

# MONROE EQUITY COMMUNITY Summer Events

## OPPORTUNITY PACKET



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## Making history...



In 2020 the world was turned upside down by a global pandemic, the murders of George Floyd and Breonna Taylor, and a renewed effort to limit the rights of people in marginalized communities around the country. A call for equity and justice raged through our nation as we watched protests, violence, death, and heartbreak.

In Monroe people were galvanized. They posted signs in windows, hung flags from their porches, and marched in the streets demanding reform. The

Monroe Equity Council was infused with new energy in volunteers and leaders looking to effect change and pursue equity. Over the years we have done this work together and we have become the Monroe Equity Community.

There has been so much hard work done with so much more ahead and at the same time, there are wins we choose to

celebrate. As a community we have gathered to learn, to hurt, to share, and

to support. We look toward a diverse and inclusive Monroe where everyone is welcome, safe, and represented. We are committed to honoring the worth and value of every human being by creating space for all to exist without harm. We are intentional in our mission to be agents of change who address inequity, racism, and systemic

biases that exist in our schools, city, and elsewhere in our community. It is with intention that we celebrate **pride**, **freedom**, and **belonging**.

You're invited to join us!





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## JUNETEENTH

### Freedom Day

- ♥ CELEBRATION
- ♥ EDUCATION
- ♥ MUSIC
- ♥ GAMES
- ♥ FOOD

**SKYKOMISH RIVER PARK**  
413 Sky River Parkway  
[www.monroeequitycommunity.org](http://www.monroeequitycommunity.org)

**SATURDAY**  
**JUNE 15**  
12PM-4PM

"Today on Juneteenth, we celebrate the end of slavery, we memorialize those who offered us hope for the future and we renew our commitment to the struggle for freedom."  
—Angela Davis





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**BELONGING**  
MONROE CELEBRATES CULTURES

SEPTEMBER 7 | SEPTIEMBRE 7  
12PM-6PM

ART | MUSIC | EDUCATION | DANCE | FOOD | GAMES

SKYKOMISH RIVER PARK  
413 SKY RIVER PARKWAY, MONROE





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## Make history, become a sponsor!

Monroe Equity Community thrives on the combined talents, strengths, and resources of *everyone*. These events require financial support and we invite you to help make them happen. Join the community!

### PROGRESS LEVEL \$100

- Business Highlight or personal message on MEC Facebook Page

### JUSTICE LEVEL \$500

- Business Highlight or personal message on MEC Facebook Page
- Lawn sign at all three events

### ADVOCATE LEVEL \$1,000

- Business Highlight or personal message on MEC Facebook Page
- Lawn sign at all three events
- Acknowledgment from the Main Stage at all three events

### CHANGE AGENT LEVEL \$5,000

- Business Highlight or personal message on MEC Facebook Page
- Lawn sign at all three events
- Acknowledgment from the Main Stage at all three events
- Up to 5 MEC Summer Events 2023 Hoodies or T-Shirts for your team

### DONATIONS CAN BE MADE:

Check- Please make checks payable to **Monroe Equity Community** and put MEC Summer Events in the memo line.

Mail or drop off your check to MEC CO: DLCPA  
144 Woods Street, Monroe 98272

Online- at **[www.monroeequitycommunity.org](http://www.monroeequitycommunity.org)**

Please be sure to **include a note designating your donation for MEC Summer Events.**

MEC is a 501c3 organization (EIN 88-3070020). Donations to Monroe Equity Community are tax deductible per all stipulations for 501c3 organizations.





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## VENDORS & VOLUNTEERS

Information and forms for vendors and volunteers can be found on our website at

[www.monroeequitycommunity.org](http://www.monroeequitycommunity.org).

Vendor fees are sponsored by MEC at Pride for LGBTQIA+ owned businesses, at Juneteenth for Black owned businesses, and at Belonging for business owners who are culturally underrepresented.

To volunteer, please email

[volunteer@monroeequitycouncil.org](mailto:volunteer@monroeequitycouncil.org)

To be a vendor, please email

[vendor@monroeequitycouncil.org](mailto:vendor@monroeequitycouncil.org)



**Thank you!**

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