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Northglenn Hosting July 4th Festival E.B. Rains Jr. Memorial Park, 11800 Community Center Drive

All Day Fun for the Community

Everyone is invited to Northglenn's signature event, the July 4th Festival. This all-day, family friendly festival is free to attend, with plenty of activities, food and entertainment. Last year an estimated 15,000 guests attended. Watch for some changes this year, all designed to create an even better experience.

7:00 a.m. Firecrackers and Flapjacks 4-Mile Fun Run and Walk. Sign up starts at 6:30 a.m.; race at 7:30. Register online at www.northglenn.org/recexpress or call 303-450-8800.

7:00 a.m. Boy Scout Pancake Breakfast, yum!

9:00 a.m. Northglenn Senior Organization hosts their annual bake sale.

10:00 a.m. The 4th Annual Northglenn July 4th Car Show opens. Cars will be accepted the day of the event. The car show awards are announced at 2:15 p.m. Register your vehicle, call 303-450-8909.

10:30 a.m. Bike, Trike and Wheelchair or Patriotic Pooch Parades. Dress up your children and dogs in stars, stripes and anything else patriotic. Registration begins at 8:30 a.m.

Noon Community Stage and Beer garden open (noon-10:00 p.m.)

Noon Booth and food vendors open

4:00 p.m. Northglenn/Thornton Rotary Ducky Derby. The winning duck gets \$3,000 and the next 100 receive great prizes. Cost is \$5 for one duck, \$20 for five ducks. Purchase them at the event or www.northglennthorntonrotary.org.

4:00 and 7:00 p.m. Concerts! First up at 4:00 p.m. is Thumpin' and at 7:00 p.m. enjoy the sounds of The Long Run.

7:00 p.m. American Legion Post 22 Color Guard will honor our nation's military, complete with a 21-gun salute.

9:30 p.m. Fireworks! The festival finishes with a spectacular fireworks show at 9:30 p.m., set off from Webster Lake.

For more information, please go to www.northglenn.org/july4th.

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