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City of Summit announces revised program for 2020 Fourth of July activities

SUMMIT, NJ, June 18, 2020 – The City of Summit is announcing a revised Fourth of July program that complies with ongoing COVID-19 guidelines and restrictions from the State of New Jersey. It does not include fireworks or activities that would encourage a mass gathering of more than 500 persons.

Independence Day festivities will commence on Saturday, July 4 at 9:30AM with a flag raising ceremony at Soldier's Memorial Field located at 5 Myrtle Avenue in Summit. The ceremony will be followed by a fancy dress contest and walk around Memorial Field for senior citizens at 9:45AM. Judges will select three of the most festive and best dressed participants to win a prize.

A decorated bicycle parade for children will begin at 10AM with prizes awarded for the best decorated bike in each age category. Pre-school age children will ride in the parade at 10AM. Children age five to seven will ride at 10:30AM, and children age eight and older will ride at 11AM.

Masks will be required for participants in the fancy dress contest and bike parade, and groups will be asked to remain a distance of six feet away from one another. All those attending the Memorial Field event should practice safe physical distancing, and are asked to please wear a face covering.

For more information, please visit the Department of Community Programs [website](#), or call (908) 277-2932.

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