



EMANCIPATION PARK 150TH JUNETEENTH CELEBRATION PRESENTED BY KINDER FOUNDATION

Theme

Celebrating our Legacy: Bridging Generations

General

From Saturday, June 18 through Sunday June 19, Emancipation Park Conservancy, the Kinder Foundation and the City of Houston will host Emancipation Park's Sesquicentennial Juneteenth Celebration.

About

The event will commemorate Emancipation Park's sesquicentennial anniversary and the June 19, 1865, abolition of slavery in Texas.

As part of the celebration, Emancipation Park Conservancy will host various events including designed to:

- Educate current and future generations about the park, the surrounding community and key social topics via discussions and crawls
- Empower the community with free educational resources
- Provide opportunities for economic advancement via a vendor market and resource fair
- Uplift and celebrate the history of the park with a host of national recording artists

A list of activities and events will be available [online](#).

EVENT HIGHLIGHTS

Dates/Times

Saturday, June 18

Sunday, June 19

Special Guests

Mayor Sylvester Turner

Award-winning media personality (ABC13 Eyewitness News, KRTK-TV Houston)

Jacqueline W. Bostic (great-granddaughter of Jack Yates)

Sponsors

Presenting Sponsor: Kinder Foundation

Baker Hughes

BIPOC Arts Network & Fund

Coca Cola

Houston Astros

Houston Texans

Shell

Event Activities

National recording artists
Interactive kids' zone
Community partners with outdoor activations
Food and beverage and product vendors
Game zone
Guided park tours
Cooling zone
Fireworks display

Attending the Event

The Emancipation Park 150th Juneteenth Celebration presented by Kinder Foundation is a free event open to the entire greater Houston community and visitors from outside the city.

The park is currently being assessed to determine how many attendees can safely attend the Juneteenth events. More information will be provided once available.

Tickets will be available online beginning in May.

Location

Emancipation Park
3018 Emancipation Ave, Houston, TX 77004
713.528.1872
<https://epconservancy.org/>

Transportation and Parking

Transportation and parking information will be available [here](#).