

2023 Special Events

Morris is known for lively events and festivals, boutiques and specialty shops, great eateries, and year-round recreation.

Nestled an hour southwest of Chicago along the Illinois River and I&M Canal, Morris is where you can connect to nature, recharge Downtown, and make memories for a lifetime.



There's More to Morris!

Scan the QR code below, visit online at morrisil.org/visitmorris or follow us on social media for more info













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Event information is subject to change. Scan QR code or check the event hosts' social media for updates.

March

18th Shop Lucky & St. Patrick's Day Parade

Downtown Morris

April

1st Rough Road 100 Gravel Bike Race

Benefitting We Care of Grundy County Canal Port Park

15th Grundy Chamber of Commerce Family Fest

Shabbona School

15th Morris Woman's Club Superhero Run 5K

Downtown Morris

22nd Scout Flea Market

True North

Saturdays April-September Morris Farmer's Market - Morris VFW

May

5th Girls Night Out (Cinco de Mayo)

Downtown Morris

13th 3 French Hens Market Downtown Morris

26th Movie in the Park Goold Park

June

1st Concert on the Courthouse Lawn

Featuring The Neverly Brothers Downtown Morris

3rd fForest Fest Goold Park

10th Morris Cruise Night Downtown Morris

10th 3 French Hens Market Downtown Morris

10-11th Dulcimer Festival Goold Park

15th Concert on the Courthouse Lawn

Featuring Jenna Jane Downtown Morris

17th Rhythm & BBQ Festival Goold Park

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23rd Movie in the Park Goold Park

25th Rock the Block Downtown Morris

Featuring Nashville Electric Company

29th Concert on the Courthouse Lawn

Featuring The Rockin' Fenderskirts Downtown Morris

July

1st Grundy PADS Liberty 5K

Downtown Morris

3rd Fireworks Extravaganza

Grundy Co. Fairgrounds

8th Morris Cruise Night Downtown Morris

8th 3 French Hens Market Downtown Morris

13th Concert on the Courthouse Lawn

Featuring The Sting Rays Downtown Morris

15th I&M Canal Day Camp Canal Port Park Celebrating the 175th Anniversary of the I&M Canal

23rd Rock the Block Downtown Morris

Featuring Generations Band

27th Concert on the Courthouse Lawn

Featuring River Road Trio Downtown Morris

28th Movie in the Park Goold Park

29th Downtown Sidewalk Sales

Downtown Morris

August

1st National Night Out Goold Park

10th Concert on the Courthouse Lawn Featuring South of Disorder (Jimmy Buffet Tribute)

Downtown Morris

11th The Green Room Improv Group

Hosted by Morris Area Public Library Goold Park

12th Morris Cruise Night Downtown Morris

12th 3 French Hens Market Downtown Morris

19th Liberty Arts Festival Downtown Morris

19th Grundy Co. Health Dept. Anybody 5K

School Drive

24th Concert on the Courthouse Lawn

Featuring The Del Bergeson Orchestra Downtown Morris

25th Movie in the Park Goold Park

27th Rock the Block Downtown Morris

Featuring Cadillac Groove

September

September 27th - October 1st 74th Annual Grundy County Corn Festival

9th	Morris Cruise Night	Downtown Morris
9th	3 French Hens Market	Downtown Morris
16th	Morris Beer Festival	Goold Park
22nd	Movie in the Park	Goold Park

October

14-15th Morris Lions Club Car Show

Grundy Co. Fairgrounds

14th	Run the Beat 5k	Upper Goold Park
14th	Morris Cruise Night	Downtown Morris
14th	3 French Hens Market	Downtown Morris
14th	Scout Flea Market	True North
20-21t	h Downtown Boo Fest	Downtown Morris
26th Trick or Treating with Downtown Merchants		
		Downtown Morris

November

10-11th 3 French Hens Holiday Market

Jennifer's Garden

25th Small Business Saturday Downtown Morris

24-26th Home for the Holidays Downtown Morris Festival of trees, lighted parade, house/window walk,

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December

1st	Midnight in Morris	Downtown Morris
10th	Winterfest Market	Downtown Morris
16th	Holiday in the Park	Goold Park