

# HAPPY DAZE

A SERIES OF SOCIALLY-DISTANT EVENTS IN THE MIDST OF A GLOBAL PANDEMIC



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## SCHEDULE

- Events were designed to be spread across two evenings
  - Prevents excessive crowds
  - Balances social distancing and promoting higher turnout
- Event framework
  - Larger event paired with a smaller supplemental event
  - Each has food/drink available
  - Family friendly
- Event logistics
  - All events take place outdoors in central location
  - Limited staff resources



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Join your friends and neighbors for a weekend of socially-distant fun!

### Friday, September 11

BINGO with the Anoka Women of Today 5:00 - 7:00 pm  
Live Music & Ice Cream Social with Roadhouse Blue 5:30 - 7:30 pm

### Saturday, September 12

Art in the Park 4:30 - 6:00 pm  
Food Vendor 5:30 - 7:30 pm  
Movie in the Park 7:30 - 9:00 pm

### All Weekend

Virtual 5K

Happy Daze was created as a series of small, socially-distant events to be in place of Ramsey's annual Happy Days festival. To be in accordance with Minnesota's latest Executive Orders, registration is required for all events. For more information or to reserve your event tickets, please visit: [www.cityoframsey.com/happydaze](http://www.cityoframsey.com/happydaze)



**THANK YOU**

FOR FOLLOWING  
COVID PROTOCOLS  
SO WE CAN STAY OPEN

STAY SAFE MN

Happy Daze has carefully planned out events that allow City staff to balance community engagement and public safety. These family friendly events will take place primarily over September 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> in Ramsey's downtown area.

Virtual 5K will take place throughout the weekend. Racers will track their time and report on a race portal.

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## VENUE PLAN- FRIDAY



- winner gets half the pot, other half goes to Wishes & More
- kids activity taking place during BINGO: card decorating for seniors who have been isolated since the start of COVID

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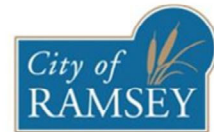


Root beer donated by killebrew  
Seeking volunteers to help serve

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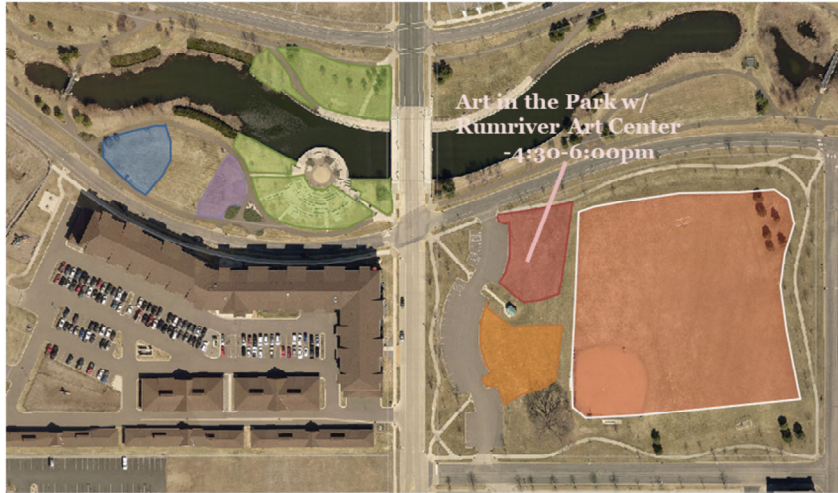
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A due from the band Roadhouse Blue will play live music

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VENUE PLAN- SATURDAY

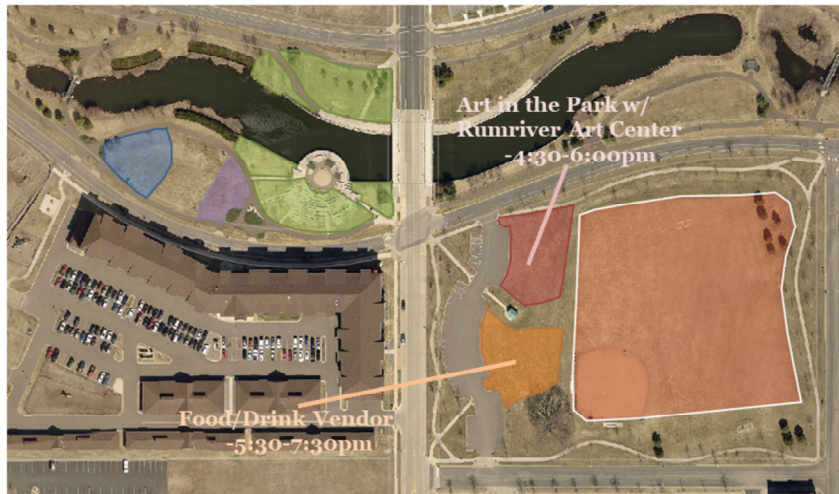


Jellyfish mixed-media project. Three half-hour sessions will be offered

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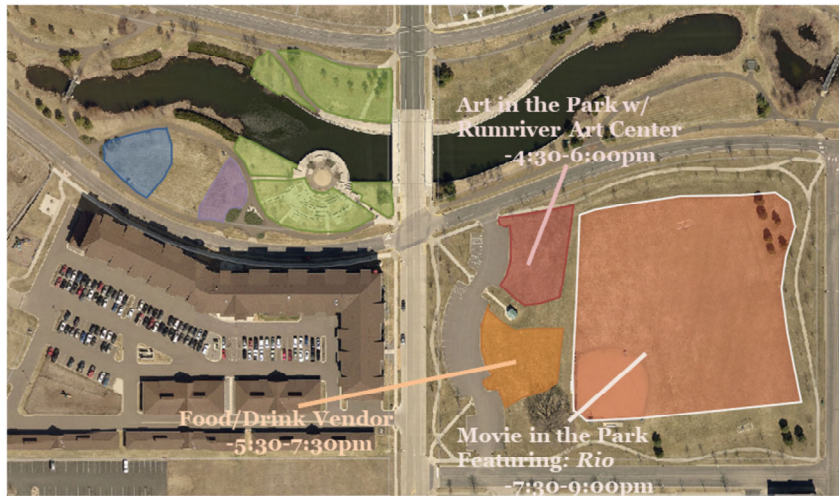
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Lions will have lemonade, water and cottoncandy.  
Second food vendor pending confirmation

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Drive-in and grass seating available. No walkups will be accepted for drive-in, they must be registered as space is limited.  
Showing the film Rio

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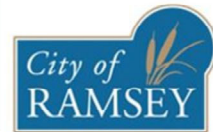
## COVID-19 PRECAUTIONS

### State Orders

- Executive Order 20-81: Mask Mandate
  - Masks may be taken off once seated with household units in designated zones
- Executive Order 20-74: Event Spaces and Venues
  - Limit gatherings to 250 people, as long as social distancing can be maintained

### Happy Daze Safety Measures

- Registration
  - Requested for each of the Happy Daze events. Can be reserved ahead of time on Happy Daze website. Walk-ups will be accepted but not guaranteed
  - Opens on Friday, September 4<sup>th</sup> for residents and Monday, September 7<sup>th</sup> for non-residents.
- Venue
  - Designated zones for seating areas and events. Walkways will be designated to stay clear of people
  - In addition to designated zones, signs will be placed all around to help clarify new regulations
- Additional Staff
  - PD & Volunteers





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