

CelebrateErie Social Media Policy

Effective: 8/11/26

The CelebrateErie social media accounts are intended to provide the public with information, updates, announcements, and other content related to CelebrateErie, including event programming, schedules, performers, vendors, sponsors, activities, safety information, and other festival-related news.

CelebrateErie social media accounts, including but not limited to Facebook, Instagram, and other official social media platforms, are regularly monitored by the CelebrateErie team. While every effort will be made to respond to questions and comments in a timely manner, CelebrateErie social media accounts are not continuously monitored and responses may not be immediate, particularly outside of regular business hours, during weekends, holidays, or during periods of high event activity.

Public Comments and Engagement

CelebrateErie welcomes comments, questions, feedback, and discussion from members of the community. We ask that everyone who engages with CelebrateErie social media remain respectful and constructive.

CelebrateErie reserves the right to remove comments, replies, posts, or other content that contain or promote any of the following:

- Defamatory, threatening, discriminatory, obscene, offensive, profane, or vulgar language;
- Personal attacks, harassment, bullying, or name-calling;
- Hate speech or content targeting an individual or group based on race, color, religion, national origin, sex, gender, sexual orientation, gender identity, disability, age, or other protected characteristic;
- Threats of violence or content that promotes or encourages violence;
- Spam, repetitive comments, or unsolicited commercial solicitations;
- Advertising or promotional content unrelated to CelebrateErie;
- Personal or confidential information about another individual without their consent;
- Content that violates the privacy or safety of CelebrateErie, any event activities and/or operations, attendees, performers, vendors, sponsors, volunteers, staff and/or other members of the public. False or misleading information presented as fact, including information regarding CelebrateErie, any event activities and/or

operations, attendees, performers, vendors, sponsors, staff and/or other members of the public.

- Content that violates applicable laws or regulations;
- Content that is unrelated to the topic or purpose of the CelebrateErie post or account; or
- Content that interferes with the ability of others to participate in constructive discussion or obtain accurate information about the event.

Comments or posts that violate this policy may be removed without notice. Users who repeatedly engage in behavior that violates this policy may be restricted or blocked from CelebrateErie social media platforms.

CelebrateErie reserves the right to determine, in its reasonable discretion, whether content violates this policy.

Event Information

CelebrateErie social media is intended to provide helpful and timely event information but should not be considered the sole or comprehensive source of information regarding the festival.

Schedules, programming, road closures, parking, transportation, weather-related changes, vendor information, and other event details may change. For the most current information, please refer to the official CelebrateErie website and official CelebrateErie social media accounts.

For questions or concerns that require direct assistance, please contact the CelebrateErie team at: **CelebrateErie@gmail.com**

Photos, Videos and Other Content

CelebrateErie may share photographs, videos, graphics, and other media created by or on behalf of CelebrateErie for promotional and informational purposes.

Content submitted to or shared with CelebrateErie through social media may be considered for reposting or sharing on official CelebrateErie platforms. By submitting content to CelebrateErie, users should understand that CelebrateErie may share that content in accordance with the applicable platform's terms and conditions.

CelebrateErie respects the rights of content creators. Please do not submit or share content that you do not have permission to use.

Emergencies and Public Safety

CelebrateErie social media should not be used to report emergencies or request immediate assistance.

For emergencies or situations requiring immediate assistance, please contact **911**.

Official event communications regarding severe weather, emergency situations, event closures, evacuations, or other public safety matters will be communicated through appropriate official channels whenever possible.

Policy Changes

This policy is subject to change without prior notice. CelebrateErie reserves the right to add to, modify, or remove provisions of this policy at any time as necessary to support a safe, welcoming, and positive experience for everyone participating in CelebrateErie.

Thank you for helping us keep CelebrateErie a welcoming, respectful, and enjoyable event for our entire community.