

The monthly free concert series in Historic Downtown Clermont called Music on Montrose has become a much anticipated professional-quality, cultural event for this south Lake County community, its guests and tourists. Held at City Hall Park at the corner of 7th and Montrose Streets, upwards to a thousand people come to enjoy a different genre of music performed by some of Central Florida's finest musicians the First Friday of each month.

Music On Montrose began in June of 2014 when the Clermont Downtown Partnership, host and producers of the event, moved their two-year old First Friday Family Food Truck rally from Minneola Street to the newly created City Hall Park. The free concert was added to provide residents, guests and tourists the opportunity to enjoy some of the finest musicians Central Florida has to offer. Bands have included the blues, a steel drum band, Reggae Fusion, jazz, easy listening and a few others. On the books is folk, country, Delta Blues, Redneck Rock, Cajun, Irish, Rock & Roll and a few more. As a matter of fact, the event is so popular that bands are being booked through 2016! To recommend a band, please do so. You'll find more information on the Facebook page for the Clermont Downtown Partnership. Or, send an email to: info@clermontdowntownpartnership.com. Contact information would be appreciated.

A recent addition to the Music on Montrose and First Family Food Truck Friday event is Vendors on Montrose. Up to 30 or so artsy/craftsy exhibitors offer their wares to the event's guests from booths set up under the lights on Montrose Street. Downtown shops are open late during this event so you can stroll the streets to see what the Merchants on Montrose have to offer. You're sure to find something you like.

The Music on Montrose and First Family Food Trucks event is at City Hall Park at the corner of Montrose and 7th Streets in Historic Downtown Clermont. The event begins at 6:00pm and ends at 9:00pm. Historic Downtown Clermont is located 2.5 miles west of Highway 27 on Highway 50. Then turn right on Lake, 7th or 8th Street. You can't miss it ... and you shouldn't miss these fun events either! Sponsored by the Clermont Downtown Partnership.