



LOWELL FOLK FESTIVAL

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Where to Find Them

BOARDING HOUSE PARK

- GREEK** Hellenic American Academy PTA
- FILIPINO** Iskwelahang Pilipino
- HISPANIC** Lowell Latin Catholic Community
- JAMAICAN / INDIAN** The Seed
- MIDDLE EASTERN** St. George Antiochian Church
- LAOTIAN** Wat Lao Mixayaram

DANCE PAVILION

- SOUTHEAST ASIAN** Buddhachak
- MIXED AFRICAN** Christ Jubilee International Ministries
- LIBERIAN** Emmanuel Temple of Hope
- BRAZILIAN** FEALMA
- BURMESE** Saydanar Community Development Center
- CAMEROONIAN** DBA Acha Foundation, Inc.
- GREEK** Holy Trinity Greek Orthodox Church
- JAMAICAN / INDIAN** The Seed

MARKET STREET

- ARMENIAN** Armenian Relief Society
- POLISH*** Lowell Polish Cultural Committee **Saturday Only*
- LAOTIAN** Wat Buddhabhavana
- HISPANIC** Hope Dove

Street Performance

Central & Merrimack Streets

Street performance is a timeless art form, existing as long as there have been cities with streets. Performers have always taken to the streets, turning public spaces into stages where the magic of their artistry could be enjoyed by everyone, and captivating audiences with a variety, breadth, and range of tradition as countless as there are cultures.

This year, the Lowell Folk Festival is excited to present an expanded street performance location at the corner of Central and Merrimack Street. This vibrant new setting will feature a full weekend schedule of performances, bringing new vitality and energetic audiences to the furthest corners of downtown. Attendees can look forward to an array of traditions that span cultures, from Bolivian parades and dance, breakdancing, and the magic of yo-yos, to mariachi music and Korean percussion and dance. These artists will transform the streets into a living theater, filled with music, dance, and spontaneous performances that will captivate and inspire.

JULY 26-28
DOWNTOWN LOWELL, MA

Experience Lowell Marketplace

Produced by Mosaic Lowell

This is the 2nd year that Art in the Courtyard and Destination Lowell will combine and expand to a new location under the name Experience Lowell Arts Market. Located in the Enterprise Bank parking lot at 222 Merrimack Street, this event will feature Lowell artists, makers, and organizations so that festival attendees and Lowell residents can experience everything that Lowell's arts and culture community has to offer.

The Arts Market will feature over 40 artist vendors with works ranging from textiles, pottery, candles, jewelry, paintings to stained glass, and much more! Also featured will be local and regional organizations that serve the Lowell community and beyond.

This event is produced by Mosaic Lowell, in collaboration with the Lowell Folk Festival. Mosaic Lowell is the arts, culture, and creative economy plan for Lowell. Mosaic supports arts and culture in the city through the key objectives of economic development, youth development, and equity building. Through this work, Mosaic wants to ensure that Lowell is a great place to live, work, create, and play.

DATES AND TIMES FOR EXPERIENCE LOWELL

Saturday, July 27th 12PM - 6PM
Sunday, July 28th 12PM - 6PM

SATURDAY

- 12:30-12:50 **San Simón New England** (Bolivian dance)
- 1:30-1:50 **San Simón New England** (Bolivian dance)
- 3:00-3:30 **StiggityStackz Worldwide** (breakdance demonstration)
- 4:00-5:00 **StiggityStackz Worldwide** (breakdance battle)

SUNDAY

- 12:30-1:00 **Veronica Robles Mariachi** (mariachi)
- 1:30-2:00 **Veronica Robles Mariachi** (mariachi)
- 2:30-3:00 **Korean Performing Arts Institute of Chicago** (pungmul and samulnori)
- 3:30-4:00 **Yo-Yo Guy** (yo-yo show)

