

Ashland's Old-Fashioned 4th of July Celebration

2019 Theme: "Celebrating 50-years of Friendship"

50-years of Sister City friendship between Guanajuato, Mexico and Ashland, Oregon

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- July 3rd** **City of Ashland Blanket and Chair Policy** - Blankets can be placed beginning at 6:00 PM on the evening of July 3rd. You are placing items at your own risk – no placement is guaranteed. Please be mindful of placing items on grass or using tape or other materials that cannot be removed following the parade. Please help the community in keeping the parade route clean post-event.
- July 3rd** 8pm **RogueDCI Drum & Bugle Corps Show** - World-Class bands perform at SOU's Raider Stadium. Tickets can be purchased online at www.roguedci.com.
- 7:45am **4th of July 2 mile and 10K runs**, Ashland Library—Gresham & East Main. Sponsored by **Ashland Parks & Recreation**
- 8:30am-4:30pm **Free shuttle bus service** (Courtesy of the Ashland Chamber of Commerce) One route: from Tolman Creek Plaza Albertson's Bus Stop to Downtown Bus Stop (on Lithia Way between 1st and 2nd Streets) every 30 minutes - **last pickup from Downtown is 4:00pm. FREE Shuttle Parking located at the Ashland Family YMCA – sponsored by the YMCA. Please do not park in the Grocery Store parking lots.**
- 9am **Early Bird viewing** of Lithia Park Booths
- 10am **4th of July Parade** begins at Triangle Park, proceeding down Siskiyou Boulevard to East Main, finishing down Water Street
- During Parade** **FLY OVER** (estimated time of arrival to Ashland is TBA as they are on their tour of Oregon 4th of July Celebrations)
- 10am-5pm **Booth and Craft Fair in Lithia Park** – Enjoy **Information Booths, Food Booths, the Family Activity Zone, artisan Craft Booths** and visit with **local businesses**. Please see the Lithia Park Map for Booth locations.
- Noon **Musical Performances at the Bandshell** in Lithia Park including the **Ashland City Band** (Noon to 12:30pm & 12:45pm to 1:00pm), **and MORE! Sponsored by: VORIS SOUND. Bandshell Emcee: Livia Genise of Livia Genise Productions.**
- 12:30pm **Mayor John Stromberg Welcome Address**, Bandshell in Lithia Park
- 12:45pm **Gettysburg Address**, Bandshell in Lithia Park
- 1:30pm **Reading of the Declaration of Independence** by **Barry Kraft**, Bandshell in Lithia Park
- 8pm **31st annual American Band College Star Spangled Spectacular - "Ashland Pops Show"** - Enjoy the 200-plus members of the **American Band College** Master's Degree Program at the **Ashland High School Stadium** on July 4th. Co-sponsored by the **Ashland Chamber of Commerce**, the **American Band College** is donating **funds to assist in fundraising for the annual public fireworks show**. Tickets can be purchased on **ABC's website www.bandworld.org** and at the **Ashland High School Stadium beginning at 6:30pm**.
- 10pm **Public Fireworks Display** presented by **Ashland Chamber of Commerce** from the SOU Athletic Field. Viewable from most parts of Ashland.

*Have a great time
at the 4th of July Celebration!*

4th of July Committee

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