

WEEKLY BULLETIN

September 27 - October 3

ANNOUNCEMENTS

WE NEED VOLUNTEERS! <<<

If you or someone you know is interested in volunteering with MMCC, you can reach out at info@mainemulticulturalcenter.org or at (207) 307-7154

>>> QUESTIONS?

Questions about something on the Weekly Bulletin?
Feel free to reach out!

UPDATES <<<

>>> COMMON GROUND COUNTRY FAIR

This weekend

The 50th annual Common Ground Country Fair will be held at the Common Ground Education Center in Unity, Maine on September 25, 26 & 27, 2026. The fairgrounds are open Friday and Saturday 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. and Sunday 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. More information and tickets here: <https://www.mofga.org/about-the-fair/>

GOOD NEIGHBOR DAY CELEBRATION <<<

The Maine Coalition for Social Connection is hosting a Good Neighbor Day Celebration, and all are welcome — volunteers, families, and friends alike.

When: Monday, September 28, 2026, drop in anytime between 4:00 and 7:00 PM

Where: Heart of Maine United Way, 700 Mount Hope Ave, Suite 101, Bangor

National Good Neighbor Day celebrates acts of kindness and the relationships that hold a community together — something our volunteers live out all year long. This is a chance to celebrate that work, meet neighbors, and connect with other local organizations doing good in the area. More info here: <https://www.social-connection.org/event/5465/>

EVENTS

>>> SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 27TH

Ivalas String Quartet

3:30pm @ Minsky Recital Hall

Hailed by The Strad for playing with "tremendous heart and beauty," the Ivalas Quartet has been changing the face of classical music since its inception in 2017 with a mission to enrich the classical music world by spotlighting past and present Black, Indigenous, and composers of color alongside the standard repertory. This fall, they are teaming up with Chinese piano virtuoso Ying Li for a concert in Minsky Recital Hall to open the 2026-27 Chamber Music season. More info here: <https://www.collinscenterforthearts.com/event/ivalas-string-quartet/>

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 29TH <<<

What Happens to Bangor's Trash?

5:30pm - 7:00pm @ Bangor Public Library

This presentation will be all about the machinery that allows us to take in unsorted waste and pull-out recyclable materials. It will touch on waste generation and recycling topics as well. The goal of this presentation is to help Bangor residents understand what is happening to their waste.

>>> FRIDAY, OCTOBER 2ND

Coffee & Conversation

9:30am - 10:30am @ Bangor Public Library

Everyone is welcome to join the library for Coffee & Conversation, a chance to enjoy free coffee and snacks in a relaxed and casual atmosphere while getting to know one another. Conversation starters will be provided for anyone who would like to participate, or you can just chat.