

For Immediate Release

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Hailey's 4th of July Parade Grand Marshals and Events Schedule 2025 The Chamber is honored to announce that Hailey's 4th of July Committee has selected the Wood River Women's Foundation as this year's Grand Marshalls for the Hailey's annual Days of the Old West 4th of July Parade.

The Wood River Women's Foundation (WRWF) is celebrating its 20th anniversary. The nonprofit was founded back in 2005 by a small group of local ladies, led by Barbara Thrasher and Jo Murray. Since that first year, the WRWF has given out nearly \$5 million in 294 grants to support local needs of all kinds. In 2025 alone, WRWF awarded \$375,000 to 25 different local organizations.

The impacts of these grants are widespread and far-reaching. Just about every aspect of life in and around the Wood River Valley has been positively impacted by the WRWF's help and support. That's why the 4th of July Committee unanimously voted for the WRWF to be the Grand Marshalls for Hailey's annual Independence Day Parade

"It's such an honor to celebrate the women who've made this happen," WRWF's President Jeannie Shroads said.

"I think it's wonderful," added longtime WRWF member Marcia Liebich. "A lot of us have put a lot of time into this over the years and it's really nice to be recognized and to celebrate our community and remind people you can make a difference."

"Time, treasure or talent, any or all, there's a lot of ways to help," Barbara said. "In small community like ours you can see the difference you're making."

Hailey's iconic Days of the Old West 4th of July celebration offers events from July 2-6th this year.

The Sawtooth Rangers Rodeo will run from July 2-4th. All three nights are likely to sell out and there are no tickets available at the gate. Tickets can be bought in person at any Atkinsons location or at the Hailey Welcome Center or online at SawtoothRangers.org.

The 142nd Days of the Old West 4th of July Parade will meander down Main Street in Hailey starting at high noon.

The 10th Anniversary of Sawtooth Brewery's Riverfest will rock the crowd at Hop Porter Park from 1 to 5pm, featuring free live music, kids' entertainment, food trucks and local beer crafted just up the street.

The Life Church's 4th Annual Family Fun 4th Community Event . takes place from 1-4pm at 931 North River Street. Festivities will include food, games, races, waterslides and a Pie-Eating Contest. Find out more at TheLifeChurchSunValley.org.

Fireworks will light up the skies above Hailey at dusk on July 4th .

Hailey's 26th Annual 4th of July Antique Fair will take place July 4-6th at Roberta McKercher Park. The fair features over 50 vendors from across the Northwest, offering unique and collectible antiques, art, jewelry, primitives, pottery and vintage clothing. Find out more by calling Blue Cow Antiques at 208-312-4900. The Wood River Farmers Market will also be at Roberta McKercher Park on July 5th .

To find out more, register for the parade or to make a donation to support the fireworks and all the 4th of July festivities, please go to ValleyChamber.org or visit the Hailey Welcome Center at 781 South Main Street in Hailey, 208-788-3484.

HAILEY DAYS & THE OLD WEST

4th of July Celebration

JULY 2 - 4 Sawtooth Rangers Rodeo

JULY 4 - 6 Antique Market at Roberta McKercher Park

JULY 4

12-1:30 PM Days of the Old West Parade

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Family Fun Event at the Life Church after the Parade

1:00-5:00 PM Sawtooth Brewing's RiverFest at Hop Porter Park

7:30-10:00 PM Sawtooth Rangers Rodeo FIREWORKS - Dusk

Join us in honoring this years Grand Marshalls: The Wood River Women's Foundation and their 20th Anniversary



