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**Welcome to the City of Alliance Activity Report**

All City of Alliance offices will be closed on Wednesday, July 4<sup>th</sup>. Regular office hours will resume on Thursday, July 5<sup>th</sup>.

The City of Alliance Refuse Collection Department will be adjusting refuse collection days to accommodate the July 4th holiday. Roll out containers will be emptied on Thursday, July 5th and the steel containers will only be emptied once during the week. For questions regarding trash collection, please contact Eric Lenz at 762-1907 or e-mail at [elenz@cityofalliance.net](mailto:elenz@cityofalliance.net).

The Reminisce Writer's Group will meet on Tuesday, July 3<sup>rd</sup> at 10:00 a.m. at the Knight Museum and Sandhills Center. For more information about the group, please call the museum at 762-2384.

The City of Alliance is currently accepting applications until July 6<sup>th</sup> for the position of Water/Sewer Maintenance Worker I and until July 13<sup>th</sup> for the position of Administrative Secretary in the Community Development Office and Part time Administrative Secretary in the Cultural and Leisure Services Department. For complete job descriptions, please contact Workforce Development or access the City of Alliance website at [www.cityofalliance.net](http://www.cityofalliance.net).

The Alliance Public Library would like to invite you to enjoy "A Little R&R with the Burrito Brothers" in the Library Garden on Thursday, July 5th at 7:00 p.m. as part of the summer evening concert series. Please bring a lawn chair as available seating is limited. Refreshments will be provided by the Alliance Retired Senior Volunteer Program.

Sky View Golf Course will be hosting the 4-Person Yellow Ball Scramble all day on Wednesday, July 4<sup>th</sup>. Simply register at the Pro Shop with your foursome and play anytime during the day. The course is also open all day to players not participating in the scramble.

In accordance with city ordinances and state regulations, fireworks may be legally discharged in the City of Alliance until July 2<sup>nd</sup> from 9:00 a.m. until 10:00 p.m. and July 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> from 9:00 a.m. until 12 midnight. Fireworks may not be discharged after midnight on July 4<sup>th</sup>. As the fire danger is extremely high, we encourage you to have a garden hose or bucket of water nearby. Please practice safety while discharging fireworks and remember that the use, purchase or possession of fireworks by any person under 12 years of age is prohibited unless direct supervision is provided by a person 18 years of age or older.

The “Laing Lake Lunatics” cardboard boat race will be held on Wednesday, July 4<sup>th</sup> beginning at 10:30 a.m. at Laing Lake. For information regarding the race, please call Calvin Tolstedt at 760-7356 or Kevin Wilkinson at 763-8162.

The annual Jaycees fireworks display will be held on Wednesday, July 4<sup>th</sup> at Laing Lake beginning at dusk.

Preparation for new crash surfacing at the Jaycee Mini Park located at 7<sup>th</sup> and Cheyenne was completed several weeks ago in anticipation of a delivery of new recycled rubber surface material. The shipment of the product has been delayed until mid to late July. The Parks Department will be installing the new surfacing immediately upon its arrival to ensure a safe play environment.

The west entrance of the Alliance Library/Learning Center has been reopened for use. The newly constructed entryway includes the addition of a heating system that will assist in the prevention of ice buildup in the winter months. Work will continue in the area for the next several days while pillar caps are installed and the parking stalls are painted.

This concludes the Activity Report brought to you by the City of Alliance and KCOW, working together to **“Build the Best Hometown in America!”**

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Have a great weekend!

From: Annora Bentley-Administrative Support Services