

**PETS**URCE







★ Fourth of July BINGO - Civic Center basement. Until 3p. Free.

★ Lecture: "Rediscovering God in America: The Importance of

★ Musical Presentation: Brian "Pickles" Gerkensmeyer,

★ Travelogue: "Peru: Time Capsule of the Incas!" Ian Fiala,

★ Mayor's community reception – Honoring July 4th Dignitaries.
Hosted by GFWC Seward Woman's Club, St. John Lutheran
Church Fellowship Hall. Seward Mayor Josh Eickmeier. Senator

★ GRAND PARADE - Bands, floats, units, Theme: "Preserving the

Present for the Future - Honoring and Opening Celebration of the World's Largest Time Capsule." Parade entry forms available at the Civic Center, 616 Bradford; or contact SCCDP, Collin Hain

at 402-643-4189; or visit www.julyfourthseward.com; or email

★ VFW Hamburger/Hot Dog Basket Feed - VFW Post 4755, 243

★ Mayor's Welcome: Crowning Miss Independence and Mr.

★ Concert in the park featuring Columbus Jazz Orchestra - Plum Creek Park. Free. Extra seating and parking for fireworks

10:00p ★ GIANT FIREWORKS SALUTE - A FIREWORKS EXTRAVAGANZA

In case of rain, fireworks will be on July 5 at 10p.

\*\*\* No private fireworks during parade or fireworks display \*\*\*

★ Downtown Seward's "Operation Silhouette" - Holiday lights around

\* Homes Decorated with Red, White and Blue Lights - Throughout

\* Red, White and Blue Plantings - Throughout Seward. Keep Seward

Saturday, July 5

6:00a **Clean Up** - City of Seward. Meet on north side of square, citywide throughout morning. A litter-free event. Keep Seward Beautiful! Seward Scouts, SHS FFA, FBLA, SkillsUSA, FCCLA and

★ Plan to Spend July 4, 2026, in SEWARD ★

Nebraska's Official Fowith of July City

Remember, July 4, 2026, is the 250th birthday of the USA!

Come join us as we are the official Nebraska celebration site

for July 4th. "One Nation, Many Stories!" USA 250: America's

Semiguinncentennial!

**★★★ History ★★★** 

Since 1868, the community of Seward, Nebraska, has honored and celebrated the anniversary of the United States. Rich in community history, this celebration has grown to state and national attention,

emphasizing the total community effort. This example of "small town" America celebrating as it has for over 150 years will again happen on

July 4, 2025, and we invite you to share this day with us, if not in person,

Seward was named Nebraska's Best Festival 2021, 2015 and 2016;

received the top award in 2005, 2006 and 2007; finished as a finalist

in 2011-2014 & 2017; was named Nebraska Festival of the Year 2021-

2022; was named one of America's Top Ten Fourth of July Celebrations

in the nation; and received the 2019 George Washington Honor Medal

★ Children's "Post-Fourth" Parade - Begins at Ridgewood and visits area senior living residences. Informal "Senior July 4th

Salute." Line up at Ridgewood East parking lot at 1:30p. Nó pre-

registration needed. For more details, contact Molly Marroquin

at tina\_marroquin@yahoo.com; or Julya and Ayda Metschke, Youth Parade Co-Chairs, at Julia.Metschke@sewardschools.

Key Club, 4-H Clubs, community volunteers.

the square. Featuring Courthouse lights. Seward County Chamber and

Seward. Home lighting contests. Sponsored by Seward Rotary Club

following the concert in Middle School Grounds and Plum

- Plum Creek Park. Tune into 104.9 MAX Country for music

with fireworks. Bring a blanket and chair. Extra seating at Seward Middle School and Plum Creek Soccer Fields. July 4th

Committee, coordinator Darin Urwin & Company. Sponsored

by Cattle Bank & Trust, Concordia University, Jones Bank

Seward and Milford, Hughes Brothers, Petsource by Scouler

Manufacturing, Tenneco, and Seward County Visitor's Bureau

Firecracker - Bandshell. Seward County Community Service Award, Nebraska's Friend Award, Tourist Family introduced.

of Washington DC. Civic Center East fireplace room

★ Seward Car Show "Duck Dash" - 7th & Seward Sts.

**CUNE** – Civic Center East fireplace room.

parade@cultivatesewardcounty.com

Sponsored by Seward Rotary.

★ Concert - Bandshell.

Creek Soccer Fields.

Development Partnership

and SHS FBLA.

★ Concession stand - Plum Creek Park.

God to Our Nation's Founders," Cliff Lowell - Includes a tour

Prizes. Air-conditioned seating

Guitar - Bandshell

Plum Creek Park @ 10 p.m.

with 104.9 MAX Country

\*No private fireworks on parade route or at Plum Creek Park





## "Preserving the Present for the Future!" Celebrating the Opening of the World's Largest Time Capsule!

★ July 1st - Special String Beans Concert - Seward Memorial Library. 7p. Friends of the Library.

#### **Thursday, July 3 - Pre-Party**

- 7:00a ★ Self-guided Volkswalk "The Beat of Seward" Starts at Fast Mart, 215 N. 6th St., 5K (3.1 miles) or 10K (6.2 miles). All day. All weekend. Free. See www.julyfourthseward.com for details and
- 8:00a \* Nebraska National Guard Museum Open House 8a-3p.
  Best public bathrooms in Seward. Air conditioned. Free. Check out the new and latest exhibits. Gift shop open all day. Self-
- 9:00a ★ Antique Market opens Liberty House Bed & Breakfast, 5th & ★ "Inner Maker Art Village - 1693 224th Rd. Rose Meditation
- and Labyrinth Walk. Honoring the Heart of America through the Art of Wellness. Art of the Rose & Art of the Labyrinth. 10:00a ★ Bottle Rocket Brewing Co. opens - 10a-10p. Brews, food truck, beer garden, and new canned root beer!
- ★ Seward County Historical Society Museum opens Goehner. 10a-4p. Hand-sewn US flag made for Seward's first 4th of July, 1868. Seward "Images of Independence" - black and white photo display of 1981 Seward 4th of July celebration.
- Other new exhibits. Frée admission 11:00a ★ "Inner Maker Art Village - 1693 224th Rd. Rose Meditation and Labyrinth Walk. Honoring the Heart of America through the Art of Wellness. Art of the Rose & Art of the Labyrinth. Free.
- 12:00p \* Red Path Art Gallery and Tasting Room Open House Noon-5p. Features art of Lincoln Art Guild. "Preserving the Present for the Future!" Vote on People's Choice Award. Nebraska art, wine,
  - \* Art Shows Featuring Lincoln Artist Guild, Pam Apley, William Greusel, Rhonda Bruggeman, Reinhold Marxhausen & over 20 additional Nebraska Artists
- 4:00p ★ **Gun Show** Ag Pavillion, fairgrounds. 4-8p. 5:30p ★ Food Truck - Bottle Rocket Brewing Co.
- 6:30p **Bottle Rocket Cornhole singles tourney** Register at Bottle Rocket Brewery 230 S. 5th St. Call 402-646-5867 for details.
- 7:00p **\* Special "Salute to End of WWII 80th Anniversary" Seward** High School Auditorium. Featuring the Firehouse Five (Plus). Hear the stories of Columbus's Andrew Higgins, boat builder; Seward's own Major John Cattle Sr.; and Army Nurse, Col Rita M. Geis of Beaver Crossing - all involved in WWII war effort. Special Honorees and extra entertainment. Free. Sponsored by the Nebraska National Guard Historical Society/Nebraska National Guard Museum.
- 7:30p **The Wissman Family Singers In Concert** Family Reunion at Seward Bandshell. Frée admission. A Seward tradition.
- 9:00p ★ Band: Live Music Sparetime Lounge. 9p-1a.

#### RAIN OR SHINE In case of extreme rainfall, the fireworks display

will be postponed until Friday, July 5, 2025.

### Friday, July 4

- 7:00a ★ VFW Auxiliary Community Buffet Breakfast VFW Club.
  - Fee. Forms at www.julyfourthseward.com.

    \*\*Registration for July 4 Car Show Seward St. between 7th

★ 2-Mile & 10K Freedom Runs - Seward Wellness Center. Entry

- & 8th Sts. 7–10a. Entry Fee. Contact CJ Novak, 402-646-5214. See www.julyfourthseward.com for more details. \* Lincoln's Great Plains Bicycling Club's Family Day -Registration at Living Word Lutheran Church, 1200 W Hillcrest To Brainard/Dwight and back or shorter route. Visit www.
- julyfourthseward.com. Approved bike helmets required. Open to all. Free 7:30a **\* Anvil Firing -** Zabka Park behind Bandshell, before and after
- prayer service. Seward Volunteer Fire Dept. Colonial custom. \* Reveille (75mm Howitzer Cannon Fire) and Flag Raising -
  - Nebraska National Guard Museum. With Civil War re-enactors. ★ Flag Raising - Bandshell. Boy Scout USA Troop 256.

**Info Booth** - Located at NE corner Courthouse Square in the street, also

in NE Natl Guard Museum, & Zabka-Perdue Funeral Home. Register in the

**Bottle Rocket Brewing Co.** – 230 S. 5th St. *Brews, food truck, beer garden* 

and root beer. Tours available. Cornhole Tourney. Hours: July 3, 10a-10p; July

Changing Table & Feeding Station – 5th & Jackson Ave., Bandshell Park. Hosted by MOPS.

Family Rest Area - Seward Civic Center, 616 Bradford St. Free. Featuring

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Middle School grounds and Plum Creek Soccer Fields. Sponsored by

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Concordia University-Nebraska, Jones Bank, Scoular Manufacturing

★ Fireworks Show at Plum Creek Park - 10p. Extra seating at the

\* Seward Wellness Center Freedom Run - See www.

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guest book. Opens: July 4, 7:30a-6p

Bandshell - 5th St. & Jackson Ave

Civic Center - 616 Bradford St.

silent auction. GFWC SWC. Opens: July 4, 8a-2p.

or email parade@cultivatesewardcounty.com

Seward County Visitor's Bureau.

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PARADE

**IFLAGS** 

East Hwy. 34

- ★ Community Prayer Service Bandshell. Seward Ministerial Association, featuring Pastor Miles Ruch, Faith Lutheran Church, Seward. Special Music featuring United Methodist
  - ★ Community Breakfast: Pancakes & Sausage Feed St. John Lutheran Church Fellowship Hall. 7:30-10a. Sponsored by St. John Lutheran Church Music Ministry.
  - ★ Self-guided Volkswalk "The Beat of Seward" Starts at Fast Mart, 215 N. 6th St., 5K (3.1 miles) or 10K (6.2 miles). All day. Free. See www.julyfourthseward.com for details and maps. All
  - ★ Information Booth/Guest Register Opens Register in the guest book, N.E. corner of Courthouse Square, by Cattle Bank & Trust, also located in Nebraska National Guard Museum and
- ★ EVENT T-SHIRTS Information Booth. Show off your 4th of July spirit with an official event T-shirt! Also available online at
- bit.'ly/3S8J8I4
- 8:00a **Community Breakfast** Civic Center Basement. 8a until sold
  - ★ Free Exhibits 8a-3p. Open to the public.
  - **EXHIBITS INCLUDE:** ★ Quilt Show - Langworthy Gallery, Seward Civic Center. Lincoln Modern Quilt Guild. "Renewed Visions" by Fiber Works.
  - ★ Camp Creek Threshers and SYA Antique Tractors & Farm **Machinery** - Corner of Jackson & 4th at Zabka Park. ★ Bottle Rocket Brewing Co. opens - Brew and food truck, beer
  - ★ Nebraska National Guard Museum Open House 7th & 8th on Jackson Ave. Commanders in Chief exhibit opens July 4th, 8a-3p. Best public bathrooms in Seward. See new exhibits added in 2024. Free. Public restrooms. Air conditioning
  - ★ Displays at Nebraska National Guard Museum Higgins Boat, "The Boat That Saved WWII." Completely restored Nebraska National Guard M29 Weasel from 1949 blizzard. Sponsored by Cattle Bank & Trust, Dr. Van and Becky Vahle, and the late Virginia Cattle.
  - ★ First Nebraska Civil War Encampment Nebraska National Guard Museum, front lawn.
  - ★ Courthouse Chimes Concert Courthouse Tower. 8a, 10a, 2p & 4p. Historic Seward County Courthouse chimes.
  - ★ Family Rest Area Civic Center. 8a-2p. Children's activities Photo booth. Free. Open to all. Free ice water. Hosted by GFWC Seward Women's Club.
- ★ Free Birthday Cake Civic Center upstairs West fireplace room. Celebrating birthday of USA. GFWC Seward Woman's Club and Seward County Visitors Bureau. While cake lasts. 8:30a \* Best Decorated Bike/Trike Contest - Bandshell. Decorate our bike/trike and ride it in the Grand Parade. Awards/prizes.
  - All ages welcome. Free. Sponsored by SHS FCCLA. ★ Shuttle/Trolley Rides - 8:30a-3:15p & 5-7p. Free. Map on www.julyfourthseward.com and at info center on the square. Added drop off at the World's Largest Time Capsule, corner of
- 9:00a ★ Dedication and Opening of New "Nebraska National Guard Commanders in Chief" Exhibit Front lawn, Nebraska National Guard Museum. Honoring former and current Nebraska National Guard Commanders in Chief, the governors
  - ★ Other Exhibits Newly arrived, reconditioned M29 Weasel from the Blizzard of '49, restored by Dave Geis. PA31-17 Higgins Boat (on lower level of the Museum), driven over Rocky Mountains from California to be preserved.
  - Sponsored by Cattle Bank & Trust, Dr. Van & Becky Vahle, & the late Virginia Cattle. ★ Cooling Station - Nebraska National Guard Museum. Until 3p.
  - ★ Special Postal Station opens U.S. Post Office. 9-11a. Postal cancellation for Seward's July 4th celebration. Free postcards. Available all July. Celebrating World's Largest Time Capsule ★ Bottle Rocket Cornhole Tourney - Register at Bottle Rocket Brewery, 230 S 5th St. 402-646-5867.
  - ★ Inner Maker Art Village 1693 224th Rd. Rose Meditation and Labyrinth Walk. Honoring the Heart of America through
  - the Art of Wellness. Art of the Rose & Art of the Labyrinth. Free. ★ Friends of Seward Library Book Sale - Seward Memorial Library meeting room. 9a-noon. Use west entrance behind City

Freedom Run – Seward Wellness Center, 2765 Eaton Drummer Blvd. Forms

Liberty House Bed & Breakfast - 5th & Moffitt Sts. Antique Market Opens:

Nebraska National Guard Museum (NENG) - 201 N. 8th St. Air-conditioned

public restrooms. Free. Self-guided tours. New gift shop. \*Cooling station open

at www.julyfourthseward.com. Starts: July 4, 7a.

Living Word Lutheran Church - 1300 W. Hillcrest

Mighty Fortress Lutheran Church - 6th & Bradford Sts.

High School - 532 Northern Heights.

Seward Memorial Library - 233 S. 5th St.

on July 4 until 3p\* **Hours:** July 3-4, 8a-3p.

- 2025 Schedule of Events
  - ★ Free water and lemonade Mercy City Church, 6th & Seward Sts. Free. While supplies last. Sponsored by Mercy City Church. ★ Food Alley opens - 5th St. between Seward & Jackson Sts.
  - ★ Crafts on the Square Craft Show opens Courthouse lawn.
  - ★ Antique Market, opens at Liberty House 5th & Moffitt Sts. ★ Miscellaneous Market opens - 5th St. between Seward &
  - ★ Annual Street Pole Vault Competition 4th St., in front of Seward Co-op, between Seward & Jackson. Two competitions: Very good pole vaulters and an advanced/elite competition. Featuring college vaulters in the area and some of the best pole vaulters in the USA. Contact Jason Berry, 402-641-4615.
  - ★ Horseshoe Pitching Seward County Fairgrounds horseshoe ★ Seward Volunteer Fire Department Water Fight - Jackson St. between 3rd & 4th Sts. Women and mixed teams welcome.
  - ★ SHS FFA and Petsource by Scouler Pet Parade/Pet Contest - Bandshell. Bring your pets. Free. Sponsored by Petsource by
  - ★ Talk: "Vietnam Rising: 50 Years After the Fall of Saigon!" with Dr. Joel Helmer - Bottle Rocket Brewery.
  - ★ Historic Walk Around the Square with Jon Keller, author of "150 Years Around the Square" - Meet at info booth at 5th &
  - Seward Sts. One-hour presentation. ★ Lecture: "142 Seward Street: Mystery, Death, Greed and A Big Old House" by Dr. Brent Royuk - Civic Center East
  - fireplace room. Lecture about his home at 142 Seward St. ★ Moolah's Giant 18ft Inflated Slide - Cattle Bank & Trust parking lot. 9a-1p. Sponsored by Cattle Bank & Trust.
  - ★ Gun Show Ag Pavillion, fairgrounds, 430 N 15th. Thursday 4–8p, Friday 9a–5p, Saturday 9a–5p, Sunday 9a–3p. One-time adult admission \$12. Children Free! 9:30a ★ LUXE Dance Academy of Lincoln, dancers/cloggers -
    - ★ Red Path Art Gallery Opens 9:30a-4p. Features art of Lincoln Art Guild. "Preserving the Present for the Future!" Vote on People's Choice Award. Nebraska art, wine, beer, and spirits. ★ Art shows - Featuring Lincoln Artist Guild, Pam Apley, William Greusel, Rhonda Bruggeman, Reinhold Marxhausen & over 20 additional Nebraska Artists.
  - 10:00a ★ Time Capsule Celebration 318 Hillcrest Drive. 10a-6p Registrations for contents held all day. Valid ID required. See the sights and sounds of 50 years gone by. Visit displays in the 1975 Tourist Family & 1976 Tourist Family. Program at 2p, weather permitting. Trolley stop at 5th & Hillcrest. Outdoor toilet houses available
    - ★ Seward County Historical Society Museum opens Goehner. 10a-4p. Hand-sewn US flag made for Seward's first 4th of July, 1868. Seward "Images of Independence" - black and white photo display of 1981 Seward 4th of July celebration. Other new exhibits. Frée admission.
    - \* Rock Climbing Wall and Trackless Train Rides, "Fun in the Neighborhood on the Fourth" - 7th St. between Jackson & Bradford Ave. 10a-3p. Free. Sponsored by Fast Mart, Edward Jones, Seward Smiles, Nebraska National Guard Museum, Scooters, Amigos, Runza National, Subway, Liberty House, and Nebraska's Best Kettlecorn
    - ★ Andrew Malan, "Mr. Magic" Civic Center auditorium. Family
    - ★ Flea Market: "Uncle Sam's Junkin' Jam" Harvest Hall fairgrounds. 8a-7p. unclesamjunkinjam@gmail.com.
    - ★ Lecture: "The Ku Klux Klan in Nebraska and Seward **County," Dr. Jerry Pfabe –** Civic Center East fireplace room. ★ Red Path Art Gallery and Tasting Room opens - 10a-4p. Nebraska art, wine, beer, and spirits
    - ★ Art shows Featuring Lincoln Artist Guild, Pam Apley, William Greusel, Rhonda Bruggeman, Reinhold Marxhausen & over 20 additional Nebraska Artists. ★ Meet the Artist: William Greusel, "Buildings of Seward,
    - Nebraska" 10a-2p. Original artwork of well-known buildings in Seward.

Plum Creek Park - N. Rainbow & E. Pinewood Aves. No cars. Walking traffic

Post Office - 507 Main St. Pictorial cancellation for Seward's July 4th

Red Path Gallery & Tasting Room - 514 Seward St. Nebraska art, wine, beer

Seward County Historical Society Museum - 1037 364th Rd., Goehner,

Shuttle/Trolley Rides - See map on www.julyfourthseward.com or pick up a map at the Info Center on the Square. Free. Hours: July 4, 8:30a-3:15p

and spirits! Hours: July 3, 12-5p; July 4, 9:30a-2p.
Rivoli Theatre - 533 Main St. Free Movie: July 4, 10:30a.

- ★ Vinyl Cup Store Pop Up 10a-4p. Large selection of vinyl
- ★ Car Show opens Seward St. between 6th & 8th Sts. See
- ★ Camp Creek Threshers and SYA Antique Tractors & Farm Machinery Exhibit - Corner of Jackson & 6th St.
- ★ Sparetime opens ★ Mighty Fortress Lutheran Church Hot Dog Feed - 6th & Bradford. Proceeds go to Blue Valley Community Action.
- ★ Brewery Walking Tour Tour Bottle Rocket Distribution Facility, 211 S. 4th St. Self-guided. Free. Sign up at Bottle
- ★ Genealogy House Opens 233 Jackson Ave. 10a until after parade. Learn about Seward County history & families. Air conditioning. Restroom available. ★ Lecture: "Music and Lives of Les Paul and Mary Ford," Cliff
- Lowell Civic Center AV room. 10:30a ★ Bubble Gum/Apple Pie Eating Contest - Bandshell. FREE. State Championships. No pre-registration. Sponsored by
- Seward Rotary Club. ★ Entertainment: "Train Songs and Tales!" David Seay – Civic Center auditorium. 10:30–11:30a. Humanities Nebraska. 11:00a ★ Concert: "Salute to Sousa," City Municipal Band – Bandshell
  - ★ Children's Big Wheel/Hot Cycle Races In front of Zabka-Perdue Funeral Home, Jackson Ave & 4th St. No rubber wheels Bring your own Big Wheel or Hot Cycle. 3 yrs & under, 4 yrs old, and 5 yrs+ categories. Sponsored by Seward High School FBLA.
  - ★ Pie Festival Civic Center basement. 11a-2p. Homemade pie and ice cream. Sponsored by Raymond Pie Ladies, Raymond
  - ★ Sloppy Joe/Yum-Yum Feed Civic Center basement. 11a-1:30p. SHS Band Boosters fundraiser. ★ Inner Maker Art Village - 1693 224th Rd. Rose Meditation and Labyrinth Walk. Honoring the Heart of America through
  - the Art of Wellness. Art of the Rose & Art of the Labyrinth. ★ FREE Movie: Back to the Future 40th Anniversary - Rivoli Theatre, large theater only. The people's choice. Honoring the World's Largest Time Capsule. Preserving the Present for the Future! Sponsored by Wisehart family.
  - ★ Presentation on US Constitution: "Constitution Lady," Shelia Collins - Civic Center AV room.
  - ★ Lecture: "KIND Nebraskans: Personal Stories of Nebraskans in WWII," Charlotte Endorf - Civic Center East fireplace room. Humanities Nebraska.
- 11:30a ★ "Patriotic Song Festival," Paul Sobek Civic Center auditorium
- 12:00p ★ Pause for the Pledge of Allegiance Throughout celebration
  - ★ Dance Academy: "Artistry in Motion," Dance Studio Dancers, Brooklyn Rader - Bandshell.
  - ★ Travelogue: Enjoying the "Land Down Under!" Sue Imig -★ Dennis Bowers and his Harmonica Show - Civic Center
- ★ Traveloque: "Ireland Through the Eves of an American College Student," JJ Metschke - Civic Center East fireplace
- 12:30p ★ Seward County High School Summer Chamber Choir Civic Center auditorium. Directed by Dr. Kurt von Kampen, Concordia University
- 1:00p \* Blue River Men's Quartet Civic Center auditorium. Directed by Jonathan Jank and company. Free.
  - ★ Demonstration by Gold Star Martial Arts Team Velocity -5th & Seward Sts.
  - ★ Quilt Talk: "No Time on My Hands," The Story of a Quilter, Grace Snyder by Charlotte Endorf - Civic Center East fireplace room. Humanities Nebraska, Blue River Quilt Guild. ★ "Marble Music Presents..." - Bandshell.
- ★ Presentation on US Constitution: "Constitution Lady," Shelia Collins - Civic Center AV room.
- 1:30p **\* Seward's Own Sally Jost at the Piano** Civic Center
- ★ Wissmann Family Singers, "A Family Reunion!" Civic Center auditorium. Free
- Sparetime Lounge & Grill 123 S. 4th St. Hours: July 3, 9p-1a; Opens **VFW Club -** 243 S. 9th St. Zabka Park - 4th St. & Jackson Ave.

# **FIRST AID**Southest Citizen Corps

HANDICAP PARKING 203 S. 6th Street Jones Bank main parking lot & Karol Kay Blvd. during fireworks

★ Information Booth/Guest Register - Register in the guest book,

\* Free Concert in the Park: Columbus Jazz Orchestra - Plum

★ July 4 Shuttles All Day - Park at the high school. 8a-3:15p & 5-7p.

\*\*\* No private fireworks during parade or fireworks display \*\*\*

City Ordinance S6-366.2

Please respect the property and lawns of the community!

★ Crafts on the Square - On the Square, 9a-4p.

Creek Park. 8p. North Seward.

See maps. No rides from fireworks.

N.E. corner of Courthouse Square, by Cattle Bank & Trust. Also located

in Nebraska National Guard Museum and inside Zabka-Perdue Funeral

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> County Chamber and Development Partnership 402-643-4189 or visit julyfourthseward.com

- Freedom's Foundation at Valley Forge.

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#### Items of Interest on July 4th

**Key Locations & Hours** 

only. No private fireworks.

Celebration. Free postcards.

- ★ July 4 Historical Marker S.W. corner of Courthouse Square; braska State Historical Society; City of Seward. ★ Holiday Lights - Seward's "Operation Silhouette" - Outline of Courthouse and businesses, week of July Fourth.
- ★ Lincoln Volkssport Club See www.julyfourthseward.com. The ★ Food on celebration grounds - St. John Music Ministry at St. John
- Lutheran Church Fellowship Hall, 7:30–10a; Seward VFW Auxiliary, Post Home, 243 S. 9th St., 8a–noon; Food Alley, 5th and Seward St., 9a until sold out; Mighty Fortress Church Hot Dog Feed (benefitting Blue Valley Community Action) 10a–3p; SHS Band Boosters, Olde Glory Thatte 11a 1:30n; Pia Estival Paymond Church Pia Makers in Olde Theatre, 11a-1:30p; Pie Festival, Raymond Church Pie Makers in Olde Glory Theatre, 11a-2p; Burger/Hot Dog Basket Feed, Seward VFW Club,

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- ★ Patriotic Outdoor Home Decorating Contest Sponsored by Seward Rotary and SHS FBLA, daytime/night lighting contest. ★ Tourist Family - 4th of July Committee, Seward County Sheriff
- Seward Police Department. ★ Seward County Community Service Award - Sponsored by Seward VFW Auxiliary 4755, 4th of July Committee, Seward County ★ Special Edition by the Seward County Independent - At
- information Booth on July 4 Downtown and at the Nebraska National ★ Special Postal Cancellation Themne: "Preserving the Present
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