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**FOURTH OF JULY CELEBRATION IN PHILADELPHIA**  
*Summary Of Events And Activities For Sunoco Welcome America!*

**Sunday, June 29, 2008:**

**10:00 a.m.-12:00 noon**

***Go 4<sup>th</sup> & Learn***

At **Franklin Square**, kids can romp around, play games and hear professional storytellers regale them with entertaining stories about America's past. Each child attending will receive a gift bag with a book and other goodies. Afterwards, parents can treat their youngsters to a ride on the carousel or a golf game on the 18-hole miniature golf course featuring pint-sized versions of some of the region's iconic landmarks. 6<sup>th</sup> & Race Streets, (215) 592-7273

**2:00-6:00 p.m.**

***Strongman Competition***

Strongmen and weight lifters from around the U.S. haul concrete cylinders, pull trucks and lift thousands of pounds as they compete for prizes. Phil Pfister, winner of the 2006 World's Strongest Man competition and the first American to hold that title since 1982, will be among the competitors. Eakins Oval at the Benjamin Franklin Parkway

**9:00-11:00 p.m.**

***Philly @ the Movies – Happy Feet***

The free movie series continues with dancing, singing and all-around happy penguins. With seating on the pier by the **Battleship New Jersey** and a backdrop of the Philadelphia skyline, this viewing is as family-friendly as it gets. 62 Battleship Place, Camden, NJ, (866) 877-6262

Visitors celebrating America's birthday in its birthplace can take advantage of the **Philly's More Summer Fun Hotel Package**, which pairs a two-night hotel stay with a \$50 gift card from American Express. The package is available at more than 30 hotels and is bookable online at [www.gophila.com/summerfun](http://www.gophila.com/summerfun).

For more information about these events and for a look at the full nine-day schedule, visit [www.americasbirthday.com](http://www.americasbirthday.com).

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*Sunoco Welcome America!* is a multi-day festival that celebrates America's birthday in America's birthplace and is produced by *Welcome America, Inc.*

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