Monday, May 25, 2026– at the Freeburg Community Center

View our Hometown Hero Banners!

11:00 Memorial Day Parade on Market Street

11:30 - 3:00 Food Trucks at the Comm. Center Parking lot -
Military Display (Mark Troup) – and
Freeburg Hometown Hero Postcards for sale
In the Community Center Gym
Freeburg Museum on Second Floor Opened!
Kids artwork display in the Gym

12:30 - 1:30 Sing-Along in the Gym – DAVID BINGAMAN
All Ages! Patriotic songs & other favorites!

3:00 Church bells will ring for the National Moment of Remembrance. Please take a moment of silence to honor those that have sacrificed so much for our freedoms.

Bright Eye Brew Coffee

Missions Pizza

The Rollin' Cones

Windy Wagon

Daddy's BBQ Chicken

Do you wish to make a donation? Donations may be made to the Freeburg Borough Banner Committee in any amount. Donations may be used to purchase banners for veterans or for upkeep and hanging each year.

Freeburg Borough Banner Committee
P.O. Box 308
Freeburg, PA 17827

Checks can be made out to**: Freeburg Borough Banner Committee**
Questions: Contact the Freeburg Borough Office @ 570-374-7314

A BEAUTIFUL DAY ……..
…LIES AHEAD!

Watch our brief Memorial Day Parade on Market Street at 11:00, then walk up to the Freeburg Community Center. Food trucks will be ready to serve you! Come inside the gym to sit at a table, eat and visit with friends. See the children's art displayed in the gym. Stay for our Sing-Along with Dave from 12:30 – 1:30. Walk upstairs to the second floor to visit the Freeburg Museum. Freeburg is alive with history – you don't want to miss Mark's military display in the gym either! Remember to pause at 3:00, wherever you may be, when you hear the church bells ring for a Moment of Remembrance.

Remember those that have sacrificed so much, to make - and keep- our country free. Not just those that have served, but for the military families as well. Walk through Freeburg and see the Hometown Hero Banners. You may know some or many- and may recognize familiar family names. We have added 8 new Heroes this year for a total of 80 Banners! If you see a Veteran today – or any day, please shake their hand and thank them from the bottom of your heart!

Thank you Volunteers!

Trent and the Freeburg Rec Association, Banner Placement Team, Erin Graybill (Pleasant Valley Greenhouse and Gifts), David Bingaman, Mark Troup, Parade Veterans, Selinsgrove Area School District Band

Charles Amig
James Aucker
Larry W. Aucker
Robert "Bob" Aucker Jr.
Knowles "Huck" Barrick
Richard "Bud" Bickhart
Chester Bingaman
Benjamin Bitting (Active Duty)
Paul Henry Boyer
Robert "Bob" Bucher
Andrew Dilks
Harvey C. Dreese
Justin W. Dreese
Ralph Orlean Dreese
Raymond E. Dreese
Elwood M. Dressler
Marlin L. Dressler
Roger L. Dressler
Roy W. Dressler
William "Bill" Levi Dressler
Clyde E. Ferry
Richard M. Forster
William K. Forster
Jeffrey E. Freed
Paul T. Freed
Earl J. Gearhart
Edwin W. Gheer
John R. Glover
Donald Groner
Glenn Heintzelman
Robert Heintzelman
Gene Hendricks
Bobby W. Hoffman
John M. Hoffman
Joseph Jr. Hoffman
Oscar Hoffman
Russel W. "Buddy" Hoffman
Stanley Ray Hoffman
William E. Hoffman
William R. Hoffman

Francie E. Hoke
Richard L. Hoke
Ritchie A. Hoke
Robert H. Hoke
Ernest B. Hoover
Carl C. Inch
Eva H. Kissinger
George E. Kissinger
Gary A. Klingler
Paul D. Klingler
Franklin Longacre Jr.
Harvey E. Maneval
Fred C. Moyer Sr.
Dr. George S. Moyer
Guy H. Moyer
Ethan D. Mull (Active Duty)
Edgar R. Neff
Harold O. Neff
Robert L. Reggia, Sr.
John Wayne Reichenbach
Kenneth C. Shawver
Robert R. Sheaffer
Lawrence M. Smith
Raymond E. Smith
David Snyder
John Snyder
Richard Spriggle
Richard Spriggle Jr.
Donald Lee Stahl
Richard G. Straub
William C. Straub
Guy W. Troup
Dennis Van Benthuysen
Gene "Pee Wee" Walter
Richard A. Walter
Robert R. Walter Jr.
Clair "Rooster" Witmer
Clarence F. "Jack" Witmer
Larry E. Witmer
Malachi Zeiders (Active Duty)

National Moment of remembrance

An act of American unity in a shared moment of remembrance for our fallen heroes

When: Along with other Americans, you are asked to spend a moment of remembrance on Memorial Day, **Monday, May 25, 2026, at 3 p.m.** local time (duration: one minute). The time 3 p.m. was chosen, because it is the time when many Americans are enjoying their freedoms on the national holiday. The Moment does not replace the traditional Memorial Day observances. It is intended to be a unifying act of remembrance for Americans of all ages. **Freeburg Church Bells will Ring!**

What: As you participate in this Moment, you are helping reclaim Memorial Day for the noble and sacred reason for which it was intended—to honor those who died in service to our Nation.

Who: Americans of every age are invited to take part.

Where: You may pause for the Moment wherever you happen to be, whether alone or with others.

How: Participation is voluntary and informal. You may observe in your own way a Moment of remembrance and respect, pausing from whatever you are doing for a moment of silence or listening to "Taps." You may, however, organize the observance more formally at such places as your neighborhood, local pool, picnic grounds, etc., for one minute of remembrance. You may ring a bell to signify the beginning and the end of the Moment or may tune into a local radio station that is observing the Moment with the playing of "Taps." If you are driving a vehicle, you may turn on your headlights.

Why: To remind all Americans of the importance of remembering those who sacrificed for their freedom and what it means to be an American. To provide Americans throughout the world the opportunity to join this expression of gratitude, in an act of unity. To make Memorial Day relevant, especially to younger Americans.

Background: In May 1996, the idea of the Moment was born, when children touring Washington, D.C., were asked what Memorial Day meant. They responded, "That's the day the pools open!" On Dec. 28, 2000, by P.L. 106-579, the White House Commission on the National Moment of Remembrance was established. The Moment has the personal support of the President of the United States.