



45th Eliot Festival Days Schedule of Events



Friday, September 25, 2026

5:30 pm Eliot Festival 5K Road Race runners' packet pickup at Eliot Town Hall, 'til 7 pm
5:30 pm Chili Festival at Eliot Boat Basin hosted by Eliot/Kittery American Legion Post 188
8:00 pm Eliot Festival Fireworks Show at Eliot Boat Basin - Rain Date Saturday, Sept. 26

Saturday, September 26, 2026

7:00 am Road Race parking opens and music begins
8:00 am State Road closes from Moses Gerrish Farmer Road to Old Road
8:15 am Flag raising at Eliot Town Hall and start of Eliot Festival 5K Road Race
9:00 am Booths and Kids Area open on State Road
9:00 am Musical entertainment by Miss Carmen on the National Wrecker Service stage
9:00 am Parade participant line up begins at Eliot Boat Basin
9:00 am #8 Schoolhouse Museum at 67 Greenwood Street open to the public 'til 4pm
9:15 am 5K Road Race awards presentation begins at Eliot Town Hall parking lot
10:00 am Eliot Festival Kids Fun Run begins at Eliot Town Hall parking lot
10:30 am Parade kicks off from **WILLIAM FOGG LIBRARY**
11:00 am Parade arrives at Eliot Elementary School reviewing stand
11:30 am Eliot Dunkin' Donuts Donut Eating Contest for kids under 15
Live music by Joenny Vargas on the National Wrecker Service stage 'til 1:00 pm
1:00 pm Pie Eating Contest-Adults (16+)
1:30 pm Live music by Max Sullivan on the National Wrecker Service stage 'til 3:00 pm
3:00 pm Booths and Kids Area close and State Road reopens

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