

Welcoming Week 2018



Welcoming Week is an opportunity for new and established members of our community to celebrate our diversity and unity.

New American
Welcome Center

Friday, September 14, 2018 *Pedi Cab rides through Downtown York*

10 am and 1:30 pm C-Town Parking Lot near *Aurora's Bakery*

Enjoy a Pedi Cab ride through Downtown York stopping at various newcomer owned businesses. There will be two tours 10am and 1:30pm. For sign up please contact:

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Saturday, September 15, 2018 *York Fair, Intercultural Pavilion*

10 am-10 pm York Fair Fee:-Cost of York Fair Admission

Join Latinos Unidos of York at the Intercultural Pavilion, co-sponsored by the York Fair. This intercultural celebration features bands, DJ's and performances from many cultural groups living in York County. York City Mayor Helfrich will proclaim September 15– October 15th as Hispanic Heritage Month. Miss Latina York will be presented at 7pm.

Sunday September 16, 2018 *FREE Family Film 'The Book of Life'*

2:00 pm Strand Theatre Appell Center for the Performing Arts

Enjoy a free screening of *The Book of Life*, the story of Manolo, a young man who is torn between fulfilling the expectations of his family and following his heart. Kids' activities and concessions starting at 1:00 PM.

Monday, September 17, 2018 *Welcoming Week Proclamation/Panel Discussion*

6:30 pm-8:30 pm YMCA Newberry Street Entrance

Mayor Michael Helfrich will officially begin Welcoming Week with a proclamation. The steps of the YMCA Poet Laureate, Vito Grippi will share a poem penned for the occasion. Following the ceremony, Larry Richardson will host a Panel Discussion. Light food and refreshments provided.

Tuesday, September 18, 2018 *Cultural Jam- Teens Creating Community*

5 pm-8 pm Martin Library 159 E Market St

This teen event will celebrate the diversity of our community with Dance, DJ, Spoken word and Poetry. The Matt's Youth Center will present a Universal Human Rights discussion. Snacks will be provided.

Wednesday, September 19, 2018 *Fellowship Dinner*

6:30 pm-8:30 pm Union Lutheran Church 408 W Market St.

Share a meal with community members. Everyone is invited for an evening of warm fellowship and conversation.

Thursday, September 20, 2018 *Welcoming Week Closing Celebration*

4 pm-8:30 pm CASA Renaissance Park 225 E Princess St.

CASA will provide a Citizenship Clinic from 4 pm- 6 pm. DJ will begin at 6 pm with music, dance and street foods. At 8 pm, there will be a *Vigil for Puerto Rico*, one year after Maria. Princess Street will close between Pine Street and Queen Street.
