

# River District Alliance



Membership Monthly

## Art Walk Friday Night



## Sunday Funday at the Butterfly Estates

The first Sunday of every month our Non Profit Organization called The Florida Native Butterfly Society opens its doors to the public with free admission. Our purpose is to expose as many people as we can to the importance of Florida's incredible butterflies. We hope to inspire guests to plant butterfly gardens to support and increase natural populations. Enjoy many new vendors every month, kids projects and activities. Please be our guest and join us for a beautiful day. ...}{



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www.edisonfordwinterestates.org

## July 4th at Edison Ford

Celebrate July 4th with free admission for Veterans and Active Military with ID. Please visit:  
www.edisonfordwinterestates.org

## Freedom Fest this Saturday

**Free Admission**

**FORT MYERS**

**FREEDOM FEST**

[WWW.RIVERDISTRICTFREEDOMFEST.COM](http://WWW.RIVERDISTRICTFREEDOMFEST.COM)

**JULY 4, 2015**

**BLOCK PARTY STARTS AT 12 PM**

Featuring 4 Stages of Live Music and Entertainment  
**GIANT CAR SHOW**

**Free Kids Zone with Bounce Houses and Slip and Slide**  
**FIRST RESPONDER DEMONSTRATIONS**  
**HUGE RAFFLE WITH INCREDIBLE PRIZES**  
**Family friendly vendors of all kinds**  
**FIREWORKS OVER THE RIVER AT 9:30 PM**  
**1- 855-RDA-EVENTS**

**WE ARE PROUD SUPPORTERS**

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chico's Party | Bikes | Games | BOSTON PROPER

BEASLEY  
BEASLEY'S RESTAURANT GROUP

LUCKY HARBOR  
MARINA

STADIUM  
BAR-B-CUE

Budweiser

101  
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HEARNS RESTAURANT GROUP  
21st Century Oncology  
Enterprise  
MISSION BBQ

## SWFL Critical Mass Ride Friday

**WE WANT YOU TO RIDE**  
**fri July 3rd 7:30 pm**  
**lights required**

**all ages all bikes welcome**

**join SWFL CM**



Friday, July 17th



## This Month at Cornog Plaza

Monday - Saturday during library hours :

**Game Cart;** Show your fun side; let the good times roll with lawn dice & dominoes, try your hand at some 80's & 90's board games or a friendly game of chess.

Monday - Friday, 8 am to 5 pm, July 1 - July 31:

**Circus on the Green;** A pop-up circus of tunnels and tents for families to enjoy.

Thursdays, 12 pm to 1 pm, July 2nd - August 27th:

**Jazz Lunch;** Some of Fort Myers' most exciting jazz musicians perform at the weekly Thursday event.



Held the fourth Saturday of every month from 4-8 pm, Car Cruise-In is a free event open to the community. Free to participate with your vehicle and no registration required. For vehicle loading please enter First Street from Monroe Street. Show parking located along: First, Hendry, Broadway, and Jackson Streets.



Event begins at 6pm, music at 7pm in the Patio de Leon, portion of proceeds benefit charity:

**July 10th: The Trips**

**July 24th: High Five Friday**

**July 25th: Memphis 56**

**July 31st: Bad Banditos**

**September 25th: The Trips**

**September 26th: Memphis 56**



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## Happy Birthday Henry Ford July 30th

To celebrate the 152nd birthday of Henry Ford, the Estates are offering free admission to active or retired Fort Motor Company employees.

Hours are 9 am - 5:30 pm. For more information, please visit:

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Free Admission

FORT MYERS

# FREEDOM FEST

FIRST RESPONDER DEMOS

HUGE RAFFLE

Free Kids Zone!  
Bounce Houses & Slip and Slide

GIANT CAR SHOW

Live Music on 4 Stages!

JULY 4th  
12 PM Till Fireworks Finally  
www.RiverDistrictFreedomFest.com

### FORD STAGE

Noon - 1:30  
Black Tread

2:00 - 3:30  
Brittany Russell

4:00 - 5:30  
Surf Catz

6:00 - 7:00  
Hot Flashz

7:00 - 9:00  
Joel Fry

Megan Linda  
Flute/Piccolo

### EDISON STAGE

Noon - 1:30  
Cookie

2:00-3:30  
Southern Rush

4:00 - 5:30  
Swamp

6:00 - 7:30  
Strung out Loud

8:00 - 9:30  
Simple Jack

### PATIO STAGE

Noon - 1:00  
Acoustic R&B

1:00 - 3:00  
Red & Mary

3:30- 5:30  
Life Sound

5:30 - 7:00  
Exit III

7:30 - 9:00  
Memphis 56

### MAIN STAGE

Noon - 2:30  
Color Guard  
National Anthem  
City of Fort Myers  
Fire Department  
Demonstration

3:00  
City Police K9 Demo

VIP Music by  
Flashback & DJ

7:30 - 9:30  
The Boss Project

FIRST STREET CAR SHOW BEGINS AT 2 PM



FREE MUSIC CONCERT BY:  
**THE BOSS PROJECT**  
FIREWORKS AT  
9:30



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chico's WHITE | BLACK *Soma* BOSTON PROPER



## July Dates:

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Thursday, 2nd: Jazz Lunch at Cornog Plaza,

Friday, 3rd: Art Walk

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Saturday, 4th: Freedom Fest 2015

Saturday, 4th: July 4th at Edison Ford

Sunday, 5th: Sunday Funday at the Butterfly Estates

Thursday, 9th: Jazz Lunch at Cornog Plaza

Friday, 10th: Rockin' the Patio: "The Trips"

Thursday, 16th: Jazz Lunch at Cornog Plaza

Friday 17th: Music Walk

Thursday, 23rd: Jazz Lunch at Cornog Plaza

Friday, 24th: Rockin' the Patio: "High Five Friday"

Saturday, 25th: Rockin' the Patio: "Memphis 56"

Thursday, 30th: Happy Birthday Henry Ford at Edison Ford

Thursday, 30th: Jazz Lunch at Cornog Plaza

Friday, 31st: Rockin' the Patio: "Bad Bandits"

### **Weekly July Events Include:**

Thursdays: Downtown Farmer's Market under the bridge, 7 am.

Monday - Saturday, during library hours: Game Cart at Cornog Plaza

Monday - Friday, 8 am to 5 pm: Circus on the Green at Cornog Plaza



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