

TOTAL

— ECLIPSE OF THE HEARTLAND —

APRIL 8, 2024



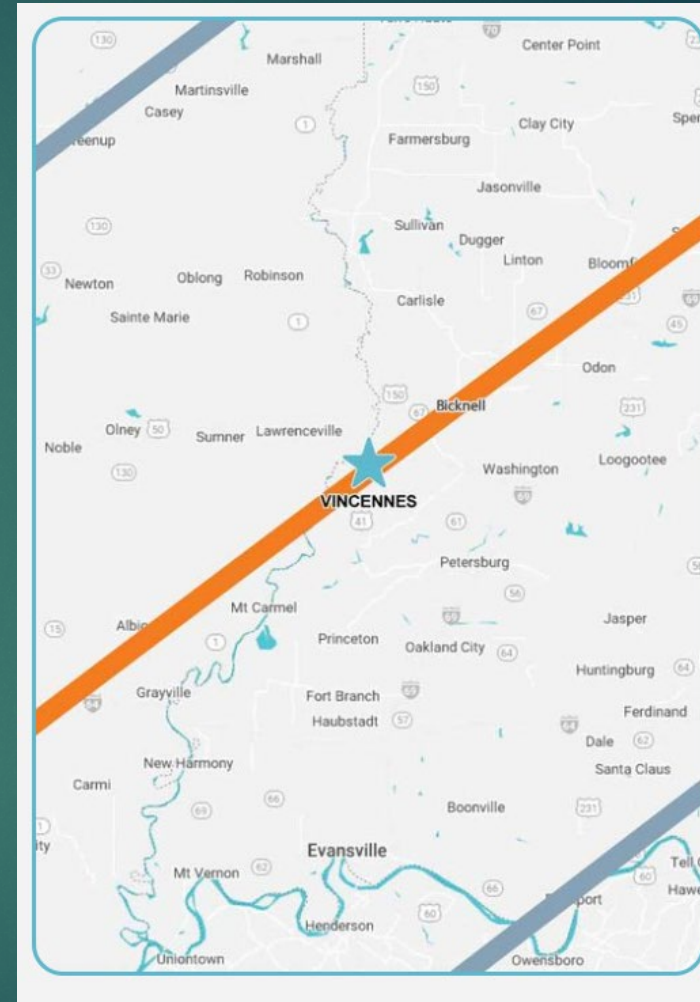
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VINCENNES / KNOX COUNTY, INDIANA

Basic Details

- ▶ Monday, April 8, 2024
- ▶ Longest total eclipse time in IN (4'05'')
- ▶ “Totality” runs from 3:02 – 3:06 pm

Event	Time (Local Time)
Start	01:46 pm
Start Totality	03:02 pm
Max Eclipse	03:04 pm
End Totality	03:06 pm
End	04:20 pm



Vincennes/Knox Co. Eclipse Committee

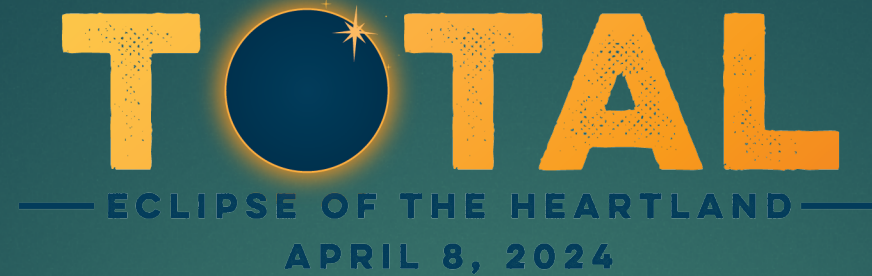
- ▶ Estimates up to 50,000 to arrive in Knox County (John Streeter)
- ▶ Mainly involved in communication/safety/people management concerns
- ▶ Multiple subcommittees (public safety, health/food, sanitation, utilities, communication, education, marketing/lodging, & local outreach)
- ▶ Not coordinating “events” but will help to communicate events to public.
 - ▶ Darkside festival (April 6-8), music festival, 2 brewfests, 5K glow race, live sculpture installation, Amplified Music Project, ½ Birthday Party, viewing sites, etc
 - ▶ <https://www.vincenneseclipse.com/>

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▶ Events / Activities

- ▶ “Experiencing Totality” - February 8. Retired NASA astrophysicist, Fred “Mr. Eclipse” Espenak will be speaking at 11:00 am & 6:30 pm at RSPAC. (also broadcast on WVUT)
- ▶ “How to Photograph the April 8 Eclipse” - March 15 at 1:30 pm in LRC 112. Presented by Professor Chris Schneberger.
- ▶ “How to Predict Eclipses” – March 21 at 11:00 am in Updike 142. Presented by Professor Nancy Riggs.
- ▶ Films for the Humanities will be showing “Totality: The American Eclipse”
Date/time/location TBA
- ▶ Dr. Jonathan Mangin (DEB Initiative) will present on April 7 at 2:30 at JSU and also be on Updike’s roof with a solar telescope taking measurements of the sun’s corona on Apr. 8 (live feed planned).

The logo features the word "TOTAL" in large, orange, textured capital letters. The letter "O" is replaced by a dark blue circle with a white starburst at the top, representing an eclipse. Below "TOTAL" is the text "ECLIPSE OF THE HEARTLAND" in a smaller, dark blue, sans-serif font, flanked by horizontal lines. Underneath that is the date "APRIL 8, 2024" in the same dark blue font. A solid red vertical bar is positioned on the right side of the slide.

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- ▶ Classes on Apr. 8 are cancelled at noon
- ▶ Student Eclipse Party on Apr. 8
- ▶ Public viewing areas at Kimmel Park, track, green space next to Physical Plant. Parking at RSPAC lots and along Oliphant Dr outside the Park.
- ▶ Free Eclipse glasses for VU community
- ▶ Visit <https://www.vinu.edu/2024-total-eclipse> for updates/more details