

## Wednesday, April 21

6:30 PM- Fourth Annual Cherry Blossom Kick-Off Concert, “Cherry Blossom for a Cause” benefiting the Randy Travis Foundation. Rhonda Vincent & The Rage will perform. Isaac Kenneth will perform the preview show beginning at 6:30 pm. Doors open at 6 pm. Lulu Roman (Hee Haw) will serve as master of ceremonies. Randy Travis WILL be in attendance- Marshfield Activity Center Tickets: \$25 per person at the door, eventbrite.com or 808-345-4975.

## Thursday, April 22

Cherry Blossom Quilt Show from 9 AM to 4 PM - Marshfield Assembly of God

9 AM- Interview with Baseball Legend, Bill Virdon- Moderator, Tim Pletkovich- Marshfield Assembly of God

10:30 AM- Larry Cook (Presidential Historian) will speak about "First Ladies in the DAR"- Marshfield Assembly of God

11:30 AM- "Little Sister on the Prairie: The Carrie Ingalls you never knew" presentation by Julie Hedgepeth Williams (Author)- Marshfield Assembly of God

11:30 AM- 1 PM- Enchilada Dinner benefiting the Fordland Memorial Library- Marshfield Assembly of God Fellowship Hall- Tickets: \$10 per person, pay at the door

1:10 PM- Cherry Blossom Tea, Keith Thibodeaux (Little Ricky, I Love Lucy) will speak at the "I Love Lucy" themed tea- Marshfield Activity Center (Donations Accepted)- Advance Reservation Required. Call 417-468-3661

3:10 PM- "Legends of Television and Screen" Panel- Featuring actors and actresses from several classic television shows and cinema classics- Kami Cotler (The Waltons), Trina Parks (James Bond, Diamonds are Forever), Charlotte Stewart (Little House on the Prairie), Rebecca Holden (Knight Rider), Karolyn Grimes (It's a Wonderful Life), Max Gail (Barney Miller), Geri Reischl (The Brady Bunch) and others- Moderator, Tammi Bula (The Waltons)- Marshfield Assembly of God

4:30 PM- Ella Dickey Literacy Awards, Honoring: Scot England, David Harrison, Larry Cook, Cheryl Rogers-Barnett, John Brown and Louis Graziano- Marshfield Assembly of God

4:30 PM-7 PM- Fish Fry to benefit the Vivian Stuber Memorial Library in Niangua- Marshfield Assembly of God Fellowship Hall- Tickets: \$10, pay at the door

7 PM- "Tea for Three: Lady Bird, Pat & Betty" - This witty, sly and deeply moving play explores the hopes, fears and loves of Lady Bird Johnson, Pat Nixon and Betty Ford- Tickets \$20 per person at www.eventbrite.com- Jubilee Theater Center- Sponsored by the Route 66 Repertory Theatre

## Friday, April 23

(9 AM - 4 PM)- Cherry Blossom Quilt Show, sponsored by the Cherry Blossom Auxiliary - Marshfield Assembly of God

\* Vendors on the historic Marshfield square 12 PM- 6 PM

\*Webster County Museum will be open 1 PM - 4 PM

\* Nostalgia Fest Autograph Show, 9 AM to 3 PM at the Marshfield Activity Center. Featuring the VIP guests of the Cherry Blossom Festival, complete with cast members from numerous classic television shows and other VIP guests. (Free Admission)

8 AM- **Laura Ingalls Wilder Home and Museum hosts, "Nellie's Breakfast"**- Alison Arngrim (Nellie Oleson, Little House on the Prairie) will speak- The breakfast will benefit the fundraising efforts of the Wilder Home and Museum- Marshfield Assembly of God Fellowship Hall- Tickets are \$25 per person, visit www.eventbrite.com or call 808-345-4975- This breakfast is sponsored by Federal Protection.

9:30 AM- "Remembering the Korean War" panel- featuring Korean War veterans, sharing personal accounts of the forgotten conflict that shaped the modern world- Marshfield Assembly of God

10:35 AM- "Remembering the Ozark Jubilee" Panel, featuring cast members of the 1950's ABC television network program that showcased country music's top stars of the day- Moderator, Tom Peters (Missouri State University)- Marshfield Assembly of God

11:30 AM- Wilson's Creek National Battlefield Foundation Luncheon- Commemorating the 160th anniversary of the first major battle of the Trans-Mississippi Theater of the American Civil War- Ulysses Grant Dietz (great, great grandson of President Ulysses S. Grant) and Bertram

Hayes-Davis (great, great grandson of Jefferson Davis) will be interviewed on stage about their Civil War ancestors and their leadership during the war- Tickets are \$25 per person and can be ordered at www.wilsonscreek.com or by calling 417-849-4057- Marshfield Assembly of God Fellowship Hall

1 PM- Annual Missouri Walk of Fame Ceremony, Honoring six famous Missourians with stars on the historic Walk of Fame. Honorees include: Brett Williams (Chiefs), Oscar Charleston (Baseball), Todd Oliver (Ventriloquist), Aunt Norma Champion (Television Personality), Norma Jean (Entertainer) and Roy Rogers Jr. (Entertainer)- Marshfield Assembly of God

2:20 PM- "Remembering WW II" panel, featuring WW II veterans, including: Dorinda Nicholson (Pearl Harbor child), Robert Boeke, Laura Hunt and others. Moderator, Myra Miller- Marshfield Assembly of God

3:30 PM- John Brown (Fox 2 News, St. Louis) will speak about his book, "Missouri Legends: Famous People from the Show Me State"- Marshfield Assembly of God

4:20 PM- 10th Annual Dred and Harriet Scott Reconciliation Forum- Hosted by the Dred Scott Heritage Foundation of St. Louis- Marshfield Assembly of God

5:20 PM- "James Monroe: Founding Father and 5th President of the United States" panel, featuring Richard Gatchell (descendant of President James Monroe) and Mary Achor (Presidential Historian)

## Saturday, April 24

\* Vendors on the historic Marshfield square 9 AM - 3 PM

\*Webster County Museum will be open 10 AM - 4 PM

\*Evelyn Hampton Garden Club Plant Sale (331 South Clay) from 9 AM until the plants are gone

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8 AM- Presidential Prayer Breakfast hosted by the Elkland Independent Methodist Church, featuring Cheryl Rogers-Barnett (daughter of Roy Rogers and Dale Evans) as the keynote speaker- Marshfield Assembly of God Fellowship Hall (Donations accepted for Zuzu's House)

9:30 AM- "Presidential Inaugurations" panel, featuring: Mary Achor (Presidential Historian), Larry Cook (Presidential Historian) and Louis Picone (Presidential Historian)- Moderator, George Cleveland (Grandson of President Grover Cleveland)- Marshfield Assembly of God

10:30 AM- Louis Picone, Presidential historian and author will speak about his new book, "Grant's Tomb: The Epic Death of Ulysses S. Grant and the Making of an American Pantheon."- Marshfield Assembly of God

11:30 AM- Bobby G and Lily Garst History Series: "Mamie's World"- Personal recollections on the life of Former First Lady Mamie Eisenhower by her Granddaughter, Mary Jean Eisenhower- Marshfield Assembly of God

12 PM- Marshfield High School Alumni luncheon- Marshfield Assembly of God Fellowship Hall- Advance tickets: \$12 per person, Available by calling 417-839-3560- Lola Fern Day's family will serve her FAMOUS cashew chicken

1:20 PM- "It's a Wonderful Life Uncovered: An Inside Look at Scene Details and Curiosities You've Been Missing All These Years"- Presentation by author, Michael Willian (The Essential It's a Wonderful Life: A Scene-by-Scene Guide to the Classic Film- In celebration of the film's 75th anniversary- Marshfield Assembly of God

2:20 PM- Robert and Edith Garst History Convocation with Louis Graziano, last witness to the German surrender of WW II- Marshfield Assembly of God

\*The cast of Descendants from Marshfield Community Theatre will perform between panel segments at 2:20 pm and the cast of Mama Mia between panel segments at 3:30 pm.

3:30 PM- "Presidential Family Forum" Featuring descendants of many of the American Presidential Families- Marshfield Assembly of God- Moderator, Larry Cook (Presidential Historian)

**11<sup>th</sup> Annual State Dinner with Tweed Roosevelt** (great grandson of President Theodore Roosevelt)  
6:30 PM- Doors open at Marshfield Activity Center  
7 PM- State Dinner will begin- \$60 per person

## Venue Location:

### **Marshfield Community Center**

110 Commercial Street  
Marshfield, MO 65706

### **Marshfield Assembly of God**

1538 West Washington  
Marshfield, MO 65706

### **Webster County Museum**

219 South Clay  
Marshfield, MO 65706

### **Jubilee Theater Center**

109 Commercial Street  
Marshfield, MO 65706

### **Marshfield United Methodist Church**

220 South Elm  
Marshfield, MO 65706

### **Elkland Independent Methodist Church**

121 Elkland Road  
Elkland, MO 65644

## Special Guests Include

Randy Travis  
Rhonda Vincent  
Anson Williams (Happy Days)  
Mike Lookinland  
(Bobby, The Brady Bunch)  
Geri Reischl (Jan, The Brady Bunch)  
Johnny Whitaker (Family Affair)  
Max Gail (Barney Miller)  
Cheryl Rogers-Barnett  
(daughter of Roy Rogers)  
Karolyn Grimes  
(Zuzu, It's a Wonderful Life)  
Margaret Kerry (Tinker Bell)  
Alison Arngrim  
(Little House on the Prairie)  
Kami Cotler (Elizabeth, The Waltons)  
Charlotte Stewart  
(Little House on the Prairie)  
Wendi Lou Lee  
(Little House on the Prairie)  
David Newell  
(Mr. McFeely, Mr. Rogers' Neighborhood)  
Lulu Roman (Hee Haw)  
Lynne Jackson (great, great granddaughter  
of Dred Scott)  
Trina Parks (James Bond Movie)  
Rebecca Holden (Knight Rider)  
Mary Eisenhower (Granddaughter of  
President Eisenhower)  
George Cleveland  
(Grandson of President Cleveland)  
Tammi Bula (The Waltons)  
Bill Virdon (Legendary Baseball Player)  
David Harrison (Children's Author)  
Scott Schwartz  
(Flick, A Christmas Story)  
Louis Graziano (Last witness to German  
surrender of WW II)



16<sup>th</sup>

Annual

# Missouri Cherry Blossom Festival

Marshfield, Missouri

April 21<sup>st</sup> – 25<sup>th</sup> 2021

For more information  
please call 808.345.4975  
[www.cherryblossomfest.com](http://www.cherryblossomfest.com)

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\*Schedule & Guests Subject to Change\*

## Festival Attractions:

### Vendors

Friday, April 23<sup>rd</sup> 12 pm – 6 pm  
Saturday, April 24<sup>th</sup> 9 am – 3 pm  
on the Historic Marshfield Square

### Cherry Blossom Sunday

Sunday, April 25<sup>th</sup> – 11 am  
Elkland Independent Methodist  
Church- Margaret Kerry (Disney's,  
Tinker Bell) will speak- Free Event

### “First Ladies Piano Concert”

Sunday, April 25<sup>th</sup> 1:30 PM  
10 pianists, 1 organist play  
simultaneously in a concert filled  
with patriotic and gospel music.  
This concert is a Missouri  
Bicentennial event. Missouri First  
Lady Teresa Parson will attend  
along with several former First  
Ladies of the state- Pat Allen Baker  
will direct- Marshfield United  
Methodist Church- Free Event

**\*Annual Cherry Pie Contest  
& Auction will be held in  
conjunction with the State  
Dinner. Drop of pies from 4  
pm to 5 pm at the Marshfield  
Assembly of God\***

