



The Lions Go-Karters criss cross in front of Taggart Medgaarden during the Independence Day Parade Monday on Main Street.

We love a parade



Photos by Eric Johnson
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ABOVE: Roe Naylor makes his way down Main Street.



BOTTOM RIGHT: A roving pirate hands out some candy to Ada Golbuff.

TOP RIGHT: Jenna See stakes her spot early despite the rain Monday as she waits for the start of the Austin Independence Day Parade.



ROSE CREEK FUN DAYS JULY 8-10

Rose Creek is ready to continue the summer's fun with a slate of activities to highlight the weekend.

This little, big town is ready to throw its traditional party starting on Friday, July 8.

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Tentative schedule, all plans subject to change

Friday, July 8

- Kickball tourney, Ulven Field, 15 and under, 5 p.m.; 16 and over, 7 p.m.
- Concessions in the park, 5-10 p.m.
- Firemen's water fights, Main Street. Registration, 7:30 p.m., fights, 8 p.m.

Saturday, July 9

- Softball tourney, Ulven Field, 8 a.m.
- Concessions in the park, 10 a.m. to 10 p.m.
- Removal of bell, The Rosary, 10 a.m.
- Parade, noon
- Kiddie carnival in the park, 2-5 p.m.
- Pedal pull, 2 p.m. registration, 2:30 p.m. pull
- Windsor chop dinner in Wayside Park, 5-8 p.m.
- Live entertainment: 507 Country, Wayside Park, 6-7 p.m.
- Live entertainment: 507 Country, The Creek Bar & Grill, 9-12:30 a.m.

Sunday, July 10

- Softball tourney (continued), 8 a.m.
- Concessions in the park
- Car show, Maple Street/across from City Hall. Registration, 8 a.m., show 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. and awards at 1:30 p.m.
- City-wide rummage sales all weekend
- Medallion hunt all weekend

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New distillery will celebrate their grand opening

Will join the home of Loon Juice and Four Daughters Vineyard & Winery

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The Traditionalist Distillery announces their upcoming grand opening at and will be based at Four Daughters Vineyard & Winery.

On July 8-10, the new distillery will celebrate their public grand opening with bourbon flights, tours, a new menu and give-aways. Located just east of Grand Meadow and along Bluff Country, the distillery is surrounded on all sides by the corn fields that provide the grain for their bourbon.

"Our philosophy is to do things the right way, even if it's the hard way," said Director of Operations

Justin Osborne. "We have an affinity for the classics, and Bourbon is the quintessential American spirit. We aren't trying to change the way it's made, we are just trying to change where it's made. We have great grains, water, climate, technology, and talent. We are proud of what we've been able to accomplish so far, and we look forward to what we can do in the coming years."

The newly remodeled bourbon distillery and lounge features an expansive patio, booth seating, two levels, and a cocktail bar. The all-new menu features flights, classic bourbon drinks, original cocktails, and a rotating selection of seasonal cocktails. The on-site award-winning restaurant has also released a new menu to pair with the bourbon of

ferings, featuring locally raised and bourbon-fed beef options that can only be found at the distillery.

Throughout the weekend, the owners and distillers will be leading tours to explain the process of making bourbon. Free tours will happen at 6 p.m. on Friday evening and at 2 p.m. on Saturday. An exclusive behind-the-scenes tour with barrel tasting will be offered on Saturday at 4 p.m. Tickets available online.

Highlights of the tours will include information on how a still works, as well as a visit to the newly built barrel aging facility.

While The Traditionalist is a new business, the owners are not newcomers to the craft beverage industry. Located within the same building is Four

Daughters Vineyard & Winery and Loon Juice cidery, the largest wine/cidery producers in the state. The addition of a distillery makes this an experience unlike any other in the Midwest. All three brands offer multiple flight options, allowing guests to experience the unique flavor profiles and distinct differences of the agricultural products of the Midwest. Four Daughters produces cold climate wines from the vineyard located on-site. Loon Juice exclusively uses Honey-crisp apples developed by the University of Minnesota.

The Traditionalist Distillery opens at 11 a.m., seven days a week. Visit <https://fourdaughtersvineyard.com/> for hours, upcoming special events, and updates.

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of Science, Engineering Technology

2022

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Ediget Tadesse, bachelor of arts degree

South Central College Graduates 2022
Austin

Jonathan Herron, computer assistant certificate (Spring) and networking services associate of applied science degree (Spring)
Katelyn Sarkar, early childhood education associate of science degree (Fall)

Racine

Naomi Dolton, Bachelor

Saint Mary's University of Minnesota Graduates Spring

University of Wisconsin River Falls
Austin

Kendra Goetz, Bachelor of Science, Animal Science
Grace Mikkelsen, Bachelor of Science, Communication Studies
Ryan Risius, Bachelor of Science, Agricultural Business

Brownsdale

Emma Holst, Bachelor of Science, Agricultural Business, Summa Cum Laude
Mitchell Oswald, Bachelor of Science, Crop and Soil Science, Summa Cum Laude

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