

Nature Coast Community Band

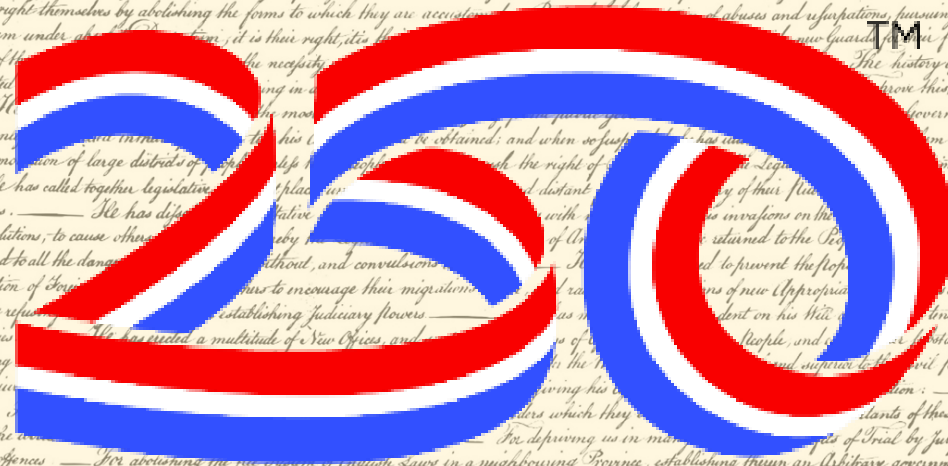
Kathy Thompson, Conductor



CELEBRATES

The unanimous Declaration of the thirteen united States of America.

AMERICA



1776 - 2026

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

250th ANNIVERSARY

of the Declaration of Independence

Saturday

June 27, 2026 - 3:00 PM

**Citrus Springs Community Center
1570 W Citrus Springs Blvd
Citrus Springs, FL**

Sunday

June 28, 2026 - 3:00 PM

**Seven Rivers Church
4221 W Gulf to Lake Hwy
Lecanto, FL**

FREE Admission to All NCCB Concerts

Doors Open at 2:00 PM

When in the course of human events, it becomes necessary for one people to dissolve the political bands which have connected them with another, and to assume among the powers of the earth, separate and equal station, which the laws of Nature and of Nature's God entitle them to, a decent respect to the opinions of mankind requires that they should declare the causes which impel them to the separation. We hold these truths to be self-evident, that all men are created equal, that they are endowed by their Creator with certain unalienable Rights, that among these are Life, Liberty and the pursuit of Happiness. That to secure these rights, Governments are instituted among Men, deriving their just powers from the consent of the governed, — That whenever any Form of Government becomes destructive of these ends, it is the right of the People to alter or to abolish it, and to institute new Government, laying its foundation on such principles and organizing its powers in such form, as to them shall seem most likely to effect their Safety and Happiness. Prudence, indeed, will dictate that Governments long established should not be changed for light and transient causes; and accordingly all reference hath hitherto been to abuses and not to defects in our former Governments. But when a long train of abuses and usurpations, pursuing invariably the same Object evinces a design to reduce them under absolute Tyranny, it is their right, it is their duty, to throw off such Government, and to provide new Guards for their future security. — Such has been the patient sufferance of these Colonies, and such is still to be their patience, while they endure continued Tyranny from a more distant Part of the Globe. — We therefore, the Representatives of the thirteen united Colonies, in General Congress assembled, declare, that the United Colonies by these Declarations are free and Independent States, that they are absolved from all Allegiance to the British Crown, and that all political connection between them and the State of Great Britain, is and ought to be totally dissolved; and that as Free and Independent States, they have full Power to levy War, conclude Peace, contract Alliances, establish Commerce, and to do all other Acts and Things which Independent States may of right do. — And for the support of this Declaration, with a firm reliance on the protection of divine Providence, we mutually pledge to each other our Lives, our Fortunes and our sacred Honor.

John Hancock

Samuel Adams

John Adams

Burton Gwinnett

Thomas Jefferson

Richard Henry Lee

Samuel Adams