBRUARY 2
www.icefestpa.com

All events are free unless otherwise indicated by a dollar sign (\$) . **Official IceFest events are in bold**

Ongoing Events

- **Bring on the ICE!** - Over 47 TONS of ice will be on display in downtown Chambersburg (presented by M&T Bank)
- **SCAVENGER HUNT** - Pick up your Scavenger Hunt forms at the Coyle Free Library or Here's Looking at You or you can go to our Facebook event page to download them starting January 30th. Three age categories (adult category with cash prize)
- **Shopping & Dining** - Many downtown shops and restaurants will have extended hours and specials
- **The Foundry Art Market** will be open Thursday 4-8pm, Friday & Saturday 11am-8pm and Sunday 12-4pm-local art and fine craft, 54 Lincoln Way West* (*new location)
- **Student Art Displays** - Winter-themed art projects from Grandview and Scotland Elementary students and CASHS art students will be displayed in Downtown business windows

Thursday, January 30

4-8pm

• "Art After Dark" live artist demos at The Foundry Art Market, 54 Lincoln Way West*, 717-261-0706 *NEW LOCATION

5-5:30pm

• **Ribbon Cutting with our Presenting Sponsor M&T Bank to officially kick off IceFest 2025-** on the Courthouse Plaza on the square. Free cupcakes while supplies last!

5-7:30pm

• "Penn's Woods Printmakers: All Media Show", 11/30 Visitors' Center, on the square next to Central Presbyterian Church. Also on display: Chambersburg Quilt Guild's 2025 Raffle Quilt AND Artwork by CAMS South 8th grade art club. 717-816-7568

5-8pm

• **Live GIANT Sculpture Carving** - Throughout downtown

- **FREE Double-Wide Ice Slide** - Located in the parking lot near 133 S. Main St. (sponsored by the Borough of Chambersburg Recreation Department).

• **\$ Festival Food Vendors** - On the square and in the parking lot on N. Main St. \$

• **\$ Kevin Beecher Glass** will be set up in the parking lot next to Avocado Cafe, 33 N. Main St. with limited edition IceFest glass icicles for only \$10! He will also have ornaments and other glass items to purchase and will be doing live demos!

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Friday, January 31

9am-8:15pm

• Join the Coyle Free Library for their annual Stuffed Animal Sleepover! Drop off your stuffie anytime during open hours for their sleepover at the library! 102 N. Main St. 717-263-1054

10am-8pm

• **\$ Climate-Controlled Steampunk Train Escape Room trailer from BrainDrain Escape LLC** - Reserve your tickets in advance at: www.braindrainescapes.com/events. This family-friendly escape room can hold up to 6 players at a time. You will be immersed in a 1920's themed Steam engine train with only 1-hour to solve all of the puzzles and clues to get out!! \$ Located in the parking lot next to Avocado Cafe, 33 N. Main St

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• **\$ Doors OPEN for the SnowFall Ball Dance Workshop with Hancock Dance** (sponsored by Incognito Tattoo Studio) \$ Central Presbyterian Fellowship Hall, 40 Lincoln Way West

6-7pm

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6-8pm

• **\$ Run Your Ice Off 5K Walk Up Registration \$ and Packet Pick-Up** at the Heritage Center/Chamber Office, 100 Lincoln Way East. Go to TimberHillTiming.com to register or for route info.

7-10pm

• **\$ SnowFall Ball** (sponsored by Incognito Tattoo Studio) at Central Presbyterian Church Fellowship Hall, 40 Lincoln Way West \$

8pm

• **\$ SnowFall Ball Spotlight Dance by Hancock Dance** - "Little Bitty Pretty One" (featuring Frank and his granddaughter) at Central Presbyterian Church Fellowship Hall, 40 Lincoln Way West \$

Saturday, February 1

8-11am

• Pancake Breakfast at Trinity Episcopal Church, 58 S. Second St. The menu is pancakes, eggs, sausage & beverages. Tickets are \$8 and \$2 for under 8yr. old.

9am-12pm

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9am-5pm

• Pick up your stuffie from the annual Stuffed Animal Sleepover at the Coyle Free Library. The sleepover slideshow will be posted to their Facebook page.

9am-6pm

• **Main Street will be closed to vehicular traffic from King to Washington St. and Lincoln Way from 2nd St. to Black Ave.**

10-10:45am

• Cumberland Valley School of Music's Sample Acting Class with Bailey Hovermale will be at Central Presbyterian Church, on the square. 40 W. Lincoln Way West

10am-2pm

• Drop-in for FREE and observe a Chambersburg Ballet class from 10am - 11:15am. And observe work throughs of Act 1 of "Winter Showcase" from 11:30am-12:45pm & of "Firebird" from 1pm-2pm. Q&A with Brian Grant, Artistic Director during breaks. Capitol Theatre Main Stage, 159 S. Main Street

10am-3pm

• Cumberland Valley School of Music's Coloring Room will be at Central Presbyterian Church, on the square. 40 Lincoln Way West

10am-4pm

• **\$ Icing on the Cake** (sponsored by WellSpan Health) come see and taste amazing artistic cakes that have been crafted by bakers of all skill levels from children, students, home bakers, and professionals. The theme is Medieval Times. Tickets will be available for purchase to vote on your favorite cakes in all skill categories. **NEW LOCATION** - First Evangelical Lutheran Church, just around the corner of Main at 43 West Washington Street. \$

• **\$ Food Truck Fest** on the Square and along Main Street \$

- "Imagine", open exhibition of works by local artists at the Old Jail, 175 E. King St. 717-264-1667

10am-8pm

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11am

• **\$ Quickfire Icing Challenge at Icing on the Cake** (sponsored by WellSpan Health) - all three Judges will compete head-to-head to decorate a cake in this year's medieval theme in 30 MINUTES! \$

11-11:30am

• Cumberland Valley School of Music's Sample Music Class for ages newborn-5 with Heather McEndree will be at Central Presbyterian Church, on the square. 40 Lincoln Way West

11:45am-12:15pm

• Cumberland Valley School of Music's Sample Ukulele Class with Heather McEndree will be at Central Presbyterian Church, on the square. 40 Lincoln Way West

11am-8pm

• LIVE Artist Demos at The Foundry Art Market, 54 Lincoln Way West*, 717-261-0706 *NEW LOCATION

12-3pm

• **\$ Chili Q** - (Pit Master Sponsor-Orrstown Bank) Chili, BBQ, live music and more on North Main Street. \$

12-4pm

• **\$ Beer Garden!** (sponsored by Floor Trader Outlet of Chambersburg) Stop by for a frosty beverage in the outdoor Beer Garden on N. Main St. near the Chili Q. \$

12:30-1:30pm

• Cumberland Valley School of Music's Folk Instrument Demo with Frank Maietta will be at Central Presbyterian Church, on the square. 40 Lincoln Way West

1-1:30pm

• **\$ Wing-Off!** (sponsored by Legendz Bar) Like wings? Join us for the Wing-Off inside the Chili Q. You could win a VISA gift card. \$

1:30-2pm

• **\$ Hot Pepper Eating Contest!** (sponsored by Home Food Services) Can you handle the heat?? If so, join us inside the Chili Q. You could win a VISA gift card. \$

1:45-2:45pm

• Cumberland Valley School of Music's Sample Piano Lesson with Marie Hershey will be at Central Presbyterian Church, on the square. 40 Lincoln Way West

2pm

• **\$ Award Ceremony for Judged Categories at Icing on the Cake** (sponsored by WellSpan Health) \$

3pm

• **\$ People's Choice Awarded at Icing on the Cake \$**

- Cumberland Valley School of Music's Symphonic Band Concert at the Central Presbyterian Church, on the square. 40 Lincoln Way West

3:30pm

• **FREE Cake at Icing on the Cake** (while supplies last) (sponsored by WellSpan Health)

5-8pm

• Open Mic Night! FREE to perform and for those who just want to enjoy the show. Registration REQUIRED for performers, and is requested for audience and guests of performers. Bring your talent to the Franklin County Visitors Bureau at 15 S Main St. For more info call Evan Crider at 717-552-2977 ext. 104, email at ecrider@explorefranklincountypa.com, or visit <https://www.explorefranklincountypa.com/acappella-unplugged/>

5:30-10pm

• Capitol Theatre Center & Keystone Health present GALENTINE'S EVENT II starring The Boy Band Project. Doors open at 5:30pm for shopping, treats, wine & cocktails. Show starts at 7pm. \$ Tickets available at thecapitoltheatre.org

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1pm

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2-4pm

• The Franklin County Historical Society will host an IceFest Reception for the exhibition "Imagine", presented at the Old Jail, 175 East King St. 717-264-1667

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• **Scavenger Hunt Winners Announced**, prizes awarded in 3 age groups for correctly filled out Scavenger Hunt, location Here's Looking at You, 123 S. Main St.