Juneteenth 2021: Your Guide to Celebrations in NJ

Come celebrate Juneteenth at some of the events mentioned in NJ.com!

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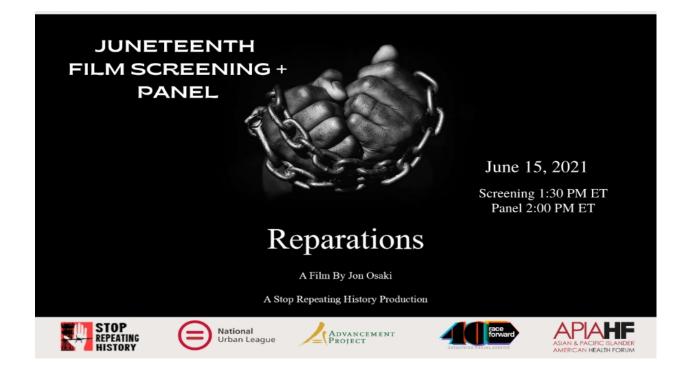
Additional activities follow:

June 15, 2021

Facing History presents Commemorating the 1921 Tulsa Race Massacre with Dr. Karlos K. Hill. Register here.



National Urban League is presenting "Reparations", a Juneteenth Film Screening + Panel. Screening 1:30PM, Panel 2:00PM.
Register here">here.



June 16, 2021

The Black Employee Resource Group of the Dept. of Law and Public Safety presents its inaugural Juneteenth observance.

Register here.



Juneteenth Lecture: A Reflection on Social Justice and Emancipation. Hosted by the East Brunswick Public Library and co-sponsored by the Matawan-Aberdeen Public Library. June 16th @ 7pm. Register here.

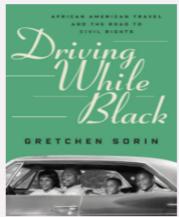
Juneteenth Lecture: A Reflection on Social Justice and Emancipation

Wednesday, June 16 @ 7 pm

The Matawan-Aberdeen Public Library is a cosponsor of this event.

The East Brunswick Public Library will be hosting a Zoom lecture in honor of Juneteenth, a holiday celebrated annually on June 19th that commemorates the day in 1865 when enslaved people of Texas, then the most remote region of the Confederacy, finally learned slavery had been abolished and that they were free.

Dr. Gretchen Sorin will present on the significance of the holiday, and how the automobile transformed the notion of liberation by providing safe travel for African Americans. As the author of the book *Driving While Black*, an engaging account of how car

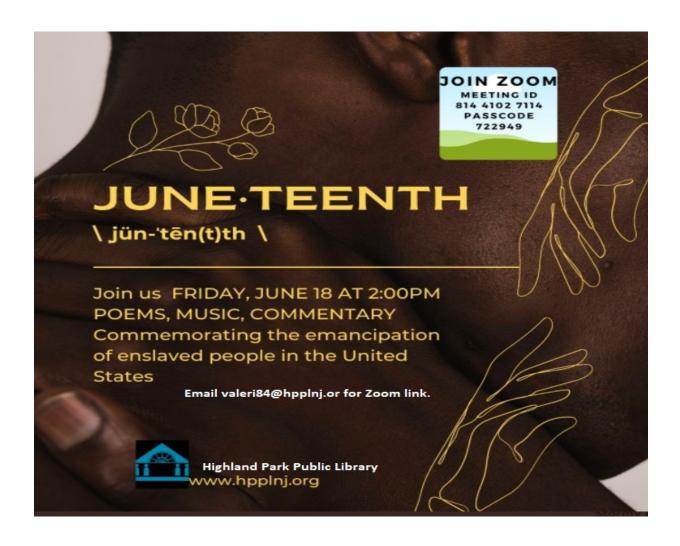


ownership impacted civil rights for Black people, Dr. Sorin traces the role of the automobile in fundamentally reshaping African American life.

Click here for the Zoom link to the Juneteenth program.

June 18, 2021

Juneteenth recognition hosted by Highland Park Public Library. Friday, June 18th at 2:00pm. Join via Zoom: ID 814 4102 7114; Passcode 722949.





NAACP: Oranges and Maplewood Branch is hosting Juneteenth 2021 Celebrations. The **East Orange Flag Raising Ceremony** will be on June 18, 2021 at City Hall at 5:00pm.

Bloomfield has a two-day Juneteenth Celebration! It begins June 18th and ends June 19th.

June 18th – 6pm, Bloomfield High School: conversation hosted by Bloomfield Civil Rights Commissioner and Board of Education member, Kasey Dudley. Three prominent black New Jerseyans will discuss the Juneteenth holiday as well as its significance to the black community and American history.

June 19, 2021

Bloomfield two-day Juneteenth Celebration, part two: June 19th.

June 19th Freedom Day 12pm – 6pm. More information <u>here</u>.



Juneteenth Walking Program hosted by the Willingboro & Vicinity NAACP and Chai CDC. Burlington, in person. 10am – 3pm.



Juneteenth Celebration in Red Bank. Events in person at 12:00 pm, 1:30 pm, and 3:30 pm.



Gloucester County NAACP presents a Juneteenth celebration. 12-5pm at Fasola Park, Deptford NJ. More info at www.Gloucestercountynaacp.com



The Woodbridge Organization of Neighbors Advocating Change is hosting "Juneteenth Festival" on June 19^{th} from 12pm-4pm. It is outside of the Woodbridge High School.

Contact Qiana Davis at (848) 459-7723 for more information.



Save the Date! Middlesex County NAACP branches along with the Middlesex County Board of Chosen Commissioners and others are hosting a virtual Juneteenth Celebration event on June 19, 2021 at 12:00pm. Go to NAACPMEAB.ORG or @NAACP_MEAB on Instagram for more information.



Roots and Wings: The Art and Tradition of Storytelling and the Black Experience. Juneteenth Celebration. June 19, 2021 2:30 pm – 10:30 pm. Shady Rest Golf and Country Club, Scotch Plains, NJ. See www.spfjuneteenth.com for more information and click here to register.



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- **Bellville**: Block Party 10am 10pm on Celia Ct.
- The **Bloomfield Flag Raising Ceremony** will be at Bloomfield High School at 10:00 am.
- The **Livingston Flag Raising Ceremony** will be at Town Hall at 6:00 pm. At 9am there will be children's crafts at the Livingston Library.
- Nutley will have its Juneteenth Celebration from 1pm 4pm at the American Veterans Society.
- The **Orange Flag Raising Ceremony** will be at City Hall at 10am. There will be a celebration from 11am 6pm at Colgate Park.
- The West Orange Flag Raising Ceremony will be at Town Hall at 12 noon. There will be a celebration after the flag raising at Colgate Park, Franklin Ave. and Cherry Street.



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