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Community Gears Up For Rousing July 4th

A wide range of entertainment and activities leading up to a huge fireworks display Saturday night will be available during this weekend's Fourth of July celebration.

Festivities start Friday when the fairgrounds open at 4 p.m. There will be a flea market and food stands open until 9.

Mayor Ed Rutherford said already more than 1,000 feet of space has been sold for the flea market and officials anticipate another 300 or 400 feet.

The band Driving Force will be playing in the vicinity of the foodstands, the flea market will be from 5 to 7 and the One-Way Band will perform from 7:45 to 9 or 9:30.

Friday Night Bandstand, sponsored by Fairfield Federal Savings and Loan Association, will present the Adelphi Community Band with many patriotic tunes starting at 7:30 on the square downtown.

On Saturday the parade kicks off the day's events. It will form at 10 a.m. on S. Broad Street between Main and Walnut Streets. The parade starts at 10:30 and goes north on Broad Street to the fairgrounds.

The flea market and foodstands will be open all day at the fairgrounds. There will be continuous entertainment in the area as well as games for children, including a dunking machine.

The entertainment lineup includes the South Forty Band which will be performing noon to 2; Bruce Anderson will be doing his Elvis Presley imitation from 2 to 4; the band Prophecy will play from 4 to 5:30; saxophone soloist Steve Riggs will play from 5:30 to 7; and the band Phoenix will perform from 7 to 9 or 9:30.

On the race track in front of the grandstand, the Elizabeth Sherman Reese Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, will present a flag to Lancaster Parks and Recreation at 7:45. For 32 years, the local DAR chapter has proclaimed Constitution Week in September, and this year the chapter is assisting the city in the dual celebration of the signing of the Con-

stitution of the United States and the Northwest Ordinance.

The Barbara Baker Dancers will perform from 8 to 9:30 and they will be followed by the Lancers who will be performing with flaming batons.

The fireworks display will follow under the direction of Hamburg Fireworks. Rutherford says owner Jerry Sprague always provides more fireworks than the city pays for.

In the event there is rain Saturday the fireworks will be held Sunday night.

Parking will be free at the fairgrounds Friday and Saturday up to 6 p.m. Beginning at 6 parking will be a \$1 and the money will be used to defray the cost of the fireworks and expenses associated with the celebration.

Rutherford said liability insurance for the celebration nearly doubled this year from last year to \$768 for less coverage than the city received last year. Rutherford said the city is still seeking donations to help offset this and other costs associated with the celebration. Contributions can be made at the mayor's office.

With the holiday Saturday there are numerous closings and changes.

The Eagle-Gazette will not be published Saturday and all banks will be closed Saturday as well as the state liquor store and the Fairfield County District Library.

City, county, state and federal offices will be closed Friday. There will be trash pickup Friday, but the city transfer station will be closed Friday and Saturday.

The post office will be closed Saturday and there will be no mail delivery. On Friday, the post office will close at noon, but there will be mail delivery.



Ebenezer's Opens July 20

General Manager David Lang, second from right, discusses plans with his management staff for the scheduled July 29 grand opening of Ebenezer's a new restaurant, located at 1936 E. Main St. Pictured from left are Kevin Burton, tavern manager; John Engleman, assistant general manager; and David Oyler, kitchen manager.

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