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CELEBRATING *Juneteenth*

Juneteenth, also known as Freedom Day, Jubilee Day, Jun Jun, and Liberation Day is the oldest known celebration commemorating the ending of slavery in the United States. This year Juneteenth will be recognized as an official New York State Holiday.



The colors red, white, and blue echo the American flag to symbolize that the enslaved people and their descendants were Americans. The star in the middle pays homage to Texas, while the bursting "new star" on the "horizon" of the red and blue fields represents a new freedom and a new people.

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