

Brethren, America 250 is nearing our doorstep. Events in and around Pennsylvania, and our area, are listed below, as a reference for all to consider during our country's milestone year.

### **“America 250 - Ways to Celebrate”**

**Philadelphia - Independence Hall:** tours are free and fireworks surrounding the July 4th timeframe at this site.

**Liberty Bell** - Across from the Independence Hall.

**Gettysburg National Battlefield** - Independence Hall is where America began, Gettysburg Battlefield is where America was saved.

**Wheatland** - The home of President James Buchanan, in Lancaster, Pa. Tours are available of the mansion.

**Bells Across America** - Replica's of the Liberty Bell have been, or are being, decorated for every Pa. county by local artists and will be, or on, display, locations follow:

Lackawanna County-

Carbondale, City Hall, First Floor;

Jermyn, The Wright Center, 5 South Washington Ave.

Scranton, 612 Jefferson Ave.

Pike County-

Milford Community House, 201 Broad St.

Wayne County-

Wayne Memorial Hospital, 1st Floor

(Note: Bells may be moved. If so, inquire at listed locations).

**Saturday, June 20: Kirby Park, Wilkes-Barre**

- Performers include Lady A (headliner), and En Vogue. Tickets are free but must be ordered.

**July 3- Scrantastic Fireworks and NEPA Philharmonic Concert ushering in the fireworks display - Free**

**FIFA World Cup Fan Zone- Scranton Courthouse Square, July.( dates TBD) Knockout Round Matches. Food vendors and free live entertainment.**

**Fireworks in most counties in many towns during the July 4th weekend.**

**Milford, Pa. will be having a parade on July 4th. Participants, in Masonic dress, encouraged.**

**August 7-9 Scranton Jazz Fest, famous and local jazz artists performing America's first original-styled music.**